

Fashion Sewing Camp

With Jennifer Serr and Maria Janeff

Summer 2010

Welcome to the Fashion Sewing Camp 2009. In this Camp for children, ages 8-12, we embrace the exciting world of fashion design. Students will cultivate many fashion related design skills including fashion design, sewing and creative thinking. We will explore numerous avenues of inspiration through illustration, by making design boards and will delve into the technical world of hands-on garment construction with hand and machine sewing.

Each day will begin with a short demonstration and practice of a sewing or design technique, followed by work on the sewing project. We will break for lunch and eat on-site, either in our workspace or on the patio outside (please provide your child with a bag lunch). The afternoon will be spent sewing and refining our new designing skills. In the afternoon on Friday we will have a fashion show upstairs in the Rhythmix performance room, complete with music, lighting and catwalk. Let's get started and have some fun!

Each student will need to come prepared with a sewing box and portable sewing machine. Additionally they will need a store bought pattern of a simple design and fabric to create their project.

Supplies

General Sewing Supplies for your sewing box, basket or bag:

Paper Scissors, Fabric Scissors, Sewing Machine Needles, Hand sewing Needles
Thread, Seam Ripper, Pins, Soft Measuring Tape, 2" x 18" Flexible Clear Ruler
Pens, pencils, eraser,

Bring to Class:

Sewing machine and sewing box (see above).

A pattern for your project, in your size. (Please pick from suggested list below).

Fashion fabric along with sewing notions appropriate to your project--zippers, thread, buttons, hook & eye closures etc. (see pattern envelope for a list)

Note on sizing of patterns: Please take child's body measurements for chest, waist and hip and compare to sizing on pattern, as sizing may be different on pattern, than sizing your child normally wears.

Please choose from the following patterns for each week of camp:

Week 1 – Skirt or Shorts - **Week 2** – Dress or Shirt - **Week 3** - Skirt, Shorts, Dress or Shirt

Week 4 – Accessories - Recommended patterns to be advised at a later date.

Kwik Sew:

http://www.kwiksew.com/Catalog/cat_thumbs.cfm?

[Cat=Children&Level=Girl_Dresses_Skirts_Tops&QL=GirlDressSkirtTop](http://www.kwiksew.com/Catalog/cat_thumbs.cfm?Cat=Children&Level=Girl_Dresses_Skirts_Tops&QL=GirlDressSkirtTop)

3169, 3698, 3499, 3673, 3519, 3673, 3541

McCalls:

http://www.mccallpattern.com/list/girls_boys_7_16_girls_plus/page-1.htm

M5796, M5797, M5798, M5419, M5310

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REGISTRATION FORM SUMMER 2010

STUDENT INFORMATION (please print)

Full name: _____ Date of Birth: ____ - ____ - ____ Age: ____

Address: _____ Apt.: _____ City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Work Phone: (____) _____ x ____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Student E-Mail: _____

Billing E-Mail: _____

How You Heard About Us: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN #1

Full Name: _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Work Phone: (____) _____ X ____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

E-Mail (if different from above): _____

PARENT GUARDIAN #2

Full Name: _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Work Phone: (____) _____ X ____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

E-Mail (if different than above): _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Full Name: _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Work Phone: (____) _____ X ____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

REGISTER ME FOR THE FOLLOWING SESSIONS:

Session 1: Skirt or Pant **June 21st – 25th** 9am-3pm - _____

Session 2: Dress or Shirt **July 5th – 9th** 9am-3pm - _____

Session 3: Skirt, Short, Dress or Shirt **July 19th – 23rd** - _____

Session 4: Accessories **August 2nd – 6th** - _____

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POLICIES AND PROCEDURES SUMMER 2010

Registration: Please send completed registration form along with \$50 non-refundable deposit (for each session) to:

Jennifer Serr
1375 Fountain Street
Alameda, CA 94501

Payment of Fees: Balance is due two weeks prior to beginning of each session. First session balance due before June 11th, second session balance due before June 25th, third session balance due before July 9th and Final session balance due before July 23rd.

We accept cash, checks or credit cards (Visa or MasterCard). There will be a convenience fee of \$5 added to credit card transactions.

Care of Students: Fashion Sewing Camp and it's instructors are not responsible for providing before or after class care for students. Parent or Guardian is required to pick student up no later than 3pm of each class day.

Injuries: Parents, legal guardians of minors, students and adult students waive the right to any legal action for any injury sustained on or around property resulting from any activity conducted by the students before, during, or after class time.

While there is risk of injury while using some of the equipment, such as sewing machines, scissors and hot irons, there will be constant monitoring of the students and we will go over safety procedures each morning.

Photo Release: Fashion Sewing Camp and its instructors are hereby granted permission to take photographs of the students to use in brochures, web sites, posters, advertisements and other promotional materials the school creates.

I have read and understand the above policies and procedures and agree to abide by them

Student Name (please print)

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Date