

# Quilt-A-Gram



Margaret E. Muegenburg, Editor:

## BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



### Starlight Piecemakers' Chapter Meeting

**Thursday, September 4, 2014**

**Doors Open at 6 pm  
Meeting and Program begin at 7:00 PM  
Fairview Methodist Church**

### Jane Coons with EQ-7

Hello, BTQG Chicks! As you know, we are thrilled to have Jane Coons for our Starlight program on September 4 to teach us about EQ-7. We are all looking forward to her presentation and trunk show.....and.....we are also all looking forward to being convinced that we, too, can do EQ-7!

THEN.....for our October Starlight, get out your Halloween, Thanksgiving and Harvest quilts and quilt projects because my dear friend, Mary Barile, will be with us to tell us ghost stories about the Missouri Heartland. Mary was born and raised in New York but has earned the right to call herself a Midwesterner. She completed her doctorate in theater at the University of Missouri and is a teacher and author with interests in history and the textile arts. Mary is the author of several books, including, "The Haunted Boonslick: Ghosts, Ghouls and Monsters of Missouri's Heartland" and "Hooked Rugs of the Midwest: A Handcrafted History." She is a founding member of the Baa Baa Boonville Rug Hookers, which sponsors the best Halloween hook-in this side of the Mississippi River. Mary will bring along copies of her books.

SO.....if you have a great Halloween costume, wear that thing! Also, we will have a little Halloween reception for Mary, so if you have a recipe to bring along of some Thanksgiving or spooky Halloween treats, please send me a note ([mindy@missouri.edu](mailto:mindy@missouri.edu)) and let me know. We are all pretty scary, so it will be quite a fun Halloween party!.....

Mindy Smith  
Starlight Program Chair



### Day Chapter

**Monday, September 8, 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**

### Jackie Berry Trunk Show

Last month's presentation with Millie and Wendy from Appletree was a great success! I got a lot of ideas from them. We also raised \$101 towards our sit and sew rent for the upcoming year - rather than splitting the quilt raffle funds 50/50 as planned, Millie generously donated the entire amount to us.

For our September meeting, Jackie Berry will be presenting a trunk show of her beautiful art quilts based on her own photography.

There will be marketplace kits available to work on during sit and sew if you'd like to sew for the upcoming quilt show. This is our major fundraiser for the guild and all help is appreciated.

I'd like to ask for a little assistance for Jackie's presentation - we need a few volunteers to put curtains up over the windows for her power point part of the lecture. We also need someone on hand who knows how to set up the projector just in case we can't get it hooked up properly. Thank you in advance.

See you on September 8th (not on Labor Day!).

Kaye Mallory,  
Day Chapter President

**Bonne Femme Book** group will meet on Tuesday, September 16, 1:00 pm at DBRL. The September selection is *A PIECE OF JUSTICE* by Jill Paton Walsh. The October selection is *THE INVENTION OF WINGS* by Sue Monk Kidd. All guild members are welcome.





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<b>TREASURER'S REPORT</b>	
Submitted by Maria DeLamatre	
Checking Acct. Balance	\$11,471.48
Savings	1,033.82
CDs (2)	10,847.45
Total Combine Balance	\$23,352.75
Number of Members 6/30/14	117
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$ 8,955.19
FYTD Income	2,9100.00
FYTD Expenses	393.71
Current Checking Acct. Bal.	\$11,471.48

### **Basic Quilting Interest Group**

The Basic Quilting Interest Group is for any guild member who wants to learn more about the basics of quilting techniques to enhance the accuracy, beauty, and durability of her quilting. It's also to improve her efficiency and increase her pleasure in cutting, measuring, sewing, pressing, and trimming blocks, sashing, borders, and binding. We currently meet once a month at my home either the third or fourth Wednesday morning of the month from 9 a.m. – noon. It is an informal group. I suggest a topic for the next session; members work on a sample using one of my machines (or bring their own portable one) and/or we discuss questions brought up by members related to a project any of them are working on. There is sharing of experience, knowledge of resources, ideas by members. We can bring in other experienced members to explain and demonstrate how to do some technique as the group desires. So far, usually 3-4 members attend. If we reach our maximum of 8 (which has to do with space and time to address each person's questions), we will seek a Guild member who is willing to form an additional group of this nature. Please contact me, Corinne Remeika, for more information if you are planning to attend: 573-449-7574.

