



# Tudor Rose Patchwork



## Course Schedule

July to December 2009

# Welcome to the Tudor Rose Patchwork Courses Pamphlet for the second half of 2009!

## A Word from Sandra and David

**Wow!** Has it really been nine months since we took over the shop from Helen and Jane? Time has flown hasn't it?

More of you than ever have been shopping at Tudor Rose, and we thank you for that support. In these tougher times we really appreciate it. In return, we are holding course and club prices at their 2008 levels for yet another six months. We are also holding our prices on most other items as low as we can. We have to help each other, don't we?

We also appreciate the fact that the 2009 courses, events and clubs have been well supported by you all. It's all about you after all, you and what you want to do.

Additionally we have to give a heartfelt vote of thanks to our tutors for their commitment to providing you with courses which meet your needs and your expectations, and doing it so well. Without them ... well, it just wouldn't work, would it?

You may have noticed that we have been ringing the changes in the shop, hopefully without offending those of you who come back time and again.

You will no doubt have noticed the huge increase in the variety of what we sell. That was part of our business plan from the outset. We've replaced most of the old wooden display units with more sturdy metal ones, and we'll do the rest as the opportunity arises. And we've gone in the only direction we can in displaying our old and new wares to you — up!

And the other thing you will have noticed is the computerised till system. We introduced it to enable us to manage our stock, some 5,500 different products in all, so that we can tell you what we have and what we have not. Hopefully, stock-outs will become a thing of the past! Thanks for your patience while the staff got to grips with the new technology.

We look forward to the six months enthusiastically. You will see in this pamphlet that the range of courses and clubs has widened again. We'd love it if you support the new courses as keenly as you do the old favourites!

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You may think that Knuston Hall are our competitors. Well, far from it, they are our partners and friends. Many of our students attend both our courses and ones at Knuston Hall. More than one tutor has been known to teach at both institutions! There's room for us all, and we recommend Knuston Hall very warmly!



## Our Opening Hours

**WE ARE NOW OPEN SEVEN DAYS A WEEK!**

We know that you want things when you want them ...

So we're open to help you with materials and ideas!

# Clubs

Places Available – Please note that all Club Classes are payable monthly in advance

## Beginners & Improvers Patchwork & Quilting—

### Helen Coverley

#### Tuesdays

10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.  
and 1.30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Summer break all of August and September 1. No Oct 27. Xmas Break from Dec 15.

#### Wednesdays

1.30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Summer break Jul 23 until September 1. No Oct 28. Xmas Break from Dec 16.

Sewing Machine Required

**£9 Week**

## Bag Ladies—Helen Coverley

This is an ongoing once-a-month bag-making course in two groups. Choose one date from each of Blocks 1 and 2.

**1** Jul 1, Aug 5, Sep 2, Oct 7, Nov 4, Dec 2

**2** Jul 8, Aug 12, Sep 9, Oct 14, Nov 11, Dec 9 **£10 Month**

## Candlewicking and Lacemaking—Helen Coverley

Meets on the first Friday of the month—10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Jul 3, Aug 7, Sep 4, Oct 2, Nov 6, Dec 4

**Lacemaking £7 Month**

**Candlewicking £9 Month**

## Friday Finishing School—Helen Coverley

A monthly class for finishing projects, starting them or anything else patchwork-related. Suitable for beginners and improvers. Meets on the first Friday of the month—1.30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Jul 3, Aug 7, Sep 4, Oct 2, Nov 6, Dec 4 **£10 Month**

## Pauline's Morning Sewing Club

Meets once a month on Sundays—10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Jul 19, Aug 16, Sep 20, Oct 18, Nov 15, Dec 20 **£9 Month**

## Why not join one of our Clubs?

**Come along, enjoy your craft  
and meet lots of like-minded crafters!**

### Block of the Month 1—Helen Coverley

Meets once a month on Fridays—10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Jul 10, Aug 14, Sep 11, Oct 9, Nov 13, Dec 11

**£10 Month**  
(Excludes pattern cost)

### Block of the Month 2—Helen Coverley

Meets once a month on Fridays—1.30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Jul 10, Aug 14, Sep 11, Oct 9, Nov 13, Dec 11

**£10 Month**  
(Excludes pattern cost)

### Heather's Knitting Club

Fortnightly on Thursday Afternoons—1.30 p.m. to 4 p.m. **£6 Month**

### Heather's Evening Knitting Club

Meets once a month on Mondays—7.30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Jul 20, Aug 17, Tues Sep 22, Oct 19, Nov 16, Dec 21 **£7 Month**

