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QUILT-A-GRAM

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From the CEO...

A treasure of memories is what we have to remember 2006. I hope you have made wonderful projects and done great things during last year. After all, that is what makes each year special. I have been lucky to have so many good memories of workshops, trips and new friends.

As we look to this new year, I am planning on making this year just as special. I have three goals:

1. Meet as many new friends and members as possible.
2. Do my jobs that I have not finished (that's a good one).
3. Listen better to people.

This last goal is probably the most important. So if you need me as an extra ear, don't hesitate to call me or talk to me at the meetings.

Check your booklet for the programs and bring a smile to the meetings. 2007 should be just as special as you want to make it.

Suzanne

Thank you . . .

The Boutique Committee would like to express to the guild our sincere thanks to all who helped us have a wonderful boutique at the quilt show.



We had many comments about the quality of items and the workmanship.

Thank you,

Jan Oehrle, Janice Haralson, Suzanne Henage

January Programs

Day Chapter - Millie Kaiser "Curve Magic"

Starlight Piecemakers - We are having a program change for January. Our speaker has had an emergency and will not be able to attend the January meeting. We have decided to have a program focusing on *you* the guild members. It is called the **BEST OF THE BEST**. We are asking you to bring in one or two of you favorite quilts that you have made or that have been given to you. We ask that you tell us why they are your favorite(the technique used, color combination, or just because), anything goes. We ask that you keep you presentation to 5 minutes.

We have rescheduled the Simply Organized program for our July meeting

Special Demonstration for January Day and Night Chapters

Another member, Cheryl Haynes, has stepped forward for a mini-demonstration and lesson on needle punch embroidery. She will also have some of her designs, packets and supplies for sale. This is not quite your old needle punch of past days. The new hand-dyed pearl cottons give it a new look. She'll answer questions and tell about some of the ways it is being used. **Each demonstration will start 1 hour before regular meeting times.** The demonstration for the day chapter will start at 12 noon. The demonstration for the evening chapter will start at 6 pm.

**Rainbow House Kit Assembly - January 12th,
10 am- 2pm, Conference Room A at the Library.**

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Regular meetings of the Guild are held on the first Monday of the month at 1:00 pm and the first Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm at the Fairview United Methodist Church, 3200 Chapel Hill Rd., Columbia, Missouri. Annual dues are \$30 for the fiscal year of July 1 to June 30. Dues are payable on July 1st. Newsletter deadline is the Wednesday after the Executive Board Meeting at 5:00 pm, of each month. Email items to Willie Morris at morrisw@missouri.edu

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Starlight Piecemakers Guild Meeting	Jan 4 7:00 pm	Fairview United Methodist Church
Day Chapter Guild Meeting	Jan 8 1:00 pm	Fairview United Methodist Church
Beadazzler Beading Group	Jan 11 6:30 pm	Sally Johnson's Home
Service Project	Jan 12 10 am - 2 pm	Library-- Conference Room A
Executive Board Meeting	Jan 15 6:30 pm	Suzanne Henage's Home
Charm Group	Jan 16 9:30 am	Library
Deadline for Feb Newsletter items	Jan 17 5 pm	E-mail to Willie Morris at morrisw@missouri.edu
Night Applique'	Jan 22 6:30 pm	Library - Friendship Room
Redwork	Jan 25 9 am	Myrna Powers' Home 3703 Bedford Dr

BTQG Meeting Cancellation Policy

If the Columbia Public Schools close due to inclement weather, BTQG will not hold its monthly meeting. In the event schools remain open, but weather conditions worsen during the morning, notice of the meeting cancellation will air on KBIA (91.3), KPLA (101.5), and KFRU (1400 AM) radio as well as KOMU, KMIZ, and KRCG television. The President and Vice-President have the discretion to reschedule cancelled meetings.

Treasurer's Report - November 30, 2006

Checking:	12,831.74
IMMA:	4,007.61
CD's:	10,668.64
Members:	Total Members as of 11/30/06 231

From the Presidents...

Day Chapter

Dear Day Chapterers!

Wasn't that snow an experience? I talked with many of you to discover you were barely dug out or not at all, so we did cancel the meeting. If you are ever in doubt about whether the meeting is going to take place, please call me or one of our officers. Hopefully, that's all the snow for the year. For me it was a good time to quilt and sew on many projects. Happily we will celebrate our holiday on January 8th. We won't have the holiday lunch but Cindy has her beautiful Holiday decorations for raffle prizes. They will keep for next year. Some of you saw her working on them at the bare bones retreat.

Cheryl Haynes is going to demonstrate Needle punch work at 12:00. This will be one of our mini-classes. It will be a chance to see an old craft, but for many of us it is new. She will have her kits for sale.

Please bring any of your service project gifts of fabric or consumable items for Rainbow House. There continues to be such a need. We need the material so the Rainbow House committee can put it into kits for our workday. In February we will have a Quilting Day. The church will be open from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm for us to work on Rainbow House quilts or our own. We will have our soup lunch and the entertainment we missed in December. It will be a quilting bee.