- ⊞ Ozark Piecemakers Quilt Show 'Celebrate Quilting'
- ⊞ Springfield Expo Center
- ⊞ Sept 18-20 Thursday & Friday 9 am-5 pm Saturday 9 am-4 pm
- ⊞ Tickets: Advance \$5.00 General Admission \$6.00
- ⊞ [opqgshow.com/show-me-missouri](http://opqgshow.com/show-me-missouri)
- ⊞ Calhoun County Quilt and Church Tour October 17 & 18 9 am—4 pm
- ⊞ In the villages of Brussels, Hamburg, Hardin, and Kampsville.
- ⊞ Tickets: Advance \$8.00 At the door \$12.00
- ⊞ Information and to buy tickets: 618-232-1268
- ⊞ [QuiltsOfCalhounCounty@gmail.com](mailto:QuiltsOfCalhounCounty@gmail.com)
- ⊞ "Look What We Made" November 14 & 15 9 am—6 pm
- ⊞ Abdallah Shrine Temple Overland Park, Kansas
- ⊞ [starlightquiltersguildkc@gmail.com](mailto:starlightquiltersguildkc@gmail.com)

Newsletter deadline is the Wednesday after the Executive Board Meeting at 6:30 pm, of each month. **E-mail items to: [maggiemueg@aol.com](mailto:maggiemueg@aol.com)**

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

Volunteer sign-up sheets will be available at the September meetings and we will start taking quilt entries, too. So work on your quilts! Be sure to remember they will need a sleeve for hanging. Deadline for accepting entries will be October 24. Its been fun to see and hear about the exchange block quilts that have been completed, plus all the other quilts that are coming to the quilt show. About 20 challenge quilts (*Mom's Favorites*) are expected. Thanks to Sally Russell for designing the layout for the show.

The raffle quilt top has been put together and is being quilted. We still need help with someone to manage the raffle tickets as well as print raffle and admission tickets. This is your chance to pitch in to help!

Marketplace welcomes more aprons, place mat/napkin sets, a few tea cozies, more table toppers and runners, and tea towels—especially Christmas and winter themed ones.

You're encouraged to use your social media contacts to promote the quilt show. Tell your friends about it, what you're doing for the show and invite them!

You are welcome to contact Donna or me with any questions!

Donna Puleo, Quilt Show Co-Chair, 446-1077, [puleod@missouri.edu](mailto:puleod@missouri.edu)  
 Mary Pilkenton, Quilt Show Co-Chair, 442-2416, [bushe@tranquility.net](mailto:bushe@tranquility.net)



**SPECIAL SPEAKER AND WORKSHOP PRESENTER COMING SEPTEMBER 25 THROUGH 27**

Monique Dillard is the Guild's 2014 special speaker and workshop presenter. All 3 events are at the Masonic Complex, 3 miles north of the I-70 and Hwy 63 intersection. The address is 6033 North Masonic Drive, off of Hwy 63 at the Prathersville exit. See directions and map in August's newsletter.

Everyone is welcome, so invite friends to Thursday's lecture and also to either of the classes.

- Thursday, September 25: Lecture and trunk show begins at 7:00 p.m.
- Friday, September 26: "Victoria Rose" class is 8:30 to 3:30 and includes tips on block accuracy.
- Saturday, September 27: "67 Rambler" class is 9:00 to 12:00 and includes tips on color selection in planning quilt tops and including tips on maintaining accuracy in cutting, sewing, and pressing.
- Purchase the \$8.00 pattern needed for each class on the morning of the class or at her lecture.

Mail your registration and check to Sharon Lawler, 9790 E Mt Zion Church Rd, Hallsville MO 65255.

On September 1<sup>st</sup>, registration is opened to non-BTQG people. So hurry. Class limit is 25.

Registrant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Registrant's Phone and Email: \_\_\_\_\_

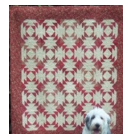
(or mailing address):

- \_\_\_\_\_ Friday class fee = \$35.00 for BTQG members; \$45.00 for general public.  
 Separate check for each class, please, and payable to BTQG
- \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday class fee = \$20.00 for BTQG members; \$30.00 for general public.  
**Separate check for each class, please, and payable to BTQG**

- \_\_\_\_\_ I might be interested in the Fit to Be Geese ruler (\$15) and/or Mini Fit to Be Geese ruler (\$12).  
 Payable to Monique Dillard on Friday for the "Victoria Rose" class.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I might be interested in a catered lunch sandwich or salad from Italian Village on  
 Friday, payable on the day of the class. See [www.italianvillage.com](http://www.italianvillage.com) for menu and prices.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday, payable on the day of the class. Most lunch choices are under \$10.00.



