



# Club Notes: Moonstone FEBRUARY 2024

Greetings Quilters!

This year is bringing some changes to Sweet Dreams Quilt Studio. The biggest change is that the Crown Jewels Club will end with the patterns released at the beginning of July 2024. That means that Crown Jewels Club members have until the end of July to purchase any/all Crown Jewels Club archives on the Sweet Dreams Quilt Studio website.

Of course, you will always be able to get your Crown Jewels Club patterns again if you have a computer melt down or you discover that you failed to download an archive, you just won't be able to purchase more CJC Archives.

Additionally, we will be launching a E2E Patterns Only club (Club Diamond) in 2024. The club will be open to ALL quilters and the patterns will NOT be encrypted. Members of Club Diamond will receive 13 (a bakers dozen) brand new e2e patterns (NO names, words, etc) for \$25.00 per month. **We can convert your Crown Jewels Club membership to the Club Diamond membership if you want....just call us at the office, or send us an email.**



This month the patterns include block patterns for "My Flower Garden" quilt by Mendy Slone. I'm doing matchstick quilting in the red background fabric and trimming out the applique.

Kim also made a series of Easy Chicken Wire patterns. What's easy about them? They don't require as much hassle to keep them lined up.

Enjoy the patterns  
Kim and Janet

**The Moonstone February 2024 Archive contains 159 patterns, including 106 e2e patterns, a retail value of \$2120.00.**



# Easy Chicken Wire E2E Patterns



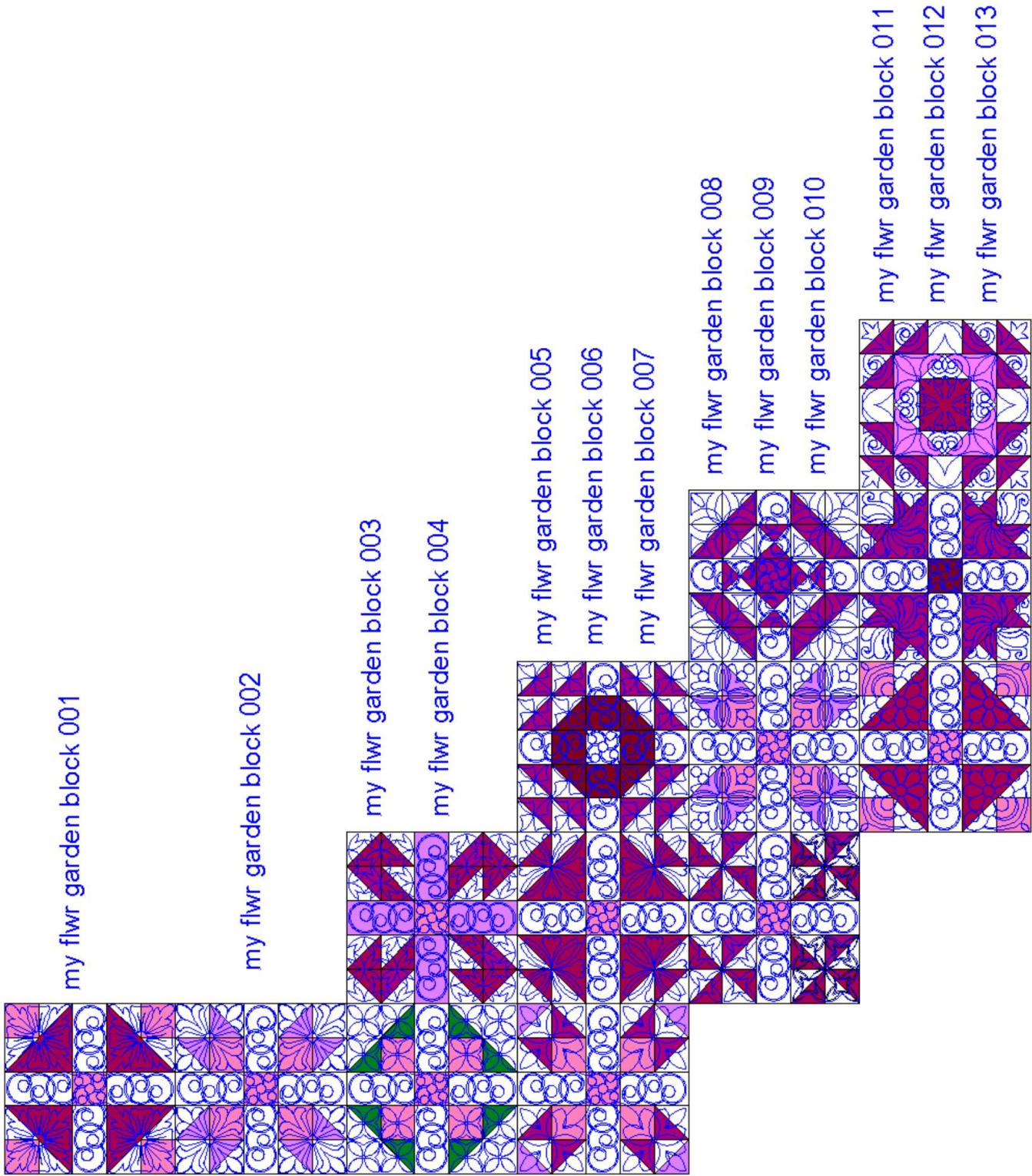
I've had this Farmgirl Vintage Barn Quilt done for quite awhile. I wanted to quilt it with chicken wire, but my canvas leaders on my longarm machines were stretched and swagged, which made it almost impossible to keep anything linear lined up, as well as the difficulty we all have keeping interlocking designs like that lined up due to shrinkage. Kim studied my problem and then came up with a whole new set of patterns.

