

RETREAT CENTER INFORMATION:

Address: 5700 Highway 93 South
Somers, MT 59932
(406) 314-4340

Judy's Retreat Center is a non-smoking 4,000 square foot, 4-bedroom, 3-bathroom home with a teaching area specifically designed to meet the needs of Judy's teaching process. The sewing room is located on the bottom floor of the retreat house. Each student has a dedicated sewing area at least 4-feet in length, by 30-inches wide. Each student is provided with a pressing and cutting mat. Additional cutting/pressing stations are located throughout the room. Design walls, consistent with what Judy uses in her own sewing studio, are provided throughout the classroom for the purpose of laying out quilts or playing with fabrics. Products, such as Judy's favorite tools and patterns, are available at the Retreat Center for viewing and purchase.

The Retreat Center is located on Highway 93, in Somers, MT, on a two-acre lot overlooking the beautiful shores of Flathead Lake and the Rocky Mountains. Immediately across the highway is a walking path that can take you to local coffee shops, restaurants, and to public access along the lake. It is located approximately 25 miles south of the Glacier International Airport, and centrally located between Bigfork and Kalispell, MT. Quiltworx Retreats has identified a shuttle service to bring you to and from the airport. Glacier Transport, at 406-892-3390 offers transportation from the airport to Quiltworx Retreats for \$30 for the first person and an additional \$3 for each passenger. Please see 'Travel Information' for more shuttle information.

Judy spends an afternoon during the week taking interested students on a tour of two of our local quilt shops: [Quilt Gallery-Bernina](#), and [Glacier Quilts](#). [The Backdoor General Store](#) is located in Whitefish MT. It is not included on the tour, but is definitely worth the drive if you are interested in exploring! All of these shops graciously offer a 10% discount to retreat attendees!

Kalispell, MT is a tourist destination during all seasons of the year with Glacier National Park located approximately 50 minutes away, Flathead Lake at your doorstep, the Whitefish Mountain Ski Resort and Blacktail Mountain both within an hour's drive.

Outdoor activities are endless, including, but not limited to, hiking, fishing, golfing, boating, snowmobiling, rafting, biking, and skiing. Book and stay at Judy's retreat in conjunction with your visit to enjoy the Flathead Valley and Montana at its finest, or simply for the purpose of getting away to sew.

There are a total of 4 bedrooms. The Master Suite includes two twin beds, which can be set up to serve a couple with a Queen-size bed, as appropriate. This room is located 3 flights of stairs up from the sewing room. The garden room is located on the main floor, and can accommodate a group of up to four people. It is located one flight of stairs up from the sewing room, with it's own outside access. The bathroom on the main floor is just down the hall from the Garden Room. On the lower floor is the teaching area and two additional bedrooms set up for double occupancy. The sewing room and the bedrooms on the bottom floor share a bathroom. One room includes two single beds and has access to the outside. The fourth room is the bunk-room and includes one bunk bed.

Meals are catered as part of the event and are included in the retreat cost. We are proud to use locally owned businesses for our catering. We feature items from [Tamarack Brewing Company](#), The [Rack Shack](#), and [Fazooli's restaurant](#). We also provide a wide range of snack food, including fresh fruits and vegetables.

Please visit Judy's website at <http://www.quiltworx.com> for more information on dates and availability. You can also find us on Facebook at [Quiltworx.com](#)! There are past retreat albums on the site and up-to-date information on Quiltworx Retreats for you to consider!

Retreat capacity is limited to 10 onsite students and 2 offsite students per retreat. Our retreats that are open to the public are set up with 4 class days, helping to ensure that students maximize both their teaching time, sewing time, and access to what they need to successfully complete one of Judy's patterns. With limited numbers we find that Judy's one on one time with the students is increased significantly. We have scheduled in a 5th day that can be used for touring locally or individual sewing time. Transportation for this day is up to you. Private retreat schedules are decided on an individual basis.

We look forward to hosting you at our retreat center! Thank you for continuing to support Judy Niemeyer Quilting!