



# SIMPLE STITCHES

## Next Meeting:

Tuesday  
January 22

## Tonight::

Christmas Party

## Next Month:

Doris Goins  
You be the Judge



## TONIGHT'S MEETING: CHRISTMAS PARTY!!!!



Bring a wrapped yard of quilt shop quality fabric  
and treats to share!

## 2018 Meeting/Lesson

### Schedule

Dec 18: Christmas Party!

Quilt Show committee meeting 6:30 tonight

### 2019 Calendar

*Be sure to add these dates to your schedule!*

January 22-Doris Goins-You be the Judge

February 26-Jean Replogle-Sashiko,

Japanese quilting technique

March 26-Black and White Spring

Challenge

April 23-Barbara Miller-Ugly Fabric

Challenge from the Gathering, through  
the years

### January Birthdays

5 Cheryl Coons

6 Brenda Slone

14 Marilyn Carlson

18 Bonnie DeCamp

18 Curryanne Hostetler

21 Jane Leas

28 Laura Sutton

### A note to new members:

*If you would like to see your name in this  
space, please give your birthday to  
Cathy Holman...no need to give your  
birth year!*

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## BLOCK EXCHANGE

### 5" SQUARE EXCHANGE

SIGN UP IN JANUARY AND FEBRUARY

DRAWINGS WILL START IN MARCH

SIGN UP FOR EITHER ONE OR BOTH!

*The following message is from Jo Dull  
who is on the board of Noble County  
ARC.*

*"Since funds are always tight in any  
non-profit group I am asking if the gals  
from NNT would be willing to take a  
look at what they have in the sewing  
room and come up with an item or two  
that they feel they can part with and  
donate it to our sewing classes....At the  
ARC we could use more irons, ironing  
boards, sewing machines, thread  
(neutral colors mostly), pinking scissors,  
quilt rulers, cutting mats, rotary cutters,  
seam rippers, belting, fusible woven  
interfacing, etc."*



Susie Hague is still collecting  
empty thread spools!

### Drawing Winners for November

#### Name Tags:

Susie Hague

Gen Dornbush

#### Tips & Tricks:

Susie Hague

#### Cleaning your cutting mat:

Put your mat in the bathtub or large container so it  
can lay flat. Soak for 15-20 minutes in a solution of  
1/4 cup white vinegar to every gallon of cool water.  
Scrub with a soft brush to remove fibers trapped in  
the cuts that don't allow your self-healing mat to  
heal. Use a squirt of mild dishwashing liquid to help  
clean the mat. Let lay flat to dry, after rinsing with  
cool water.

### LITTLE THIMBLES

If you would still like to sign up for these  
groups (4" finished block or 6" finished  
block) please see Joyce Griffiths tonight!