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BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



<u>Starlight Piecemakers'</u> <u>Chapter Meeting</u>

Thursday, December 4, 2014 Doors Open at 6 pm Dinner and Program begin at 7:00 PM Fairview Methodist Church



Day Chapter

Monday, December 1, 2014 9:00 am Sit 'n Sew 12 noon Brown bag lunch Bring food to share 1:00 pm Meeting, Program, Show and Tell

Fairview Methodist Church

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Christmas Luncheon and Party

Please join the Day Chapter for the annual Christmas Luncheon and Party. Before the lunch the sit and sew will be open. Bring that last family quilt you are giving for Christmas and finish it with all you friends.

This year we will be celebrating with a festive and inviting lasagna. Please bring one of your favorite potluck dishes to add to the meal. It is also im-



portant for you to bring the serving utensil. Lunch will begin at 1:00 pm.

There will be a gift exchange of a Christmas ornament. So look through all your boxes and find just the right one.

As always it is great fun to see what our members have been up over the years. We will be having The Best Stocking Contest. Now don't run out to the nearest department store and pick up a fancy one. Christmas ornaments can bring so many wonderful memories.

And of course, holiday show and tell will give our members an opportunity to see by your beautiful work of an item you made especially for a loved one.

And wear your favorite Christmas red and green outfit. We will also join in for some beloved holiday songs.. Don't forget to wear your jingle bells.!

The holiday game, Night Before Bingo will also be played.

Louise Bequette Day Chapter President

Christmas Dinner and Program



Whew!!! The Quilt Show is over, now on to Thanksgiving....then flip the calendar and what do you know, it's time for the Starlight Christmas Dinner & program! Thank you to everyone that participated in some way to the quilt show, I felt it was totally successful!

Once again, to remind you that we will be having Jack's Gourmet cater our Christmas dinner, the donation will be \$5.00 per person and I would certainly appreciate it if you plan to come, to please let me know so we will order the correct amount of food. As always, all members are welcome. You may contact me at: 573-443-5479, leave a message if I'm not home, or email me @ srussell4@gmail.com.

I hope all of you have a wonderful Thanksgiving and I will see you on Thursday, Dec. 4!!!

Sally Russell Starlight Chapter President



Sewing Tip

American Patchwork & Quilting Magazine Tip: "If you sew exactly on the ¼ inch line, some of the fabric is used in the fold of the seam and the block will

shrink, especially if there are many seams. So let "scant" be your friend."

Jo Morton



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January 5, 2014 Day Chapter Meeting

Please note the Day Chapter's meeting on

January 5th will be a time to work on your UFO projects. Boo! Kula will lead the meeting. The usual sit and sew will be in the morning with potluck lunch and then a chance to share about those ever nagging UFOs. More information to follow in the January newsletter.

Newsletter deadline is the Wednesday after the Executive Board Meeting at 6:30 pm, of each month. **E-mail items to: maggiemueg@aol.com.** BTQGfeb1978@yahoo.com BTQG Newsletter December 2014

TREASURER'S REPORT							
Submitted by							
Maria DeLamat	re						
As of							
November 10, 20	14						
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Checking Acct. Balance	\$16,310.12						
Money Market Account	1,033.85						
CDs (2)	10,850.58						
Total Combine Balance	\$28,194.55						
Number of Members 1031/14	145						
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$ 8,955.19						
FYTD Income	12,383.00						
FYTD Expenses	5,028.07						
Current Checking Acct. Bal.	\$16,310.12						

Motions for Nov. 10, 2014

Discounted tickets for the quilt show should not be allowed. Motion failed.

BTQG should allow reduced tickets at \$3 for the international women's group led by Karen Hug-gler. Motion passed.

BTQG shall establish a policy for paid advertising. Motion passed.

BTQG should participate in "Pioneer Arts" in Boonville on Dec. 6, 2014 contingent on getting enough volunteers in place by Nov. 21. Motion passed.

Member Quilting Services

It is a guild policy that a member may place a free ad 4 times a year in the newsletter for a quilting service that they provide. In addition we are attempting to put together a complete list of these members for quick reference when someone asks who they can call for these quilting services.

If you would like to be included in this list, please email me so I can complete such a list.

