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BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD

Starlight Piecemakers Chapter Meeting

Thursday, February 6, 2020 No-Sew Marketplace Work Session: 5:00-8:00pm Fairview United Methodist Church

The Starlight Piecemakers Chapter meeting will be a work evening this month so times will be a little different. We will be having a no-sew work night. We will make up kits for items to be made for the marketplace sales at the 2020 Quilt Show. Doors will be open by 5:00pm.

You can bring food for your supper and get busy working as soon as you like. Desserts and beverages will be provided to keep everyone energized for an evening of a variety of tasks, just not sewing.

You can bring your cutting mat, ruler and rotary cutter or just come and the quilt show committee will find you a job. We will have a brief time for announcements during the meeting and as always we will make time for show and tell.

I want to thank Trina Pratt for our program in January. We have such a wealth of knowledge in our members. I think we all learned something we didn't know and our seam rippers may get a little break if we use the right thread, needles and get that pesky tension set correctly.

Looking forward to seeing everyone on February 6th at 5:00.

- Robin Heider





Day Chapter Meeting

Monday, February 3, 2020
Sit N Sew: 9:00am
Service Day: 1:00pm
Fairview United Methodist Church

Let me paraphrase the purpose of our Guild as stated in the By-Laws. "to promote fellowship, to preserve our quilt making heritage and traditions, to promote appreciation of fine design and workmanship, to encourage quilt making, to participate in projects of service to the community and to contribute knowledge of quilt making" I think most of those were covered in our January program and the other will be addressed at our service day in February. Bravo!!

The presentation of traditional quilts by the "First, Last, and Middle" ladies was truly inspirational. I am always amazed at the talent in our group and it was on full display at the January meeting. The creativity and workmanship displayed was as good as it gets. I'm sure you'll agree that we are lucky and proud to have these ladies in our group.

Our February meeting will be a service day so that we may fulfill another purpose of our guild. Please be sure to check the newsletter for details and join us if you can.

Unfortunately I will not be able to participate due to a long-standing commitment every February. And I'm asking all of you to cross your fingers for me in March. We have a fabulous program scheduled and I'm up for jury duty that week (eek!!). I've already postponed it once, so my only hope is that the Columbia citizenry behaves itself and we have no big trials that week.

Finally I want to extend my personal condolences to Bettina Havig on the passing of her husband Alan recently. May her memories soon bring smiles instead of tears.

Happy stitching. See you at the retreat!

- Trina

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TREASURER'S REPORT

Submitted by Martha Eberhard As of December 31, 2019

Checking Account Balance	\$27,726.43
Savings	\$1,035.26
CD's (2)	\$11,325.62
Total Combined Balance	\$40,087.31
Number of Members	147
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$17,692.20
FYTD Income	\$18,911.05
FYTD Expenses	(\$8,797.59)
Current Checking Account Balance	\$27,805.56

Bonne Femme Book Group

February book is Mornings on Main by Jodi Thomas

Modern Quilt Interest Group

Next meeting February 16th at 2pm. Location TBD at first meeting, so stay tuned.



If you shop on Amazon, don't forget to go use smile.amazon.com and set Booneslick Trail Quilters Guild as your charity of choice!

Executive Board Update

At the January 13th meeting, the executive board passed the following motions:

- 1. To accept the December 9th Secretarial board minutes with name corrections as noted made.
- 2. To accept the Treasurer's report dated December 1st through December 31st3.3. To adjourn the January 13th meeting at 7:07 P.M.

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2	3 Day Chapter 9:00 Sit/Sew 1:00 Service Day @ Fairview United Methodist Feather- Weight Friends 10:00am Fairview Church	4	5	6 Starlight Chapter Marketplace Work Night 5-8pm Doors Open 5:00 @ Fairview United Methodist	7	8
9	10 BTQG Board Meeting 6:00 DBRL	11	Small Wonders 1:00 DBRL SASH 6:00 Corinne Remeika's Home	Sassy Stitchers Applique 9:30-11:30 DBRL	14	15
16 Modern Quilt Group 2PM @ Red the Salon	17 EZ2B Stitchers @ Quilt 4U 1:00-3:00	18 Bonne Femme Book Group 1:00 @ DBRL	19	20 Redwork 9:00 @ Janice Haralson's	21	BTQG Winter Retreat
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CEO MESSAGE



Fellow Guild Members -

So many great things are happening! Our new lighter-weight speakers have arrived in time for the February meetings. Many thanks to Linda Karns for making this happen and getting money for recycling our used equipment to offset the cost!

Annual Meeting

Hank Botts announced the speaker for our Annual Meeting this year will be Renee Nanneman of The Need'l Love Company, Inc. Renee is a well know publisher of quilting books and patterns. Since 2006, she has created more than 30 print, woven & wool fabric groups for Andover Fabrics. Mark your calendars – BTQG Annual Meeting -- June 6.

