



Whitlock's Sewing Center

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HANDI QUILTER HANDS-ON VAN EVENT
May 14-16, 2024

National Educator
Nicholas Turcan

**BUNDLE
SPECIAL PRICING
TUESDAY/WEDNESDAY
\$250
SAVE \$50**

Nicholas Turcan is a multi-talented and very creative individual. His journey into quilting began in 2012 with one quilt that quickly turned into several, which made him realize that he needed a better way to finish these quilt tops than a small, domestic-sized machine. In 2014, Nicholas purchased the HQ Fusion® to help with this task. It didn't take very long to realize that the creativity this machine unleashed from within him deserved to be shared.

In addition to long-arm quilting for customers, he has started to teach free-motion quilting workshops, where students can learn the confidence and skills required to further their own quilting abilities.

MORNING

**TUESDAY, May 14
COST: \$75**

TIME: 9:00 to Noon

LONGARM QUILTING BOOTCAMP

Class Description: Does longarm quilting interest you, and you'd like to learn more about it? Or do you just want a review of longarm quilting basics? This class removes the mystery of longarm quilting by explaining machine and frame elements and features, how to load a quilt, and vital facts about thread, needles, and tension. Handi Quilter longarm machine and frame systems come in various sizes for every budget and are user-friendly because they are designed by a quilter, for quilters – just like you!

AFTERNOON

**TUESDAY, May 14
COST: \$75**

TIME: 1:00 to 4:00

SWEET AND SIMPLE FREE-MOTION

Class Description: Quilters everywhere LOVE the excitement and fun of free-motion quilting – and it's easier than you think! Create flowing designs by connecting simple design elements with continuous lines, traveling across the quilt, or filling in a specific area. Learn how drawing and muscle memory contribute to beautiful free-motion quilting and how you can create stunning designs.

Snacks will be provided. Lunch will be on your own.

This Hands-On Van Event will be held at:

**The Scottish Rite Center
4090 Commercial Street SE
Salem, OR**



Lunch will be 12:00-1:00 PM Daily

MORNING

WEDNESDAY, May 15 **TIME: 9:00 to Noon**
COST: \$75

PRO-STITCHER BASICS

Class Description: Pro-Stitcher is an intuitive computer-guided quilting system designed especially for use with Handi Quilter longarm quilting machines. User-friendly and simple to operate, the step-by-step process for each function is easy and fun. Whether finishing your own quilts or consider a quilting business, come see the elegant and precise quilting you can accomplish with Pro-Stitcher. New users – start here!

AFTERNOON

WEDNESDAY, May 15 **TIME: 1:00 to 4:00**
COST: \$75

RADICAL RULERS

Class Description: If you love precision and consistency in your quilting rulers, you will love using design rulers and templates! These handy tools assist in placing designs accurately and stitching them out precisely. Learn to handle rulers and templates safely with the ruler base and Sure Foot, and how to achieve accuracy with the markings. The wide variety of Handi Quilter rulers will inspire you to new design heights.

MORNING

THURSDAY, May 16
COST: \$75

TIME: 9:00 to Noon

BACKGROUND FILLS AND BEYOND

Class Description: Interested in building a library of designs you can use with confidence? In this workshop, you'll identify shapes you already love to quilt, learn how to create pathways to connect designs, and explore using different threads to really make your background fill quilting pop.

AFTERNOON

THURSDAY, May 16
COST: \$75

TIME: 1:00 to 4:00

MANDALA MANIA

Class Description: Mandalas are a fun trend in quilting today. In this workshop, we will look at ways to build these beautiful designs using symmetry, starting with a doodle.