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BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



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

Thursday, November 6, 2014 Doors Open at 6 pm Meeting and Program begin at 7:00 PM Fairview Methodist Church

Quilt Show Preparations November Meeting

Thanks to all of you that brought such delicious and eerie treats to our last meeting with Mary Barile as our speaker. It's amazing how stories are told and how it can influence others to speak up and tell some of their deepest darkest secrets. I believe it was fun for all.

November's meeting will be a sit & sew, bring your projects to be finished for the quilt show, Christmas etc., you may also want to bring something for others to work on when hands are idle like helping put on sleeves & binding. We will be available to help with signage, posters, etc., as long as you bring along the needed supplies. This meeting is designed to mingle and visit within our group. Mindy & I will supply drinks and snacks.

December's meeting will be a catered dinner and the cost will only be \$5 for each person that attends. I would like an estimate of those that will be coming, so please e-mail me at <u>srussell4@gmail.com</u> if you are planning to join us. Also, it would be nice if you could mail me your \$5.00 (including your name) to:

> Sally Russell \$5.00 for Christmas Dinner (cash or check) 4305 Needham Ct. Columbia, MO 65203

When choosing fabrics for quilts, Cindy Taylor Oates suggests, "When designing, I begin with beautiful fabric and a great color scheme." While Amy Butler says "I begin by thinking about the scale of my blocks and the overall design." American Patchwork & Quilting April 2009 issue.

> Sally Russell, Starlight Chapter President



Day Chapter

Monday, November 3, 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

Inherited and Purchased Quilts, Quilt Tops and Block Presented by Shirley Troth

Happy Autumn, Quilters!

For our November meeting, Shirley Troth will be talking about Inherited and Purchased Quilts, Quilt Tops and Blocks. Please bring 2 or 3 of *your* inherited quilts or blocks, finished or unfinished to share with us.

Sit and sew is at the regular time, and you might want to use that time to put sleeves or labels on your quilt for the quilt show if you haven't already. Quilt show volunteers are still needed. There will be sign up sheets at the meeting.

> Kaye Mallory, Day Chapter President



Booneslick Trail Quilters Guild will participate in the KMOS Create Expo Saturday November 8 at Parkside Plaza. We will have a quilt

on display and be demonstrating the skills of quilt making. Our goal is to promote the guild and it's advantages and perhaps add new members to our ranks. The Expo is from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. Please plan to stop by and see us and the rest of the Create Expo displays. Many of them will be demonstrating skills and/or selling products.

This will be a golden opportunity to promote the quilt show. Let's all pitch in to make the quilt show one that will astound the people we meet on November 8.

Bettina Havig, Vice-CEO



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Bonne Femme Book group will meet on Tuesday November 18 at the Library from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. The November selection with be A SINGLE THREAD by Marie Bostwick. In December the book group will enjoy a holiday luncheon at a local restaurant. We would enjoy having your recommendations for upcoming gatherings with you joining us. All guild members are welcome. Please contact Bettina Havig regarding the group at 573-449-1602 or bettinaqc@socket.net.

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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 November 2014

Submitted by Maria DeLamatre As of October 13, 2014			
Checking Acct. Balance	\$14,759.71		
Savings	1,033.84		
CDs (2)	10,849.24		
Total Combine Balance	\$26,642.79		
Number of Members 10/13/14	142		
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$ 8,955.19		
FYTD Income	8,893.00		
FYTD Expenses	3,088.48		
Current Checking Acct. Bal.	\$14,759.71		

New Membership, Renewals and Changes Write in your Membership Booklet these additions Change: Diane Fischer DLEEFISCH@gmail.com **New Members:** Dulle, Kimberly A. 1208 Valley View Moberly, Missouri 65270 kimdulle@yahoo.com February 4 Ferguson, Maxine (Micki) Fay 5150 W. Brazos Drive Columbia, Missouri 65203 mfferguson1951@outlook.com December 28 Blevins, Michelle Blevinsmm@umsystem.edu May 6 **Renewals:** Ackeney, Nancy man4201@yahoo.com 2/4 4201 Brentwood Drive Columbia 65203 Bennett, Twyla terrylee@centurytel.net 1/17 14902 Cee West Drive Ashland 65010 Hilderbrand, Pat hilderbrand@missouri.edu 11/2 305 W. Parkway Drive Columbia 65203 Simenson, Ustena ustenashair@gmail.com 12/27 2217 S. Grace Ellen Dr. Columbia 65202 Snyder, Karin 4/72400 Ridgemont Columbia 65203

Motions from the October 13, 2014 Board Meeting

A motion to have BTQG participate in the Holiday Craft Bazaar at Our Lady of Lourdes Church on Saturday, November 29, 2014 to sell Marketplace items which don't sell at the quilt show. Motion passed.

