

# Quilt-A-Gram



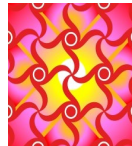
Margaret E. Muegenburg, Editor

## BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



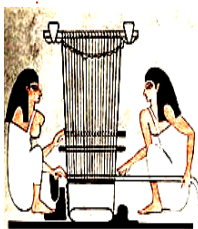
### Starlight Piecemakers' Chapter Meeting

**Thursday, May 7, 2015**  
 Doors Open at 6 pm  
 Program begins at 7:00 PM  
 Fairview Methodist Church



### Day Chapter

**Monday, May 4, 2015**  
**Doors open at 8:30 for 9—noon**  
**sit and sew and workshop**  
 1:00 pm Meeting and Program  
 Show and Tell



### **Columbia Weavers and Spinners' Guild Presentation**

Rebecca Bergfield will be speaking in May, on the behalf of the Columbia Weavers and Spinners' Guild. The guild was founded in 1947 as the Columbia Weavers Guild and specialized only in weaving. Over the years they have since embraced other fiber arts such as spinning, dyeing, felting, papermaking, knitting, basket weaving, quilting and surface designing. Rebecca will also be presenting a trunk show of her Grandmother's quilts.

This will be my last meeting as the Starlight President & I would like to thank everyone who has supported me throughout the year. It has been a joy to serve even though Mindy & I have had a trying time holding quilts up for all to see!

*Sally Russell*  
*Starlight Chapter President*

### **The Waterfall Journey**

May Gunter, a certified Judy Niemeyer instructor, will talk about her quilting journey for this month's meeting. A workshop featuring the waterfalls pattern using paper piecing techniques is scheduled for the Sit and Sew time of 9 am to 12 noon. Information regarding registration and fabric requirements are included in this newsletter. Please be ready promptly at 9 am to begin the workshop. Patterns available at the workshop.



How many UFOs have completed? Started? Remember the challenge is 15 in 15!!!

Louise Bequette  
 Day Chapter President

### **Marketplace Garage Sale** **Saturday, April 25, 2015**

**8 am to 2 pm**  
**505 Sudbury Drive Columbia**

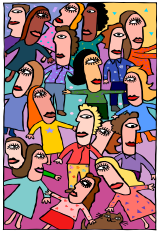
The remaining Marketplace items, including unsold books donated for the Marketplace will be sale during the annual Bedford Walk yard sale. Due to space limitations, private donations cannot be accepted. The location is 505 Sudbury Drive, Columbia. This address is just off Bethel, across from Gentry Middle School and Bethel Park. Thank you to all who have volunteered to help! I will be in touch with the set-up, sales, and clean-up volunteers in April. Corrine will contact those who volunteered to price items for the yard sale. Again, thank you for volunteering. We could not do this without you!



*Virginia Peterson,*  
*Garage Sale Chair*



**National Quilt Museum Display**



## 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.

### 2014-2015 BTQG Board of Directors

<b><u>Elected Officers:</u></b>		
CEO	Martha Eberhard	573-356-0311
Vice CEO	Bettina Havig	573-449-1602
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Treasurer	Maria DeLamatre	573-289-4226
Past CEO	Sharon Lawler	573-696-0102
Day Chapter President	Louise Bequette	660-263-9221
Starlight Chapter President	Sally Russell	573-443-5479
<b><u>Appointed Chairs:</u></b>		
Day Chapter Program Chair	Louise Bequette	660-263-9221
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Membership	Joyce Campbell	918-521-1534
Hospitality		
Retreat	Anna Mary Hughes Sandy Womack	660-288-3225 573-808-5007
Quilt Show	Donna Puleo Mary Pilkenton	573-446-1077 573-442-2416

### **New Sit and Sew May 26th**

There's a new chance to sit and sew with friends. Kay Shoner has offered the community room at her apartment for a gathering May 26 from 1-3 p.m. The charm group met there but they have completed their round of exchanges but still thought it would be good to have a 'sit and sew'. The address is 3850 Bethel, it's the building closest to the street. Go to the entrance toward the east end. Kay (or someone) will let you in. If you bring a machine please bring placemat or other protection for their tables. Let's give this a try. If you are struggling with a quilt problem I'm sure there will be someone there to help you.

