



# Quilt-A-Gram



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## BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



### Starlight Piecemakers' Chapter Meeting

Thursday, January 8, 2015

Doors Open at 6 pm

Program begins at 7:00 PM

Fairview Methodist Church



### Day Chapter

Monday, January 5, 2015

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

### How to Make an American Quilt



I'm hoping everyone enjoyed the holiday season and you're ready to kick back, relax, and come to our "movie night" to watch: How to Make an American Quilt. The movie is about bride-to-be, Finn

Dodd, as she hears tales of romance and sorrow from her elders as they construct a quilt. Winona Ryder plays the role of Finn, with other cast members, Ellen Burstyn, Anne Bancroft, and Kate Capshaw. 1995 · Coming of Age/Drama · 1h 57m. Popcorn & Milk Duds will be available, please bring whatever drink you prefer.

*Sally Russell  
Starlight Chapter President*

### Upcoming Meetings

What a great quilt show we had several weeks ago.



What will you be quilting next year? New projects and/or UFOs? How many, if any UFOs do you have? At what stage have you stopped? Blocks cut? Blocks done? Top made? Needs quilting? Tastes

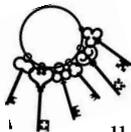
changed? Needs binding? Needs help? Wish some would go away?

Boo! Kula will you share your findings in the January program. Bring some to share with us.

The March program "Sixty Degrees of Inspiration: Hexagons, diamonds, triangles and more" by Kelly Ashton will feature the 60 degree family with a workshop, "Sewing Y Seams", will be held from 9 am to 12 noon. She will have templates for sale also.

Please mark your calendar for this opportunity to learn some new skills.

Louise Bequette  
Day Chapter President



**Guild Keys:** I'm taking an inventory of all keys that belong to the guild (church, library cabinets, storage units, etc.) Please send me a note if you have a guild key, what the key number is, and what it is used for.

Thanks, Martha Eberhard CEO  
marthaberhard@hotmail.com



### *American Patchwork & Quilting Magazine Tips:*

*Time-saver tip from Bill Kerr & Weeks Ringle:*

*"Make a sample block and look at it from 10 feet away before you cut up the rest of your fabric."*

*Avis Shirer's tip:*

*"I blanket-stitch around fused appliques after layering the quilt top, batting, and backing so I am quilting and appliquéing at the same time".*

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**Weather Alert:** As winter moves into Columbia please be cognizant that the weather conditions may prompt the cancelling of a BTQG meeting for the day guild or the evening guild. When the Columbia Public Schools announce a snow-closing, then both meetings will be cancelled.  
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<b>TREASURER'S REPORT</b>	
Submitted by Maria DeLamatre As of December 8, 2014	
Checking Acct. Balance	\$23,956.40
Money Market Account	1,033.86
CDs (2)	10,851.02
<b>Total Combine Balance</b>	<b>\$35,841.28</b>
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Number of Members 12/8/2014	149
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Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$ 8,955.19
FYTD Income	22,914.55
FYTD Expenses	<b>7,913.34</b>
Current Checking Acct. Bal.	\$23,956.40

**Motions for Dec. 8, 2014**

BTQG Board should record all motions and results taken by the board in the minutes. Motion passed.

BTQG Board should accept Mindy Smith and Donna Puleo as Co-chairs for the 2016 quilt show. Motion passed.



<b>Renewals, New Members and Address Change</b>		
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<p>Newsletter deadline is the Wednesday after the Executive Board Meeting at 6:30 pm, of each month.  <b>E-mail items to: <a href="mailto:maggiemueg@aol.com">maggiemueg@aol.com</a>. <a href="mailto:BTQGfeb1978@yahoo.com">BTQGfeb1978@yahoo.com</a></b></p>		<p>Raeann Lenzini 108B James Street Macon MO 63552</p>



