April 2013



Quilt-A-Gram

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BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



Starlight Piecemakers' Chapter Meeting

Thur. April 4, 2013 Doors Open at 6 pm Meeting and Program at 7 PM Fairview Methodist Church

"The Challenge is in the Moment!" by Deanna Hodson

The April Starlight Chapter meeting will feature a trunk show by Deanna Hodson. She is originally from Santa Rosa, California and now living in Olatha, Kansas. She has been quilting since 2001 and publishing patterns as Rose Cottage Quilts since 2004. Deanna does a lot of commission work and teaches tutored classes along with working at least one day a week at a local quilt shop to help better afford her love of quilting. It seems each new quilt design adds another degree of challenge which she enjoys. She loves combining pieced designs with appliqué or embroidery and especially incorporating vintage textiles in the mix. Her quilts are in the medallion style with a palette of soft to medium pastels of which pink and perwinkle are her favorites.

On Friday, April 5, Deanna will present a workshop on hankie quilts. I hope you have been collecting yours for the workshop. See the workshop registration form in this newsletter or it is on BTQG website.

Have you started your HOT PAD Quilt for the Country Fair program in July?

Judi

Please join the Starlight Piecemakers with your brown bag dinner or bring dinner conversation for our April meeting. Meet someone new, enjoy the history of programs with an established member, share your story with members or just come and enjoy the evening.



Day Chapter Monday, April 1, 2013 9:00 am Sit 'n Sew 10:00 am Free Motion Machine Quilting Group 12 noon Brown bag lunch/Bring food to share 1:00 pm Meeting, Program, Show and Tell

Fairview Methodist Church

"The Creative Process" by Karon Huggler and Marilyn Smith

On to April—you all know some of my favorite programs are those given by our members. On April 1, two of our own, Marilyn Smith and Karon Huggler, will give us a glimpse



into their creative process. Both of these ladies have impeccable skills and **incredible** ideas. I can't wait!

March was quite a month! After getting 20" of snow in six days at our house, Teajuana's colorful scrap quilts were a sight for sore eyes. The hospitality committee covered all the bases for March shamrocks, the Easter Bunny, snowmen, and snowflakes. It was perfect! Wasn't that a splendid variety of food, too? Remember, you are **always welcome** at the hospitality table even if you don't bring food.

Teajuana's workshop was well received. From all the laughter I heard, I think it's safe to say, "A good time was had by all!" There was a limit of 15 participants and we had 16. Remind me to tell you all the grocery store story.

Attention new members! That's all 26 of you who have joined this guild year which started July 1, 2012. Here's a day and time to put on your calendar—Tuesday, April 16, 2:00-4:00 pm. For right now all you need to know is it will be fun, very informal, and no sewing required. You will be contacted later with details. (Isn't it great to be warned ahead of time? Now you can think of creative excuses just in case you don't like the details!)

I want to see everyone, that's **YOU**, at Day Chapter April 1. Remember, that's the day after Easter.

To you from Boo!



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TREASURER'S REPORT Submitted by Sally Russell As of March 11, 2013		
Checking Acct. Balance	\$14,828.23	
Savings	1,033.65	
CD's (2)	10,832.27	
Total Combined Balance	\$26,694.15	
Number of Members	195	
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$15,215.89	
FYTD Income	17,828.93	
FYTD Expenses	(18,216.59)	
Current Checking Acct. Bal.	\$14,828.23	



Winter Retreat 2013

Forty-nine quilters braved the weather and attended winter retreat. We wish to thank the following individuals and businesses for their generous donations of door prizes.

Janet Hollandsworth Kim Diamond Connie Gresham Julie Alsberge Tammy Bush Mexico Sewing Center Zede's Gail Marcy, Satin Stitches Homestead Hearth Love to Sew Speciality Quilts Meredith Stidham, Material Girl Quilt Shop Schilby's Tires and Wheels Boo! Kula Dawn Heese, Linen Closet Designs Millie Kaiser, Appletree Eastgate IGA Marilyn Wine, Quilt 4 U Willie, Carrol, Judy and the retreat committee

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.

SPECIAL MEETING MARCH 9, 2013

Twenty-nine BTQG members met in the sanctuary of the Fairview United Methodist Church to discuss and finalize revisions to the Guild's bylaws.

Much of the discussion was focused on chapter leadership. A compromise was proposed and accepted by majority: there will be a president and a program chairperson for each chapter. Some word changes were agreed to and the bylaws were approved by the majority of the attendees. The final version will be on our web site in the near future and will appear in our next member directory.