Now....I just need to get the binding done!

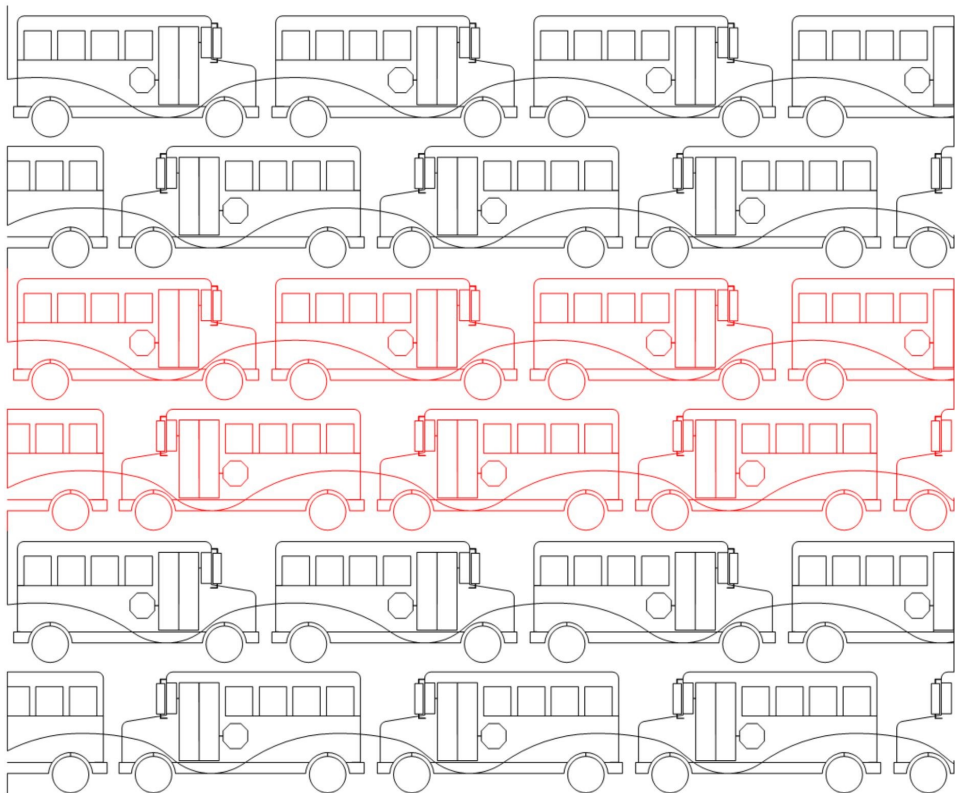
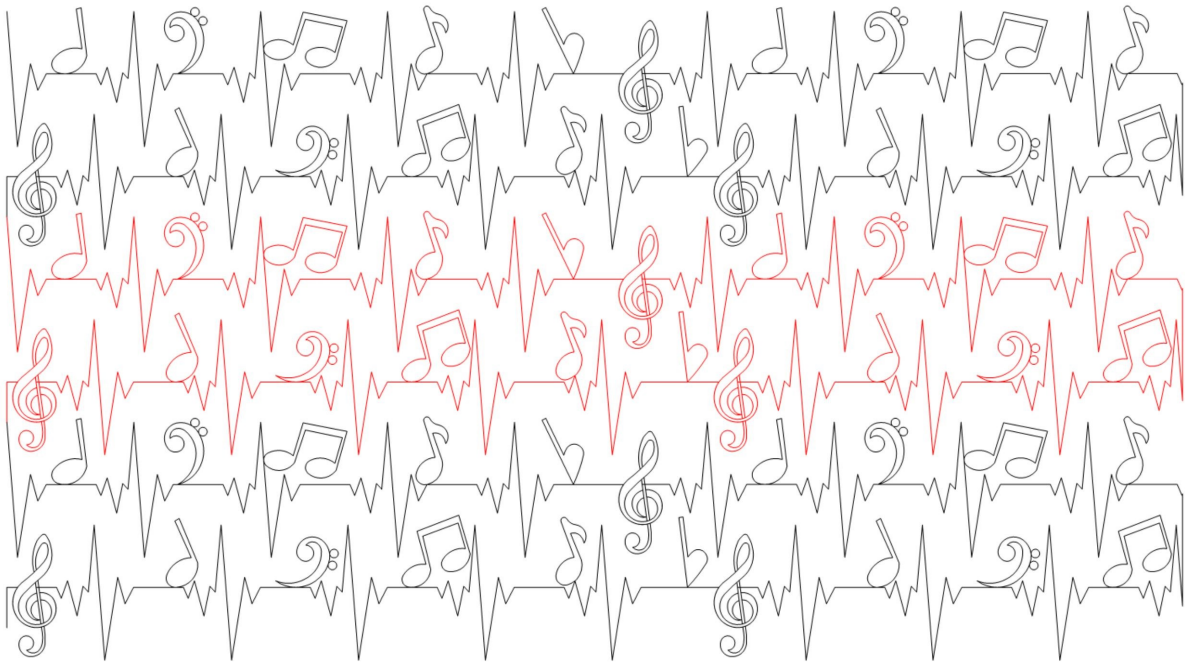




