

LANCASTER, PA September 10-13, 2025



Sail Away with Hand Appliqué Margaret Willingham

All Levels Thursday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm Room: Victory Hall #55T3504 - Appliqué

You'll breeze through hand appliqué when you trace, baste, snip & stitch the Eye of the Beholder way. In Margaret's method, you mark on the back and appliqué on the front. Your pieces will be precisely placed and basted for needle-turning down. But where to begin? We'll look at a block to know where to begin. You'll work together thinking it through step-by-step, layer-by-layer, from background to foreground as we patiently build and stitch the Cape Cod Knock-About block. Plus, we'll look at other blocks as learning opportunities. The Cape Cod Knock-About block is excerpted from Margaret's newest wall hanging, Ships Ahoy. Her method makes it pleasurable to stitch by hand and so, sew simple to get graceful curves and crisp inside and outside points. Join the fun and let Margaret share with you how.

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(Plus Materials Fee)

Materials include: *Cape Cod Knock-About* pattern piece (required) & Instructions for block, (1) No. 7 Sharps needle for basting, (1) No. 11 Milliner's needle for hand stitching; use of basting Threads, Hand-outs: 2 page-How-To Hand Applique, 3 page-Tips to Successfully Hand Reverse Applique, 2 page-List of Tutorials & Blogs, Eye of the Beholder tote bag. Order their kit from www.eobquiltdesign.com by July 26, 2025. Select **Quilt Show Pick Up** at checkout.

Materials Fee: \$15.00 (payable in class, cash preferred)

Supplies:

Please bring the following items to class:

- (1) 13½" x 13½" Light blue background fabric
- (1) Fat quarter (18" x 22") of white fabric for sails
- (1) Fat eighth (9" x 22") of medium blue/turquoise print for water
- (1) Fat eighth (9" x 22") dark blue/teal fabric for boat hull
- (1) Fat eighth (9" x 22") black fabric for boat masts and booms
- (1) 3" x 3" square Bright medium blue fabric for burgee.
- 60 wt. OR 80 wt. thread to match your applique fabrics.
- Fabric scissors (Margaret recommends Kai 4 & bent-handled slightly blunt tipped scissors)
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- (5-10) safety pins, (if you hand appliqué with a thimble, bring a thimble)
- Applique or straight pins
- Thimble (optional)



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- Frixion Gel pen or Mechanical pencil (tracing pattern onto wrong side of background fabric)
- Lightbox (may be helpful for tracing pattern)
- Helpful items:
 - o Needle threader for small eyed needles
 - o Beam N' Read Personal Light

Optional Kits: Order optional kit from www.eobquiltdesign.com by July 26, 2025. Have it shipped or select **Quilt Show Pick Up** at checkout.

Hand Accessory Kit: Cost = \$29.38 (1) pair Kai 4" bent-handled blunt-tipped scissors, (1) pack No. 7 Sharps needles, (1) pack No. 11 Milliner's Needles, (1) spool Neutral basting thread.

Ships Ahoy Wall-Hanging Pattern (33" x 33") Cost= TBA

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