### Patchwork 1 with Helen Coverley

Meets once a month on Fridays—10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Jul 17, Sep 18, Oct 16, Nov 20, Dec 18 **£16 Month**

### Patchwork 2 with Helen Coverley

Meets once a month on Fridays—10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Jul 24, Sep 25, Oct 23, Nov 27 **£16 Month**

## Please Note!

- Examples of the kind of work produced in workshops are displayed either in the shop or in the workshop for at least one month prior to the class.
- Course fees do not usually include materials required for the course.
- Any items specifically required for a course can be purchased from the shop during the month prior to the course, or from the tutor on the day.

# Classes

Places Available – Please note that all Classes are payable in advance

## Make A Bag Weekend

**Saturday/Sunday July 4/5 2009** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Postponed from the last programme, we will be doing the Work of Art Handbag, plus lots of other bags to grow your habit! Suitable for beginners

Helen Coverley Price: £52

## One-Day Open Workshop

**Thursday, July 9 2009** 10 a.m. to 4p.m.

Working predominantly with seed beads plus needle and thread, create stunning and unusual pieces of jewellery while exploring a variety of different bead threading and weaving techniques. All are welcome - beginners will quickly learn basic methods and techniques; the more experienced can move on to more challenging designs; those who attended previous courses and workshops may like to take the opportunity to complete unfinished pieces.

Gillian Ashwell Price: £28

## Hand Painted Miniature Quilts

**Saturday, July 11 2009** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Spend a day making delightful miniature quilts using metal stencils to create one-of-a-kind treasures. You can use the same technique to produce original quilt labels and embossed greeting cards!


Lynn Hillston Price: £28

## Stained Glass Technique

**Monday, July 13 2009** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Learn the skill of this technique using a fusing method and ready-made bias tape on this new Egyptian project. Past projects, including the Rennie Macintosh projects, are also available. Suitable for beginners.

Helen Coverley Price: £28



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## How Much Fabric Do I Need?

**Monday, July 13 2009** 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Learn how to calculate the amount of fabric you need for your project. Helen will teach you estimation techniques which will help you with all of your projects!

Helen Coverley Price: £16

## Stumpwork Tulip

**Saturday, July 18 2009** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Suitable for all Levels. Continuing the series of flowers, we will use traditional stumpwork techniques of satin stitch, buttonhole stitch and raised wire work to make three elegant tulips swaying in the breeze.

Kathleen Laurel Sage Price: £28

## Ogalala Necklace

**Saturday, July 25 2009** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A soft and flattering necklace just right to wear with summer tops or dresses. It is composed of several intertwined strands of seed beads of different size worked using the very easy "Ogalala butterfly" technique. Make it in the colours of your choice.

Gillian Ashwell Price: £28

## Gold Work Tudor Rose

**Wednesday, July 29, 2009** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Use traditional gold work techniques to make this simple elegant rose, using couched cords, padded leather work and pearl purl. Step-by-step instructions and written instructions will make this delightful design suitable to all levels and the finished article could be simply framed as a picture or inserted in to a box top.

Kathleen Laurel Sage Price: £28

## Butterflies in Raw Edge Appliqué

**Friday, July 31 2009** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Freestyle, fabric fusing and machine appliqué to make these layered butterflies. Make into cushions or the start of a quilt. Suitable for beginners.

Helen Coverley Price: £28

## Jewellery in Lace

**Saturday, August 1 2009** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Have you ever wondered if there is any more to bobbin lace than bookmarks and handkerchief edgings? Well, there is. Join me on this workshop and produce a beautiful piece of jewellery in bobbin lacemaking techniques, using gorgeous wire and beads. All skill levels are accommodated, from complete beginner to advanced.

Jan Gardiner Price: £33

## One-Day Open Workshop

**Thursday, August 6 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Working predominantly with seed beads plus needle and thread, create stunning and unusual pieces of jewellery while exploring a variety of different bead threading and weaving techniques. All are welcome - beginners will quickly learn basic methods and techniques; the more experienced can move on to more challenging designs; those who attended previous courses and workshops may like to take the opportunity to complete unfinished pieces.

**Gillian Ashwell**

**Price: £28**

## Quilted House Sewing Machine Cover

**Saturday, August 8 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Just what it says! This dust cover has a front door with roses over, and the upstairs windows have little quilts hanging out of them. Basic sewing machine skills and hand embroidery embellishing.