# January

2015

Reminder...if the Columbia Public schools are closed our chapter meeting on that day is cancelled.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	<b>Day chapter Sit and Sew</b> 9 a.m. <b>Day chapter meeting,</b> 1 p.m. Fairview Methodist Church			<b>Starlight Chapter meeting,</b> 7 pm (building open at 6 p.m.) Fairview Methodist Church. <b>Sassy Stitchers,</b> 9:30-11:30 am At DBRL		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	<b>Board of Directors' meeting,</b> 6:00 pm, DBRL		<b>Newsletter deadline,</b> 5 pm <a href="mailto:maggie-mueg@aol.com">maggie-mueg@aol.com</a> <b>Small Wonders,</b> 1 pm. DBRL	<b>English Paper Piecing,</b> 1 pm. Call for location		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	<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>Redwork,</b> 9 am		
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
		<b>Charm group</b> 1pm at Kay Shoner's 3850 Bethel St.	<b>Basic Quilting</b> 9-12, call for location			
				<b>Mystery Quilt begins this month.</b>	Groups not shown are not meeting this month.	

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### Notes from the CEO



#### Garage Sale

There has been a lot of discussion and interest in having another guild garage sale, and in making this a bi-annual event in years opposite the quilt show. If so, that means we need to start planning for the 2015 garage sale. This is a fantastic opportunity for members to recycle items that may be of interest to others and to sell leftover items from the quilt show Marketplace.

A little history here—the last garage sale was October 2009. Yes, it’s really been five years since our last garage sale! The most recent sale was chaired by Jackie Berry and Jan Oehrle, and held at Christ Gray’s shop. It was a 2-day event and earned a profit of \$2,500. Prior that one washeld in April 2008 at Trinity Presbyterian Church, again chaired by Jackie Berry and Becky Covington. This was a 1-day event with a profit of \$1,157.

To get started, we need a volunteer (or two) to chair the 2015 garage sale. To make things a little easier, we may have already secured a location for the sale. Wouldn’t it be wonderful to have two consecutive years of successful fund raising events—the 2014 quilt show and the 2015 garage sale? Please let me know if you are interested in leading this endeavor. It should be lots of fun!

#### Service Projects

Welcome to the New Year!!! I want to thank you all for your hard work in 2014 making over 100 service quilts. We currently have many beautiful quilt tops that are waiting for someone to quilt them. We will have them ready for you, along with quilt top kits, at both the day and evening guild meetings. I wish you all a wonderful 2015!

Lauri Rich

#### The Bonne Femme Quilt Book Group



The Bonne Femme Quilt Book Group will meet on Tuesday, January 20 from 1-3 pm at DBRL. The selection for January is *A Quilt for Christmas* by Sandra Dallas.

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

The Boone Femme Book Group’s upcoming selections are the following:



February, *Sarah’s Quilt, A novel of Sarah Agnes Prine and the AZ Territory* by Nancy E. Turner.



March, *Wedding Ring* by Emilie Richard.



April, *Quilt as Desired* by Arlene Sachitano

#### BTQG Gigantic Library



Ladies, the BTQG is over flowing with hundreds of books related to quilting and now you can check out templates to make your complete your quilt in a flash. On the BTQG web site, [btqg.missouri.org](http://btqg.missouri.org) you will find the long list indicating the author and the subject of the books. At the library table you will find the list of books and things to help you decide what you need. Don’t be shy....take as many as you would like to spur your quilting creative juices.

Hank Botts and Robin Heider  
BTQG Librarians



**Memories from the Past, Visions for the Future Quilt Show Update**

Our November Quilt Show was a success! Around 170 quilts were displayed. About 34% of our members entered quilts. The BTQG website shows many of the quilts courtesy of Virginia Peterson and Willie Morris. Despite the cold and snowy weather, 290 attended. We were amazed at the volunteers who just showed up to set up and take down the show. 53% of our members volunteered sometime during the show. Our Guild really pulled together to make this Quilt Show a success! Thank you for everything that you did!

