

Serger Neighborhood Group

P. O. T. Party

(Planning, Organizing and Threading)

We have had 19 people express interest in getting to know our sergers better . (Guess I am not the only one who has a love/hate relationship with their machine!)

We have scheduled both an afternoon and evening session to try to accommodate schedules and we will see what will work out. Sooooo.....

Afternoon Session – Thursday, February 16 1:30 – 3:30 at the Parchment Public Library Community Room, 401 S Riverview Dr, Parchment Mi

Evening Session - Wednesday, February 22 6:30 – 8:30 Bernina Sewing Center, 4205 Portage, Kalamazoo MI

Please bring:

- 1) Your serger
- 2) Manual that matches your serger
- 3) Needles that will fit your serger
- 4) 4-5 different color threads – perhaps matching the threading guide on your machine
- 5) Scrap fabrics for practice stitching – perhaps strips of cotton 10"x3"
- 6) Your sense of humor

We will start with the most basic skill – threading. We will give ourselves time to practice just that without the pressure of a project or a deadline. We will serve as a support group for each other, so if you are a good threader, you may be able to assist someone else who is more frustrated or whose machine is “touchier”.

Again, we will just see where this goes and consider the next step for our next meeting. Please bring along suggestions of date schedules, places, times, and what progression we want to take. (That’s the planning and organizing part!)

For the first meeting, please RSVP to Bev Crabb (beviejo@gmail.com or 269 372 5738). I need a handle on how many and who is coming and to which session. And, of course, I need a list in case the weather requires a cancelation. (It is Feb in Michigan) As always, watch your email for last minute changes and instructions.