### TREASURER'S REPORT

Submitted by  
Maria DeLamatre  
As of March 31, 2015

Checking Acct. Balance	\$16,195.28
Money Market Account	1,033.90
CDs (2)	10,854.62
<b>Total Combine Balance</b>	<b>\$28,083.80</b>
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Number of Members 4/13/2015	165
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Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$ 8,955.19
FYTD Income	26,660.95
FYTD Expenses	19,420.86
Checking Acct Bal As of 3/31/15	\$16,195.28

### Membership

#### Renewals

Dawn Heese  
3600 West CB Lewis Road  
Columbia MO 65202  
573-228-8248  
dawne86@hotmail.com  
www.dawnheesequilts.blogspot.com  
October 27

Barbara Becktell  
816 Bucks Run  
Columbia MO 65201  
Home 573-441-1498  
Cell 573-268-6059  
March 12

#### BTQG Board April Motions

The budget was accepted by the board as amended. Motion passed. Membership will vote on it at annual meeting.

The guild will cover the overrun amount for the annual meeting. Motion passed.

The board will accept the Facebook Rules of Usage. Motion passed.

The guild will purchase two memory sticks for treasurer and librarians. Motion passed.

Electronic voting policy should be a By-Law. Motion passed. Membership will vote at the annual meeting.

Newsletter deadline is the Wednesday after the Executive Board Meeting at 6:30 pm, of each month.  
E-mail items to: [magglemueg@aol.com](mailto:magglemueg@aol.com) or 573-234-7313



# May



# 2015

Sun day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Satur- day
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	<b>Day chapter</b> Sit and Sew 9 a.m. <b>Workshop</b> 9 a.m. <b>Chapter meeting,</b> 1 p.m. Fairview Methodist Church		<b>Small Wonders,</b> 1 pm. DBRL	<b>Starlight Chapter</b> meeting, 7 pm (building open at 6 p.m.) Fairview Methodist Church.		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	<b>Board of Direc- tors' meeting,</b> 6 p.m. DBRL Conference room		<b>Newsletter deadline,</b> 5 pm <a href="mailto:maggiemueg@aol.com">maggiemueg@aol.com</a>	<b>Sassy Stitchers</b> 9:30-11:30 DBRL. Room A		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	<b>EZ2B Stitchers,</b> 1 pm At Quilt 4U	<b>Bonne Femme book group</b> 1-3 pm DBRL <b>Modern Quilt,</b> 6:30 pm, DBRL		<b>English Paper Piecing,</b> Community room at Kay Shoner's 3850 Bethel		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
		<b>NEW, see article</b> <b>Sit and Sew 1-3</b> <b>Community room at Kay Shoner's</b> <b>3850 Bethel</b>	<b>Basic Quilting</b> 9-12, call for location	<b>*Redwork, 9 a.m</b>		
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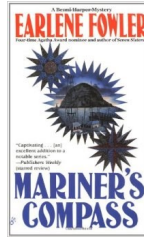
\*\*\*\*Mystery Quilt participants will receive installments via email.

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### The Bonne Femme Quilt Book Group



Bonne Femme book group will meet at DBRL May 19, 1-3 p.m. Earlene Fowler's 15 Bennie Harper mysteries will take center stage. Each member selected one of the titles from this series to read. A discussion of the book's mystery and details on how she is able to stitch together a quilting framework for the setting and characters.



Each book in the series is named for a quilting block: **Irish Chain**, **Mariner's Compass** for which she won the Agatha Award for the Best Novel of 1999, **Goose in the Pond**, and many other quilt blocks which bring a cohesiveness to the story line.

As always any guild member is welcome to join in. Call Bettina for more information if needed.



The June title is **THE HEALING QUILT** by Wanda E. Brunstetter. Suggestions for future titles are welcome.

### Notice to All BTQG Members: Your Annual Meeting is Saturday, June 6

Be sure to attend the Annual Meeting that is scheduled for Saturday, June 6, in Fairview United Methodist Church at 3200 Chapel Hill Road. As per BTQG By-laws, the annual meeting is the only guild meeting in June, so come celebrate the close of the fiscal year and vote on the future of your guild. The meeting begins at 9:00 this year. Business will include approval of the BTQG budget for 2015-2016, a By-law addition, and election of officers who will begin their duties on July 1. The proposed budget, proposed By-law addition and ballot for 2015-2016 officers will be published in the June newsletter.