Seeking Members to Fill Open Positions:

- Hospitality Chair This position is primarily one of coordination. Our members volunteer
 to bring cookies and potluck dishes when needed. The Chair identifies what we need and
 makes sure the signup sheets get circulated. Larger projects like the Annual Meeting are
 group affairs. Call me if you can step up!
- **Program Committee** Your input is critical to planning our programs for the coming year. One of the important opportunities to interview potential speakers, the Heartland Quilt Network annual meeting, is coming up in April. Let me know if you want to be a part of this important committee. The Heartland Quilt Network meeting is where we meet many of the prospective quilt speakers.

Congratulations to our Members:

• Linda Lou Beasley from Boonville is a semifinalist for the 2020 AQS QuiltWeek in Daytona Beach, Florida February 26-29, 2020 at the Ocean Center. Linda Lou has been chosen to display the quilt, "Listen to the Children Pray". The quilt is an original design, hand quilted and appliquéd. Quilts were entered in this international contest from 35 US states and 13 other countries.

Jean Bruggenjohann won 2nd place in the 2020 New Quilts from an Old Favorite Contest. This year's theme was Wheel of Fortune. Artists from around the world competed in the 27th annual contest coordinated by The National Quilt Museum. The quilts were judged for their innovation, artistry, and interpretation of one of the many variations of the traditional Wheel of Fortune pattern.

- Alice

It's time to get the Heartland Quilt Network annual meeting date on your calendars!

Saturday, April 4, 2020 Community Covenant Church 15700 W 87th St Pkwy, Lenexa, KS 66219

No-Sew Marketplace Work Session February 6th

Thursday, February 6, 2020 Starlight Piecemakers will hold a work session for the 2020 Quilt Show Marketplace. Doors will open at 5:00 and we will end around 8:00. We will be cutting and putting together kits for log cabin trivets and microwave bowl holders.

Donations of coordinating fabric, holiday fabric (any holiday), and Insul-Brite are welcome and appreciated. For the trivets, we will be cutting 1 5/8" strips. For the microwave bowl holders, we will need pieces of fabric that are minimum 10" square. These use regular quilt batting.

Bring your cutting mat, rotary cutter, and ruler. We will provide ironing stations. Since we are starting early, you may want to bring a brown-bag dinner. Dessert will be provided.

Thank you for helping with the Marketplace!

Thank You

My daughter and I want to thank members of BTQG for the kind and gracious expressions of sympathy sent to us. The notes included in the cards were especially genuine and sincere. I felt that members of the guild put their arms around us. We hadn't expected Alan's death to come so fast. We are going to miss him very much.



Thank you, Bettina and Kirsten Havig

Singer Featherweight Interest Group

Our first meeting on January 6 provided us with.....

Group name: "Featherweight Friends"

Regular meeting time and place: First Mondays, 10 AM in the back corner of BTQG meeting room at Fairview United Methodist Church during pre-meeting sew-along interval.



Meeting general format: 15' topic focused discussion/presentation, 15' general discussion/sharing tips/concerns, 30-60' optional Featherweights independent sew-along or machine workshop time.

NOTE: A change to the plans for February was required since Trina discovered after our meeting, that she will be out of town and therefore not able to give her "clean, lube and oil" demonstration at that date, but she plans to join our other maintenance experts to help us with this task in March.

Tentative focus topic schedule is now:

February: Featherweight Friends bucket brigade - join the guild service project effort using your working featherweights (or not) and/or assisting the guild service projects by marking, cutting, pinning, etc.

March: Maintenance (oil, lube, cleaning) shifted from Feb. since Trina who volunteered to spearhead the workshop activities is out of town in February.

April: Accessories and Attachments for Featherweight sewing.

May: Machine Quilting with your Featherweight (including Walking feet options and Free Motion Quilting tips).

Hope to see you Feb. 3 at 10, to join our mighty FWs in the service effort. There might be FW door prizes! - Pam

SASH Group Update

The January meeting of the Short Attention Span Holiday interest group (SASH) has been cancelled due to most of us being sick. What is it about January and sickness? I want to remind members to bring their bags if they've not already done so (me included) and their wildest, most awesome pincushions to the February meeting. One of them will win a prize!



If your considering joining our merry band we hope you do! We play games, have low-key challenges, snack and well have more fun than sewing! We meet the second Wednesday of the month and we hope you'll come. The next meeting is on Wednesday, February 12th at our Supreme Hostess Corinne Remeinke's house (see directory).

If you need more information please contact me on my home phone number which is 573-634-2162 and please leave a message if I'm out gallivanting. You can also email me at sarahbriggs709@gmail.com. Come join us!!

Sarah Briggs

2020 QUILT SHOW NEWS



2020 has begun, Happy New Year! Now, it's time to get serious about the 2020 Quilt Show...

The committee has worked hard to secure a new space and good dates for the Show, we've come up with a theme and a logo, the Redwork group has stitched and is making progress putting together a Raffle Quilt. Now we're counting on YOU to help make the show a success. Here are some details:

WHAT: This is the Guild's Biennial Quilt Show. As 2020 marks the Bicentennial of the founding of Boone County & 2021 the Bicentennial of the City of Columbia we've chosen a theme that ties quilting into the history of our communities.

