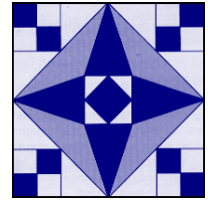


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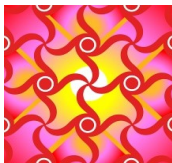
## BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



### CEO MESSAGE

*The reports concerning guild meetings via ZOOM have been favorable. I am not aware of any concerns. Judi Kirkpatrick is knowledgeable and professional with the procedure. Christi Brietzke has spent many hours contacting speakers for both Day Group and Starlight Group. Having speakers via ZOOM has allowed us to have an opportunity to see people and ideas from a variety of locations.*

*The Board members are determined to have meetings for which everyone can benefit. Never did I think we would be accessing so much technology for such a traditional craft. As quilts have evolved from traditional blocks to modern designs so is the Booneslick Trail Quilters' Guild. I hope all are enjoying the adventure. — Boo! Kula*



### Day Chapter ZOOM Meeting Monday November 2

#### A Message from Carrol Lewis, President

I was happy to see we had over 40 participants in our October program. I'm glad there is a way to continue learning in this crazy world we're living in. The plus to Zooming is we are able to broaden our area to get speakers. Over the next few months, we will have speakers from quite a distance. Our November speaker will be the first.

Melissa Marginet comes from Manitoba, Canada. She will be presenting "My Journey as a Quilter". She has 2 books: *Walking Foot Quilt Designs* and *Edge Walking Foot Designs*. She has been published in *McCall's Quilting*, January 2020, *Canadian Quilter*, Summer 2019, *Voyageur Quilter's Connection Magazine*, Fall 2018 and Summer 2018. Melissa has also taught at Quilt Canada CQA/ACC 2018.

She belongs to 2 guilds: Manitoba Prairie Quilters and Winnipeg Modern Quilt Guild. She is creator and webmaster of *Quilt Manitoba*.

More information may be found at <https://marginet.weebly.com>.



### Starlight Piecemakers Chapter ZOOM Meeting Thursday — November 5

#### A Message from Ustena Simenson, President



Our ZOOM speaker this month is the magical Misty Cole, all the way from Baltimore, MD. She has been quilting for about 16 years and has become comfortable with both hand and machine quilting, as well as mixing them together. She specializes in hand dyes and applique and has a fine art background. She also has year of experience in education.

Have you heard of her Poison Bottle Quilt?? I know I would love to attend that workshop someday!

Please watch for the ZOOM invitation before the November meeting and I can't wait to see everyone there.

More information may be found at <https://mistycole.com>.



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### BTQG BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2020-2021

#### Executive Board Members/Elected

CEO	Boo! Kula	573-449-0346 (H)
Vice CEO	Judi Kirkpatrick	660-734-0358 (C)
Secretary	Judy Gieselman	573-445-2381 (H)
Treasurer	Willie Morris	573-424-1421 (C)
President-		
Day Chapter	Carrol Lewis	573-657-4532 (H)
Starlight Piecemakers	Ustena Simenson	573-356-5915 (C)
Past CEO	Alice Leeper	573-489-1458 (C)

#### Board Members/Appointed Standing Committee Chairs

Membership	Deborah Kagay	573-289-2399 (C)
Chapter Programs		
Day Chapter	Christi Brietzke	573-289-1822 (C)
Starlight Piecemakers	(vacant)	
Newsletter	Catherine Erlanger <a href="mailto:BTQGNews@gmail.com">BTQGNews@gmail.com</a>	626-421-8628 (C)
Librarian	Karon Huggler	573-489-6373 (C)
Service Project	Irmgard Marsh	660-591-3223 (C)
Hospitality	(vacant)	
Quilt Show	Peggy Brothers	573-442-7352 (H)
	Kathryn Reece	573-619-7928 (H)

#### Board Members/Appointed Ad Hoc Committee Chairs

Webmaster	Janet Hollandsworth	573-999-5706 (C)
Social Media	Barb Nixon	573-239-1039 (C)
Retreat	Anna Mary Hughes	660-676-6745 (C)
Membership Directory	Debbie Odor	901-218-1345 (C)

