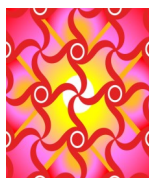


Quilt-A-Gram

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BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



Day Chapter
Monday, April 2, 2012
9 AM- 12 Noon: Sit and Sew
12 noon: Brown Bag Lunch/
Bring items to share

Flip Your Way to Fabulous Quilts **Donna Lynn Thomas**

Mid-March as I write and nature says its spring here in Central Missouri-daffodils, crocuses, forsythia, tulip trees and other flowering bushes are in bloom. What a joy! Yet it's a surprise; when did we really experience winter this year?

Leaf buds are swelling on trees. Leaves are the focus of the workshop we are having on April 3rd, the day after our regular guild meeting. Let's welcome Donna Lynn Thomas from Kansas, who will present our

Your Way to

Using the technique seam across one of another, then toward the inner half created beautiful show us. There are a remaining at this time registration form in sign-up is open with registration opening and for non-members March 26.



program entitled "**Flip Fabulous Quilts.**" of sewing a diagonal shape laid on top of the flipping up to the corner of the top shape, she has quilts which she will number of openings for the workshop. See the newsletter. Members

With June and our annual meeting coming up in 2 ½ months, we need members to step forward and express willingness to serve as President, Vice President, and Secretary of our Day Chapter. We each need to take our turn with these responsibilities/ privileges for our chapter and guild to function. PLEASE, consider how you would be willing to help. Know that others, myself included, will be there to assist you with any questions and helpful hands. Contact me: 573-449-7574.

A reminder to check March's newsletter for the form to fill out to enter your quilts in the June quilt show and check the Guild's web site. We need 200 quilts of varying sizes so be choosing yours now and sending in the forms so Willie Morris will not be inundated with forms as we get down to the wire in May.

The Day Chapter Board, after discussion of options, decided to allow the net income from the auction and workshops, after all of our year's expenses are met, to roll over into the Guild's general fund with a recommendation to the new Budget Committee. The recommendation is that the money be divided and added to each chapter's program fund to expand the options for next year's program and workshop presenters. Due to the distance of a presenter, we are able to select one due to the increased expense of transportation and lodging for them and their quilts.

Looking forward to seeing each of you at our next meeting!
 Corinne Remeika



Starlight Piecemakers'
Thursday April 5, 2012
7 PM Meeting and Speaker
Bring a quilt to share for
Show and Tell
Fairview Methodist Church

The Art of Layered Landscapes **Rebecca Douglas**

Columbia is now the permanent home to Rebecca Douglas after her move from Punta Gorda, Florida. For a number of years she had a summer home in rural Harrisburg before returning to our wonderful city.

Rebecca has degrees from the University of Illinois in both education and Home Economics.

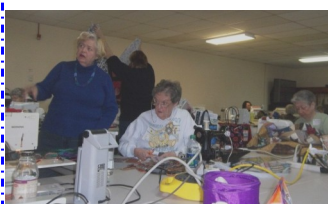
A lifelong educator, she worked for the University of Illinois Extension Service in the area of Family Studies for 20 years.

The Bluestem Missouri Craft store in Columbia provides the show and sell perfect location to her works in layered landscapes. Rebecca is also a textile artist. Her colors will inspire you to try something new!



Rebecca's daughter Andrea Adams live with her husband and two children in rural Boone County. Asheville, North Carolina is the home of her son Matt Cooley and his wife Katy and their two sons, Liam and Aidan.

Rebecca can be reached at
 rebdoug53@gmail.com



You could be pictured here next year and have some serious fun. Think about it!

The Winter Retreat was serious fun along with many discussions on quilting and life in general and the food was good too.





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TREASURER'S REPORT

Submitted by
Dennis Smith
As of March 12, 2012

Checking Acct. Balance	\$13,713.17
Savings	1,033.53
CD's (2)	10,821.57
Balance	\$25,568.27
Number of Members	196
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$11,922.48
FYTD Income	16,493.58
FYTD Expenses	14,702.89
Current Checking Acct. Bal.	\$13,731.17

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU! to Bettina Havig and Dawn Heese who donated their time to conduct work-shops.

