

Quilt-A-Gram

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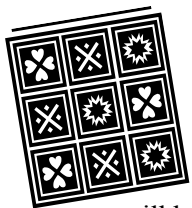
Starlight Piecemakers' Chapter Meeting

Thur. March 7, 2013
Doors Open at 6 pm

Meeting and Program at 7 PM

Fairview Methodist Church

Miniature Delights by Lorraine Olsen



I am very excited to have Lorraine Olsen as the Starlight March speaker. She will be presenting a program on miniatures and they are a favorite of mine. Lorraine grew up learning sewing and quilting from her mother and grandmothers. Her love of fabric was apparent early as she rescued discarded scraps and used them to make clothes and quilts for her dolls.

She discovered miniatures after seeing some little quilts at a local show and just had to try a few. She enjoys the challenge of figuring out how to make traditional patchwork patterns very very small.

Lorraine shows her work and wins prizes in national shows including the National Quilting Show in Paducah, Kentucky. Her miniature quilt "Double Wedding Ring" is part of the permanent collection of The National Quilt Museum in Paducah.

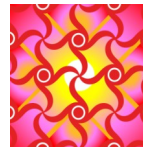
Lorraine's first book, *Little Lone Star Quilts* is available from C&T Publishing.

Please bring any miniatures you have for show and tell.

The miniatures may also inspire you for your entry into the July meeting "Country Fair" where we will have a "Hot Pad Quilt" competition. Details in this newsletter on page 7.

In other program news....April brings Donna Hobson who will bring a lecture and workshop on Hankie Quilts. Start gathering those hankies thinking about your "Hot Pad Quilt" entry for the Starlight County Fair!

Judi



Day Chapter

Monday, March 4, 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

Trunk Show and Lecture "Scrap Quilts" by Teajuana Mahone from St. Louis

Don't miss our March 4 meeting! You all are going to love Teajuana. She gave a program for Starlight Piecemakers several years ago and we found Teajuana to be as delightful as her quilts! Her specialty is scrap quilts, everything from quick and easy to Dear Jane. She will share her trunk show and organization and time saving techniques.

If you are interested in taking Teajuana's workshop, Exploding Star, on Friday, March 8, contact Laura Eggeman. The registration fee is \$20 plus \$12 for the pattern. When you get your supply list you will see instructions for pre-class work. This is mostly cutting and some marking of fabric. With that done ahead of time, you all can get right to the sewing and designing in class.

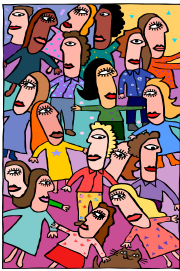
Someone reminded me another good New Year's resolution would be to turn off your cell phone before the meeting starts. (I never would have thought of that because Richard and I are still using tin cans and a long piece of string.) Let me know if you think of any more resolutions.

I've heard a lot of good comments about last month's meeting. It was fun to see Pam's transition from traditional to modern. We had a much bigger show and tell than usual and oh, those cupcakes! Isn't it wonderful that we can come to B.T.Q.G. and enjoy the friendship of other quilters? Last month we shared our laughter and then shared heartaches as several members told of serious situations in their families. It's good to know we can find a shoulder to lean on or even to cry on. You all are the best!

In addition to your regular show 'n tell, how about bringing your **favorite scrap quilts** for Teajuana to see?

Get plenty of rest! March is gonna be a busy month. We've got a date **March 4**. I love you all!

Carol Jean



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TREASURER'S REPORT

Submitted by
Sally Russell

As of February 8, 2013

Checking Acct. Balance	\$21,172.64
Savings	1,033.63
CD's (2)	10,830.95
Total Combined Balance	\$33,037.22
Number of Members	189
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$15,215.89
FYTD Income	16,781.43
FYTD Expenses	(10,824.68)
Current Checking Acct. Bal.	\$21,172.64



Starlight Piecemakers February presenter Judy Lyon



Gals, Imagine having to spend your days toiling over precious hand work in New Zealand!!! Warm wishes from down under—Boo!

