

Quilt-A-Gram

BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD

Starlight Piecemakers'

Thur. July 7, 2011

Doors open at 5:30 PM for dinner at 6:30 PM
Fairview Methodist Church

Day Chapter

Mon. July 11, 2011

9:00 AM— 3:00 PM Service Projects
12:00 noon Lunch—1:00 Brief Meeting
Fairview Methodist Church

Happy New Year! New officers and committees, new programs, new fun and fellowship! If you haven't gotten your membership renewal in yet, do it right away so that you don't miss out on anything. Get your form and \$30 check to Dennis Smith or give to the Membership Committee at the next meeting.

Our next meeting will be July 7 at our regular meeting place. Only the time is different. We will begin with a picnic style dinner at 6:30. Arrival at 5:30 would be great to pre-prepare the buffet table at 6:30 pm with the program at 7 p.m. Bring sandwiches, salads, veggies, desserts--anything that seems like picnic food to you--and then presentation



pare the buffet table at 6:30 pm with the p.m. Bring sandwiches, salads, serts--anything that picnic food to you--pare to enjoy a by Jan Haralson on

"Computers, Quilting and You: Making Memory Quilts." Since Jan is going to be speaking on memory quilts, it would be great if you have a memory quilt to bring it for show and tell. There are so many different ways to make memory quilts and it would be fun to see a number of them.

Whenever I am feeling a little "down," I try to get with quilting friends in some way; and I always feel better and happier afterwards. I hope you feel the same. To be able to share a common passion is a wonderful thing!

Marilyn

Thank you for such a nice year of quilting. Especially, thanks to our Vice Presidents Marilyn Smith and Barbara Bauman, who put together some great programs for us. Thank you Pat Abrams and Brenda Austin for setting up our refreshment table each month and having everything look so lovely. Thank you Boo Kula, our outgoing secretary and experience as well as travel tips. Nancy Ankeney and served as our Membership and Friendship Chairs. To each of these ladies I just want to say "THANK YOU!" for how easy you made everything for me and for being faithful and just plain fun to work with. Your new officers are going to be so appreciative of how supportive our guild is.



I am trying to figure out how to set my variety of scrappy blocks that I've collected over the last few years as a result of different Guild activities. I am using all the lovely signed blocks as a border and hope to show you a top in the next few months that reflects my year in office.

July's meeting will be a service project day. Please come anytime after 9:00 AM. Bring cutting mats, rotary cutters, sewing machines, needles and thread. We will be cutting kits for the coming year's projects, sewing on bindings and labels, and piecing quilts as well. We will have a brief meeting at 1:00 PM following lunch but the bulk of the day is just sewing, eating and enjoying each other's company. OH! Bring food too! We can stay until 3:00 pm. See you in July.

Tammy

BTQG Annual Meeting

The Guild's Annual Meeting was a marvelous way to spend a Saturday morning at the Columbia Country Club. A delicious breakfast was enjoyed by the 80 some members who also had the opportunity to shop for books, magazines, and quilting implements. The monies raised will provide the Library Committee to select current quilting books and other sources of materials to spark our imagination. The election went smoothly with a new Board and Chairpersons accepting the responsibilities following the Executive Board Meeting on Monday, June 13. The 2011-2011 annual budget was also passed.

After refreshing our coffee or tea we enjoyed a presentation by Toby Liscko on "How the Curve Block has Influenced my Quilts." Toby began with a slide presentation of the history of the curve through the quilting years and showed many of her own creations containing curves. Her work has been on display at a variety shows with her work bringing her many a first place. Toby filled a table with her curved patterns and templates for members to purchase. Toby inspired many of us to step out of the box into the creative power of curves.



QUILT-A-GRAM

Published monthly by Booneslick Trail Quilters' Guild, a not-for-profit organization, established in 1978, and dedicated to educating its members and the community in the art and appreciation of quilt making.