National Quilt Museum

Immediately after our business meeting (around 10:30) will be a presentation by Judy Schwender who is the Curator of Collections and Registrar for the National Quilt Museum in Paducah, Kentucky. Her power-point presentation will show many award-winning quilts, and she will also talk about the museum's collections and yearly activities.

There is never a cost to attend the Annual Meeting and listen to the guest speaker. A quorum is essential, so be sure to arrive by 8:45. We will have coffee, lemonade and water for hot tea. If you would like to bring some snacks that are suitable as finger foods, please do so. Around 11:30 lunch will be provided for those who wish to pay for this option. See elsewhere in this newsletter for the menu and cost and registration deadline. You can, of course, bring your own lunch and stay to visit during lunch time.

*Sharon Lawler, Past CEO*

### BTQG Library News



The library will be selling donated and deaquisitioned books and donated magazines at the garage sale on April 25th at Virginia Peterson's home (see insert regarding time and location). Please come and support the guild with your purchases. We have a few new copies of the guild's book, *Quilts from The Booneslick Trail Quilters Guild*. As this book was published in 1994 and has been out of print for years this may be your last chance to purchase a copy. We will be selling these copies at the May meeting for \$5.00 each. Although we are going to avoid sales at the library table in the future we thought that we would like to give members a last chance to own this lively book if you don't have one already.

*Robin Heider and Hank Botts,  
BTQG Librarians*



**Hawaii Star**  
By May Gunter



## Notes from the CEO

### **“Traditional Quilts: A Piece of History”**

I would like to recognize the hard work of fellow guild members, Mindy Smith and Donna Puleo, for pulling off a successful quilt show at the Columbia Public Library, April 8-14, 2015. The library was beautiful with quilts hanging in the lobby, stairway, second floor cut-out and third floor railings. It was spectacular! The event kicked off by a reception followed by a presentation on crazy quilts by Bradley Meinke (hopeful future member of BTQG). And our very own Dawn Heese gave a presentation and trunk show from her personal collection. I am constantly in awe of Dawn’s color sense. Mavis Mitzel, Dawn Heese, Sandy Womack, Mindy Smith and Bettina Havig all had quilts hanging in the show. Mindy and Donna —job well done!

### **Budget**

Elsewhere in this newsletter you will see the proposed 2015-2016 BTQG budget. I want to express my appreciation to Maria DeLamatre, Sally Russell and Louise Bequette for the careful consideration they gave to each line item on the budget. The budget has been reviewed and accepted by the board, and will be voted on at the annual meeting, June 6th. Please take some time to look it over and let us know if you have any questions.

### **Employer Grants**

I happen to work for a company that believes in giving back to the community. In addition to a contribution matching program, State Farm also offers a Good Neighbor Grant. Essentially, if a State Farm employee (or retiree) volunteers a minimum of 40 hours to a non-profit organization, then State Farm will donate \$500 to that organization. It’s a win-win situation! The organization (BTQG, in this case) benefits from volunteerism and from a cash contribution. I encourage you to check with your employer (or former employer) to see if they have similar programs.

### **Board Voting**

Our policies and procedures state that policies and procedures can be amended by the Board of Directors at any regular Board of Directors meeting or special meeting. It further states that motions that are to be considered by the membership shall be printed in the newsletter preceding the special meeting at which it is to be considered. With that being said, the Board approved ‘Board Votes’ at the September 8, 2014 regular board meeting; however, we felt it important to also give you the opportunity to accept or reject the new policy at the annual meeting.

#### *Board Votes*

- a. Every board member is entitled to one vote on any motion at a regular or special board meeting.*
- b. There shall be no absentee votes at a regular or special board meeting; only those present at the meeting may vote.*
- c. An electronic vote may be taken when at least two elected officers deem an issue time sensitive; each board member may cast one vote with a specified time limit. Voting board members must respond ‘to all’ when voting electronically for the vote to count.*
- d. Board members may post comments before voting and within the time limits of the vote. N.B. Roberts Rules clearly states that the presiding officer may only vote when their vote will affect the outcome. That means that for our board, the CEO may only vote in the case of a tie.*

*Martha Eberhard, CEO*

## Waterfall Paper Piecing Workshop With May Gunter

**Monday, May 4, 2015 9:00 am to 12:00 noon**

### Fairview United Methodist Church



May's interest in paper piecing began with a workshop in Minnesota in 2010. The workshop presented a method of paper piecing that Judy Niemeyer had developed. If you are new to paper piecing or would like to try a different method this would be the workshop for you. May loved the organization and step by step instructions presented with this technique. She discovered that the guess work was eliminated and everything fit together! Her greatest joy is to share the skills and methods she has polished for herself over the years.

