

A few glimpses from our student Gallery



Aren't they a clever bunch!

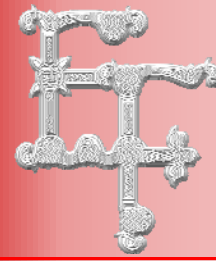


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Embroidery and Sewing School 2010

Your exclusive Husqvarna Viking Dealer and Educator for Lincolnshire

Set in the beautiful village of Nettleham, situated three miles north of the Cathedral city of Lincoln, Esther Faye Ltd is happy to have completed our third year of trading. Many thanks to our customers and supporters, many of whom we are now happy to call friends.



Rosemary's fabulous heirloom pillow

The Embroidery and Sewing School is happy to provide an informal and inspirational setting to experienced craftspeople and beginners alike.

Whether your preference is for sewing, quilting, embroidery, heirloom, patchwork or any other textile based art, we will have a work group to suit you. Strict class schedules are a thing of the past. We are content to allow our groups to dictate what skills they want to learn and with no more than five students at a time, we are happy to oblige. Lucy Brandon is renowned for her patience and enthusiasm and loves to see all her students flourish and grow in all aspects of creativity

Lucy has been an international software educator for many years and continues to develop students' skills from absolute basics to the most advanced level. With experience in all Husqvarna Viking Embroidery software packages, specialist classes can be given on a one to one basis or as a group where required.

Software classes are created to customers' requirements and cover all aspects of the Husqvarna Viking VIP System, 3D Embroidery, 4D Embroidery and the amazing, soon to be released 5D Embroidery. Learning the 'whys' as well as the 'hows' help to ensure that the embroidery software makes sense to even the most nervous beginner.

We have in the School Husqvarna's fabulous range of sewing and Embroidery machines for you to use, but if you wish to purchase your own machine from us, we are happy for you to **Try Before you Buy**. If you purchase an embroidery machine from us, these sessions will be given free or the cost deducted from the price of the machine. Full support and technical back-up come as standard with any purchase from us

Lucy Brandon, is an International Software Educator for the Husqvarna Viking Embroidery System. She has worked closely with the software development team for many years and has taught both Dealers and Customers in the UK, Europe and the USA.

As a teacher, she is renowned for her patience and enthusiasm and loves to see her students flourish in all aspects of creative textile art.

Her design company, Esther Faye Ltd specialises in supplying embroidery designs on disk, bespoke Church Linens together with providing specialised embroidered products for various clients. As well as using established and traditional methods, Esther Faye Ltd. is now helping to bring the crafts of Embroidery, Cross Stitch, Blackwork and much more into the 21st Century.

The school is grateful for the generous sponsorship of DST, Humidity Control Systems Ltd., for allowing us the use of their conference facilities.

There are Software classes to cover all aspects of the Husqvarna Viking Embroidery Systems from Beginner through to Masterclass grade, taking each level step by step to ensure the user's thorough knowledge and confidence. Classes can be sent by post with telephone back up for those who cannot attend the School.

The Husqvarna Viking Embroidery Software packages each consists of 10 separate modules and allows the user to create stitch files, copy, paste and edit them, so that the number of embroideries that can be created is almost limitless. Plain fabric can be embellished automatically to create a new look.

The Husqvarna Viking embroidery machines will embroider easily onto all fabrics varying from leather to finest silk.

Sewing classes include basic sewing skills, such as how to insert a zipper or use a paper pattern correctly. Other classes include exquisite fabric manipulation techniques such as two way pleating, shadow appliqué and lace making on the machine. Patchwork, quilting, fabric painting and Felting.

Classes need to be pre-booked due to limited space to avoid disappointment.

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STOCKS & SPARES

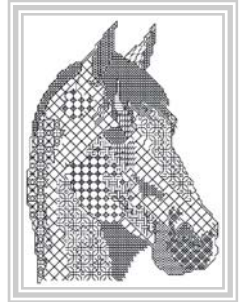
Should you need any spare parts or accessories for your Husqvarna Viking machine, please call and we will do our best to obtain what you need. We also carry a small stock of haberdashery items, threads and fabrics for sale at very reasonable prices.

Repairs and servicing are also carried out by us on the premises. Please call if you require any more information or advice and we will help wherever we can.

FABULOUS BLACKWORK

Anyone who is interested in the craft of Blackwork can go into almost any craft store and purchase a kit that is ready for use. These, however, can be expensive and limited in design choice.

At the Esther Faye School, you can learn how to create your own chart from any drawing or photo using squared paper, tracing paper and a pencil. Different thicknesses and plys of thread serve to create shading and depth to a single colour design. Blackwork has its origins back in the 13th Century, and found in both European and Egyptian cultures. It was mainly used to create border effects and imitation lace for those not able to afford the enormous prices of the hand made lace of the time. Blackwork was originally developed as a lace substitute and was only ever sewn in black. Not so today, where red, green, black and metallic threads create some stunning effects.



The School has a small selection of ex display machines for sale. Please call for more details. All machines purchased from Esther Faye Ltd carry the same free tuition package, support and on-going back up by us as standard.

We have a range of sewing machines starting with the Huskystar at less than £100. The ER10 Embellisher - the NO THREAD felting machine at £249 and a range of fabrics and accessories.

Esther Faye have our own branded design collections available. All designs expertly digitized and thoroughly checked before release so that your designs will stitch accurately and easily. Registered students receive a 10% discount on all purchases of our design collections.

Esther Faye Ltd also exclusively supplies FLAIR Machine Embroidery magazine with their own brand of embroidery designs.

Go to www.flairmagazine.co.uk to find out more.