2011-2012 BTQG Executive Board

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Starlight Piecemakers Board

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BTQG EMAIL ADDRESS: BTQGfeb1978@yahoo.com

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: BTQGfeb1978@yahoo.com

TREASURE'S REPORT

Submitted by Mary Pilkenton
As of June 13, 2011

Checking Acct. Balance	\$13,119.81
Savings	1,033.38
CD's (2)	10,807.80
Balance	\$24,960.99
Number of Members	
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$ 4,160.94
YTD Income	35,213.87
Balance	\$39,374.81
YTD Expenses	26,255.00
Current Checking Acct. Bal.	\$13,119.81

*Dearest Guild Members,
I want to thank the quilter's group for the many calls, cards, food, and so many other gifts. Your kindness meant more than you realized. My family and I are grateful for your kindness.
God Bless Fern Turner*



Don't forget to renew your Membership !!
Membership Form included

***** FRIENDSHIP STARS *****

Cindy Green is the contact person for coordinating the notification of members who might need a star.

A friendship star can be sent to someone sick, under the weather, dealing with problems greater than themselves, etc.

Contact Cindy Green: cinbin76@yahoo.com OR 573-239-0029

Suggested guidelines are: All stars shall be done with an off-white background.

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Day Chapter's Friendship Block Winner-Nancy Ankeney

I am Nancy Ankeney and I am happy to be the June friendship block winner. I was born and raised in south central Iowa and moved to Missouri in the mid-70's, so am almost a native. I have been married to my husband Harold for almost 55 years and we have four children, all married, eight grandchildren and one great-grandson.

My mother was a hand quilter but rarely made a top. She quilted at the church and at home for other people. I made my first quilt in the '70s by taking a adult education class. But that didn't really interest me at the time so I didn't quilt again until the Community United Methodist Church Quilters convinced me to give it a try after I retired. I've been a member of the quilt for eight years and this past year served as Friendship Block chairman, and next year will be Secretary of the Day Chapter. I do lots of counted cross stitch and piecing of quilts and recently started English paper piecing.

I haven't decided on my block yet but will have it ready in July. Thank you to all who will make a block for me.

Nancy Ankeney

Starlights Piecemakers' Friendship Block Winner—Corinne Remeika

This is quite a month for me! I appreciate being elected president of our day chapter and then also being selected this month's friendship block winner. I've been a member of BTQG for 8 years. My husband and I are Connecticut natives coming to Missouri in 1967, fresh out of college (University of Connecticut, child development and family relations major for me). We served as VISTA Volunteers (homeland version of the Peace Corps). Moving to Columbia in 1973, I did in-home childcare until our daughter entered school, completed my graduate degree, then served 18 years as a parent educator for the Parents as Teachers program of Columbia Public Schools.

I grew up embroidering and knitting with the women in my family. I learned to sew in high school, made college clothes, my wedding dress, shirts for my husband, costumes and dresses for our daughter. Since I've been in guild, I've acquired a stash of fabric, patterns, quilting books, and several UFOs for when I retired! Since last July, I've completed 2 large wall-hangings, a table runner, and am now piecing two coverlets: a Jane Austen era medallion one and an English paper-pieced one in Lucy Boston's Quilt of the Crosses pattern. I am thoroughly enjoying our guild chapter and small group meetings, the workshops, and especially the companionship with many of you as we work and visit together.

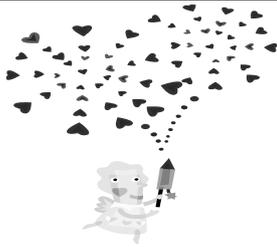
I've chosen a simple 1930's nine-patch pattern by Marsha McCloskey in her [Quick Classic Quilts](#). I don't know about the quick part, but having some of you make blocks for me will certainly help the process along. Thank you in advance for being willing to make some blocks. The completed quilt will add lighthearted cheerfulness to the special guest bedroom for our two grandsons.

Corinne Remeika

Library News

Linda and Pat, the Guild's Librarians invite you to come early to your meeting and examine the large collection of quilting books that contain just the perfect quilt block for which you have been searching. Linda or Pat will assist you to select the right book or books to enjoy this summer as you plan your next great quilting adventure.





JULY CALENDAR 2011

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

BOARD & CHAPTER EVENTS

Date	Time	Event	Place & Contact
7-July	7:00 PM	Starlight Piecemakers' Meeting. Doors open 6:00 pm	Fairview Methodist Church Marilyn Russell
11-July	9:00 AM	Day Chapter Quilt & Sew	Fairview Methodist Church Corrine Remeika
11-July	1:00 PM	Day Chapter Meeting	Fairview Methodist Church Corrine Remeika
11-July	6:30 PM	Executive Board Meeting	Public Library Dawn Hesse
12-July	3:00 PM	Day Chapter Board Meeting	Call for location Corrine Remeika
12-July	6:30 PM	Starlight Piecemakers Board Meeting	Library Marilyn Russell
13-July	5:00 PM	Newsletter Deadline	Margaret Muegenburg 573-234-7313

