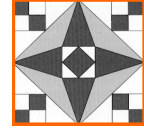


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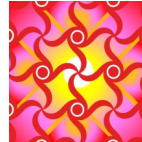
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BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



Starlight Piecemakers
Chapter Meeting
Thursday, September 7, 2017
Doors Open at 5:00 pm
Meeting at 7:00 pm

Fairview United Methodist Church



Day Chapter
Monday, September 11, 2017
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Starlight September Meeting

Our program will be presented by Lynn Doyle of Bloomin' Minds. You've seen the patterns for wall hangings, sweat shirts and quilts in many quilt shops. She will be doing a trunk show of projects with stories on how they came to be. She shares funny moments of growing up with her family – a little slice of her world. Lynn is a farm kid from northwest Iowa. She describes it as "Leave it to Beaverworld – farm-style."

Always busy with school, church, 4-H, family activities (and can't forget bean-walking), somehow a love of fabric started to blossom. Years later, she was lucky enough to have worked in mostly fabric and quilt shops. She says, "The best fabric idea I ever had was the day Bloomin' Minds became real. It has been one of the most creative and hardest things I have ever done." Don't miss her colorful trunk show and humorous stories.

Fifteen lucky members will be enjoying her workshop on Friday morning. If the reservations are not all taken, an announcement will be made at the meeting to fill vacancies.



Day Chapter – September 11, 2017

Janet Hollandsworth will join us for a short navigation of our web site.

We will have our skills workshop including the following:

Deborah Robles will join us and demonstrate her "Quilters' Cutting Guide – The Sliding Ruler method. Deborah has lived in Lebanon, Missouri for seventeen years, has been quilting for that length of time and is enthusiastic with her love of quilting and making cutting easier. Her method does not require any specialized rulers. Visit her at www.QuilterscuttingGuide.com.

We will have two other stations presented by our own members Louise Bequette and Kathryn Jones. Louise Bequette will show how a folding dressmaker item can be used for a design wall and is also used for basting small quilts – using yardsticks, binder clips and flannel sheets for the design wall. Pat Speth originally showed the design wall in her first book and Louise has found other ways to use the cardboard.

Kathryn Jones will demonstrate Crazy Quilting. She did a presentation to Starlight in May and many of us missed it. Crazy quilts are fun, easy and dramatic in their scope and art work. Kathryn with Merril Winfield leads the Crazy Quilt interest group at 5 pm each month prior to Starlight.

Reminder: October will feature Jan Hobbs, Patriot Piecers, Quilts of Valor. November will feature Anna Mary Hughes and her quilts.



Quilt-A-Gram

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TREASURER'S REPORT

Submitted by
Catherine Erlanger
As of
6/30/17

Checking Acct. Balance	\$14,789.53
Savings	\$1,034.36
CD's (2)	\$10,930.14
Total Combined Balance	\$26,754.03
Number of Members	107
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$13,923.28
FYTD Income	\$4,715.00
FYTD Expenses	(\$139.72)
Current Checking Acct. Bal.	\$18,498.56



Bonne Femme book group will meet Tuesday, Sept. 19 at DBRL, 1:00 pm. The September title is THE MOSES QUILT by Kathi Macias. All guild members are welcome.

**The BTQG
September board
meeting is
September 11 at
Joyce Campbell's
home at 6:00 pm**

Jerry's Sharpening Service will be here on
September 11!





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17	18 EZ2B Stitchers Quilt 4U 1:00-3:00 pm	19 Bonne Femme Book Group DBRL 1:00 pm	20	21	22 	23
24	25	26 Paper Piecing at Bethel Place 1:00 pm	27	28 Red Work Group Janice Haralson home 9:00 am	29	30

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OR check directory for email addresses.



CEO MESSAGE



CEO message:

Both Day and Starlight chapters are working hard to complete the schedule of programs for the year. In both cases there are a couple of months open. I am sure Joyce and Mona would welcome suggestions...better still volunteers to present a program. IF you have an idea for a program speak up.


Please pay special attention to the board motions published in the newsletter. This is your link to the board and if and when you see something you agree or disagree with please let us know. Sometimes it feels like we are working in a vacuum. There are fifteen board members and 130 or more of you for whom we are making decisions.

The library committee will be culling books and offering those books for sale later in the fall. The primary test is that a non-reference book has not been checked out for ten years. The library constitutes a major asset of the guild. The proceeds from book sales will be retained by the committee for future acquisitions.

Somewhere in the newsletter there is information and instructions for blocks you may use for Quilts of Valor. Don't forget Joyce's challenge to make more than 74 blocks collectively before our related speaker in October.

And finally...fair warning, if you have not renewed your membership by the October newsletter publication date you will no longer be on either the mail or email list to receive a copy.