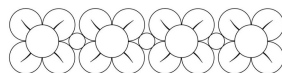
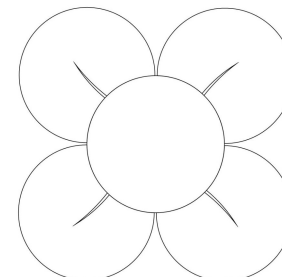
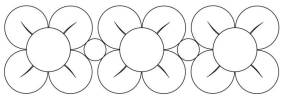
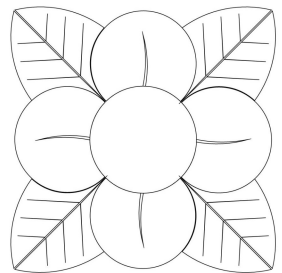
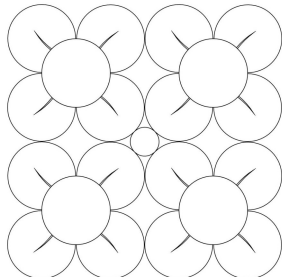
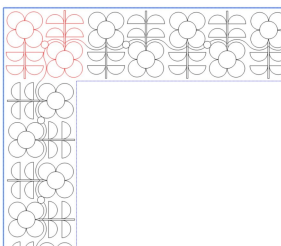
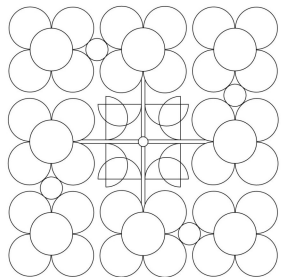
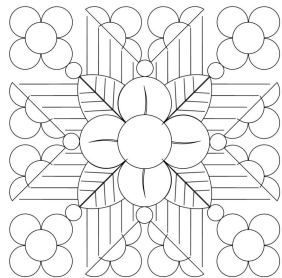
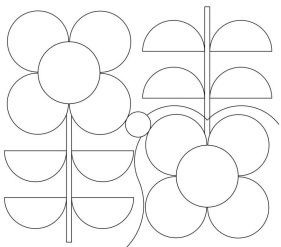
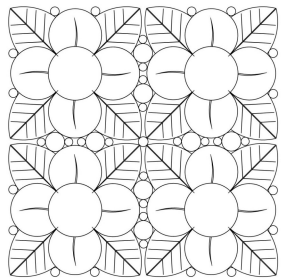
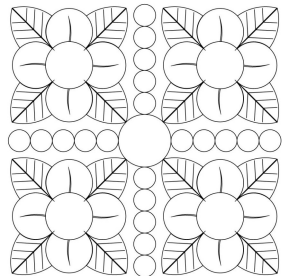
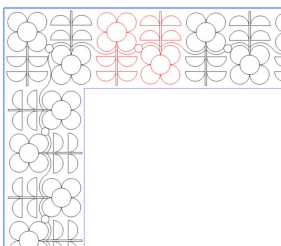
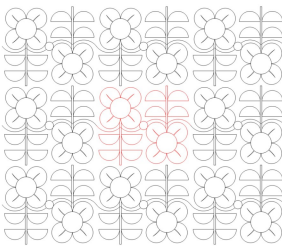
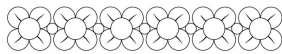
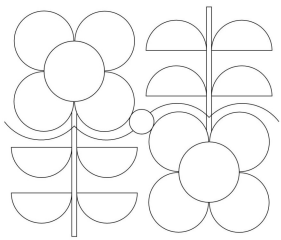
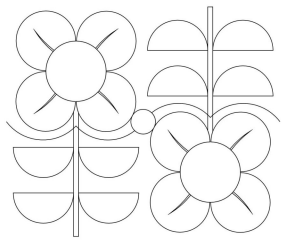
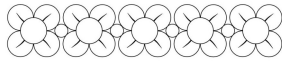
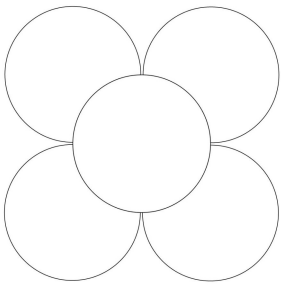
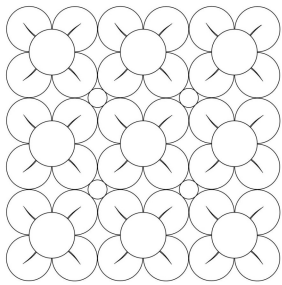
# Patterns for "My Flower Garden" quilt by Mendy Slone



