

On the Virtual Road . . .

Last week I wrapped up the seven part SCHMETZ FBLive series, **SCHMETZ SWIM - See What I Made**. All the projects were personal UFO's, several from over 15 years ago. Sometimes I amaze myself that all the projects & supplies were locatable and in order. Projects shown included memorial hearts to the boho kimono to the stunning indigo sashiko quilt, with other projects sprinkled among this unusual gift of time, also known as Covid-19. I am forever grateful for my health, my job, the love of sewing, and SCHMETZ fans. I can say I am truly ***Inspired to SEW*** during this time of uncertainty.

Almost two weeks ago, my sewing was hijacked by gardening. I'm still sneaking in sewing & quilting time, but caring for outdoor plants now takes priority until rain showers on my little garden paradise. I'm also moving into phase 3 in my battle with rabbits, but that's a story for another time.

Stay tuned for future SCHMETZneedle FBLives and videos. Meanwhile, if you missed some of the SWIM projects, take a closer look on my personal blog:

<https://sewmorestitches.com/blog?blogcategory=SCHMETZ+See+What+I+Made>.

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Rhonda's Christine Jonson Dress
SCHMETZ SWIM June 26

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Nobody is weathering the pandemic storm better than people that sew. We know how to make the best of situations. We certainly stepped up to serve our families & communities with masks. In addition to making masks, Rhonda Pierce was inspired to finish UFO's (unfinished objects) that seasoned up to 17 years. On SCHMETZneedles Facebook LIVE, on Wednesdays during May & June, Rhonda shared multiple newly completed projects. That lead her to wonder how other industry professionals are using this unusual gift of time. Emails were sent to 24 sewing celebrities asking for a snapshot of how they spent their time. Were they sewing, resting, crafting, cooking? Everyone was asked to submit one image with a paragraph describing their pandemic time. Fourteen responses were received. Luckily, everyone is healthy. You will enjoy reading the responses as their dedication to our industry thrives.

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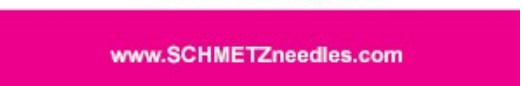


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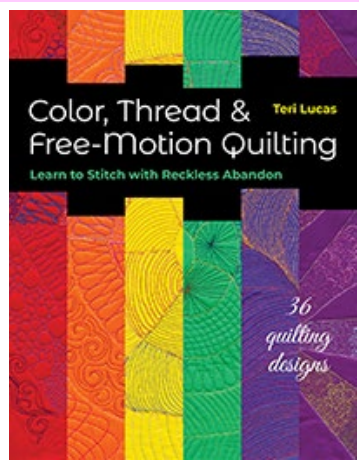
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Helpful Resources . . . Check 'em Out!



Color, Thread, and Free-Motion Quilting by Teri Lucas

Of course, using the proper needle will help you stitch with reckless abandon. Celebrate Teri's new book by taking part in her Virtual Book Launch later this month. Enjoy Teri's beautiful, resourceful guide.

<https://www.ctpub.com/color-thread-free-motion-quilting/>

It's never too late to join MJ Kinman's Elizabeth Sew-Along!



<http://www.mjkinman.com/sewalong-elizabeth-pattern>



8 Questions to Ask Yourself Before Shopping for a New Sewing Machine

Thanks, Susan Beck, for providing this checklist to buying a new sewing machine.

<https://sewfeet.com/8-questions-to-ask-yourself-before-shopping-for-a-new-sewing-machine/>



Judy & Margaret are back with Season Two. Join them for insightful discussions about the tools & tips that take sewing projects from fine to fabulous.

<https://beforethestitches.com/>



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SCHMETZ Inspired to SEW



Issue 78
Ecclesiastical Sewing



Issue 77
4-H Now ...
The REST of the Story



Issue 76
The History and Impact of 4-H

<http://www.schmetzneedles.com/archived-digital-magazines/>

Where's Rhonda?

2020 Schedule

(Maroon color indicates Wholesale Venue)

Thimbles Virtual SCHMETZ Classes*
July 2, 9, 16, 23

Original Sewing & Quilt Expo Virtual*
August 11

Bernina University
Virtual SCHMETZ Class*

Quilting By The Sea*

October 13
Boca Raton FL
Lecture

International Quilt Market

October 23-26
Houston TX

Faithful Circle Quilters Guild*

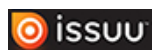
November 18
Downers Grove IL

*Teaching SCHMETZ Classes

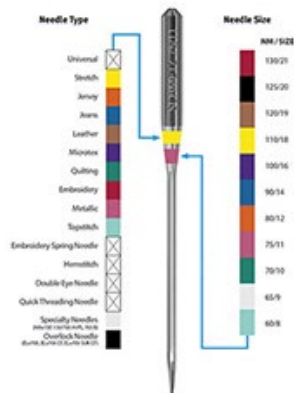


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