Our financial figures are not complete at this time, but here are some preliminary numbers. Marketplace had gross sales of about \$6,000 with a number of consignments still to be paid. Silent Auction reported a net profit of \$1,600 but this could change. \$456 in tickets were sold for the Raffle Quilt. Dawn Heston of Columbia was the lucky winner. We estimate that this show will have a net profit of at least \$6,000, which is comparable to recent shows. A complete financial statement will be compiled as soon as figures become available.



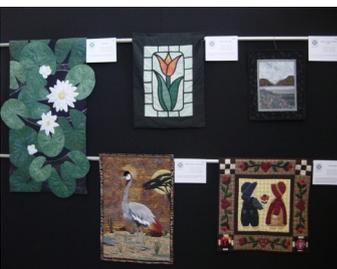
The Quilt Show committee held a wrap-up meeting the week after the show. Each committee will be writing up a report for a 2014 Quilt Show notebook. An inventory list for items in the storage unit is being updated. Thanks to Carrol Lewis for the use of their facility.

Planning will start soon for the 2016 quilt show. As the Chair is announced for that show please step forward again to make our next show as beautiful and successful as the 2014!

Donna Puleo and Mary Pilkenton  
2014 BTQG Quilt Show Co-chairs

**THANKS TO ALL WHO HELPED SET UP PIPES FOR THE QUILT SHOW**

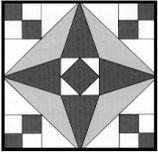
Here is a huge thank you to the 20-some people who helped clean pipes and get them upright and into rows for the quilt show. Another huge thank you goes to the 20-some people who helped to disassemble the pipes and ready them for storage after the show. Those who knew what to do from previous quilt shows were a tremendous model for the new comers to this process!



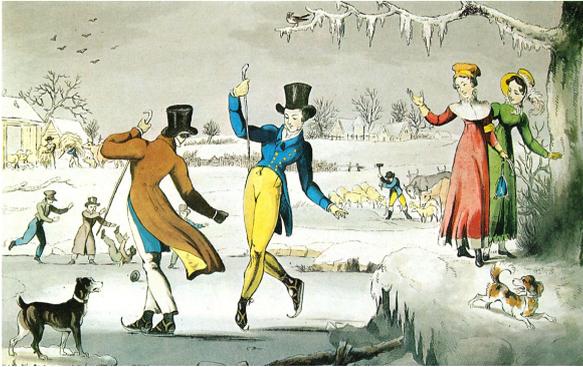
Special thanks go to those who loaned ladders and to Willie Morris, Carrol Lewis, Alice Leeper, Ustena Simenson and the young men that she recruited to help, Marilyn Wooldridge and her husband, Mary Pilkenton and her husband, Hank Botts and her husband, and to my husband as well. Sally Russell and Linda Karns did a marvelous job marking the rows and designating pipe lengths needed in each row.

Jackie Berry helped significantly, especially when some snags arose during the set up. I am so thankful for all of you who helped with the set up and take down of pipes for the quilt show.

Sharon Lawler, PVC pipe set-up chairperson



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*For last year's words belong to last year's language  
And next year's words await a new voice.  
And to make an ending is to make a beginning.*

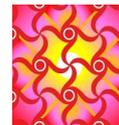
*T.S. Eliot, "Little Gidding"*

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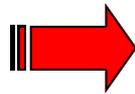
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| Jane Decker    | Jan 11 |
| Kathryn Jones  | Jan 16 |
| Twyla Bennett  | Jan 17 |
| Susan Ferrugia | Jan 17 |
| Jackie Pruneau | Jan 17 |
| Hank Botts     | Jan 20 |
| Janet Sapp     | Jan 20 |
| Brenda Austin  | Jan 21 |
| Marsha Aitken  | Jan 28 |
| Peggy Queathem | Jan 31 |
| Marjory Hicks  | Jan 31 |



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Quilt meetings will be cancelled if weather and road conditions are not safe.



**BTQG is on the Web**  
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**Our Meeting Place**  
Fairview United Methodist Church  
3200 Chapel Hill Road  
Columbia, MO 65203