The Bylaws Ad Hoc committee will meet and prepare any necessary corrections to the policies section; this is a required step to insure that there are no conflicts or confusion between the policies and the new bylaws. The updated policies will be reviewed by the Board of Directors; once approved, the policies will also be available on our web site and printed in the next member directory.

If you need a printed copy of either of the final documents U.S. mailed to you, please let me know and I'll get this done.

Thank you to the members who attended last Saturday's meeting and enabled our guild to make forward progress. Thank you to those members who provided valuable input to the committee over the past few months. And thank you to the Bylaws Ad Hoc committee members who made it happen.

> Dennis Smith, Bettina Havig, and Alice Leeper 2013 By-Laws Committee

New Members, Renewals, and Corrections

New Members:

Barb Becktell 816 Bucks Run Columbia, MO 65201 573-441-1498 home 573-268-6059 cell kenvonmook@aol.com March 12

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Changes:

Address Dawn Hess 3600 West CB Lewis Road Columbia, MO 65202

E-mail Linda Karns lmkarns@gmail.com

Heartland Ouilt Network Saturday, April 13 **Registration by March 29th**

The annual meeting for Heartland Quilt Network is fast approaching for members and others interested in the Network.

Additional information go the website to register:

www.heartlandquiltnetwork.com **.**

Prairie Pine Quilt Guild QUILT SHOW Silver Anniversary "A Celebration of Quilting" April 12-13, 2013 Friday 9 am—7 pm Saturday 9 am—3 pm Audrain 4-H Center Mexico, Missouri Route D off Highway 54 South Show Admission \$5.00



BOARD AND CHAPTER EVENTS				
Date	Time	Event	Place & Contact	
1 April	9:00 AM	Day Chapter Sit and Sew 12 Noon Brown Bag/Share Lunch	Fairview United Methodist Church Carol Tummons 445-9174	
1 April	1:00	Day Chapter Meeting	Fairview United Methodist Church Carol Tummons 445-9174	
4 April	7:00 PM	Starlight Piecemakers Meeting Doors open 6:00 to sew, visit, eat	Fairview United Methodist Church Boo! Kula 449-0346	
8 April	6:30 PM	Board of Directors Meeting Joint Ex. Boards	at DBRL (library) Dennis Smith 445-7787	
not in April	2:00 PM	Day Chapter Board meeting next meeting is May 14	at DBRL (library) room A Carol Tummons 445-9174	
9 April	5:30 PM	Starlight Piecemakers Board meeting	call Boo! Kula for location 449-0346	
10 April	5:00 PM	Newsletter Deadline	Margaret Muegenburg <u>maggiemueg@aol.com</u> 573-0234-7313	
		SPECIAL INTEREST GROU	UPS	
1 April	10:00 AM	Skills Group/Free Motion Quilting	Fairview United Methodist Church class by Marilyn Smith	
10 April	2 to 4 PM	Small WondersNew Group	at DBRL (library) contact Karon Huggler 443-7410	
11 April	9:30-11:30	Sassy Stitchers (Day Appliqué)	at Quilt 4 U contact Donna Burris 474-4338	
15 April	1:00 PM	Handmade Quilts stand by for new name!	at Quilt 4 U contact Linda Sandlin 814-1629	
18 April	9:00 AM	English Paper Piecing	at Carolyn Licht's house contact Joan Westcott 874-8160	
		‡‡CLOSED SPECIAL INTEREST	GROUPS	
no April	9:00 AM	<pre>## Row by Row/Pushing the Limits (meets Oct, Jan, March, May, Aug)</pre>	Jackie Berry 660-651-9770	
8 April	2:30 PM	‡‡Innovators	Joan Westcott 874-8160	
25 April	9:00 AM	‡‡Red Work	Myrna Powers 445-0766	

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 Sharon Lawler, 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. Sharon can be reached at 573-696-0102 or lawlersk@centurytel.net



Starlight Exchange Block March Winner — Dennis Smith

The personal stuff: I've been married for 10 years (this month) to Jerry Smith and he's still very much a "keeper". We share his son Jeff, daughter-in-law Amy, grandson Timmy, 2 cats (Minnie &Pearl) and 1 dog (Breeze). Jerry's a native of Boone county; I'm from Atlanta, Georgia area and have lived here since 1968.