**Helen Coverley**

**Price: £28**

## Ribbed Bracelet

**Saturday, August 15 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

This bold bracelet is composed of chunky square sections worked in seed beads in flat herringbone stitch, the links between them made of strands of larger beads and a few Swarovski crystals to add a little sparkle. Make it in the colours of your choice.

**Gillian Ashwell**

**Price: £28**

## A Day with Your Overlocker

**Saturday, August 22 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

For beginners and improvers. We will look at threading tensions, needles and using the cutter. Later, we will also look at setting up and using your overlocker. The cost includes all fabrics, elastic, piping and fishing wire.

**Pauline Jennings**

**Price: £28**

## Felt Hats

**Saturday, August 29 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Come and make a simple and stylish felt hat using merino wools. There is no sewing required. Felt making kits will be available on the day. Suitable for beginners and improvers!

**Clare Bullock**

**Price: £28**

## Flower Needle Case (Surface Work)

**Wednesday, September 3 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Suitable for beginners and improvers. You will use spaced dye threads on pure silk to stitch this lovely needle case. The stitches used for this piece are stern stitch, detached chain stitch, fly stitch, French knots and bullion knots.

**Jan Jordan**

**Price: £28**

## Make A Bag Day

**Saturday, September 5 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

There's always a new bag hanging in the workshop. Join other bag ladies and add to your collection. Suitable for beginners.

**Helen Coverley**

**Price: £28**

## Patchwork Christmas

**Monday, September 7 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

New projects this year a Little Houses Tree Skirt (or Table Centre). Comfort and Joy Lap Quilt. Table mats and runners and a door stop decoration snowman. Choose your own project!

**Helen Coverley**

**Price: £28**

## Stack & Whack Patchwork for Beginners

**An Evening Course**

**7.30 p.m. to 9 p.m.**

Create either a stunning lap quilt or a wall-hanging using a simple stack and whack technique. Ideal course for beginners as it will include sashing, borders and binding to finish your quilt.

Dates: **Wednesdays on Sep 9, 16, 23, 30**

**Mary Adlam**

**Price: £55**

## Stump Work Buttercup—Botanical Style

**Saturday, September 12**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Another small stump work project that is suitable for advanced and beginning students, using traditional techniques of surface stitching and raised wire elements to form petals and leaves to make a delightful 3 dimensional buttercup. If you have never tried this type of embroidery before come along and get going with class demonstrations and individual student demonstrations where needed.

**Kathleen Laurel Sage**

**Price: £28**

Have you picked up your **Customer Loyalty Card** yet?

It's our way of rewarding our regular customers! Ask for one next time you're in.

## Sewing Machine Maintenance and Repairs

**Monday, September 14**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

An opportunity to get your sewing machine or overlocker serviced and any issues looked at by an experienced sewing machine repairer. Note: If parts are required you will be contacted during the day to agree the additional cost.

**Richard Jones**

**Price: £35**

## Beginners' Candlewicking

Wednesday, September 16

10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Learn the basic steps to this fascinating technique. Helen will guide you through it step-by-step. Come and have a morning's fun learning something new!

Helen Coverley

Price: £16

## Cushion Creations

Four Evening Classes

7.30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

We'll be making a variety of cushions in a range of beautiful fabrics, including bolster, double Oxford and envelope cushions, taking in invisible machine applique along the way. The course will also cover inset panels for any tapestry or embroidery you may have worked. Traditional or modern: The choice is yours!

Course Dates: Mondays on Sept 14, Sept 21, Sept 28 and Oct 5

Jenny Jones

Price: £55

## Elizabethan Pendant

Saturday, September 19 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A stunning pendant composed of an open square worked in seed beads in a number of sizes plus pearls and Swarovski crystals. The separate strap which it is looped through and suspended on is worked in right-angle weave. Make it in the colours of your choice.

Gillian Ashwell

Price: £28

## Flutterby Bracelet

Wednesday, September 23 2009

10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

A simple bracelet based on netting using size 8 and size 11 beads. Excellent for beginners. Can also be extended to make a necklace. By the end of the morning most will have completed the bracelet and some may have begun a necklace to match.

Sue Murgatroyd

Price: £16

## Beadwork for All

A Morning 10-week Course

10 a.m. to 12 noon

A wonderful course for all lovers of beadwork! Beginners will be introduced to, and will be able to explore, a large number of different techniques of beadwork, improvers and the more experienced will be encouraged to build on their skills and move on to more advanced work, perhaps beginning to design their own. All students will complete a range of finished pieces.

