

Booneslick Trail Quilters' Guild



Quilt-A-Gram



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Starlight Piecemakers' Chapter Meeting

Thursday, September 3, 2015

Doors open at 6:00 PM

Program begins at 7:00 PM



Day Chapter Meeting

Monday, September 14, 2015

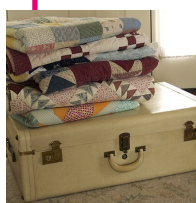
Sit and Sew 9:00 AM

Meeting and Program at 1:00 PM

Trunk Show with Martha Eberhard

I can't believe we are already heading into fall. The summer just flew by. Before you know it we will be getting ready for Christmas! With that thought in mind remember that we will be drawing the winner of the gorgeous table donated by Appletree Quilting for one lucky winner at the Holiday Dinner. Tickets can be purchased from Lou Beasley at the day and evening chapter meetings through November for the price of \$2 each or 3 for \$5. The money raised will be used to offset costs of some special programs.

Also, start looking through your sewing rooms and gather together a UFO that you know you will never finish for the UFO exchange. I will have more info on it later.



Our program for September will be a trunk show presentation by our own Martha Eberhard. Martha will share quilts she has made over the last 20 years. Many quilts were given to family members as gifts and Martha has borrowed them back to share with us! Martha made her first

quilt in high school from two sheets. It was another 15 years before she made another quilt. She joined the guild in 1996 and has been an active member ever since. She uses quilting as her creative "me-time" to balance the responsibilities of work and home.

Please join us Sept. 3 for the Starlight meeting and bring a friend. I am trying to fill up all those chairs they keep setting up!

Dawn Heese
Starlight Chapter President
and Program Chair

Stashburnerugs with Linda Rexroth

Our own Linda Rexroth will present our program on "*Stashburnerugs*" for the September Day Chapter meeting.

Maybe Linda can lead us out of the stash trap.

We all have "wonder" fabrics...you know those fabrics that we now wonder why we bought them. Let her help us with some *stashburner* therapy.

Rug making enables Linda to become a better steward of managing and justifying her purchases. We have become a very disposable society and Linda thinks it is very important to recycle/re-purpose more. She started by making bedding for animal shelters that has function and durability. Since animals have sadly become so disposable, she thought perhaps if she could bring them something that would provide them with cushion comfort, warmth, and durability, that she was somehow helpful.

Tastes change as do we, but our stash continues to grow with time. Burn through your stash faster by adding rug making to your skill set. One rug technique can burn through 20 yards of fabric very quickly while others use up strips of fabric to make beautiful textured rugs. Linda likes to work on rugs when she keeps her husband company (not) watching sports because they are lap friendly unlike sewing machines.

Samples will include techniques using these tools: rug twinning frame, lockerhook with latch hook canvas, altered toothbrush with hole, wagon wheel, crochet hook, knitting needles, and potholder frames.

Linda will have some tools loaded for us to have hands on opportunities before the meeting if we want to try some techniques.

And don't forget that we open the doors at 9 a.m. for stitching and fellowship.

Bettina Havig
Day Chapter Program Chair

*Sewing small pieces of fabric together,
gives me a pieceful heart and
a quilt to wrap you with my love!*
Berita Skinner



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BTQG August Board of Directors Meeting

No motions were passed.



Happy Grandparents' Day

Sunday, September 13

TREASURER'S REPORT

Submitted by
Carrol Lewis, Treasurer
As of July 31, 15

Checking Acct. Balance	\$17,003.62
Money Market Account	1,033.94
CDs (2)	10,858.64
Total Combine Balance	\$28,896.20
Number of Members 6/30/15	178
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$13,652.60
FYTD Income	4,690.25
FYTD Expenses	1,378.53
Checking Acct Bal As of 7/31/15	\$17,003.62