VICTORIA ROSE



'67 RAMBLER



# September 2014

**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](mailto:bettinaqc@socket.net)

## **BOARD AND CHAPTER EVENTS**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Place &amp; Contact</b>
8 Sept	9:00 AM	Day Chapter —"Sit and Sew"	Fairview United Methodist Church Kaye Mallory 660-349-5128
8 Sept	1:00 PM	<b>Day Chapter Meeting</b>	Fairview United Methodist Church Kaye Mallory 660-349-5128
4 Sept	7:00 PM	<b>Starlight Piecemakers</b> Doors open 6:00 to sew, visit, eat	Fairview United Methodist Church Sally Russell 573-443-5479
8 Sept	6:30 PM	Board of Directors Meeting	at ReMax/Boone Reality Martha Eberhard 573-356-0311
10 Sept	5:00 PM	<b>Newsletter Deadline</b>	Margaret Muegenburg 573-234-7313 <a href="mailto:maggiemueg@aol.com">maggiemueg@aol.com</a>

## **SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS**

16 Sept	1-3 PM	Bonne Femme Book group	DBRL Bettina Havig 573-449-1602
10 Sept	10:00 AM	Small Wonders--New Group	at Oasis Karon Huggler 443-7410
11 Sept	9:30-11:30AM	Sassy Stitchers (Day Appliqué)	at DBRL conf. A (library) Donna Burris 474-4338
17 Sept.	9:00 a.m.-noon	Basic Quilting	For location call Corinne Remeika, 449-7574
22 Sept	1:00 PM	EZ2B Stitchers (Handmade Quilts)	at Quilt 4 U Linda Sandlin 814-1629
18 Sept	9:00 AM	English Paper Piecing	For location, contact Joan Westcott 874-8160
monthly	By email	Mystery Quilt #5 begins Aug.	Cecile Mazan <a href="mailto:cemma-zan@gmail.com">cemmazan@gmail.com</a>

## **‡‡CLOSED SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS**

15 Sept	2:00 PM	‡‡Innovators	Joan Westcott 874-8160
25 Sept	9:00 AM	‡‡Red Work	Myrna Powers 573-445-0766
23 Sept	1:00 PM	‡‡ Charm Group	Lauri Murphy 446-2476



## Notes from the CEO



Social media is playing an increased role in our lives, both in a way of connecting with friends and as a way of increasing marketing for nonprofit organizations. The Board of Directors kicked off an initial discussion of the benefits of a BTQG Facebook page. Facebook benefits include an increased exposure to our organization, more traffic to our website, and will bring us new members. Meetings, workshop, special speakers and chapter programs can be advertised at no cost. Members (aka Friends) can share quilt-related information, such as photos, tips and tools, and they can reach out for assistance when they've hit a quilting stumbling block. I have appointed Mindy Smith to research and develop a proposal for a guild Facebook page. Please let us know what you think about this idea. We'd love to hear from you.

Martha Eberhard, BTQG CEO  
marthaeberhard@hotmail.com



### Notes from the Starlight Chair

A huge "Thank You" goes out to all of our quilters that generously donated their time to work on the Marketplace items at the August meeting. Corinne and her committee have already spent several hours getting organized so the Marketplace can be successful at our quilt show. Please don't forget to sign up and volunteer for the show, Donna & Mary have been diligently working to make this show an outstanding one!

We will have the pleasure of Jane Coons attending our September meeting with her trunk show and knowledge of the EQ-7 quilting program. I myself, am an owner of the EQ program....but haven't had any instructions on how to use it. I'm sure Jane will inspire not only me, but many of you with her information on just how the program works.

Tip from the American Patchwork & Quilting Magazine from the April, 2009 issue: "Pressing Dilemma: Seams Open or to One Side?" "I usually press seams to one side so there is a ditch to quilt in. There are instances where pressing seams open is the best alternative, but remember to think about where you want the quilting to be." ~ Jo Morton

Don't forget to sign up for the Quilt Show!!!