# New Extended Width Pattern



# The Lindsey Patterns





## Felt Food — Mexican



Stitch these out and make a playset of felt food for your favorite toddler. Makes a great car toy.

# ***The Name Panos...sigh!***

—I do my level best to talk my quilting customers OUT of stitching name panos on their quilts. Why? Because I think they almost always detract from the quilt itself AND you can't read the names from the back-side of the quilt. My personal quilting philosophy is to "do no harm" which means not quilting elaborate designs on a quilt just because I have a computer guided longarm which allows me to do so. Just because you CAN does not mean you SHOULD.

—Regardless, name panos are popular, especially around Christmas and Graduation seasons. Consequently, this archive contains more name panos than I would like. Most of them you will never have a use for, so just cull them out and forget about them. That's what I do...they don't make it onto my Statlers. If you need one, you can always ask me to send it to you again.

***—Almost every single name pano started out life as a "normal" pattern, to which we were requested to add a name. The original "normal" pattern is probably NOT included in the current archive, as it was created at some time in the past. That's one reason why CJC members get a 20% discount on all online pattern purchases.***

—From time to time we poll our Crown Jewels Club members and ask them if they'd like us to delete all those name panos from the archive. As Crown Jewels Club members, you pay the \$50.00 monthly fee and get EVERYTHING Kim draws...including the name panos, and apparently, you want them all. Very few people (much to my surprise) voted to have them culled out prior to release.