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

14-July	9:30 AM	Sassy Stitchers (day appliqué)	Library Willie Morris
14-July	1:00 PM	English Paper Piecing-Call for location	Linda Sandlin/Joan Westcott 573-814-1629
14-July	1:30 PM	Quilt History Interest Group	1108 Sunset Lane, Col. MO Bettina Havig 573-449-1602
18-July	1:00 PM	Handmade Quilts	Linda Sandlin 573-814-1629 5900 Redwing Drive
20-July	7:00 PM	Sometimes 30's Group	Jane Lee 573-445-1623 3711 Santiago Drive
25-July	6:30 PM	Night Appliqué	Joan Westcott 573-874-8160 3711 Santiago Dr

Interest groups that are sanctioned by the guild and are open to any member are listed in the newsletter. Interest groups that are not open to all guild members (i.e. closed because they are full) will not be listed in the calendar. 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 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.

MOKA-Quilt Study Group, Summer 2011 Gathering:

*The topic for the summer MOKA meeting will be **QUILT DOCUMENTATION**. The gathering will be held in Columbia, MO, **July 15 and 16, 2011**. Cost: \$15.00*

The La Quinta Inn, 2500 Interstate 70 Dr Southwest, Columbia - (573) 445-1899 (at I-70 and Stadium/ exit 124) will give us a rate of \$65 + tax for up to four people in a room.

July 15-16, 2011--Friday and Saturday we will meet at Trinity Presbyterian Church, 1600 Rollins Rd, Columbia, MO.

***Friday** night's program will be a reprise of the Missouri Heritage Quilt Project report including the paper given at AQSG following the completion of the project. Meet at Trinity Presbyterian Church at 7 p.m.*

***Saturday:** We will convene again at Trinity Presbyterian Church at 9:00 a.m. to review the methodology of the Missouri documentation project. The rest of the morning will be devoted to hands on documentation of quilts and training to document quilts. We will explore where documentation should be going now that most states have completed a documentation project. What have we learned from those projects and where do we need to go next? If you plan to bring a quilt for documentation please include that on the registration form.*

Anyone who, especially those who helped with state documentations, and would be willing to serve on a panel for discussion on Saturday please contact Bettina Havig, 573-449-1602 or email at bettinaqc@socket.net

There will be a box lunch included with registration fees. Local guild members are welcome to register even if they have not previously participated. Call or email Bettina for registration form.



2010-2011 Executive Board
Thank You for your Service

CALENDAR OF AREA EVENTS—2011



July 8-9 QuiltFest 2011
 Dewey, Oklahoma
 County Fairgrounds in Dewey
 10 am—5 pm

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BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



Membership Form July 1, 2011– June 30, 2012

Annual Dues \$30—Payable to BTQG

Mail form & check to BTQG, PO Box 542, Columbia, MO 65205
OR Return to Membership Desk during a Guild's Chapter Meeting

Please fill out the following information, EVEN if it is the same as last year!

Name: _____ New _____ Renewal _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone # _____ Cell Phone # _____

Work Phone # _____ Fax # _____

Email address: _____

Web Site: _____

Birthday: Month _____ Day _____ Year you joined the Guild: _____

Please NOTE: All information requested above will be published in the Guild's directory. If you do not want the information published, DO NOT include it on the form above.

Newsletter preference: _____ US Mail _____ email only @ address above

Email notice preferences: _____ All (Notices, Reminders, Friendship Star requests)
_____ NONE

On which committees are you willing or interested in serving:

Executive Committees

Chapter Committees

Quilt Show	<input type="checkbox"/>
Library	<input type="checkbox"/>
Newsletter	<input type="checkbox"/>
Historian	<input type="checkbox"/>

Service Project	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bare Bones Retreat	<input type="checkbox"/>
Winter Retreat	<input type="checkbox"/>

	<u>Day Chapter</u>	<u>Starlight</u>
Membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hospitality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Friendship Blocks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ad Hoc	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Do you have any suggestions for a program? Do you have a collection of quilts you would be willing to offer for a trunk show, please let us know by writing a note on this form. Other comments and suggestions are also welcome. (Please feel free to use the back side of this form for comments.)