Supply list for Beginning Quilting Class

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Rotary cutting tools

- 1. 18 x 24" self-healing cutting mat
- 2. Rotary cutter with **fresh** blade
- 3. 6 x 24" acrylic ruler (I recommend the *Fiskars 3-pc cutting center* from Jo-Ann—watch for a 40%-50 % off coupon in your Sunday paper—approximately \$45.00 less discount)

NOTE: Jo-Ann accepts the 40% off coupons from Michael's also.

WARNING: The Arizona heat is very destructive to rotary cutting mats. Leaving your mat in a closed automobile for more than an hour can result in warps and ripples that simply will not come out. If you purchase the 3-pc cutting center, save the packaging. This is the best protection your mat can have.

Sewing machine

- Sewing machine in good working order with fresh needle
- 2. Walking foot for sewing machine
- 3. 2 bobbins filled with neutral thread (beige or gray)

Scrap fabric

- 1. 100% cotton fabric print (avoid solids unless that's all you have)
- 2. Approximately 1 yard **total** of mixed fabric scraps for practice (for example: ½ yard each of 2 fabrics, or ¼ yard each of 4 fabrics—fat quarters work well)
- 3. If you don't have fabric scraps, look for 100% cotton fabric on the \$1.00 or \$2.00 tables at Wal-Mart
- 4. 15" x 22" piece of Warm & Natural or Hobbs Heirloom cotton batting (bring this if you have it, but don't buy it—instructor will supply pieces)

You will be making a place mat in class. A place mat is actually a little quilt. You will be learning the skills necessary to make a full-sized quilt.

Basic sewing supplies

- 1. Pins
- Scissors
- Thread
- Bobbins
- 5. Seam ripper
- 6. Hand sewing needles

Other supplies

- 1. Extension cord (at least 15' in length)
- Quilting safety pins (bent)
- 3. Roll of blue painter's tape 1" wide (the blue tape is low tack and will not leave residue on fabric)
- 4. Pencil and notebook for taking notes
- 5. Book: *Make a Quilt in a Day log cabin pattern* by *Eleanor Burns* (very nice to have but not required for the class)

Questions about this supply list? Call me at 602-885-3355 or send an e-mail to pinkpclady@cox.net.