## **Statler Owners Upgrading to Creative Studio 7.3 and 7.5 (please read)**

Plan your software upgrade! If you have quilts to run and cannot afford any downtime, wait until your quilt load eases up before uploading.

Some people have had better luck downloading the software to a usb stick and upgrading their Statler and their Stand Alone Mode computers from the usb stick, rather than opening the Creative Studio software and then letting it upgrade from that point.

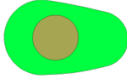






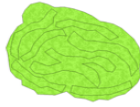



Statler Owners: If you're using CS 7.5.4 are your encrypted patterns suddenly have a dark gold background (instead of light yellow), LOG OUT of your Creative Studio Cloud Database. Reboot your Creative Studio software and then log back into your CS Cloud Database. Your patterns should then be light yellow (which means that they will stitch). If you still have problems, sync your patterns to your Gammill Pattern Cloud Account.

If you upgrade to Statler's Ascend, Gammill will make all of your patterns (in your Gammill Pattern Cloud Account) work with your new system, but you will need to contact SDQS with your new Statler Gold Key number.

### **Statler Technical Support**

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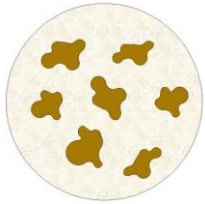
# Mexican Dinner Felt Food Set©

Name	Image	Actual Size	Name	Image	Actual Size
Flour Tortilla		7.25" x 7".25	Avocado		2.5" x 3.75"
Corn Tortilla		7.25" x 7.25"	Fruit Slice		2.5" x 2.5"
Refried Beans		6" x 5.5"	Tostada Chip		3" x 4"
Shredded Cheese		4.5" x 3.5"	Condiments		4.25" c 5.25"
Shredded Lettuce		4.5" x 4"	Jalapeño		1.5" x 4"
Fajita Meat		1" x 3.25"	Shrimp		2" x 1.75"



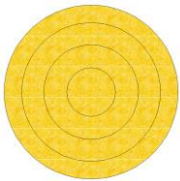
# Felt Food – Mexican Dinner set©

## Flour Tortilla ~



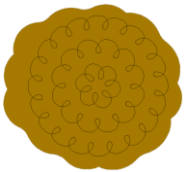
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## Corn Tortilla



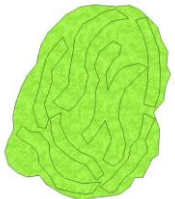
Start with 2 layers of felt (Corn color). Will quilt details so use appropriate thread. Trim.

## Refried Beans ~



Start with 2 layers of felt (bean color). Will quilt details so use appropriate thread.

## Shredded lettuce ~



Start with 2 layers of felt (lettuce color). Will quilt details so use appropriate thread.

## Shredded Cheese ~



Start with 2 layers of felt (cheese color). Will quilt details so use appropriate thread.

## Fajita Meat ~



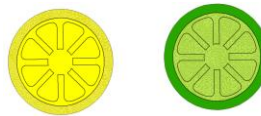
Start with 2 layers of felt (brown for beef, white/tan for chicken). You can make beef or chicken by using different colors of felt. Will quilt details so use appropriate thread.

## Condiment ~

Start with 2 layers of felt (condiment color). You can make many kinds of condiments by changing color, sour cream, salsa, guacamole, , etc. No quilting just outline stitching



## Fruit ~



Start with 2 layer of felt . At first pause, put on fruit gut's color (yellow for lemon, green for lime, orange for orange, etc.) It will then quilt the details so use the appropriate thread color.

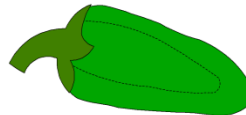
## Torilla Chip ~

Start with 2 layers of felt (corn color).



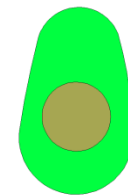
It will quilt the details so use appropriate thread color. Make sure to make several chips. You could also make them out in different colors, red, green, blue.

## Jalapeño ~



Start with 2 layers of felt (pepper color). It will quilt the details so use appropriate thread color.

## Avocado ~



Start with 2 layers of felt (avocado color). At the first pause you will put on the seed colored felt.

## Shrimp ~



Start with 2 layers of felt (shrimp color). It will quilt the details so use appropriate thread color.