Sue Nickels

2014 Quilts Around Town Guest Lecturer / Teacher

The Clamshell Quilt Guild Presents: A Weekend Extraordinaire with Master Machine Quilter and Machine Applique- Sue Nickels. Join her on Saturday, August 2nd at one of her 2 half day workshops. Or, on Sunday August 3rd come listen to her lecture.

Sue has been quilting for 32 years starting by hand and gradually focusing on machine work. She has been teaching machine techniques for the past 20 years. Sue has taught and lectured nationally and internationally for shops, guilds and conferences. Sue's major awards include 1998 AQS Best of Show for the "Beatles Quilt" made by Sue and her sister, Pat Holly. Their collaborative quilt, "The Space Quilt" won the 2003 IGA Master of Machine Artistry Award and the 2004 AQS Machine Workmanship Award. Sue and Pat's quilt "Tea at Tenby" won 2009 Best in Show at the Birmingham Festival of Quilts in England. Sue's current books are "Machine Quilting: A Primer of Techniques" and "Stitched Raw Edge Applique". They were co-authored with Pat Holly.

On Saturday, August 2nd, Sue Nickels will teach 2 workshops at the "2014 Quilts Around Town" quilt show hosted by the Clamshell Quilt Guild of Waterford, CT. Her first half day workshop, "Successful Machine Quilting- the Short Version" will run from 9:00-12:00pm; the second workshop, "Successful Machine Applique" will run from 1:30-4:30pm. In an effort to keep these workshop small and intimate, seating is limited to 25 participants. Openings are still available in both workshops and the cost is \$40.00 each.

On Sunday, August 3rd, Sue will give a lecture "The Quilt Collaborations of Sue Nickels and Pat Holly" at 11:00am. The cost is free with admission to the quilt show.

Don't miss this unique opportunity. For further information and registration to the workshops please contact: Tara Thornton at TaracomfortsofHome@ct.metrocast.net or by phone 860-564-9413.