I hope all of you enjoyed your holidays, full of memories or creating new ones.

Nancy Antonio

Hello Ladies,

I hope those of you who were able to attend the December program enjoyed it. I want to thank several people for helping me out, since I was not able to be there either. Thanks to Patti Cantu, Boo! Kula, Pat Leistner, Maria De Lamatre, Barb Nixon and everyone else who helped to make the evening a success.

Lauri Rich

Starlight Piecemakers Chapter

Happy New Year,

Do you have a New Year's Resolution? Mine is to use my creativity with everything I do. I do realize this is not one of the top ten New Year's Resolutions. The top ten resolutions are:

1. Spend more time with family & friends
2. Fit in Fitness
3. Tame the Bulge
4. Quit Smoking
5. Enjoy life more
6. Quit drinking
7. Get out of debt
8. Learn something new
9. Help others
10. Get organized

In past years I have tried many of the top 10 resolutions but this year I am going to succeed! I may need to use the get organized, and learn something new and enjoy life more but by the end of the year I hope to have used my creative side whenever possible.

I wish you good luck with your New Year's Resolution that is if you are trying that again.

My, what a nice Christmas Dinner we had December 7th. The MOSS choir was a nice treat and the food and decorations were great. Thanks to all that helped with this endeavor. I want to give a special thanks to Lauri for the program, Jan for selling the centerpiece chances, and for Maria and her crew for the dinner and decorations. All was wonderful, if you were not able to join us because of the weather, streets or other commitments we missed you.

February 1st, the meeting will be a lecture presented by Teresa Vernon on "Simply Organize your Quilt Room." Come and hear her suggestions. Is this one of your New Year's Resolutions?

Annie Helmericks-Louder will be presenting a lecture/trunk show of her works. Annie has a very inspiring style of combining nature with our everyday life situations. Please come and see. Annie is also presenting a two-day class on "Improvisation with Color and Design," on March 2nd and 3rd. The cost for the workshop is \$65.00. If you are interested in this class please mail your registration on or after January 5th. The class size is limited because this will be hands on class.

I wish you all a very special Holiday Season. Patti



February Rainbow House Workdays

Thursday, February 1, 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Monday, February 5, 8:30 am - 3:30 pm (Soup lunch)

In order to accomplish the most in the time we have at our workdays in February, the service committee will be putting together kits for the quilts to be made during December and January. Kits will include a pattern, fabric and batting. **Anyone who wishes to help assemble the quilt kits for the February Rainbow House work days is welcome to come to the Library, January 12, 10-2, in Conference Room A. We'll be sorting and cutting fabrics so bring your rotary cutter, mat, and scissors. All willing hands are welcome.** We'll be making both small and twin size quilts. We suggest you get a team (2-3 people) together to work on these kits so everyone will not have to bring all their equipment.

We have some fabric, but we will need more to get these kits ready so we are asking that **you bring fabric to the January meeting if you were unable to attend in December.** We'll need bright kiddie and teen fabrics and coordinating fabrics in the yardages shown below. Also, I know we're short of backing fabrics (1/1/2 yards will work for most of the smaller quilts, larger shown below).

All the patterns selected can be made with the following yardages:

<u>Smaller quilts</u>	<u>Twin</u> (basket weave)	<u>Twin</u> (hip to be square)
Theme print $\frac{1}{2}$ yd	Theme print 2 yds	22 fat quarters
Fabric A $\frac{1}{2}$ yd	Fabric A 2 yds	Inner border $\frac{1}{3}$ yd
Fabric B $\frac{1}{2}$ yd	Fabric B 2 yds	Outer border & binding $2 \frac{1}{8}$ yds
Backing $1 \frac{1}{2}$ yd	Backing 4 yds	Backing 5 yds
Binding $\frac{3}{8}$ yd	Binding $\frac{3}{4}$ yd	
Border 1 yd		

(Border can be same as theme print)

Rainbow House Wish List

Rainbow House submitted a list of items they can use that I thought we might be interested in giving to them before Christmas. If you were unable to attend the December guild meetings, please bring your donations to the January meetings and they will be delivered to Rainbow House.

Hand-held games	Educational games	Juice boxes
Kleenex	Aluminum foil, plastic wrap	Bottled water
Movie rental gift certificates	Paints and brushes	<u>Powder</u> dishwasher detergent
Glue, glitter glue	Simple jewelry and barrette kits	Lysol spray
Feathers	Craft pom balls	Paper plates and napkins
Blank books/journals	Construction paper	NEW pajamas (size 6-14)
Clay-play dough	Model airplanes/cars	Desenex diaper ointment
Multi-color ink pens	Canned soft drinks	Garbage bags (30 & 13 gal.)
Laundry detergent	Canned fruits and veggies	Zip lock bags (qt, gal)
Sealed infant Tylenol & Robitussin		

I'm sure anything we can donate will be appreciated.