Block by block a quilt is sewn, Block by block a community has grown.

For a logo we've been given permission to use the square, guild member, Willene Morris made of the Burr Oak. Her block was chosen to represent Boone County on a quilt being made for the State 2021 Bicentennial. We've made arrangements for someone to make a digital interpretation that will make printing easy.

WHEN: The Quilt Show will be held Friday and Saturday, October 2nd and 3rd, 2020.

Set up will be Thursday, October 1st. Please, mark your calendars now.

WHERE: The State Historical Society of Missouri, 605 Elm Street

the new building is in town, across from Peace Park, with its own parking lot.

WHO: This is where YOU come in...we need help in many areas, some large and some

small, there's definitely something to engage you all!

HOW: Right now we're looking for help (people to head up) the following areas:

- ⇒ **Demonstrations** we'd like to have some demonstrations someone hand quilting/sewing squares and someone sewing with a machine (Featherweight ?) We need someone to organize this and members to volunteer to sit & sew during the show.
- ⇒ **Past to Present** we'd like to hang a few quilts that show the evolution of quilting. For example, we'd hang an antique log cabin quilt next to a modern interpretation of the log cabin pattern. For this we need YOU to let us know what quilts you have that would fit into this category. One need not have both old and new quilts, we'll match up what's available.
- ⇒ **Challenge** we need someone to organize a challenge... Tied into the theme, could it be a specific block? Or maybe build on the village/town idea?
- ⇒ **Service Projects** we would like to have a display of the many service projects guild members sew for, with photos and appreciations from recipients. We'll need someone to pull this together and for you to keep sewing bags and quilts, etc.
- ⇒ **Silent Auction** we need someone to organize gathering items.
- ⇒ Raffle Tickets we need someone to oversee getting and selling of raffle tickets.
- ⇒ **Market Place** we need you all to be sewing things to sell at the Market Place, remember this is where we bring in the money!

Please contact Peggy Brothers (573-442-7354 <u>peggybrothers@icloud.com</u>) or Kat Reece (573-619-7928 <u>kathrynreece24@gmail.com</u>) to help out!

Winter Retreat Classes

Hello Ladies,

If you haven't emailed Janet Sapp to sign up for either of the retreat classes, please do so at: sappje@missouri.edu. There are three kit options for Mona's wool appliqué class: pine tree, paw print or spring flowers. Please indicate which kit you would like her to have ready for you. (The more people sign up, the cheaper the kits will be.)



- Ustena

48th Annual Kalona Quilt Show and Sale in Kalona, IA

We would love to have you visit the 48th Annual Kalona Quilt Show and Sale in Kalona, IA. Kalona is an Amish / Mennonite community know for quilting. The show is held at the Kalona YMCA at 511 C. Ave, Downtown, Kalona, IA. Over 250 New and Vintage "Hand Quilted" quilts will be on display and for sale. Just one block east is the Kalona Quilt and Textile Museum featuring 2 quilt galleries. The Kalona Chamber offers 90 minute tours twice a day in the Amish country.

There are 2 wonderful fabric stores, coffee shop, chocolate store, gift shops, antiques and so much more. The local Methodist Church does a wonder turkey dinner during the show. Other restaurants available as well. Nice family owned motel as well!

Great 'QUILTING GETAWAY" And of course the Woodin Wheel Quilt and Gift shop that sponsors the show will be open as well!! Please join us for this fun event!

Kalona Quilt Show and Sale 2020 511 C Ave, Kalona, IA. 52247 Located in the Kalona YMCA. East Entrance Thursday, April 23, 5 pm – 8pm (EVE. ONLY) Friday, April 24, 9 am – 7 pm Saturday, April 25, 9 am – 5 pm Admission Charged \$6.00 good for all 3 days Sponsored by the Woodin Wheel 515 B. Ave. Kalona , Ia. 319-656-2240 Email katie@woodinwheel.com

Over 250 New and Vintage Hand Quilted Quilts on display and for sale. Many are Amish / Mennonite made.

If you wish to have more information call the above number or email. The Chamber of Commerce will send out Kalona information.

Hope to see you there! Katie Karnes and Brenda Herington

Membership Directory Updates

Welcome New Member:

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Sandy Womack	Feb 05	,
Carrol Lewis	Feb 06	,
Marilyn Kirby	Feb 07	,
Larry Fredrich	Feb 09	,
Rona Duncan	Feb 10	,
Carol Nierling	Feb 11	,
Kathy Benish	Feb 12	,
Deborah Kagay	Feb 14	,
Linda Ladd	Feb 14	١,
Willie Morris	Feb 14	,
Trina Pratt	Feb 14	,
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Cindy Heinz	Feb 15	,
Becky Wolpert	Feb 20	,
Sarah Briggs	Feb 21	
Mary Didge	Feb 22	,
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Kayla Simpson	Feb 27	,
Joan Wescott	Feb 29	,
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