Course Dates: Thursdays on Sept 24, Oct 1, Oct 8, Oct 15, Oct 22, Nov 5, Nov 12, Nov 19, Nov 26, Dec 3

Gillian Ashwell

Price: £86

## Patchwork Christmas

Saturday, September 26 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

New projects this year a Little Houses Tree Skirt (or Table Centre). Comfort and Joy Lap Quilt. Table mats and runners and a door stop decoration snowman. Choose your own project!

Helen Coverley

Price: £28

## Gold Work Partridge in a Pear Tree

Monday, September 28 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A partridge in a pear tree for Christmas. Chipping with purl and check, laying purl over a raised surface and surface embroidery will feature strongly in this piece. This larger project will also use traditional techniques of couched cords and padded leather work to complete this stylized design that once worked would not look out of place if you kept it on your walls all year round.

Kathleen Laurel Sage

Price: £28

## Sewing Machine Introduction and Demonstration

Saturday, October 3 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Come and see what a sewing machine can do for you and have a go. A wonderful opportunity for everyone from 8 years upwards who would like to see and try out the new light weight sewing machines. See how to mend hems and put a zip in. Full instruction and help provided.

Helen Coverley

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**When you're at the shop,  
why not take a look at our  
In-store Specials!**

We only have two week-long sales a year ...  
but we special many items all year round!

## Charity Quilts

Sunday, October 4 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Come and help us make quilts for charity. Make a block towards our next Charity Quilt. Bring your machines, your fabrics and, especially, your ideas! Tudor Rose Patchwork will supply the workshop - and, of course, the coffee! The finished quilt will be raffled next year.

Helen Coverley

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## Fantasy Books

**Monday, October 5 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

This workshop will use the creativity of a soldering iron in conjunction with organza and other fabrics to melt and form flowers or motifs to decorate the front cover of a small fantasy book. With delicate hand stitching, hand-made tassels and cords, this little book will make an ideal keepsake to be used as a journal or to display photos, or a beautiful and special gift if you can part with it.

**Kathleen Laurel Sage**

**Price: £28**

## A Beadwork Christmas

**An 8-week Afternoon Course 1.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.**

Make unusual two- and three-dimensional beadwork decorations worked with needle and thread in seed beads and constructed using a variety of stitches and techniques which will adorn your tree, your table (and yourself!) beautifully over the festive period.

Thursdays on **Oct 8, Oct 15, Oct 22, Nov 5, Nov 12, Nov 19, Nov 26, Dec 3.**

**Gillian Ashwell**

**Price: £78**

## Trapped Pearl Necklace

**Saturday, October 10 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Tubular herringbone stitch worked with several sizes of seed beads is used to create this unusual necklace which features within the tube at centre front three large pearls caged, but visible, between beaded strands. Make it in the colours of your choice.

**Gillian Ashwell**

**Price: £28**

## New to Tudor Rose Patchwork?

Unsure if one of the Full-day Courses or a Course Series is something you'd enjoy?

We recommend a taster—enrol in one of our

## Half-day Courses

and try us out!

You can choose from our Morning, Afternoon or Evening offerings

## Mini Quilts

**Monday, October 12 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Small wallhangings using small blocks. Snails Trail, Four-Patch, Flying Geese ... hand or machine quilted. Suitable for beginners.

**Helen Coverley**

**Price: £28**

## Gold Thread Day

**Saturday, October 17 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Gold thread day is precisely that. Relying only on gold thread, simple utility stitches such as straight stitch and zig-zag stitch, and combining them with some fabric paint. We will use the sewing machine to embroider a beautiful stylized flower design and produce a small panel which will be assembled with hand beading and a simple gold tassel.

**Kathleen Laurel Sage**

**Price: £28**

## Patchwork Christmas

**Monday, October 19 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

New projects this year a Little Houses Tree Skirt (or Table Centre). Comfort and Joy Lap Quilt. Table mats and runners and a door stop decoration snowman. Choose your own project!

**Helen Coverley**

**Price: £28**

## Log Cabin Lap Quilt with Folded Japanese Flowers

**Saturday, October 24 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

A traditional log cabin quilt with an Oriental twist. The centres of the blocks have a folded flower in them. If done in reds and greens, it would be suitable for a Christmas wallhanging. Suitable for beginners.