New Members

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September 2014



Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
				6:00 PM Doors Open 7:00 PM Starlight Chapter Meeting Fairview Methodist Church		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			1:00 – 3:00 PM Small Wonders DBRL	9:30 – 11:30 am Sassy Stitchers Willie Morris 6201 S. Scott Blvd.		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	9:00 AM Doors Open 9:00 AM Sit & Sew 1:00 PM Chapter Meeting Fairview Methodist Church ***** 6:00 PM Board of Directors Meeting ReMax Boone Realty 33 East Broadway	1:00 PM Boone Femme Book Club Jo-Ann's Fabrics Classroom	5:00 PM Newsletter Deadline maggiemeug@aol.com			10:00 – 4:00 UFO Senior Center
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	1:00 – 3:00 PM EZ2B Stitchers Quilt4U	1:00-3:00PM English Paper Piecing Kay Shoner's Community Room 3850 Bethel 6:30 PM Modern Quilt Group DBRL				
27	28	29	30			

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OR check directory for email addresses. * Indicates a closed group.



Notes from CEO

In our Board of Directors meeting this month there were no new motions made. But we did have good, progressive reports from the Presidents and Committee Chairs that you will see in other articles.

There was also an excellent, very brief discussion in the meeting regarding blogs that discuss opinions about belonging to quilt guilds. So, very curious, I went on line and read a few of them and, I might add, there are comments from around the world—very interesting. Reading the on-line responses, reminded me of comments I've heard from us as well as other guilds I've visited. We are all so very similar in our experiences and the opinions we have formed from those experiences. They run the complete course from, “wonderful experience from day one” to “horrible experience, I will never join another guild.” Often there were comments about being too legalistic and inflexible in their structure and opinionated about what quilts should be. It is so interesting to me that we all have this beautiful, fascinating uniqueness as individuals and yet we all share so, so much in common. When I attempt to boil it all down as to who we are and what we want from “belonging to a guild,” I always come back to the same place. I'm thinking perhaps you won't mind if I share my own opinion with you.

We all have lives with goodness to enjoy and yet challenges—“life stuff”.....and then we have our recess from that with our creative life—we love to go in and just take a fresh breath in our sewing room.....our creative world means our love of quilts and quilting....and our love of other quilters. We become a member and attend quilt guild meetings to get away from the “day after day;” to be accepted and just maybe a bit “healed” at times. In the end we want to be with others who will inspire and encourage us--that's who we are in BTQG. We are not a legalistic, inflexible, opinionated, shame-blame quilt guild.....BTQG is a group of wonderful individuals.....quilters who I love to see “your quilt and hear about it and we love to show you our quilt and tell you about it as well.” We love to be inspired and encouraged.....but.....we also love to be inspiring and encouraging.

Our leadership is working very hard to plan good, effective, sustainable processes within our guild structure to strengthen our members. But, my little darlings, with all our planning, if we aren't “good to each other,” then what good are we in the end? I am so grateful to have found you.

Mindy Smith, CEO



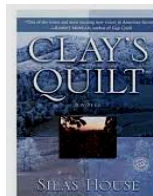
UFO DAY September 19

10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Senior activity Center
1171 Business Loop 70 E
\$3.00 - Brown Bag lunch
Vending machine available

All members welcome.

Bring your sewing machine and make progress on your current project.

Stay all day or just a while.

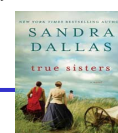
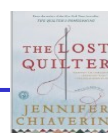


Bonne Femme Book Group will meet September 15 at 1 p.m. at Jo-Ann's Fabric Store, On Grindstone in the Classroom

The September title is **CLAY'S QUILT** by Silas House. As always, all members of BTQG are welcome. For additional information call or email Bettina Havig, 573-449-1602 or bettinaaqc@socket.net. The Bonne Femme book group meets the third Tuesday of each month. Future title suggestions are welcome.

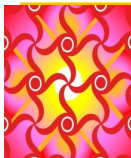
Future titles are:

October: **THE LOST QUILTER**, Jennifer Chiaverini,
November: **THREE SISTERS**, Sandra Dallas.