#### Waterfall Paper Piecing Workshop Supply List

**Church will open at 8:30 for pre-set-up with instructions to begin at 9:00 pm.**

Pattern and fabric—Waterfalls pattern available, \$16, at workshop and includes foundation paper  
Sewing Machine and Accessories-need an open toe foot

Fabrics can be as little as 4 strips 2.5 x 42 inches in 2 different colors

Iron and Ironing Board – might be provided

One piece of Template Plastic (3" by 12" piece or 3" by 18")

12" Add-a-quarter ruler (you must have this) the 6" ruler is to short

6 x 12" ruler or 4.5 x 14" ruler for trimming

Medium size cutting mat

Rotary cutter 45mm or 60 mm

New rotary blade

Scissors

Seam ripper

Scotch Tape (will be provided)

Paper and pen to take notes

Fabric Glue UHU stic (washable glue stick)

Glue Pen (Fons and Porter, Sewline or Avery)

Size 70/10 needles

High quality cotton sewing thread

Paper clips or binder clips

Gallon Baggies

Pencil

Power strips would be helpful

Applications will be accepted as of April 1 through April 27 with preference given to members.. Non-members will be notified if there are any openings. The workshop can accommodate 20 people. Please complete the following form and mail to the address shown or bring to one of the April Guild meetings. If you have any questions, please call Louise at 660-263-9221 or 660-651-0114.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

The workshop does require the purchase of a pattern. The cost is \$25.00 for members and \$35.00 for non-members. Please enclose a check with the application make out to BTQG.

**Mail: Louise Bequette  
PO Box 8  
Renick, MO 65278**

## Proposed Booneslick Trail Quilters Guild Budget 2015/2016

### Membership Approval Required at the Annual Meeting, June 6th

<b>Proposed Booneslick Trail Quilters Guild Budget - 2015/2016</b>		
<b>Operations</b>	<b>Income</b>	<b>Expense</b>
Administration	\$0.00	\$500.00
Annual Meeting	\$750.00	\$1,950.00
Contingency	\$0.00	\$200.00
Funds Transferred	\$9,755.00	\$0.00
General Fundraising	\$0.00	\$0.00
Quilt Show	\$0.00	\$2,300.00
Library	\$0.00	\$150.00
Membership	\$4,500.00	\$0.00
Publications	\$75.00	\$2,000.00
Historian	\$0.00	\$30.00
Service Projects	\$0.00	\$100.00
Hospitality	\$0.00	\$50.00
<b>Day Chapter</b>		
Programs	\$0.00	\$3,500.00
Rent/Set up	\$825.00	\$1,925.00
<b>Starlight Chapter</b>		
Programs	\$0.00	\$3,500.00
Rent/Set up	\$0.00	\$1,100.00
<b>Special Speaker &amp; Workshop</b>		
Special Speaker & Workshop	\$1,800.00	\$2,400.00
Winter Retreat	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
<b>Misc. *</b>		
State Farm Grant	\$2,000.00	\$0.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$29,705.00</b>	<b>\$29,705.00</b>

The proposed BTQG Budget for 2015/2016 was submitted by the Budget Committee: Maria DeLamatre, Treasurer, Sally Russell, Starlight President and Louise Bequette, Day Chapter President. The budget was submitted to the Board of Directors for review and acceptance. A motion passed at the April 13, 2015 accepting the Budget 2015/2016 for a membership vote at the Annual Meeting, June 6, 2015.



**Notice of Annual Meeting for Booneslick Trail Quilters' Guild**  
**Saturday, June 6, 2015 9:00 am**  
**Fairview United Methodist Church**  
**3200 Chapel Hill Road**

**Doors open at 8:30.** Coffee and lemonade and water will be available.  
 Members wishing to bring finger-foods to share are welcome to do so.