Sally Russell, Starlight Chair

### BTQG Board Motions - July 14, 2014

BTQG should adopt the speaker contract as revised. Motion passed.

The registration form for Monique Dillard's special program and workshops be accepted and non-members be allowed to register for her classes after BTQG members have had first opportunity to sign up and that those non-members be charged a ten dollar fee more per class in registration fees. Motion passed.

### Board Motions for August 11, 2014

A Fidelity Bond should not be pursued at this time. Motion passed.

### Modern Quilt Interest Group

Tuesday, September 23 6:30

Daniel Boone Regional Library Room B

The Modern Quilt Interest Group will hold its initial meeting to formulate meeting day, time, and place. We will define what a modern quilt is from the current resources available. Talk about leadership for the group and any other topic that will have an impact on our new group.

**See you there!!!!**



**Monkeying Around**  
**29th Annual BTQG Retreat**  
**March 6-8, 2015**  
**Country Club Hotel & Spa, Lake Ozark, MO**

It's that time again, when BTQG quilters look forward to gathering at our retreat to enjoy sewing, talking, eating, and even occasionally sleeping with dreams of quilting in our heads. This year we will be going back to the same location as last year, the Country Club Hotel & Spa at Lake Ozark, MO, and the layout is large enough that we have opened up our capacity to 60 quilters.

We have lined up teachers for 3 classes---Bettina Havig will teach a technique and skills class in hand quilting, Anna Mary Hughes will offer you the chance to create fabric storage boxes for your quilting magazines and books, and Catherine Duffy will guide you through making a small pillow or wall hanging with a basket and flowers pattern in wool.

The registration form is below and Secret Sister form is included in this newsletter. The forms must be postmarked **on or after September 1, 2014**. More information about the class projects will be at the September chapter meetings.

Meanwhile the retreat committee is busy 'monkeying around' to create a fun weekend for everyone. Hope you will join us.

Anna Mary Hughes, Catherine Duffy, Julia Duffy, Sandy Womack

Monkeying Around  
 March 6, 7, 8, 2015  
**Registration Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to participate in 'Secret Sister?': Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Be sure to complete the form in this newsletter if you are participating in Secret Sister)

Please check the classes you wish to take:

\_\_\_\_\_ "Hand Quilting Skills" - Bettina Havig. Designed to sharpen your quilting skills and Develop good techniques. Sat. 9-12. Pattern provided. Max class size 15.

\_\_\_\_\_ "Fused & Folded Boxes" - Anna Mary Hughes. Cute fabric boxes for magazines or books. Sat. 2-5. \$8 pattern purchase in class. Max class size 12.

\_\_\_\_\_ "Basket of Flowers in Wool" - Catherine Duffy. Small pillow or wall hanging. Fri. eve 7-9. Max class size 12.

Roommate request(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (i.e. vegetarian only, gluten-free, etc.)

ADA-accessible room required? \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Retreat fee: \$170.00** Amount Paid \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Mail this registration form with full or 1/2 (\$85.00) payment on or after September 1, 2014.  
 Remainder due by January 2, 2015

Mail to: Sandy Womack  
 4809 Chilton Court  
 Columbia, MO 65203

## 2014 Quilt Show Entry Form

### Memories from the Past, Visions for the Future

In order to get the program, map insert, and lay-out done in a timely manner, and accurately, our deadline this year is **October 24th (if mailed October 21st)**. SO..... **Start** planning your entries. You must be a paid member to enter a quilt or sponsor a quilt. No quilt may be entered that has been in a BTQG show in the last five years, unless it was voted "Viewer's Choice" in the previous show.

Again this year we **STRONGLY ENCOURAGE** you to type your entry directly into the form on the internet. This will make it much easier to do the labels. It also saves the guild money for printing costs. For those who sincerely shudder and shake at the thought of using the internet, we will be happy to accept the hand-written forms. For anyone who is submitting entries by hand, you will also need to fill in your claim check, except the areas marked "to be assigned". If you do on-line, the computer will fill in the claim check for you. It is quick and easy to do.

**TO DO ON-LINE REGISTRATION**, you need to know the information from the registration form, especially width and height (IN INCHES).