### Treasurer's Report

Period: 09/01/2020-09/30/2020

Report prepared & submitted to  
Board for Approval by

**Willie Morris, Treasurer**

Approved by the Board on 09/14/2020

#### Year End NET ASSETS

Cash (Reconciled 09/30	
Bank & General Ledger Bal-	\$ 24,570.79
ances)	
Savings	\$ 1,035.35
CD's (2)	\$ 11,451.61
<b>Net Assets on</b>	<b>\$ 37,057.75</b>
<b>09/30/2020</b>	

**Number of Members** **106**  
29% Not-Yet-Renewed

FY2020-2021 (07/01/20-06/30/21) Year-to-Date Summary of General Ledger Financial Transactions To-Date	
Beginning (Cash) Balance	\$ 20,715.66
FY2020-2021 Income	5,042.11
FY2020-2021 Expenses	(1,186.98)
<b>Ending (Cash) Balance</b>	<b>\$ 24,570.79</b>

**In Memoriam**  
**Cecile Mazan**  
**1946 - 2020**

### Board of Directors ZOOM Meetings Updates

On September 29, 2020, a special ZOOM meeting of the BTQG Executive Board was called to discuss city COVID regulations and guild meetings was called to order by CEO Boo! Kula. A motion was passed to cancel the October Guild meeting at the Church. Five Executive Board Members were present: Kula (CEO), Kirkpatrick (Vice CEO), Morris (Treasurer), Gieselman (Secretary), Simenson (Starlight Chapter President). Others present were: Brietzke (Programs), Erlanger (Newsletter), Kagay (Membership), Nixon (Social Media).

On October 14th the *fourth* meeting of FY2020-2021 BTQG Board was held via ZOOM. The meeting was called to order by CEO Boo! Kula. Eleven Board Members were present: Brietzke (Programs), Erlanger (Newsletter), Gieselman (Secretary), Kagay (Membership), Kirkpatrick (Vice CEO), Kula (CEO), Leeper (Past CEO), Lewis (Day Chapter President), Morris (Treasurer), Odor (Directory).

#### From the Board Secretary:

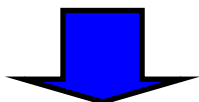
BTQG Board of Directors made the following motions at the October 14th ZOOM meeting:

1. To accept the minutes of the September 14, 2020, board of directors meeting and the minutes of the BTQG Executive Board meeting of September 28, 2020.
2. To accept the treasurer's report for the period ending September 30, 2020.
3. To adjourn the meeting.

FYI: If you wish to read the full Approved Minutes of BTQG Board Meetings, go to <http://BTQG.MISSOURI.ORG>. Click on "Members", then "Executive Board Minutes".

***An eBlast arrives with a ZOOM invitation to a Guild Chapter Meeting & Program and You want to give it a try, then you should . . .***

**READ THIS**



Do you ZOOM?? What is ZOOM?

ZOOM is a remote conferencing service. In English....we video a meeting (or the speaker joins our video meeting) and you watch on a computer, laptop, iPad, or smart phone from your home.

If you do not know about ZOOM I am willing to try and teach you the basics so you can join a ZOOM quilt meeting with BTQG.

To use ZOOM you will need one of the following:

- Computer. Windows or Apple computer with speakers and a microphone. (Note: Webcams are recommended but not required.)
- Mobile Device. iOS or Android.
- Phone. Mobile device, desk, or landline.

You will need an internet connection (or go somewhere you can use one) .

I am not an expert but will try to help you join the fun. Both November chapter meetings and programs will be via ZOOM. If you are interested **call Judi Kirkpatrick (660-734-0358)** and *I will schedule a time to work thru what you will need and how to join a ZOOM meeting.*

If you would like a **private practice** session on ZOOM, **I would be happy to help you. Call me (660-734-0358).**



Don't wait till the last minute please, let's start asap. — Judi Kirkpatrick (660-734-0358)



**tip**

During a ZOOM meeting roll your cursor over the upper right hand corner of your ZOOM screen and you will see: "**view**". If you roll the cursor over "**view**", 3 options will show: **speaker view**, **gallery view** and **full screen** or **exit full screen**.

When our guest speaker comes on, I would suggest clicking on **speaker view** and then clicking **full screen** to see the best view of the program.

Exit **full screen** and click back on **gallery view** to see all the faces of our members. You will not be able to see all the members on one screen. Look for **an arrow** on the right side center of the screen to go to another screen of participants. — Judi



BEHIND THE SCENES . . .