The proceeds of which were the following:

Let's Play Dolls	\$235.00
Pick Up Six	\$260.00
Wool Appliquéon Cotton	\$135.00

Your willingness to teach is very much appreciated.

Library News

One of our members, Elaine Hocks, died in February. She was a sweet, intelligent and accomplished woman, and will be missed. As in our tradition, the Guild is purchasing a book for the Daniel Boone Regional Library in her memory. It is **Amish Quilts and the Welsh Connection** by noted quilt historian Dorothy Osler. We will also be purchasing a copy for the Guild Library.

Over the next two months, the library committee will be putting labels on the spines of our books. This will make them easier to find and organize on the shelves, and perhaps easier to distinguish from your books at home. We will also be ordering a few additional books. Please let us know if you have any suggestions.

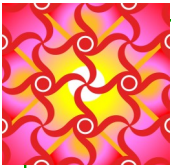
Your Librarians: Linda Karns and Pat Leistner

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.

BTQG EMAIL ADDRESS: BTQGfeb1978@yahoo.com



Newsletter deadline is the Wednesday after the Executive Board Meeting at 6:30 pm, of each month.
E-mail items to: maggiemueg@aol.com or BTQGfeb1978@yahoo.com



MARCH EXCHANGE BLOCK—DAY CHAPTER BETTY WHITE

Hi! I'm Betty White and I am the luck winner of the March exchange block drawing for the day chapter. I am co-chair of the service committee so you might know me from encouraging your work on the charity quilts. We have been very successful this year and I thank you for your time and effort.

I'm a retired Home Economics teacher (family and consumer sciences) and I have enjoyed sewing and quilt piecing most of my life. Now that I'm retired, I'm trying to expand my skills with more hand work and some free motion quilting (I need lots of practice).

I enjoy traveling and nothing pleases me more than combining shop hopping and quilting with my travels. My husband and I are empty nesters and enjoy an 18 month granddaughter that lives in Columbia with her parents and we have a daughter who lives in Seattle, Washington.

My husband is a fiddler, playing traditional "old time" music. We sponsor a traditional square dance in Hallsville each month complete with jam session and carry-in meal. I enjoy being the chief cook and bottle washer for that event. I also get to use all of the seasonal decorations that I accumulated over 35 years of teaching.

I have a passion for purple and will combine that with a pieced basket pattern for my exchange block. I'm looking forward to see you at the April day meeting when I share my pattern.



STARLIGHT PIECEMAKERS BLOCK EXCHANGE Linda KARNs

My husband David and I have been married 37 years. We moved to Columbia in 1982 so he could complete a second degree. We fell in love with Columbia and decided to stay. Eventually, we started what I affectionately call our "colony". Two daughters and a grand-daughter, his mom and sisters moved here over the next few years and have stayed. We now have another granddaughter and son-in-law. The grands are 24 and 14, respectively, beautiful, smart and fun. I retired three years ago and am loving it. The majority of my professional life was working with health, public health, developmental disabilities and/or community services primarily for the State of Missouri.

No one in my family quilted to my knowledge, but somehow, it always interested me. In the late 80's, a work friend who was also interest heard about the guild and we went to an evening meeting . The evening group was quite small then, and not an official chapter. I was hooked. A favorite quilt project I worked on was for a new baby of a young Chinese work mate. None of the staff at OSEDA quilted, and most worked on separate jobs, so we weren't a close work group. I cut muslin blocks, brought the fabric in with textile paints and pens, and everyone made a personalized block for the baby. I assembled them into a quilt, and we had a big shower for our co-worker and the baby. She and her husband were thrilled and honored. I was surprised at the number of co-workers who remarked how the project brought all of us together to have a sense that we really are a team.

In addition to all things quilting, I enjoy landscaping, traditional contra dancing, swimming and nature walks and, of course, our two cats. I recently became a Certified Master Naturalist loving the volunteer work I do at our State parks.