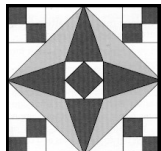
1. Go to the BTQG website (<http://btqg.missouri.org>) and click on For Entry Forms Click **Here**.
2. On the next page select Click here to enter your quilt online.
3. Read the directions at the top, BUT basically you just click on each entry with your mouse and type. **Be sure you pull down the arrow that says type of entry** in order to choose Challenge, Friendship, Wall hanging, Decorative, etc. EASY.
4. When finished, hit "Submit Quilt."
5. Double check your typing for accuracy.
6. If okay, hit "submit my entry." If not, go back and make corrections.
7. **Print your claim check and label** (all filled out for you) **before proceeding**.
8. Then either click on "Submit another quilt," or hit the red X in the upper right hand corner to close windows.

Note: If you choose "wearable" OR "decorative," identify the item by "decorative type," so that we can make arrangements to exhibit it properly. Then fill in approximate size. Again, there are categories for "challenge quilt" and "education." So if you participated in the challenge or made a quilt or other item in a BTQG sponsored class or in a class taught at a retreat, we would like to display those.

If you do not want to use the online entry form to enter your quilt, forms will be available at the September and October meetings. The form can also be printed from the BTQG website.

I will be at the September and October meetings to answer any questions. If you already know and have finished some of your entries, please submit the forms early. IF you have any questions, you can also call me at 573-445-4217 or email [morrisw@missouri.edu](mailto:morrisw@missouri.edu).

Willie Morris  
573-445-4217  
[morrisw@missouri.edu](mailto:morrisw@missouri.edu)



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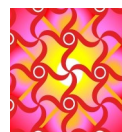
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| Donna Puleo         | Sept 4  |
| Margaret Muegenburg | Sept 4  |
| Libby Luetjen       | Sept 5  |
| Julia Duggy         | Sept 11 |
| Judi Kirkpatrick    | Sept 19 |
| Suzanne Glenn       | Sept 20 |
| Jackie Berry        | Sept 23 |
| Lauri Murphy        | Sept 24 |
| Donna Baker         | Sept 26 |
| Barb Nixon          | Sept 29 |
| Mary Petersen       | Sept 29 |



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Bring a Quilt for Show and Tell



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12 noon Lunch  
1—Business Meeting and Program  
*Jackie Berry—Trunk Show*  
Fairview United Methodist Church  
Bring a Quilt for Show and Tell



**BTQG is on the Web**  
[HTTP://BTQG.MISSOURI.ORG](http://BTQG.MISSOURI.ORG)



**Our Meeting Place**  
Fairview United Methodist Church  
3200 Chapel Hill Road  
Columbia, MO 65203



## Secret Sister Information Form

The Secret Sister activity is optional, but a fun way to get to know one of your quilting sisters better! You will sprinkle your Secret Sister with small gifts throughout the weekend (anonymously, of course). Then one big gift is given on Sunday morning at breakfast, when your identity will be revealed! The final big gift can be something you have made, or something you have purchased. The idea is not to spend a lot of money (try to limit the 'big' gift to \$15 or so), but to give tokens of fun and friendship. Bring your big Sunday gift wrapped with your Secret Sister's name on the outside, and your name on the inside.

Please complete the following questionnaire so your Secret Sister can use this information. You will receive your Secret Sister's name and information in your retreat packet.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sewing/Quilting skill level:

Beginner \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate \_\_\_\_\_ Experienced \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite colors: \_\_\_\_\_ Least favorite colors: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of fabric you like to collect: \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite quilt shops: \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite designer: \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies other than quilting: \_\_\_\_\_

What is your dream destination? \_\_\_\_\_

What was the last book you read? \_\_\_\_\_

I like to collect: \_\_\_\_\_

I like 'nickel squares' (5"x5"):

Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Type of fabric: \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite snacks: \_\_\_\_\_

Food allergies or diet restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite holiday: \_\_\_\_\_

Other guild members who know your likes and dislikes:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Other helpful information: \_\_\_\_\_

Add additional information to the back of this form, if necessary.

If you have any questions regarding the Secret Sister activity, please contact:

Anna Mary Hughes: [clhamh@centurytel.net](mailto:clhamh@centurytel.net)  
Sandy Womack: [sandy65203@mchsi.com](mailto:sandy65203@mchsi.com)