The quilting stuff: I began to learn how to quilt in 1999 and I'm still learning. I have enjoyed nearly every class and project but still prefer the hand quilting method. I have done a little bit of piece work and will use this opportunity to improve this aspect of my quilting experience.

Other stuff: I have retired from all forms of wage earning! This frees me for quilting, working in the yard, reading, listening to music, working crossword puzzles, bird watching and feed, fabric shop hopping, watching college basketball (GO MIZZOU!) eating and many more things I can't remember right now.

My block choice: It's actually yours! I will supply a fat quarter and ask you to make a 9 and 1/2 inchsquare block. You may add other fabrics if you like or just trim the supplied fabric to 9 and 1/2 inches square. Yes, you may keep the fabric leftovers. Baggies with fabric and minimal instructions will be available at our April meeting. And, Thanks for helping me to build a quilt.



Day Chapter March Exchange Block Winner—Cecile Mazan

I have been quilting for over 20 years. My base for sewing is in dressmaking. When our small town in Iowa started a new Quilting Guild I wanted to join and learn about quilting. Indeed I did. We had many challenges and the learning was fun.

I have lived in many places several suburbs of Chicago, Nashville, Pauducan, England, Texas, Iowa and now Missouri. I have lived in Missouri for almost 10 years. I am married to my high school sweet-heart for 45 years plus 3 years of dating. We have a son in Iowa and a daughter in New Mexico. There are 4 grandchildren 3 boys and 1 girl, ranging in age from 4 to 17 years old.

Crafting has been included in my hobbies but sewing is my main love. I was thrilled when a photo of one of my quilts was in an English quilting magazine in 1998 as it hung in a quilt show.

A friend of mine from the Iowa guild gave me two old chenille bedspreads. I have Teddy Bears, and pillows out of them. As I was cleaning I found a chenille quilt patter in a Fons and Porter Love of Quilting magazine. So I asking you all to help me make it. My exchange block will be a simple four patch in flannel.



Winter Retreat: Judi Kirkpatrick, Sally Russell Carrol Lewis, and Willie Morris





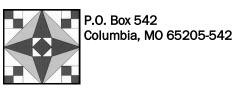
March Starlight Meeting Speaker Lorraine Olsen 'Miniature Delights' Below: Lone Star Quilt with hand appliquéd border



March Day Chapter Meeting Speaker Teajuana Mahone and Workshop leader of the Exploding Star









I wandered lonely as a cloud That floats on high o'er vales and hills, When all at once I saw a crowd, A host, of golden daffodils.

> *William Wordsworth I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud* 1807

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	Alice Leeper
P	Mildred Hobson
	Karin Snyder
	Sandy Moritz
	Kaye Mallory
	Carol Tummons
E	Peggy Swartz
	Dianne Jackson
	Emma Jo Raines
1	Susan Gilmore
þ	Marie DeLamatre
	Marilyn Russell
2	Martha Eberhard
y	Pat Abrams
Ś	Laura Kabrick



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Fairview United Methodist Church Bring a Quilt for Show and Tell



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The Creative Process by Karon Huggler and Marilyn Smith Fairview United Methodist Church



Our Meeting Place Fairview United Methodist Church 3200 Chapel Hill Road Columbia, MO 65203



Simply Hankies

Workshop

by Deanna Hodson

Fríday, Apríl 5, 2013 9:30 to 12:30 Hy-Vee (Upstaírs meetíng room) 501 E. Nífong Blvd. Columbía

This is a great way to use your favorite Hankies and Vintage Textiles. We will use the "**Simply Hankies**, **Too!**" pattern to preserve these items in a wall size quilt or pillow top. Deanna will share ideas and techniques in how to handle these delicate items. You may also choose a 65" quilt size pattern called "Happy Hankies".

This workshop is limited to 15 participants. Participants will be required to purchase a pattern for \$10.

Please return registration to: Judi Kirkpatrick, 3532 N. Creasy Springs Rd, Columbia, Mo. 64202

For more info: contact Judi at 660-734-0358 (cell) or jikirk@yahoo.com

Registration must be mailed postmarked no earlier than March 8th, 2013. \$25 must be included with registration form: Make checks payable to BTQG. (See BTQG directory for cancellation policy.)

Simply Hankies Workshop		
Friday, April 5, 2013		
	Cost: \$15 +\$10 pattern (\$25), make check payable to BTQG	
Name:		
Address:		_
Phone:		
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