There's more to
your library

Day Chapter President's Message



We need to give special thanks to Pat Hilderbrand for her program in August. I have to apologize for our meeting ending like a fire drill. It was my understanding the other group would not be there until 5:00. So, on **September 14** you'll need to bring your August and September Show 'n Tell.

Did you all guess my favorite from all of Pat's beautiful art quilts? It's the maple leaf that was on the far left. Pat told me it hangs in their bathroom. My second favorite is her water lilies piece. She said it hangs in another bathroom. I warned Pat that I may be knocking on her door asking to use her bathroom!

Remember when Pat told about the contest featuring a person's "go to color" and at that time her "go to" was **shiny**? I just about fell off my chair! Richard has always said his favorite color is plaid. When Beloved Nephew John was little he thought that was so funny, so he decided his favorite color was **shiny**! (I need to clarify this. I speak of B.N.John who is my sister's son. Linda O'Keefe is a BTQG member. Our **other** B.N.John is the son-in-law of Kathy Ellsworth, another BTQG member. Great family, huh?)

Did you hear about that road trip Pat's interest group took? Wow! Be sure you join a small group or interest group this year. There's a whole lot of fun going on in those small groups!

Our September meeting will be a treat! Linda Rexroth has a variety of quilts to show us plus she'll show us what we can do with our old dingy T-shirts and empty dog food sacks. There should be something for everyone in her program!!! I'm eager to tell you why I think Linda Rexroth has better color sense than one of the quilting world's color "experts".

See you all the **second** Monday in September!

Carol Jean

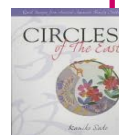
So many books to read! We have printouts for Titles and Topics to help you find the books. Topics include Applique, Holidays, Piecing, Quilting and Templates.

For block names, check Brackman's Encyclopedia of Blocks or Jinnie Beyer's Album of Patchwork Patterns. Other books include Judi Warren's Fabric Postcards, Amish Quilts by many authors including Dorothy Osler, Pellman and Havig for starters.



Civil War Quilts by Pam Weeks is a new book.

Look at Asian Elegance by Kitty Pip-pin or any books by Kumiko Sudo for Asian influenced blocks.



There are many Log Cabin books by various authors to peak your interest.

The Library contains many holiday books also as the Christmas season draws near.