**Brief agenda:**

- 9:00 Business meeting and periodic door prize drawings for books and patterns
- 10:30 Turn in ballots for officer selection for 2015-2016
- 10:35 Guest speaker Judy Schwender, Curator for The National Quilt Museum, Paducah KY
- 11:25 Announcement of elected officers for 2015-2016 and adjournment of Annual Meeting
- 11:30 Lunch available for those who paid before deadline of Wednesday, May 27

Thank you for participating in the Annual Meeting. In doing so, you have a voice in your quilt guild.

There is no cost to attend the annual meeting and listen to the guest speaker. Lunch is optional and is being catered by Jacks Gourmet Restaurant. The charge is \$10.00 for quiche, tossed green salad, mixed fruit, and lemon bar plus choice of coffee, lemonade, or hot tea.

Make your \$10.00 check to BTQG and mail it by Wednesday, May 27 to

**BTQG PO Box 542 Columbia MO65205-0542.**

Do NOT include next year's guild dues in your lunch check because the lunch fee is recorded under our 2014-2015 year's income and cannot be combined with dues for 2015-2016, which is a separate fiscal year. If you wish to renew your membership during the Annual Meeting, bring a separate check for \$30.00. Dues can be paid in July at a chapter meeting or mailed to BTQG's PO Box.

You do not need to pre-register to attend the annual meeting. Please come; your input is valuable.

If you plan to eat the catered lunch, however, please complete and mail the following.

Place a check mark for your choice of quiche.

I prefer the ham and cheese quiche.

I prefer the vegetarian mushroom, cheese, and spinach quiche.

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your home or cell phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Your email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Check number: \_\_\_\_\_ **Remember: Write the check for ONLY the \$10 lunch and mail it by Wednesday, May 27 to:**

**BTQG**  
**PO Box 542**  
**Columbia MO 65205-0542**





## Facebook: BTQG Social Networking

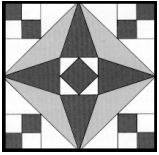
A special thanks goes out to Barb Nixon who has done a fantastic job of moving the guild into the wonderful world of social networking. Please 'Like' [Booneslick Trail Quilters Group](#) which is the name of our official page and is where our meetings, special events, etc. will be posted. We also want you to 'Friend' [Friends of Booneslick Trail Quilters Group](#) which is a public group where you can post comments and pictures. Both pages are open to the public as we hope to engage others in the wonderful world of quilting and encourage them to become members of the guild. So, let's spread the word!

To ensure a success with our venture into social media, the Board has approved the following terms to use for our Facebook pages.

- Topics/photos posted must be related to quilting, piecing, sewing, fabric, techniques, etc.
- When sharing a project, give credit where credit is due.....for example, share the name of the designer/author and the name of the pattern or book. Share the link to the website, if applicable. If your project is from a magazine, give the name, month, and year of the issue. If it's your original design, tell us that also!
- If you are posting photos of people, photos should be tasteful and appropriate, and be related to quilting.
- Photo tagging-You may tag photos with your own name, if you wish, but don't tag the names of others.
- Be kind and supportive when posting comments. This is not a place to air grievances. Any posts that are inconsistent with the purpose and interest of this group will be deleted; including post that are rude, inappropriate, hurtful or off topic.
- Please don't share or communicate health related issues, either about yourself or a friend. Please respect each member's privacy.
- Anyone violating these policies will be removed from the group.

The BTQG Social Media Chairperson is responsible for the administration and monitoring of this Facebook group. As such, they have the authority to add/remove members and delete inappropriate posts. The BTQG CEO will serve as secondary administrator of the group.

BTQG Board of Director  
April 13, 2015



P.O. Box 542  
Columbia, MO 65205-



**Sweet May has come to love us,  
Flowers, Trees, their blossoms don;  
And through the blue heavens above us  
The very clouds move on.**

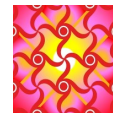
*Henrich Heine,  
Book of Songs*



Nancy Jackson	May 1
Linda O'Keefe	May 1
Carolyn Licht	May 3
Merril Winfield	May 4
Michelle Blevins	May 6
Barbara Nichols	May 6
Lynn Hill	May 9
Judy Gieselman	May 10
Barbara Taylor	May 14
Janet Hollandsworth	May 18
Barb Hawley	May 20
Betty White	May 21
Mary Bondra	May 27
Cecile Mazon	May 28
Marie Sloan	May 31



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**BTQG is on the Web**  
**[HTTP://BTQG.MISSOURI.ORG](http://BTQG.MISSOURI.ORG)**

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