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

Its just a few short weeks before the Quilt Show . . .

We are so grateful for our wonderful Quilt Show committee whose members include Margaret Muegenburg, Robin Heider, Corinne Remeika, Willie Morris, Martha Eberhard, Mona Stevenson, Sally Russell, Sharon Lawler, Linda Karns, Carrol Lewis, Ustena Simenson, Diana Fischer, Arlene Swindell, Pat Leistner and Dianne Jackson. Many more have worked tirelessly behind the scenes on Marketplace items. And we can't forget your quilts!

There are still some slots open to volunteer at the November meetings. You'll receive a reminder slip for the times you volunteer. Members who work on the guilt show will receive one complimentary admission ticket. We're not planning to print tickets but vour name will be on a volunteer list. We are asking, if you are able, please park on Chapel Ridge Road on the other side of the cedar trees behind the church and enter from the second level, to allow more space for our visitors.

Quilt Show t-shirts can be picked up at the November meetings as well as quilt raffle tickets to sell before the show. Also, bring along items for the Marketplace and Silent Auction.

Bring in your quilts on Friday morning, November 14, between 8 am and 12 noon with their four inch sleeves and the guilt label attached on the bottom left corner of your quilt. Also, bring along props for the show, with your name marked on them.

Please continue to promote the quilt show through your social media contacts. Tell your friends about it, what you're doing for the show and invite them! Be sure to tell them we will have lots of items that would make great Christmas gifts! We hope you picked up some book marks and small posters to post on friendly bulletin boards with permission.

You are welcome to contact us with any guestions! Donna Puleo, Quilt Show Co-Chair, 446-1077, puleod@missouri.edu Mary Pilkenton, Quilt Show Co-Chair, 442-2416, bushe@tranguility.net



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Quilt Show Decorating

Since our show location this year will have space limitations, decorations will be scaled back. We don't want to place too many items on the row ends or in other areas that will impede traffic flow and be a tripping hazard. We will, however, still need a few items to dress up the show and enhance the quilt display. These items might include the following:

Seasonal floral arrangements (artificial) Small tables Nonbreakable seasonal items (scarecrows, artificial pumpkins, etc.)

Small plant stands Children's chairs



If you are willing to loan an item or two, please bring them to the church when you bring your quilts for display. After the quilts are hung, we will work in as many items as we can within safety limits. Please make sure your items are securely labeled with your name so that there is no confusion at the end of the show. You may pick up your decorations when you pick up your quilts. Thanks for your help.

Mona Stevenson, Decorations Committee



Guild related or sponsored activities are included in the Master Calendar. Interest groups that are currently closed are noted with ‡‡. For additional information call the contact person listed. New interest groups may be formed at any time. Please contact Vice CEO, Bettina Havig, 449-1602, bettinaqc@socket.net

BOARD AND CHAPTER EVENTS					
Date	Time	Event	Place & Contact		
3 Nov.	9:00 AM	Day Chapter "Sit and Sew"	Fairview United Methodist Church Kaye Mallory 660-349-5128		
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6 Nov.	7:00 PM	Starlight Piecemakers Doors open 6:00 to sew, visit, eat	Fairview United Methodist Church Sally Russell 573-443-5479		
10 Nov.	6:30 PM	Board of Directors Meeting	DBRL Martha Eberhard 573-356-0311		
12 Nov.	5:00 PM	Newsletter Deadline	Margaret Muegenburg 573-234-7313 maggiemueg@aol.com		
SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS					
18 Nov.	1-3 PM	Bonne Femme Book group	DBRL Rm A Bettina Havig 573-449-1602		
12 Nov.	10:00 AM	Small WondersNew Group	DBRL Karon Huggler 443-7410		
13 Nov.	9:30- 11:30AM	Sassy Stitchers (Day Appliqué)	DBRL Rm A Donna Burris 474-4338		
19 Nov.	9:00 a.m noon	Basic Quilting	For location call Corinne Remeika, 449-7574		
17 Nov.	1:00 PM	EZ2B Stitchers (Handmade Quilts)	at Quilt 4 U Linda Sandlin 814-1629		
20 Nov.	9:00 AM	English Paper Piecing	For location contact Joan Westcott 874-8160		
17 Nov.	6:30 PM	Modern Quilt Interest Group At DBRL Rm B	Margaret Muegenburg 573-234-7313 maggiemueg@aol.com		
monthly	By email	Mystery Quilt #6 TBA	Cecile Mazan cemma- zan@gmail.com		
##CLOSED SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS					
???	2:00 PM	‡‡Innovators	Joan Westcott 874-8160		
No meeting	9:00 AM	‡‡Red Work	Myrna Powers 573-445-0766		
25 Nov.	1:00 PM	‡‡ Charm Group	Lauri Murphy 446-2476		

