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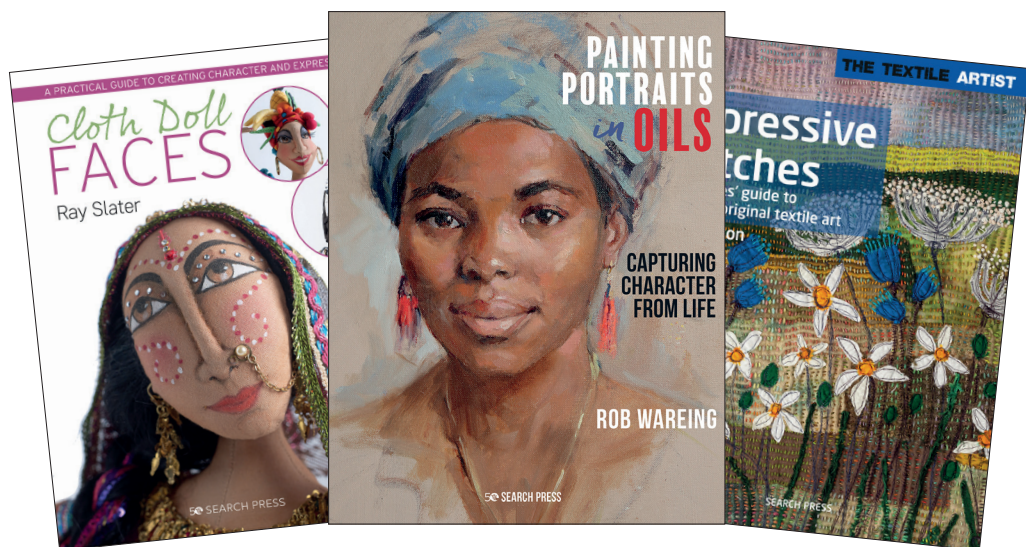


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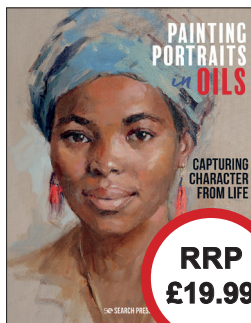


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BarbieTM

BOUTIQUE

BY ANNABEL BENILAN

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KEN



The official Barbie sewing book!

Annabel Benilan is back with her second book *Barbie Boutique*, a follow-up to the number 1 best-seller on Amazon *Sewing Clothes for Barbie*! In this book there are 15 more fantastic outfits to sew and to add to Barbie's wardrobe! There're also five stunning outfits for Ken.

For Barbie, there are outfits for shopping and gardening as well as special occasions. Turn her into a princess, a prom queen, a figure skater or a kigurumi character, or dress her up in a Halloween or rock star costume!

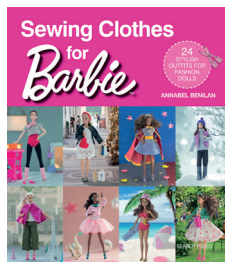


Barbie's stylish companion Ken can be a prince or a sportsman. He can accompany Barbie to the prom wearing his tuxedo, or join her on the catwalk in his fashionable outfit.



The detailed instructions for making these outfits are accompanied by step-by-step diagrams and real-size patterns suitable for petite, curvy, tall or original Barbie. Using simple techniques and either hand or machine sewing, these fun projects are ideal for upcycling old clothes or making use of scraps of fabric from your stash.

Annabel's *Barbie Boutique* will be available from Search Press, RRP £12.99, pre-order your copy.



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