**Helen Coverley**

**Price: £28**

## Stamp, Embroider and Embellish your Canvas

**Monday, October 26 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

No embroidery hoop needed as we will be using a pre-bought and stretched artist's canvas. We will paint and stamp it using acrylic paints then apply delicate and unusual fabrics to its surface with hand embroidery and couching techniques. Beads and other surface stitches will embellish it to produce a modern textile canvas to decorate your home. Your finished piece can be simple with minimum stitching or you can really go to town. Whatever you decide, it will be unique to you.

**Kathleen Laurel Sage**

**Price: £28**

## Cobweb Scarf

**Tuesday, October 27 2009**

**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Come and make a lightweight scarf using this fantastic felting method. It's easy to do and you get a great result! Suitable for beginners and improvers, so come and have a go. Felt making kits will be available on the day.

**Clare Bullock**

**Price: £28**

## Helen Coverley

is our most experienced and well-respected local tutor. Helen, along with Jane Keech, got Tudor Rose Patchwork off the ground in its current form nearly 10 years ago. Since selling the business to Sandra and David she has continued to give our students what they want — professional, friendly tutoring based on designs which are original and which are informed by her constant study of world trends in patchworking, quilting and all the other handcrafts she knows so well!

## Hand Embroidered Needlecase

Friday, October 30 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

This needlecase is designed to hold packets of needles with the individual pieces being machine sewn. It is decorated with hand embroidery.

Helen Coverley

Price: £28

## Knitting Knowhow

Saturday, October 31 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Learn some knitting skills such as cable, double cable, fair isle, intarsia (blocks of colour) lace patterns, beads, bobbles, decorative eyelets, letters, and other fancy stitches and patterns and make a beautiful decorative cushion in the process. Choose whatever patterns you fancy from the sample and together we can design an unique cushion for you. Knitting is great fun and a great way to meet new friends.

Heather Neely

Price: £28

## Centipede Lariat

Saturday, November 7 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Not as weird as it sounds! A lovely softly-draping lariat composed of two layers. The base is worked in a simple horizontal netting technique in different sizes of seed beads, and this embellished over the top with a second layer of seed beads. Make it in the colours of your choice.

Gillian Ashwell

Price: £28

## Metal Work Peacock in Blues and Greens

Monday, November 9, 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

This graceful peacock will be worked using the traditional techniques used in gold work, but we will be working with blue padded leather and green and blue couching cords and purls alongside them. Chipping with purl and check, laying purl over a raised surface and surface embroidery will feature strongly in this piece. It is a larger project but beginners and advanced students will enjoy working this design.

Kathleen Laurel Sage

Price: £28

## Your Sewing Machine – Appreciate The Stitches

Saturday, November 14 2009

10 a.m to 4 p.m.

Learn how to stitch various types of material using your sewing machine. Achieve perfect tension and stitch, using the correct needle and thread for the material. Quick tips on using and looking after your sewing machines. The cost of a small kit is additional.

Pauline Jennings

Price: £31

## UFO Day and Projects for Beginners

Monday, November 16 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Do you need help with a project to finish it, or help with starting one? Beginners welcome to try different elements of patchwork and quilting.

Helen Coverley

Price: £28

## Machine Appliqué Techniques

Wednesday, November 18 2009

10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

There are many different ways to appliqué one piece of fabric to another, and on this course you will learn how to fuse one fabric to another and machine appliqué. Your sewing machine can do more than you think!

Helen Coverley

Price: £16

## Patchwork Christmas

Saturday, November 21 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

New projects this year a Little Houses Tree Skirt (or Table Centre). Comfort and Joy Lap Quilt. Table mats and runners and a door stop decoration snowman. Choose your own project!

Helen Coverley

Price: £28

## Lavender Heart (Hardanger)

Sunday, November 22 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Suitable for beginners. This pretty hardanger heart is decorated with beads and a small tassel. You will learn to work kloster blocks, cutting, wrapped bars, doves eyes and eyelet stitch—and, of course, how to make the tassel.

Jan Jordan

Price: £28

## Stump Work Viola—Botanical Style

Monday, November 23 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A smaller project in this series of botanical flowers using traditional surface stitching and raised wire work to form flowers and leaves that are 3 dimensional and stand raised from the background fabric. Ideal for beginners and those who are stump work addicts.

Kathleen Laurel Sage

Price: £28

## A Posy of Pin Cushions

Wednesday, November 25 2009

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Come along and make another one of Helen's beautiful items — this time a posy of sumptuous pin cushions!

Helen Coverley

Price: £28





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