

Beach Cities Quilt Guild Workshop
Saturday, June 10, 2017
Jean Impey's Spiderweb

Hello quilters,

We're only about a month away from our Spiderweb workshop with Jean Impey. Below you will find information about the class and a supply list from Jean's website.

Our workshops are held at Community Presbyterian Church, 32202 Del Obispo Street, San Juan Capistrano, 92675. Class will be from 10:00am-4:00pm and you may come about fifteen minutes early to set up your machine and workspace. Don't forget to bring your lunch/snack/drink.

We are looking forward to seeing you for a fun and productive day of learning and creating!

Your workshop team,

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Cathy Harris

See below for information and supply list and please visit Jean's website for photos of her beautiful pillows and quilts for inspiration for fabric choices.

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The Spider Web design is an old quilt block sometimes called a String Quilt. I have fallen in love with this design and continue to make it again and again, each time making it a bit differently. In this class, anything goes and everyone is successful.

It's a bit of old-style quilting, mixing it up with the fascinating use of color and design and making it your own. We will start sewing almost immediately and I will be able to teach you techniques for accuracy and speed. Weave strips of fabric into a new quilt full of surprises. You will lose yourself into the rhythm of stitches and repetition while making a work of art.

Bring your favorite fabrics and scraps whether it's contemporary, modern, traditional, hand dyes, tonal, batiks, or thimbleberries – it looks best when you throw in everything.... My first Spider Web has over 280 different fabrics – not including the crazy pieced kites. It was so exciting that I have made more than a dozen more.

In my one-day class, you will have enough time to make a pillow and then if you love the process, you can continue on and make the whole quilt. It's fun, it's creative, and you'll learn techniques that you will continue to use on other quilts you make. There is a \$10.00 Kit Fee which includes your own Plexiglass Kite-Shaped Template.

Supply List:

- **Sewing Machine and Basic Supplies**It's always best to test your machine before class. Bring your favorite 1/4" foot for piecing and your FMQ/Darning foot. Basic Sewing tools include the items you like to have when sewing... a seam ripper? LOL, stiletto, marking tools, pencils, spare bobbins, scissors, rulers, pins, spare sewing machine needles (70 sharps are my favorite) - bring anything portable that makes you happy.
- **IF YOU WANT TO MAKE A PILLOW:**Bring a Zipper Foot for your Machine, For you pillow back - 22" of selvage to selvage fabric (do not cut off the selvage) and a 20" pillow form (IKEA sells these for \$6.99)
- **FABRICSKITE SHAPES** - Scraps of fabric (any size – all 100% cotton), in many different colors and patterns (for kite shaped crazy pieced parts) A charm pack works great for these crazy pieced kite shapes and provides some overall continuity
- **STRIPS** - If you are making a traditional 7-ring spider web, you will need 1-1/2" strips... If you are making a 5-ring traditional spider web, you will need 2" strips. If you are making a "liberated" spider web, bring scraps. If you don't know, just bring fabric and we can make that decision together.
- **50W Cotton Thread**Neutral colored cotton thread for piecing - available in my store
- **Muslin**We use muslin for your foundation. You will need four 11" x 11" squares, to start with for this class. If you are making something other than a pillow, you may want to contact me and talk about what size muslin squares you would want to start with.
- **June Tailor's Shape Cut JT-796**This is a must for squaring up your blocks. After this class, you will use it to square up everything.
 - JoAnns
- **June Tailor's Grid Marker (JT-717)**I highly recommend this tool for marking your muslin (Though, it is not necessary for Liberated Spider web)

- Amazon
- OPTIONAL: 20 x 30” foam core board We use it for a portable design wall. When space is limited, it gives you a place to work with your designs, it doesn't have to be new or fancy.
- OPTIONAL: A special "dead blow" hammer made of resilient plastic used to flatten seams and joints in quilting A dead blow hammer is a specialized mallet helpful in minimizing damage to the struck surface and in controlling striking force with minimal rebound from the struck surface. The minimal rebound is helpful in avoiding accidental damage to precision work, especially in tight locations. It's material is used and does not damage fabric.
 - Neon Orange Dead Blow Hammer
 - Seams Perfect's "Wacker"

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- 09/18/2018 – [Utah Quilt Guild Quilt Fest 2018](#)
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