# JANUARY 2021



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
TSL Community Outreach Projects for January	KC Community Bags	Fleece Scarves & Hats for the Homeless	And we are continuing on with the face mask project!		1	2
3	Machine Rentals 9-4	5	6	7 Knitwear & Indie Patterns 6-8pm Beginning Industrial & Production 6-8pm	Open Sew 10-3 Sewing Machine Basics 10-12:30	Basic Sewing Phase 1(6/10) 9:30-12 Machine Rentals 9-4 Industrial Machine Operator & Safety 1-4
10	Machine Rentals 9-4 Industrial Basics Sewing Salon (wk 1/10) 9-12	Basic Sewing Phase 1 (wk 1/10) 9-11 Volunteer Orient. 530-630pm Business of Sewing Entrepreneurial Courses 6 - 730pm	Industrial Basics Sewing Salon (wk 1/10) 9-12 Zippers ¼ Centered 10-12	14 Knitwear & Indie Patterns 6-8pm Beginning Industrial & Production 6-8pm	Open Sew 10-3 Simple Sewing Fleece Hats & Scarves 10-1	Basic Sewing Phase 1 (7/10) 9:30-12 Machine Rentals 9-4
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31				Go online to register for classes  https://thesewinglabs.community  or call 816-888-3051  Materials are included in most class fees  Advanced Registration is preferred		

See back for class descriptions and pricing. For registration or more info visit <a href="https://thesewinglabs.community">https://thesewinglabs.community</a> or email – operations@thesewinglabs.community or call the Program Manager 816–888-3051

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## **January 2021 Activities & Classes**



Sessions run 10

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Open Sew – Bring your sewing machine or use ours (first come, first serve). Use our tools & stash to practice your skills or start a project or bring your own project to work. No instructions are offered – you must have sewing experience but, volunteers are available to help. This is only available for domestic machines. Limited to 5 persons.

Class Fee is FREE

Simple Sewing Project – Each month we offer a simple sewing project that is quick and suited for beginner sewists or kids with help.

January – Fleece Hat & Scarfs – make one for yourself or donate back to the Fee \$15

<u>Literacy KC/Don Bosco- Sewing as a Second Language</u> - Training - closed classes - enrollment available thru Literacy KC

will construct a simple top practicing these skills. Must have sewing machine operator skills for this class.

#### Sewing

Knitwear & Indie Patterns with Pam – Introducing Pam Davidson of Josephine Sews Blog – Learn how to use "indie" patterns while learning to sew with knits. Fit & construct leggings in Jan. and a tunic top in Feb. Kit available for materials for additional fee or bring your own fabrics – more info at registration.

Course options – Leggings (5 sessions) \$100 or Tunic (5 sessions) \$100 or both Fee \$200 Coming in February - Elements of Garments – Phase 2 / Part 1 Certification – Learn the fundamental of garment construction – from Intro to Patterns & fitting, Textiles – grainlines and fibers, understanding; linings, darts, gathers, under stitching, grading and more. You

#### weeks Fee \$ 200

Sewing Machine Basics – Learn to use your new machine or refresh your skills. Bring your machine and all its accessories & tools.

Workbook included. Sessions are scheduled during other classes or can be private.

1 session 2.5 hours Fee \$25

Zippers - Learn how to install – Centered, Invisible, lapped and separating zippers. You will make samples for future reference.

Each week will be a different zipper - take 1 or all 4

1 session Fee \$20 or all 4 sessions Fee \$80

#### **Job Skills Training**

Industrial Production Basics - class held 2 times per week & is part of our "Salon" program or can be taken separately. This course covers introduction to industrial straight needle & serger. Production skill building for accuracy & speed using real work samples, real work-room site tours included – when possible. Course consists of class lectures, lab work and homework. Includes Tool Kit & materials.

10 weeks with 2 – 3-hour sessions per week, Fee \$800 or 2 payments of \$410

Beginning Industrial & Production Sewing – Are you wanting to learn how to use an Industrial machine to take your sewing to the next level? Learn to operate industrial straight needle and sergers while learning tips and tricks to production sewing with our Industrial Instructor and Production Manager – Cali Roberta

10 session of 2 hrs. Fee \$200

Machine Rental – Industrial - Do you need an Industrial machine to get your sewing business started but can't yet make this investment? You can rent an Industrial Straight needle or serger machine @ The Sewing Labs and take your business to the next level.

\*\* Pre-requisite of Industrial Operator Classes is required – offered monthly

Rental is in 4-hour increments for \$20

Industrial Machine Operator & Safety – New to The Sewing Labs – if you are wanting to rent an Industrial sewing machine @ TSL you will be <u>required</u> to take this 1 session course to review the basic operation & safety of straight & serger industrial machines. This course is held monthly, and it must be completed BEFORE machine rental is allowed.

1 session – 2.5hrs. Fee \$50

Basic Sewing – Phase 1 – Certification – Learn to master a home machine operation, learn to use the tools of the sewing trade, then add the building blocks of sewing, seams, finishes, zippers, closures, buttons and more. Earn a certification thru testing. Then use these skills to start your own business or acquire a job in sewing. All materials provided.

10 sessions of 2 hrs. Fee \$200

Business of Sewing – Entrepreneurial Courses – January - "Owning a business – is it a good fit?" Each month learn different aspects of running a sewing business taught by local business professionals & learn from local creative professionals their stories of startup & running of their businesses. FDIC notebook provided. Zoom format - 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 6-7:30 pm. Fee \$30/mth

#### Community

Volunteer Orientation— currently via ZOOM. Do you want to volunteer @ TSL? Do you just want to know more about it? TSL requires all its volunteers to attend an orientation. This is a great opportunity to explore what is happening @ The Sewing Labs. Pre-registration is recommended.

Community Outreach Projects – TSL is offering many projects for our volunteers this month! KC Community Bags, Fleece Scarves & Hats for the Homeless, and face masks too! Email volunteer@thesewinglabs.community for more information on how to get involved!

Thank you for choosing The Sewing Labs for your fiber art learning & thank you for your patience as we re-open.

We will continue to add classes to our schedule so follow us Facebook & Instagram and sign up for the newsletter on our website.

Coming in February – Knitwear Tunic w/Pam, Heart Sachets, Quilting.