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 6:30 pm, of each month. E-mail items to: maggiemueg@aol.com or

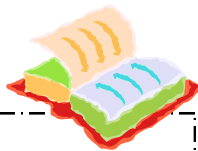
Special By-Laws Meeting March 9

Attention guild members! The special meeting on revision of our By-laws is scheduled for March 9, 2013, 10:00 a.m. at Fairview United Methodist Church, 3200 Chapel Hill, Columbia MO. We will meet upstairs in the sanctuary. Doors will open at 9:45. The final version of the revision is on our website. Go to MEMBERS, scroll to the By-laws revision and open the document. In this electronic age this constitutes legal posting of the revisions. Those who cannot print a copy or anyone who does not have internet access can request a copy from Dennis Smith. Print copies will be available at both March chapter meetings. Please pick up a copy and then bring it with you to the special meeting on March 9. The board has met all legal requirements in notifying members of the special meeting and posting the item to be considered. Only the By-law revisions can be considered at this meeting. A quorum is necessary.

As an incentive to attend, the first 22 people to sign in at the special meeting will receive a fat quarter of fabric from Barbara Brackman's new Moda line called *Jubilee*. This fabric will not be in stores until late spring/early summer. The fabric is courtesy of Barbara Brackman and Bettina Havig.

The By-law revision committee, Bettina Havig, chairman, Alice Leeper, Dennis Smith, and Carol Tummons

Library News



I would like to thank the members for their generous support during our book sale. The Library made over \$300, Guild made \$135 and guild members made out like Bandits. We really appreciated the donated cloth, magazines and books that kept the sale going into February.

Please stop by at our next meeting and look over the Library, you'll be amazed by the selection. If you don't see what you need and know of a book that would round out our Library, don't be shy, please let one of the Library committee know about it. Thanks again for making our sale such a success.

Merril



Whooooo's A Quilter 27th Annual BTQG Winter Retreat February 22-24, 2013 Rickman Center

It is finally here! Just a reminder that check-in time is 12 noon. Hope you have all of your projects, secret sister gifts, sewing supplies, comfy clothes, etc. ready to go.

Please remember to bring a snack to share for our snack table. We do need our chocolate!

Willie, Carrol, Judy and the Retreat Committee

March 2013

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

Interest groups that are currently closed are noted with ‡‡. For additional information, call the contact person listed. New interest groups may be formed at any time. Please contact Vice CEO, Sharon Lawler, 573-696-0102 or email lawlersk@centurytel.net

BOARD AND CHAPTER EVENTS

Date	Time	Event	Place & Contact
4 Mar	9:00 AM	Day Chapter Sit and Sew 12 Noon Brown Bag/Share Lunch	Fairview United Methodist Church Carol Tummons 573-445-9174
4 Mar	1:00	Day Chapter Meeting	Fairview United Methodist Church Carol Tummons 573-445-9174
7 Mar	7:00 PM	Starlight Piecemakers Meeting Doors open 6:00 to sew, visit, eat	Fairview United Methodist Church Boo! Kula 573-449-0346
8 Mar	9:30-4:00	Exploding Star workshop given by Teajuana Mahone; pre-register	at HyVee on Nifong Laura Eggeman, 573-449-7942
11 Mar	6:30 PM	<i>Board of Directors Meeting</i> <i>Joint Ex. Boards</i>	at DBRL (library) Dennis Smith 573-445-7787
12 Mar	2:00 PM	Day Chapter Board meeting	at DBRL (library) room A Carol Tummons 573-445-9174
12 Mar	5:30 PM	Starlight Piecemakers Board meeting	call Boo! Kula for location 573-449-0346
13 Mar	5:00 PM	Newsletter Deadline	Margaret Muegenburg maggiemueg@aol.com 573-234-7313

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

4 Mar	10:00 AM	Skills Group/Free Motion Quilting	Fairview United Methodist Church class by Marilyn Smith
13 Mar	2 to 4 PM	Small Wonders--New Group	at DBRL (library) contact Karon Huggler 443-7410
14 Mar	9:30-11:30	Sassy Stitchers (Day Appliqué)	at Quilt 4 U contact Donna Burris 474-4338
18 Mar	1:00 PM	Handmade Quilts stand by for new name!	at Quilt 4 U contact Linda Sandlin 814-1629
21 Mar	9:00 AM	English Paper Piecing	at Carolyn Licht's house contact Joan Westcott 874-8160

‡‡CLOSED SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

4 Mar	9:00 AM	‡‡ Row by Row/Pushing the Limits (meets Oct, Jan, March, May, Aug)	Jackie Berry 660-651-9770
11 Mar	2:30 PM	‡‡Innovators	Joan Westcott 874-8160
28 Mar	9:00 AM	‡‡Red Work	Myrna Powers 573-445-0766

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



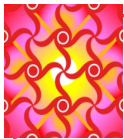
February Starlight Chapter Exchange Block Winner —Kaye Mallory

I'm so excited to have my name drawn for exchange block because I have only been a member since last June.

