**CEO’s Message**

We are back, yes, back to meeting in person for the March meetings. Last month I was happy to meet from home after the storm but I missed seeing you all. Spring will be here soon and I'm ready for the seasons to change. Speaking of change.....it is time for new officers and committee chairs to take up the reins July 1st and lead for the coming 2022-2023 year. Please consider carefully when you are asked. WE NEED YOU. No officers, no guild. Literally!! It seems like we go through this every year and we always have people step up. This year, it is you.

—Judi Kirkpatrick

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**A Message from Pat —**

Our March meeting will be a time to visit, sew and help others. We will have a service work day starting at 9am. Bring your normal sewing items and machine and we will work on service quilts, etc. You may bring a lunch or step out for lunch and bring it back. We will have a short meeting at 1pm (including Show and Tell) followed by more sewing, and be finished by 3pm. See you there.

Pat Leistner
Day Chapter President

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**A Message from Connie —**

The March 3rd Starlight Chapter Meeting will feature two parts. Martha, Mona, and Judi will show examples of wool applique and would like to have others share as well. Do you love wool? Show us please. The second part will have Mona talking about challenge quilts. A number of our members have submitted a quilt to a challenge. See Mona’s article on Page 6.

Connie Richards
Starlight Chapter President
Treasurer’s Report
Period: 1/01/2022-1/31/2022
Approved Report prepared & submitted on 2/14/2022 to Board for Approval by
Martha Eberhard, Treasurer

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Number of Members 133

Year-to-Date Summary of General Ledger Financial Transactions To-Date

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When March comes in like a lion, it goes out like a lamb.
March 2022

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*PLEASE NOTE: Fairview United Methodist Church requests everybody to wear masks inside the building.*

**Calendar Contacts:** (For email addresses, consult the directory)

- **Day Chapter:** Pat Leistner 573-446-0811
- **Starlight Chapter:** Connie Richards 660-346-1577
- **Guild’s Calendar:** Trina Pratt 775-770-4645

Please note that not all interest groups may meet every month. You are welcome to ask the contact people at right for information or questions about any of these friendly groups.

**Guild Interest Groups on Calendar**

- **Featherweight Friends:** Pam Close 573-808-3496 (still seeking a new coordinator)
- **Needlework:** Mona Stevenson 573-698-2019
- **Modern Quilt:** Lora Brinkman 573-821-0262
- **SASH*:** (Meetings TBA) Sarah Briggs 573-634-2162 or Linda Karns 573-825-2020
- **Sassy Stitchers:** Peggy Brothers 573-819-6682
- **Small Wonders:** Karon Huggler 573-489-6373

*Short Attention Span Happy Quilters!
5. Moved and seconded to charge an admission of $5.00 for the Quilt Show. The motion carried.
6. Moved and seconded to accept the Policies of Booneslick Trail Quilters' Guild as presented by the committee.
   Moved and seconded to amend previous motion to delete section 15b of presented Policies. The motion carried.
Original motion carried as amended.
(A copy of the changes is provided on Page 6 in this newsletter.)
7. Adjournment

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Kay Harmon, from Springdale, AR, will be doing a trunk show titled “Wool Shouldn’t be Feared” at the April Starlight Chapter Meeting. During her presentation, she will show a variety of wool projects with various finishing techniques. Kay is retired from the Air Force and has been featured in Primitive Quilts and Projects and Quiltmania magazine numerous times. You can visit [https://www.sewgracefulquilting.com/](https://www.sewgracefulquilting.com/) and click on the Kay Harmon tab to see some of her projects. She will be bringing items from Sew Graceful Quilting to sell. Kay will also be doing a half-day Wool Applique Workshop on Friday, April 8. See registration form on Page 5 in this newsletter.

— Martha Eberhard

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Address Changes — For Your Membership Directory

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Happy Birthday!!