Sandy Womack sandy65203@mchsi.com

	Saturday	9					13						20				27			Mystery Quilt TBA	
1	Friday	5					12						19				26			Group(s) not shown will not meet in	December.
	Thursday	4	Starlight meeting,	at 6 p.m.) Holiday	dinner	Fairview Methodist Church.	11						18	English Paper Piec- ing	t pm. Call for loca- 1 pm. Call for loca-	tion	25	Merry Christmas			
	Wednesday	M					10	Newsletter deadline,	<u>maggiemueg@aol.com</u>	Basic 9- noon, call for location	Small Wonders,	1 pm. DBRL	17				24		31		
してい	Tuesday	7					6						16	Bonne Femme book aroun luncheon		Modern Quilt , 6:30 pm, DBRL	23		30		
_	Monday	1	Day chapter Sit and Sew g a.m.	Day chapter meeting	1 p.m.	Fairview Methodist Church, luncheon	00	Board of Directors'	meeting, 6:00 pm, DBRL				15	EZ2B Stitchers, 1 pm	At Quilt 4 U		22		29		
	Sunday						2						14				21		28		

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Notes from the CEO



Exhaustion and exhilaration. That's what I'm sure many of you are feeling now that the quilt show is behind us. Yes, there were moments of frustration, disappointment and panic, but there were more moments of camaraderie, teamwork and the satisfaction of accomplishment.

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank the following people for taking leadership roles in pulling off a successful quilt show: Mary Pilkenton, Donna Puleo, Margaret Muegenburg, Robin Heider, Corinne Remeika, Willie Morris, Mona Stevenson, Sally Russell, Sharon Lawler, Jackie Berry, Linda Karns, Pat Hilderbrand, Maria DeLamatre, Barb Nixon, Dianne Jackson, Carrol Lewis, Ustena Simenson, Diana Fisher, Arlene Swindell and Pat Leistner. Ladies, a job well done.

Board business—Facebook is moving forward and the Board will be testing it out over the next month. The Board approved allowing non-member quilt-related businesses to advertise. Once the rate structure is in place, the cost of ads should help offset the cost of printing and mailing the newsletter. We're also looking for volunteers to participate in the Pioneer Arts at Hain House in Boonville, Missouri, December 6th. Please let Mindy Smith or me know if you are interested in demonstrating quilt making techniques at this event.

Martha Eberhard, CEO



On Saturday, November 8 BTQG participated in the KMOS-TV event at Parkade Center. With the help of Barb Nixon and Virginia Peterson along with some members who shared a few photos we put together a slide show loop of "Who we are". Thanks also to Mindy Smith and Hank Botts who helped set up the space on Friday and to Nancy Antonio, Louise Bequette, Boo! Kula, Willie Morris, and Margaret Muegenburg who took shifts of time to be

there to talk to interested visitors. We distributed information about the guild and our quilt show as well as gave visitors a visual sample of our skills. Many of our members came by to say hello.

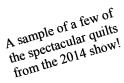
Thanks to all who helped, Bettina Havig, Vice-CEO



Bettina Havig



Louise Bequette Willie Morris











Page 5 BTQG Newsletter December 2014 \bigstar ☆ Memories from the Past, Visions for the Future Quilt Show Update \bigstar ☆ \bigstar \bigstar Final details about this year's quilt show are not completed as of this draft, but Mary and I wanted to ☆ ☆ provide a brief summary of this year's quilt show. More information will be provided during the Day \bigstar \bigstar Chapter and Starlight Chapter meetings. Please know the show was a success by all accounts. \bigstar ☆ ★ Despite the weather, we had a good steady crowd attend the quilt show. Even with the bitter tempera- \bigstar ★ tures and snow falling, our attendance on Sunday seemed to surpass Saturday. Attendees voted Lauri ★ Murphy's "Exploding Star" viewer's choice for the large quilt category and Jackie Berry's "Nana's Little ☆ $\frac{1}{2}$ Angel??" for the small quilt category. Congratulations to both of our talented Guild $\frac{1}{2}$ ☆ members! ☆ ☆ ☆ \star A huge amount of thanks and round of applause goes out to all of the committee ☆ \star chairs, guild members, friends, and family members that helped put up and tear down ☆ st the quilt show. And everything in between! This year's committee chairs were phe-☆ \star nomenal, cooperative and just a great bunch of people! It was fascinating to watch the ☆ ★ teamwork of everyone involved. Most of our attendees heard about the show by guild \star members so thanks to everyone that spread the word. ☆ ☆ $\stackrel{\frown}{\sim}$ Happy quilting! ☆ ☆ ☆ Mary Pilkenton and Donna Puleo ☆









Memories of the Past, Visions of the Future November 15—16, 2014



Viewer's Choice Winner Lauri Murphy Exploding Star

















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The best gifts in life will Never be found under a Christmas tree! Those gifts Are friends, family, kids and the one you love!

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Fairview United Methodist Church Bring a Quilt for Show and Tell



Day Chapter Monday, December 1, 2014

9–1 Sit and Sew 1:00 pm Luncheon and Festivities

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