# **QUILTING NEWS**

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#### From the Editor



I wish to extend a huge thank you to all our customers that made it to our annual Christmas In July Sale. A special thank you to my Sale helpers, Leanne, Connie and Diane for their exceptional assistance during the sale. August will bring a few exciting new fabric lines including Life Happens and Healing Waters. Our Christmas lines are still arriving so be sure to pop in and browse the fabulous collections.

We will be **CLOSED** from **August 13th thru to August 20th** inclusive. So sorry for any inconvenience that this may cause.

#### **What's New In Fabrics**



**Life Happens** — by Ellen and Clark Studio for Northcott. Whether you are a connoisseur or simply enjoy a glass of wine now and then, you will want to raise a glass to this collection! Life Happens—Wine Helps!



Healing Waters — by Mark Anthony Jacobson for Northcott — (Native Name: Pey-sim-away-apey-binasi) is an amalgamation of his works that embrace the profound beauty of Ojibway culture. → Mark Anthony Jacobson is an Ojibwe artist born in 1972 in Sioux Lookout, Ontario. Jacobson is of mixed Swedish and Anishinaabe descent. He began both painting and an exploration of his Ojibway heritage at the age of 13. He was mentored at a young age by Woodland artist Roy Thomas, who provided him with essential skills and encouraged him to follow his own path. Jacobson creates colourful Woodland-style artwork that is inspired by the stories, legends and traditions of Ojibwe people, relationships between animals and humanity and spirituality. He would find another mentor in Norval Morrisseau, founder of the Woodland School. In 2012, he received the American Moonbeam Award for his children's book "Ojibway Clans- Animal Totems and Spirits." The following year, Jacobson designed the poster for Aboriginal Awareness Week in Montreal.

Jacobson often introduces himself as "Pey-sim-away-apey-binasi", which means "Rainbow Thunderbird" in the Ojibwe language. He currently lives and works in British Columbia. He is heavily involved in his community, often donating his artwork for charity.

## **Notions & Batting**



We have a wide selection of notions, patterns, interfacing and batting available to meet your needs. Anything from storage organizers, new machine needles or seam roller and anything in between you are sure to find it in our Notions Nook.

**NEW:** Stripolgy XL Ruler— Reduce your rotary cutting time up to 75 percent with the Stripology XL ruler by Gudrun Erla. This slotted ruler has cutting slits every 1/2 inch so each strip you cut is the exact same size EVERY time! Cut an entire half yard of fabric or a fat quarter without ever moving the ruler. **Drop in for a Demo to receive a 15% discount on ruler!** 

### Services & Classes



Whether you are looking for Edge to Edge Long Arm Quilting Services, binding or label embroidery services we have a wide variety of options to choose from. Interested in taking a class or enrolling in a Block of the Month Program, drop by or give us a call. We will be happy to discuss your specific needs.