

## PHILIPPA NAYLOR CLASSES 2017

# Contemporary Curved Piecing

**Two day class. Suitable for confident beginners and beyond.**

Learn Philippa's unique award winning curved piecing method in this exciting class where students have the opportunity to make their own master pattern for a small curved quilt. The class begins with extensive discussion of materials, equipment and working methods. Students are shown how to draft a master pattern for a small individual curved quilt and learn how to make templates the easy way. Detailed demonstrations illustrate how to cut curved shapes with a rotary cutter. After further demonstrations students sew their mini quilt top together using precise techniques sure to give wonderful results.

A great opportunity to learn an entirely different way of creating a beautifully crafted contemporary quilt top!

### **What you need to bring with you:**

1. A small choice of fabrics. Please bring at least 8 cotton fabrics that you think work well together. These should include half metre and fat quarter sized pieces across a tonal range from light to dark. They can be plain, printed or a mixture of both.
2. Fine sewing thread.
3. Sewing machine needles sized to match your chosen thread.
4. White pencil crayon or pale coloured quilt marking pencil.
5. 28mm rotary cutter. Please note that this size is essential for this technique.
6. 1" x 6" ruler or 1" x 12" ruler. Please note this is essential for this technique.
7. Cutting mat.
8. Scissors for paper.
9. Small fabric scissors with sharp points.
10. Sharp pencils, an eraser and notepad.
11. Sellotape/Scotch tape.
12. Sewing machine in good working order. Please bring your manual, your slide on tray table and knee bar if you have one. A straight stitch plate is also useful.
13. Quarter inch foot.
14. Fine straight pins.
15. A long ruler.
16. Freezer paper. This is essential for this class.
17. Large size sketch paper
18. An extension cord.
19. Notepad and pencil
20. Optional extras - coloured pencils, cushion to sit on, tweezers or small pointed tool to guide fabric through the machine.

Pattern and colour photocopies £4.00 or \$6.00

Students sometimes worry about their fabric choices. Don't! Although it is fun to have a nice project at the end of the workshop what really matters is what you learn during the class. However if you are unsure what to bring then come with a few choices from your