

DAYTONA BEACH, FL

February 10-13, 2027



**Clipper Ship: Set Sail
with Hand Appliqué**

Margaret Willingham

All Levels

Friday, 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Room: 203AB

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You'll easily sail along with 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 through the process step by step, layer by layer, from background to foreground, as we patiently build and stitch the Clipper Ship block. Plus, we'll look at other blocks as learning opportunities. The Clipper Ship block is excerpted from Margaret's wall hanging, Ships Ahoy. Her method makes it pleasurable to stitch by hand and so, sew simple to get graceful curves and crisp points, inside and out. Join the fun!

Registration for this class includes show admission for Friday.

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Member: \$112 Retail: 140
(Plus Material Fee)

Required Materials Include: Clipper Ship pattern piece and Instructions for block, (1) No. 7 Sharps needle for basting, (1) No. 11 Milliner's needle for hand stitching, use of basting threads, Handouts: (2) page handout "How To Hand Appliqué," (3) page "Tips to Successfully Hand Appliqué"
Materials Fee: \$ 16 payable in class, cash preferred

Supplies:

Please bring the following items to class:

- **Basic Sewing Supplies**
- Notebook, Pen, and Pencil
- Thread to Match Fabrics
- Light Fabric Marker
- 60 wt. OR 80 wt. thread to match your appliqué fabrics.
- Fabric scissors (Margaret recommends Kai 4" bent-handled slightly blunt-tipped scissors)
- (5-10) safety pins
- Appliqué or straight pins
- Thimble (if you hand appliqué with a thimble)
- Frixion Gel pen or Mechanical pencil (tracing pattern onto wrong side of background fabric)



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- Lightbox (strongly recommended for tracing pattern)
- Helpful items: desktop needle threader for small-eyed needles

Fabric: *Batik fabrics are required*

- (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 fabric for boat hull
- (1) Fat eighth (9" x 22") black fabric for masts
- (1) (3" x 3") bright medium blue print for burgee flags

Optional:

An optional kit is available and includes:

Hand Accessory Kit: Cost = \$31

(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= \$24

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For precutting instructions, click [here](#). Precutting must be done before class, as there will not be class time available for cutting.

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