I have chosen a 9" Friendship Star as my exchange block. I would like batiks in blue, purple, teal, turquoise or green on a white background. Thanks you so much.

SERVICE PROJECT UPDATE

We continue to receive finished quilts from our recent work night and individual efforts. "Quilt For U" machine quilters, Pete and Doris Bailey, donated 4 blocks of fabric that they practiced their new stitch designs on—guild members Kristin Kuntz and Othella Reed bound them and they are now ready to give to someone in need of warmth and security.

Thank you to all who continue to help with our charity projects. Look for a picture display of our donations at the upcoming annual meeting and at the quilt show.

Betty White

Nolting PRO 24" Long Arm for Sale

A 10 foot steel table machine in perfect working order with a lazer, basting stitches, Intellistitch regulator, precision mode, channel locks, front/back controls, adjustable handles, large M bobbin. Compatible with computer add-ons. Table: locking castors and height adjustable. Patterns, pantos, thread, etc. Delivery/set-up within Missouri plus maintenance/operation instructions. Price: \$10,500
A 6 foot show table at \$1,000.
Jan Canyon 660-288-3670



April 2012

Guild related or sponsored activities are included in the Master Calendar.

Interest groups that are recurrently closed are noted with ‡‡. For additional information contact person listed. New interest groups may be formed at any time. Please contact Vice CEO, Bettina Havig, 573-449-1602 or email bettinaqc@socket.net

BOARD AND CHAPTER EVENTS

Date	Time	Event	Place & Contact
5-Apr	7:00 PM	Starlight Piecemakers' Meeting Doors open 6:00 PM	Fairview United Methodist Church Marilyn Russell, Pres.
2-Apr	9:00 AM	Day Chapter Quilt and Sew 12 Noon Shared Brown Bag Lunch	Fairview United Methodist Church Corrine Remeika, Pres.
2-Apr	1:00 PM	Day Chapter Meeting	Fairview United Methodist Church Corrine Remeika, Pres.
9-Apr	6:30 PM	<i>Executive Board Meeting</i>	At Corinne Remeika's home
10-Apr	3:00 PM	Day Chapter Board Meeting	Meeting Room B, DBR Library
10-Apr	6:30 PM	Starlight Piecemakers' Board Meeting	Call ahead for location
11-Apr	5:00 PM	Newsletter Deadline	Margaret Muegenburg maggiemueg@aol.com 573-234-7313

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

12-Apr	1:00 PM	English Paper Piecing	Linda Sandlin/Joan Westcott Call for Location 573-814-1629
16-Apr	1:00 PM	Handmade Quilts	Linda Sandlin's Home 5900 Redwing Drive 814-1629
12-Apr	9:30 AM	Sassy Stitchers (Day Appliqué) (April meeting location change)	Carolyn Licht's home 573-234-1689
2-Apr	10:30 AM	Skills Group/Problem Clinic	Fairview United Methodist Church Bettina Havig 573-449-1602
5-Apr	2-4 PM	Small Wonders-New Group	DB Library

‡‡CLOSED SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

No meeting		‡‡ Row by Row/Pushing the Limits	Jackie Berry 660-263-5429
26-Apr		‡‡Red Work	Myrna Powers 573-445-0766
9-Apr		‡‡ <i>Innovators</i>	Joan Westcott 573-874-8160
18-Apr		‡‡Sometimes 30's Group	Jane Lee 573-445-0766 3711 Santiago Drive

Interest groups that are sanctioned by the guild and are open to any member are listed in the newsletter. If anyone is interested in starting a new interest groups or Stitching group they are welcome to do so. Please contact Bettina Havig, Vice CEO, with information regarding interest group meetings. Feel free to attend any open group listed in the calendar. It's advisable to call the contact for up to date information. Bettina can be reached at 573-449-1602 or bettinaqc@socket.net.



Quilt Show News

Market Place

Small quilted items such as mug rugs, sewing kits, wall-hangings or table runners are needed or a creative object you can donate.