## Coming ZOOM

Programs via ZOOM will be at our Chapter Meetings thru Spring on the Internet (only) or at the Church plus the Internet, depending on the Town COVID-19 restrictions on meetings. Who is finding these ZOOM programs for us? **Christi Brietzke**, Day Chapter Program Chair.

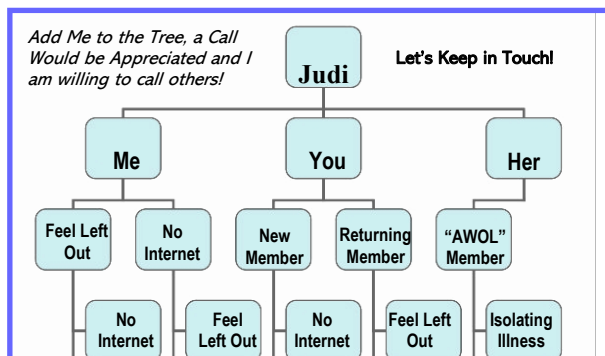
Christi was surprised with the task of with finding programs for both Chapters when a Program Chair for the Starlight Chapter could not be recruited. Normally, a Chapter Program Chair schedules and executes contracts with one Speaker a month for their Chapter, October thru the following September. Several Board Members pitched in to mentor Christi, among them were recent Program Chairs Judi Kirkpatrick, Carrol Lewis, and Willie Morris.

And THEN, BTQG decided to try ZOOM programs! Christi has bravely scaled a very steep learning curve and generously assumed the tasks of two people to search nationwide to identify, schedule and contract with Speakers to provide their programs via ZOOM to us. She has scheduled programs thru March for both Chapters (10 Speakers), is contracting with and finding more quickly towards completing the Guild program schedule thru September,



### Join Our Calling Tree

Call Judi Kirkpatrick  
(660) 734-0358



today is my



Pat	Hilderbrand	Nov 02
Dorothy	Leeper	Nov 04
Dennis	Smith	Nov 09
Jean	Sensintaffar	Nov 25

**BIRTHDAY!**

### 1st Annual SASH Halloween Party Held

Reported by Sarah Briggs

This virus has made a mess of our SASH (Short Attention Span Holiday) Interest Group meetings. We've been Zooming but that's just not the same as an in-person gathering. Well, we decided to take full advantage of the warm fall temperatures and gather outside in Parkade Park for our 1st Annual Halloween Party! We wore our masks and social distanced as we chowed down on the lunch each person brought, played games, won fabulous prizes that you can't win elsewhere and did a Show and Tell. What a talented group!! Special thanks to Linda Karns for bringing the decorations, and Lynn Hill, Marilyn Woolridge and Linda Karns for bringing goodies to snack on. I can't tell you how delighted the whole group was to see both Corinne Remeika and Dana Simpson!! We've missed you guys!! If you've been looking for a fun and laid back group of quilters . . . That enjoy each other's company as much as quilting . . . . . You've found us. Please contact me, Sarah Briggs at [sarahbriggs709@gmail.com](mailto:sarahbriggs709@gmail.com) or call my home at 573-634-2162 and we'd be happy to add you to our merry band!

### Remember Me?



UFO\* will land at The Lodge of Four Seasons in Lake Ozark, **February 13-15, 2021**. We're beaming up Willie to teach *Needle Turn Applique* and Mavis to teach *Hand Piecing*. It will be a great weekend (Sat-Mon) of fun, sewing and friendship. Contact **Anna Mary Hughes**, BTQG Retreat Chairwoman, for details.

### November Directory Updates

#### ADD MEMBERS

**Margaret Heller**  
3532 N Hinshaw Drive  
Columbia, MO 65202  
573-825-1662 (C)  
Birthday: Mar 13  
(no email, US Mail only)

**Jo Rohr**  
148 County Rd 302  
Fayette, MO 65248  
660-888-2060 (C)  
Birthday: Sept 26  
[jrohr2060@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jrohr2060@sbcglobal.net)  
(newsletter via US Mail only)

#### CORRECTIONS

Janet Sapp email address  
[janetesapp@gmail.com](mailto:janetesapp@gmail.com)  
(note "e" btw "t" & "s")

### Coming Our Way?








Here's a "sneak peek" at Christi's future Chapter programs worksheet:

#### Strong Possibilities ! ? ! ?

*1st Contact Very Positive*

- Daisy Aschehoug "Coffee Klatch"
- Phyllis Cullen "Quilting in Paradise"
- Julie Louma "Dancing on the Border"
- Lilo Bowman "Adapting for Change"
- Joyce Hughes "My Journey into Quilting"
- Rose Parr "Ergonomics of Healthy Quilting"
- Eleanor Levie "Magical History Tour: American Quilting 1970-2000"
- Patricia Belyea "Alluring World of Japanese Yukata Quilts"
- Carrie Zizza "Deep Dive Into Needles, Treads, Batting, & Fabric"
- Laura Strickland "Orange Blossom Quilts"

# NOVEMBER 2020

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
 <b>ZOOM Invite</b> <i>will come to you via a link in an eBlast from Barb Nixon.</i>	<b>2</b> <b>1:00 pm</b> <b>Day Chapter Meeting</b> <b>By ZOOM</b> Feather-Weight Friends TBD	<b>3</b> FEDERAL ELECTION DAY 	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> <b>7:00 pm</b> <b>Starlight Chapter Meeting</b> <b>By ZOOM</b>	 <b>ZOOM Invite</b> <i>will come to you via a link in an eBlast from Barb Nixon.</i>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> <b>7:00 pm</b> <b>BTQG Board Meeting</b> <b>By ZOOM</b> <i>(via ZOOM invite from CEO)</i> 	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Small Wonders TBD  SASH <i>By ZOOM</i>  <i>(via ZOOM invite from Sarah Briggs)</i>	<b>12</b> Sassy Stitchers Applique TBD	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
Currently you can attend a BTQG Board meeting as an invited guest without leaving your home. Contact CEO Boo! Kula <a href="mailto:bookula22@gmail.com">bookula22@gmail.com</a> and request to attend as a guest. She emails the ZOOM invites to all Board members and invited guests.			<b>22</b> Modern Quilt Group <i>(on hiatus)</i>	<b>23</b> EZ2B Stitchers TBD	<b>24</b>  Needlework Group <i>(NO Nov or Dec Mtgs)</i>	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b> Thanksgiving	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>BTQG Interest Groups may choose to have</b> <b>A conference call or  Zoom meeting</b> <b>At the discretion of their membership</b>			

## To Attend A Chapter Meeting via ZOOM Do You Receive eBlasts? Not Sure? Verify with Barb

You will receive the link to November Guild Chapter ZOOM meetings by eBlast from Barb Nixon. If you do not normally receive eBlast emails from the Guild, please verify with Barb ([ybnixon22@gmail.com](mailto:ybnixon22@gmail.com)) to make sure she has your correct email address. Note: each meeting (night and day meetings) will have a different email and link. You can join the meeting 10 minutes before starting time.

## Calendar Contacts: (For email addresses, check the directory)

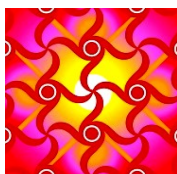
<b>Day Chapter:</b>	Carrol Lewis	573-657-4532	<b>Featherweight Friends:</b>	Pam Close	573-808-3496
<b>Starlight Chapter:</b>	Ustena Simenson	573-356-5915	<b>Needlework:</b>	Mona Stevenson	573-698-2019
<b>GUILD's Calendar:</b>	Judi Kirkpatrick	660-734-0358	<b>Modern Quilt:</b>	Lora Brinkman	573-821-0262
<b>Guild Interest Groups on Calendar</b>					
<b>Bonne Femme Book Group</b>	Nancy Antonio	573-823-9579	<b>SASH:</b>	Sarah Briggs	573-634-2162
<b>EZ2B Stitchers:</b>	Merril Winfield	573-446-8676	<b>Sassy Stitchers:</b>	Peggy Brothers	573-819-6682
			<b>Small Wonders:</b>	Karon Huggler	573-489-6373



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Day Chapter Meeting

Next Meeting via ZOOM:

**November 2nd**

**Monday, 1pm**



PROGRAM: *"My Quilting Journey"*  
SPEAKER: **Melissa Marginet,**  
Quilter, Author, Designer, Teacher  
Manitoba, Canada



Starlight Piecemakers  
Chapter Meeting

Next Meeting via ZOOM:

**November 5th**

**Thursday, 7pm**



PROGRAM: *"Poison Bottle Quilts"*  
SPEAKER: **Misty Cole,**  
Pick Your Brain Designs  
— Arts with Smarts  
Baltimore, Maryland