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Don’t forget: our March guild meetings will be in-person events!
During the workshop we will discuss:

- Methods of adhering wool to the background
- How to use a fusible product to adhere wool to the background
- Several methods available for placement of wool shapes
- How to transfer stitching lines to wool
- Basic stitches including the blanket stitch, chain stitch, primitive stitch, French knot and feather stitch

Wool kits and Soft Fuse will be provided.

Participants should bring – required supplies:

- Iron and ironing surface (we can share if necessary)
- Paper scissors
- Scissors to cut wool
- Pencil and Ballpoint pen
- Needle (recommend size 24 chenille needle)
- Thread (recommend Valdani perle cotton size 12) but any thread will work
- Press and Seal - optional
- If participant prefers to use their own method of preparing wool, feel free to bring those supplies.

Available for purchase:

- Ironing surface, scissors, needles, Valdani thread sets for the project, Soft Fuse

REGISTRATION - Celebrating Snow, A Wool Applique Workshop:

NAME ____________________________________________________________

EMAIL __________________________________ PHONE ______________________

CHECK NUMBER __________________________ AMOUNT __________________

Mail registration and payment to BTQG, PO BOX 542, Columbia, MO 65206-0542.

Contact Martha Eberhard, marthaebhard@hotmail.com or 573-356-0311, for questions.
Challenge Quilt Program
Half of the March Starlight meeting will be about challenge quilts. We need a selection of members’ entries into various challenges for display that evening. Whether they are from a BTQG challenge (quilt show, eclipse, etc.), another guild’s challenge or an online or national event (Quilting Arts, Hoffman, Cherrywood), any challenge quilt is welcome. It doesn’t have to be a prize-winner to be worth seeing. Please contact Mona Stevenson to give her some background information on your quilt(s) by March 1. If you’ve completed your challenge quilt for the upcoming quilt show, let her know and plan to bring it to the March 3 meeting. Our theme for the challenge is “Everything Old is New Again.” See the BTQG website under “Quilt Show” or the July 2021 newsletter, Page 6, for the details.

QUILT SHOW UPDATE
It’s official! A contract has been signed with the church. We are moving forward as planned!

Date: September 23 and 24, 2022 (Friday and Saturday) from 9AM - 5PM each day. (We will be setting up for it the day before on Thursday, the 22nd).
Place: Fairview Road Church of Christ, 201 S Fairview Road
Admission will be $5

Quilt Show T-shirts are available. If you have not yet ordered one, you may do so by e-mailing Kathryn Reece: kathrynreece24@gmail.com

Let her know the size and color (white or gray). This update: You may order a long-sleeved shirt if desired. We are waiting on a price confirmation from the supplier, but we expect them to be around $20. The short-sleeved ones are $15. If you ordered a short-sleeved one and want a long-sleeved one instead, please e-mail Kathryn. You may pay Kathryn at the in-person chapter meetings in March. If you are not able to attend the meetings, you can mail her a check now. Kathryn would like to turn in the order in early April.

BTQG earns money from ticket sales to the show and from ticket sales from the Opportunity Quilts, but we also earn money from our Marketplace at the Quilt Show. Items for the Marketplace come from our members! The Marketplace Committee is doing an amazing job! They have inspired us and have provided us with materials for projects. We have already received some very lovely items to sell! Keep making items for the Marketplace. September will be here before we know it! Watch for continued news and ideas from the committee. We will be planning a workshop day for Marketplace in the future. Thanks to everyone for their hard work so far!!!

— Peggy Brothers and Kathryn Reece, Quilt Show Co-Chairs

Changes to Policies of the Booneslick Trail Quilters’ Guild
The following changes have been made to the Policies. These are the only changed parts. You will receive a complete document of the Bylaws and Policies in the next BTQG Membership Directory.
1. Annual Membership Meetings
   a. The Annual Meeting will be planned by a committee chaired by the immediate past CEO.
   b. Chapter meetings will be planned by the Program Chair in coordination with the Chapter President.
   c. Online meetings are allowed.
      i. If the Annual Meeting is to be held via an online meeting service, all voting will be done by mailed ballot. Members must mark their ballots and return them as quickly as possible to ensure receipt at least 2 days prior to the scheduled meeting. Ballots will have a unique identifying number to deter duplication of ballots.
      ii. Chapter meetings and meetings of special interest groups may also be held via online meeting
service or webinar. The Chapter President or designated Chairperson will ensure that the membership receives the login information via email prior to the meeting.