Service Project Committee

Some of Our Memories from 2006



Let's Get Acquainted- Friendship Block Winners



NAME: Cynthia Hitchcock
CHAPTER: Evening Chapter
MONTH: November

Background and Family: We moved to Columbia this summer with my husband's job. He just retired from 26 years as a helicopter pilot in the Army, and now flies as a medical evacuation pilot for the university hospital. I grew up on a farm in southeast Missouri. We have lived in several states and in Panama and Germany during our time in the Army. We have five children; one lives with us, one is in Kansas City, one in Oklahoma and two are in school in Idaho.

How did you get interested in quilting: My grandmother and her sister were great quilters, so it's in my blood. I love working with fabric and always planned that when we settled down and our children started leaving home, I would quilt! I started four years ago while living in New York where I took a few classes and had friends who quilted that helped me along.

Tell about your favorite project: An older friend from my hometown sent me some stack-n-whack blocks to put together--I was amazed at the varying results, all from the same fabric!

What are some of your other interests: I love to read, bake, visit new places and am an active member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.

Choice of a Friendship Block: I chose Midnight Star (one from my list of about twenty) because I love the colors and have just the place to put it in my house!



Appletree Quilting & Viking Center Guild Appreciation Discount For BTQG Members

On the day of each of the two Booneslick Trail Quilters' Guild monthly meetings, Appletree Quilting & Viking Center will offer guild members a 20% discount on non-sale items. This includes fabric (1/2 yard min.), notions, books, and machine accessories. (Machines, sewing cabinets, and class fees are excluded).

Please present your BTQG membership card to take advantage of this offer.



News from the Board

The board has approved the following motions:

- ◆ Approved the continuation of the Bare Bones Retreat. The dates for 2007 are Nov 16-18, 2007.
- ◆ Approved selling the BTQG quilt books for \$5 at the quilt show.
- ◆ Approved the deposit of \$1000 to secure the Expo Center for 2008 quilt show.
- ◆ Approved purchasing metal quilt hanging rods from Morgan Frames.
- ◆ Approved having a fall workshop in the years between quilt shows.

Quilt Entries Invited for Sawtooth Contest

PADUCAH, KY- The Museum of the American Quilter's Society invites quilt entries for the **2008 New Quilts from an Old Favorite: Sawtooth Contest**. Each year this international contest sponsored by Fairfield Processing Corp., Janome America, Inc. and Clover challenges quilt makers to create an innovative quilt based on a specific traditional pattern.

Entry form, fee and slides or digital images for the 2008 contest are due at the Museum by November 1, 2007; entry fee is \$40/\$10 Friends of MAQS. From the slide or digital image entries submitted, jurors will select 18 quilts for the exhibit and for award consideration. Quilts are selected on excellence in design and technique in addition to the quilt's contribution to an exhibit showing the wide range of designs the Sawtooth pattern can inspire. Selected finalists will be asked to send their quilts to MAQS by December 2, 2007, for judging. Cash awards are given to first through fifth places in the amounts of \$3,000, \$1,500, \$750, \$500 and \$300, respectively. All other finalists are awarded \$100 each. All 18 quilts will be on exhibit at MAQS in Spring 2008.

In conjunction with the American Quilter's Society, a catalog will be published, featuring each finalist and award-winning quilt in full color, with a photo of the maker and information about the quilt's development in addition to patterns and tips. Following the exhibit at MAQS, the quilts will travel through December 31, 2008. Quilters wishing to enter the 2008 contest can request an entry form by sending an SASE to MAQS, PO Box 1540, Paducah, KY 42002-1540 or visit the museum's website at www.quiltmuseum.org. Upcoming themes are Burgoyne Surrounded in 2009 and Sunflower in 2010.



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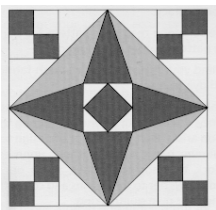
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Day Chapter Meeting

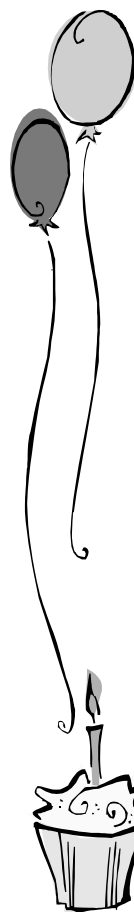
January 8, 1:00 p.m.

Millie Kaiser "Curve Magic"

Starlight Piecemakers Chapter Meeting

January 4, 7:00 p.m.

"Best of the Best"
Favorite quilts belonging to BTQG members



Happy Birthday

	January
Marcia Easley	5
Rose Heim	5
Margie Lee	6
Bess Henley	8
Kristi Savage-Clarke	10
Jane Higgins	11
Jane Kessler	13
Melissa Beiswanver	14
Kathryn Jones	16
Jackie Pruneau	17
Terri Crane	20
Connie Howard	20
Janet Sapp	20
Mary Ann Petrocik	21
Diane Prather	21
Judy Carter	23
Kathy Ennis	26
Marsha Aitken	28
Jane Lee	29
Marjory Hicks	31
Peggy Queathem	31