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Notes from the CEO



As of October 13th we are 142 members strong and growing. Membership books were available at the October chapter meetings and will be available at the November chapter meetings. If you do not find a book with name (or a fellow quilter's name) then it means we have not received your registration form. The good news is, it's not too late. Just pick up a registration form at the membership table or print from the BTQG website.

The board is continuing our discussion on the benefits of participating in social media, such as Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Pinterest, just to name a few. Our initial focus will be on Facebook and Pinterest. Mindy Smith and Kaye Mallory are hard at work talking to other guilds about their experience with social media and will be developing social medical protocol for our guild. We anticipate creating a new position, such as a Social Media Chairperson, to oversee this area. Please share your thoughts or concerns with Mindy or Kaye so they can take it into consideration.

Lastly, one of the key benefits of being a BTQG member is the use of the guild's extensive library, but our library has gotten so large that we are busting at the seams. One solution would be to permanently remove books from circulation, but this would make the books very sad. Or, if every member would check out at least one book each month, then we could free up space to keep all of our books very happy. My challenge to you is—take a book home, touch it, love it, talk about it, then bring it back.



Monique with Joyce Campbell and Nancy Gentzsch discussing color selection for a quilt.

Summary of Monique Dillard's Presentation and Workshops

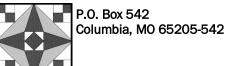
Monique Dillard of Rockford, Illinois, presented a lecture and trunk show on Thursday evening, September 25; an all-day class on September 26; and a Saturday morning class on September 27 to allow our employed BTQG members an opportunity to take one of her classes. Instruction included techniques for accuracy in cutting, piecing, pressing, and a demonstration of how to choose fabric colors to blend together into a project. Class participants received personal help while piecing some blocks from two of her patterns: "Victoria Rose" on Friday and "67 Rambler" on Saturday.

Thursday night attendance was around 45 BTQG members and 4 guests from Mexico's quilt guild. Monique's presentation and trunk show of 50 quilts was well received as were both of her classes. Friday's class fee was \$35, and 11 BTQG members attended. Saturday's class fee was \$20, and 10 BTQG members attended. Students enjoyed their time with the instructor and started some beautiful projects under her guidance.

Expenses totaled \$1600.80. Class fees collected were \$585.00. This left final cost to guild of \$1015.80 after class fees are subtracted from the expenses. The Special Program budgeted ceiling was \$2000. Breakdown of expenses: 2 nights at La Quinta \$191.36; speaker fees \$900.00; speakers mileage \$448.44; and \$61.00 for Monique's meals and for registration forms and class supply lists. No rent or room set-up fee was charged because the events were all held at Masonic Complex.

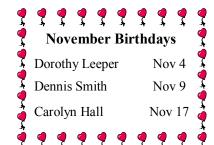
Evaluations by class participants were as follows, with highest rating possible being 55 points. The instruc-I tion and information was good = 55 points. The room had plenty of light and electrical outlets = 53 points. The location (Masonic Complex) for the workshop was good = 54 points. I would have attended even if this were an MU home-game weekend = 51 (only marked down by one attendee who explained that she has season tickets). Lunch choices were adequate = 52 points.

Reported by Sharon Lawler, Vice CEO during 2012-2013.





When life gives you scraps..... make a quilt!!





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Day Chapter Monday, November 3, 2014

9–1 Sit and Sew 12 noon Lunch 1–Business Meeting and Program Fairview United Methodist Church Bring a Quilt for Show and Tell



Booneslick Trail Quilt Guild Quilt Show

Memories from the Past, Visions for the Future

November 15 and 16

Share the good news about the Show with family and friends!

BTQG is on the Web HTTP://BTQG.MISSOURI.ORG

Our Meeting Place

Fairview United Methodist Church 3200 Chapel Hill Road Columbia, MO 65203