3. Guild Properties and Equipment
   b. Guild program equipment is to be audited yearly and checked for service needs. Unused equipment will be deaccessioned. The Vice CEO shall be responsible for coordinating the yearly audit.

9. Special Workshops and Speakers
   c. Reimbursement will be made for meals and tip for speakers, excluding but not for any alcoholic beverages. Only instructor expenses shall be reimbursed. Guests traveling with instructor are responsible for their own expenses. Guild members will not be reimbursed for meals with the guest speaker.

10. Treasurer
   c. The Treasurer will only issue payments or reimbursements with proper documentation, including invoices or receipts accompanied by a completed check request form. All bank deposits must be accompanied by a deposit summary form.
   d. Committee chairs or special event coordinators who have collected checks from members for an event shall forward all checks to the Treasurer in a timely manner regardless of the date of the event. No checks should be held by any member other than the Treasurer.
   e. The Treasurer shall deposit all checks within 30 days of receipt. Renewal funds received before July 1, or for a new member joining after May 15, shall be deposited after July 1. The Treasurer shall notify the members that the checks will be deposited the first week of July.
   f. Members using a credit card for event registrations (e.g. membership renewal, retreat, classes, etc.) will be assessed a transaction fee.

13. Committee Responsibilities
   g. Hospitality: The ad hoc Chairperson shall coordinate work with program chairpersons to provide social functions such as luncheons, potluck meals, receptions, and coffees. The Chairperson shall supervise the hospitality budget and supplies and shall develop a calendar of volunteers to set up and take down the hospitality area for events.
   h. Membership: The Chairperson shall provide the Treasurer with completed membership forms and dues in a timely manner – at the end of each meeting if the Treasurer is present or mailed within 2 business days following the meeting. The Chairperson shall develop a calendar of volunteers for each chapter meeting. These volunteers will greet members, introduce guests, and manage the related functions of the membership table. The Chairperson shall report on membership attendance numbers at each Board meeting.

14. Inclement Weather Policy
   a. If the Columbia Public Schools close due to inclement weather, BTQG will not hold its monthly in-person meeting. In the event schools remain open, but weather conditions worsen during the day, notice of meeting cancellation will air when feasible on KBIA (91.3 FM), KPLA (101.5 FM), and KFRU (1400 AM) radio as well as KOMU, KMIZ, and KRCG television. Additionally, an eblast will be sent to members and notice of meeting cancellation will be posted to Facebook. An online meeting may be substituted.
   b. It is the responsibility of the Chapter President to notify the Social Media Chairperson, and radio and television stations, if a meeting cancellation occurs on a day Columbia Public Schools are open.
   c. It is the responsibility of the Chapter Program Chair to make sure the set-up person is aware of the inclement weather policy and to coordinate should an unexpected cancellation occur.

15. Definitions
   a. Ad Hoc Committee – Ad hoc means “when necessary or needed.” Ad hoc committees can be formed at any time to handle specific projects or events (e.g., Holiday Luncheon). When an ad hoc committee completes the designated task, it immediately dissolves. The Chairperson of an ad hoc committee shall have a vote on the board so long as the committee exists.

Revised and approved by Board of Directors on February 14, 2022.
Booneslick Trail Quilters’ Guild
P.O. Box 542
Columbia, MO 65205-0542

NEXT Day Chapter Meeting
1:00pm
Monday — March 7th
Fairview UMC

NEXT Starlight Piecemakers Chapter Meeting
7:00pm
Thursday — March 3rd
Fairview UMC

Be like a Pineapple:
Stand Tall,
Wear a Crown,
and Be Sweet on the Inside.