Louise Bequette
BTQG Librarian

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Scottie Dog Quilt Block

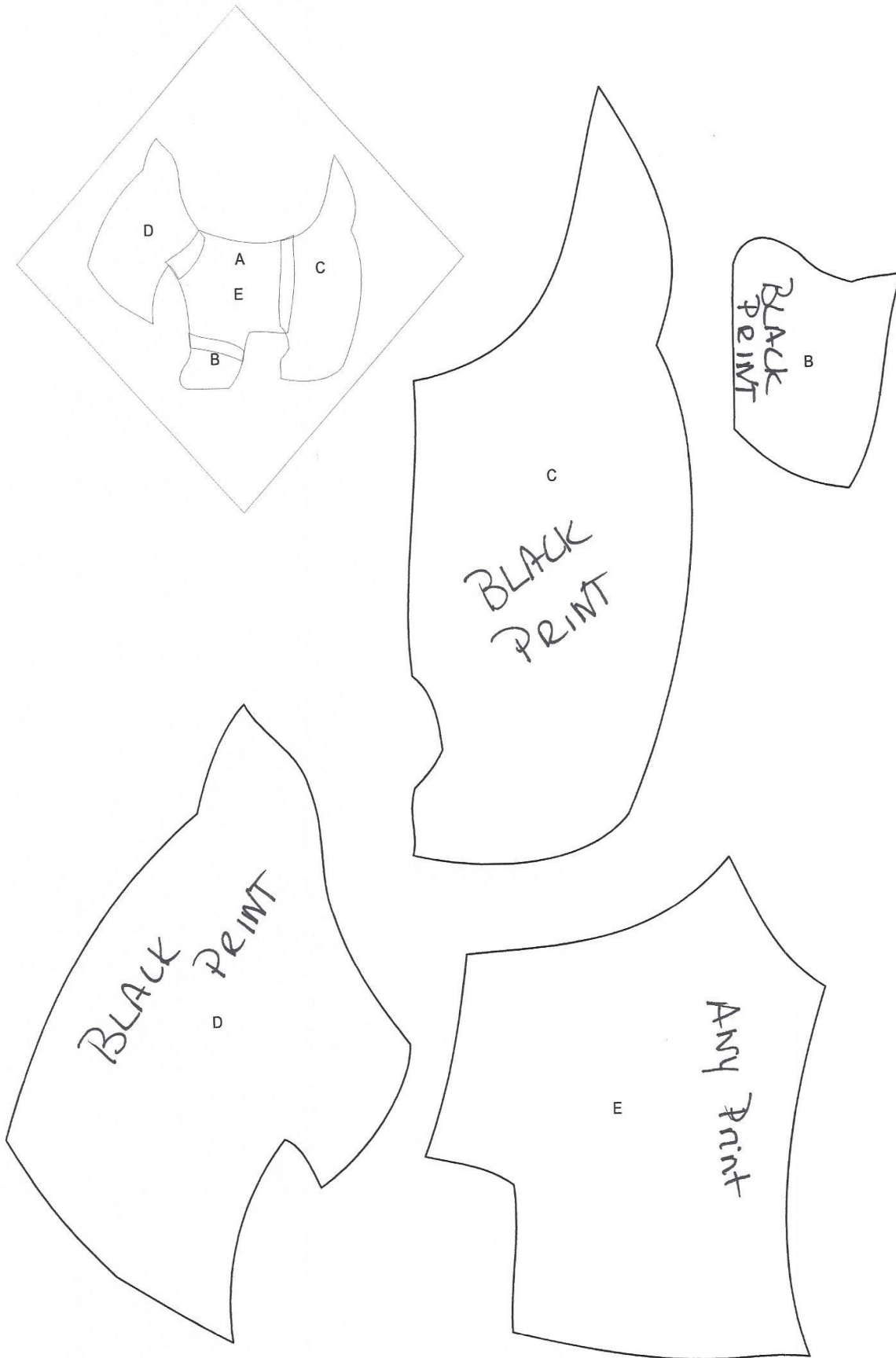


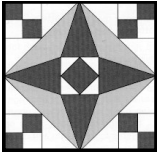
This month's block is a Scottie Dog. The block is 8" finished and is set on point. Make sure that once you have finished your appliqué the block measures 8 ½". Choose a beige/tan print for the background and a black print for the dog. Your shirt can be any color or print you choose. You can use this pattern for your own personal enjoyment or make a block and bring it for the drawing. We will collect blocks from the day and evening chapter. Every who makes a block goes into the drawing and someone will win the entire stack of blocks!

Happy Quilting, Dawn

Scotty

Key Block (29/100 actual size)





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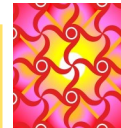
*September days are here,
with summer's best of weather
and autumn's best of cheer.
Helen Hunt Jackson*



Margaret Muegenburg	September 4
Donna Puleo	September 4
Mary Tompson	September 4
Libby Luetjen	September 5
Hsiao-Mei Wiedmeyer	September 6
Jan Canyon	September 10
Julia Duffy	September 11
Denise Felt	September 14
Mary Lu Brown	September 14
Barbara Sanders	September 17
Judi Kirkpatrick	September 19
Suzanne Glenn	September 20
Brenda Dennis	September 22
Jackie Berry	September 23
Lauri Murphy	September 24
Donna Baker	September 26
Virginia Peterson	September 29
Barb Nixon	September 29
Irmgard Marsh	September 29
Lorna Miller	September 29



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