

New fabrics and more at Sew Dee-Liteful

The Sew Dee-Liteful Quilt Shop offers a colorful array of fabric and sewing supply options for any and all occasions. And lately, shop owner Davida Plaisted has been ordering new Native American theme prints, all very beautiful. Just recently, she adds, "I've made two wing dresses."

Ms. Plaisted wishes to thank the Warm Springs customers for their support. She hopes the shop saves on some driving time for people who are looking for new fabric and other sewing supplies.

Sew Dee-Liteful is located at 45 SE D Street in Madras, site of the former dance studio, and years ago the old Shangri-La café.

Davida opened the shop at the location in October of last year. Sew Dee-Liteful hours are Thursdays 12-4 p.m.; and Friday through Monday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Appointments are also welcome.

In her other job, Davida works as the administrative assistant at the Madras-Jefferson County Chamber of Commerce. Her husband Ken is the district manager of Abby's Pizza.

The Sew Dee-Liteful Quilt Shop is more than a business, as for Ms. Plaisted the art of sewing has always been part of her life. "In school I loved Home Economics," Davida says, "and growing up I sewed a lot."

She opened Sew Dee-Liteful "because I want to sell fabric, and I've wanted a place where people can come in and sew," she says.

There are weekly open sew sessions Mondays and Thursdays. Davida works at the shop mostly on the weekends, while also working there are team members Minda Morton, and Cheryl and Larry Armitage.



Davida with new prints at the Sew Dee-Liteful Quilt Shop.

Special events

There are a number of special events coming up at Sew Dee-Liteful. This Thursday, August 24 will be the Noon-to-Moon event, when prices storewide will be 25 percent off. And there will be a chance win a personally crafted gift basket. Plus a contest: Find a hidden butterfly and receive a special prize! Bring your scissors: Blade rehabilitation and sharpening (including pinking shears) will be available 1 to 6 p.m.

Then Saturday, September 9, the sewing machine maintenance man Dan will be at Sew Dee-Liteful, providing maintenance and minor repair for your sewing machine. Prices start at \$95 with same-day service. You can drop off your machine either the day before between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., or early on September 9.

A quilt raffle—a small donation for a big impact—is also coming

up on September 9.

The raffle is for Jason Marquis, 51, a veteran who is fighting pancreatic and liver cancer. Raffle tickets are \$5. Your donation will help alleviate some of the financial stress.

Sew Dee-Liteful Quilt Shop will hold the raffle drawing live on Facebook for the beautiful 76"x90" quilt made by Jason's mother Sandy Monaco. Tickets can be purchased at the shop. All proceeds are donated directly to the family for medical expenses.

You can reach the Sew Dee-Liteful Quilt Shop at 541-579-0509; or 541-264-7383. The website is: SewDeeLiteful.com

The shop is also on Facebook, and has a monthly newsletter. You can sign up to receive the newsletter at the website. You can also send a note by email to: SewDeeLiteful@gmail.com

— Dave McMechan

Updates on tribal enterprises

The tribal enterprise managers are scheduled to hold an information and update meeting with the tribal community from 4 to 7 o'clock this Wednesday evening, August 23 at the Community Center Social Hall. Arrive at your convenience, take the opportunity to visit with the tribal enterprise staff, ask questions or share concerns. A light meal will be available.

This is the third scheduled enterprise update meeting, with the Seekseequa meeting happen-

ing last week, and the Simnasho meeting earlier this week.

The tribal enterprises include Indian Head Casino and the Plateau Travel Plaza, Warm Springs Composite Products, Power and Water Enterprises, Kah-Nee-Ta, the Warm Springs Telecom, Housing Authority, GeoVisions, the Credit enterprise, Construction, Warm Springs Economic Development, and Daminwa, which is the brand name of the cannabis-hemp project.

NOON To Moon

Please join us for our Noon to Moon Event @

Sew Dee-Liteful Quilt Shop

August
THURSDAY | 24TH | 12-9PM

- Store wide sale of 25% OFF!
- Enter to win a gift basket made by yours truly!
- Find a hidden butterfly and receive a special prize!
- Bring your Scissors, Blade Rehab Sharpening will be at the event! (\$11 per pair from 1PM-6PM) Can also do pinking shears.

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