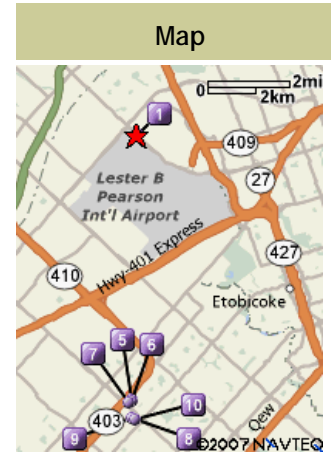


Creativ Festival 2007—Mississauga, ON

Fri Apr 20 10:00 am to 8:00 pm, Sat Apr 21 10:00 am to 6:00 pm and Sun Apr 22 10:00 am to 5:00 pm at the International Centre on Airport Road. This is a terrific sewing show with lots to see and do for only \$15 admission per day. Advance ticket holders get in at 9:00 am for some crowd-free shopping. Distinctive Sewing will be there at Booth #178 with lots of fashion fabrics and sewing patterns. The Bali batik rayon trunk show continues with new garments and featuring the latest fabrics. I look forward to seeing you there.

Hudson Top & Pant

This newest pattern from The Sewing Workshop is going to be a favourite. As soon as it arrived, I had it on the cutting table. I sewed the top in BareKnits interlock (Sierra) and it worked up beautifully. The colour is wonderful and it feels so comfortable. The collar is a combination of cowl and turtle neck that sits away from the neck and nicely frames the face. I love the pants! They are an easy-sew elastic waist. The darts at the hem shape the legs in a stylish and flattering manner. I used solid black rayon from The Batik Butik.



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Lingerie on the Line and Lingerie—Alexander Henry Prints



Alexander Henry has some of the best graphic designers I've seen. Two prints that I absolutely love are "lingerie on the line" and "lingerie". Every time I bring "lingerie on the line" to a show it just flies off the bolt; so now I've added "lingerie".

What are people sewing with this print? Mostly pajama bottoms; either boxer shorts, crops or long legs. Then they pick up a knit like BareKnits interlock to coordinate for a cami or T-top. Others are sewing up drawstring laundry bags for their daughters to take to college (or use at home).



My own personal favourite is to line a jacket or shirt, for fun. Whatever idea you may have, the quality of cotton is very good and your creations will last a long time. At \$11.99 per metre, these prints are a great value. And all the lingerie fabrics will be available at the Creativ Festival; until they sell out again. Drop by early and don't be disappointed.

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