I'm originally from Fullerton, California, where I taught English as a Second Language (ESL) for 12 years. Then in 2005, my hubby and our cats followed family out to Brookfield, Missouri, where the weather (and life) is much different than California! We moved to Columbia in 2011, and I teach ESL and GED for the Columbia school district.

My grandmother taught me how to sew by hand when I was young, and my mom let me use her old Singer machine when I was in junior high. I took homemaking classes to learn to sew in junior and senior high school. At first I made clothing, then after college I got into costuming. My best costume, a blue velvet Renaissance dress with a lace-up, boned tapestry bodice and full cartridge-pleated skirt, won first place in costume contests.

After moving to Missouri, I took a quilting class with my sister and really liked it. Since joining BTQG, I've been learning a lot about quilting by working on different types of service project quilts, and my helping out a little with our amazing library—ok, mostly look through the books! Anyway I look forward to learning even more from the guild and to putting together my exchange blocks into a lovely quilt.



Day Chapter Exchange Block Winner—Linda O'Keefe

I can't wait for Spring—especially the flowers. I visited the floral department of the grocery store before Valentine's Day and lingered in the colorful display. You can guess that I will choose floral colors for my exchange blocks. I hope to provide fabrics and a quick 'n easy pattern. See you at the March meeting and thank you for participating

New Members, Renewals, and Corrections

New Members:

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A beautiful collection of men's ties is awaiting for one ambitious quilter to tie all of them together into an elegant quilt....

Fern Turner is awaiting your call 573-447-3559

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**

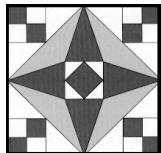
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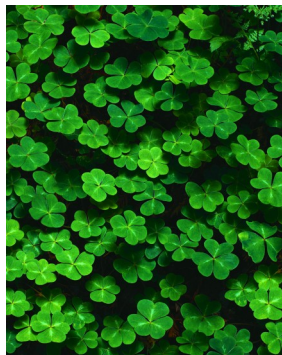
Show Admission \$5.00

Vendors—Door Prizes—Bed Turning
Raffles—Linda Carlson, Featured Quilter





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*The Pedigree of Honey
Does not concern the Bee—
A Clover, any time, to him,
Is Aristocracy.
Emily Dickinson*

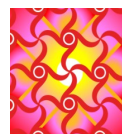
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- Cindy Bryan Mar 4
- Betty Lenz Mar 5
- Raeann Lenzini Mar 9
- Connie Shay Mar 11
- Margaret Heller Mar 13
- Darlene Kruse Mar 14
- Linda Sandlin Mar 16
- Lindsay Browning Mar 18
- Marga Dick Mar 19
- Paula Stogsdill Mar 23
- Marilyn Wooldridge Mar 24
- Ida May Anderson Mar 30
- Laura Goddard Mar 31
- Catherine Duffy Mar 31



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BTQG is on the Web
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Our Meeting Place
Fairview United Methodist Church
3200 Chapel Hill Road
Columbia, MO 65203

You are invited!

**Booneslick Trail Quilt Guild Starlight Chapter
is hosting a Quilter's County Fair**

**July 11, 2013 (no meeting on the 4th)
Normal Time and Place**



Some highlights will include:

Hot pad quilt competition

Quilting games

Quilt Trivia



No county fair would be complete without a quilt competition. Here is our challenge to you:

Hotpad Quilt Competition.

3 Ribbons to be awarded and prizes to be announced

Rules:

- *Entry must function as a hot pad (a hot dish could be placed on it) Materials used must be able to handle oven hot dishes*
- *Entry may be any shape but cannot exceed 12" in any one direction including binding if applicable.*
- *Entry must be constructed using any of the following quilting techniques: piecing, appliqué, paper piecing, crazy quilt, and flip n sew.*
- *Entries may have a single quilt block or multiple quilt blocks as long as overall entry size meets restrictions of rule #2*
- *Entry may be constructed by hand sewing or sewing machine and must be finished with "some" quilting. (amount depends on method chosen)*
- *Entry must be turned in with entry form by June Starlight meeting (June 6, 2013, or annual meeting) and will be judged and displayed at the county fair*
- *Entries will be judged on*
 - *Adherence to rules*
 - *Workmanship*
 - *Creativity*