Orphan Blocks

Plenty of orphan blocks are available to be converted into a wall-hanging, table runner or small quilts.

Volunteer

A quilt show depends on volunteers to make it all work smoothly and beautifully as our shows have been in the past. Sign-up sheets are available at the two meetings plus on-line.

Quilts

Enter one, two or three of your fabulous quilts to share with our guests. Remember it can be a wall hanging, any size quilt, an art quilt or just something you created that you know will bring ‘ahhhs’. The entry form is on the website.

Questions, Thoughts, Comments, Ideas.....

The Monday, 9:00 until 1:00, morning day guild meeting is the location to get the scoop on what’s needed and any ideas you may have to see that our June Quilt show is as spectacular as possible. Also, you could take home a few orphan blocks to join each into a loving quilt.

We look forward to your generous contributions this year and know each of us will enjoy sharing the show with family and friends.

Thank you! Tammy Bush and Alice Leeper



May 10, 2012

Quilt Show Deadline

***Entry deadline for quilts, wall hangings and other items to be hung in the show (If you will be mailing the form, please post it by May 6th.)**

***Entry form on line on Guild’s Web site: <http://btqg.missouri.org>**

Challenge Fabric Quilt Deadline

***Entry form required with a due date of May 10, 2012. Available on line at the Guild’s web site.**

New Members , Renewals and Address Changes

New Members:

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July 18

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April 25

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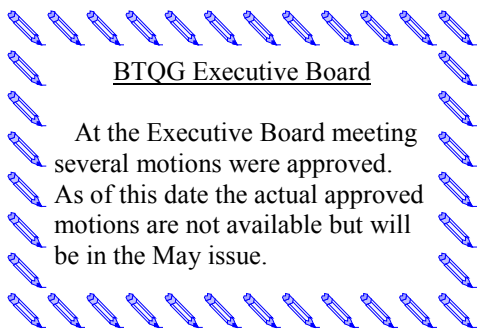
Mary Humbcek
1017 Hulen Drive
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Renewal:

Lisa Kile
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573-657-1399 (H)
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Address Change:

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vnixon55@centurylink.net
September 29



BTQG Executive Board

At the Executive Board meeting several motions were approved. As of this date the actual approved motions are not available but will be in the May issue.

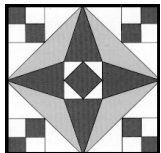


Day Chapter Speaker March 5 Marcy Strube sharing ‘The Wonders of Two-Some Quilting’



Starlight Piecemakers Speaker on March 1 Dawn Heese displaying Parasols & Pinwheels Blowing in the Wind and the display card for her new line of fabric.





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April showers bring...

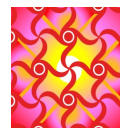
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| Emma Jo Raines | Apr 16 |
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Our Meeting Place
Fairview United Methodist Church
3200 Chapel Hill Road
Columbia, MO 65203



SHIMMERING LEAVES WORKSHOP

by **DONNA L. THOMAS**

TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 2012

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**APPLETREE QUILTING CENTER
2541 Bernadette, Columbia, MO 65203**

Make this cozy lap quilt, table topper or table runner using Donna's new folded layers technique from "Flip Your Way to Fabulous Quilts". Learn how to sew the striped rectangles and leaf stems that make these leaves shimmer. Choose colors to match your décor or make a topper for each of the four seasons. All day. Intermediate skill level. Machine piecing and rotary cutting experience required.

This workshop is limited to 20 participants.

Detach and return registration to:

Lauri Murphy, 3309 Appalachian Drive, Columbia, MO 65203, 573-446-2476, e-mail: laurimurphy@centurytel.net. Supply list can be found on Donna's web site: www.donnalynnthomas.com under "Workshops". If you do not have internet access please notify Lauri.

Registration must be mailed postmarked not earlier than March 2, 2012.

Fee: \$35.00 must be included with registration form. Make check payable to BTQG.
(See BTQG directory for cancellation policy.)

SHIMMERING LEAVES WORKSHOP

Tuesday, April 3, 2012



NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ E-MAIL: _____