Bettina

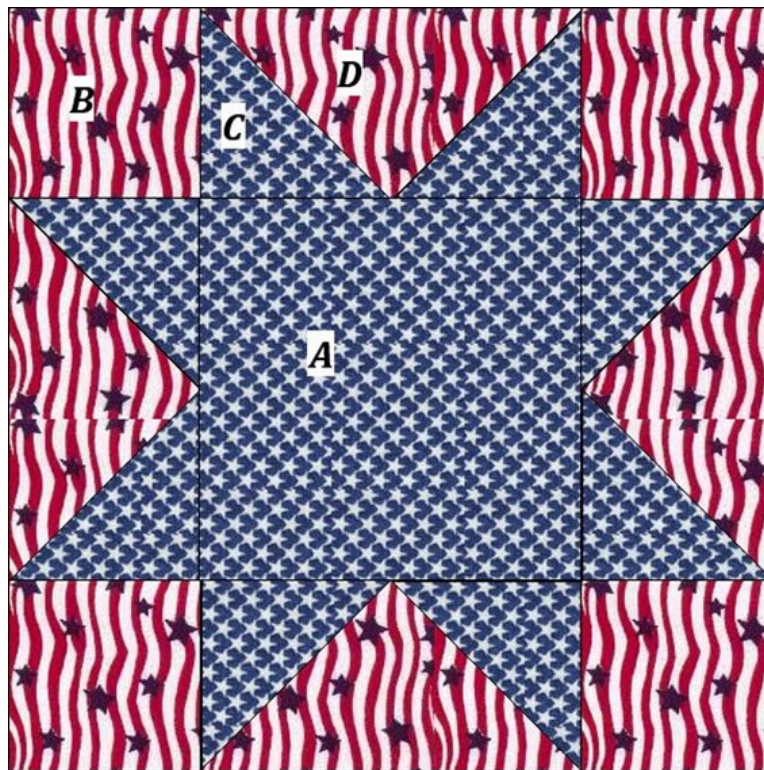


In this newsletter is the registration form for our Winter Retreat, which will be held again at the Lodge of the Four Seasons, February 23-25, 2018. The theme will be "Ruby 3.2 Walk." 2018 is the 40th anniversary of our guild, and this will be the 32nd year of our retreat. There will be opportunities to walk for exercise during the weekend. If you choose to participate in the walks, you will complete 3.2 miles of walking over the course of the weekend. We hope you will want to join in the fun while working on your special quilting project. We had a wonderful time at the Lodge of the Four Seasons last year, and had many positive comments about this location. Registration this year is \$200. You may pay the full amount when you register, or you may choose to make three payments: first payment of \$66 due in September (or when you register); 2nd payment of \$67 due by October 31; and the final payment of \$67 will be due by January 5, 2018. Registration is now open.

Brenda Austin, Retreat Chair
Janet Sapp, Retreat Co-Chair

Looking ahead - October Day Chapter Meeting

October will be Jan Hobbs with Patriot Piecers. She will be presenting Quilts of Valor. Several BTQG members belong to this group. If you would like to contribute to Patriot Piecers/Quilts of Valor, you could make a finished 12" star block. These are very useful and are easy to turn into a quilt top. Red, white and blue is nice, but not necessary. As you know - Army and Marines use beige and green. Instructions for possible blocks below.



Sawtooth Star, 12 Inches finished.

Suitable for use for Quilts of Valor

Patriotic fabrics are fine but not required. Use this block as a frame for any 6 inch block you want to put in the center in place of a plain 6 inch square, e.g. a 9- patch or 4-patch.

A---cut one 6 1/2" inch square, fabric #1 (can be replaced with any block that finishes 6 inches.)

B---Cut four 3 1/2" squares, fabric #2

C---four 3 7/8" squares, sub cut once for eight triangles, fabric #1

D---cut one 7 1/4" squares, sub cut on both diagonals for four triangles, fabric#2



Do you know that the Booneslick Trail Quilt Guild has built a really excellent collection of books that we are trying to make more accessible to you, the guild members? We are trying to make the library more usable in several ways.

First, we are updating the list of books by title, author, and subject matter on the website. This is found in the member section of the BTQG website. Tremendous thanks to Sandy Womack for her three year effort to make this list more user-friendly and to our fearless webmaster, Janet Hollansworth.

Second, we are trying to make the library more useful by removing outdated and unused books which take up a lot of space and make it more difficult to locate the good books. Don't worry we are relying on the guild experts to make the final calls on what to keep and what not to.

Third, we are trying to physically make the library more user-friendly. We are going to have a suggestion box to collect ideas for potential library changes and books to be purchased. We are reinstating the book return box to make it easier to return books and to make it more consistent that we check in the books properly.

Finally, we are open at least an hour before meeting times through the end of the meeting.

Suzanne de Chazal and Patty Taylor

Motions from the BTQG Board Meeting, August 14, 2017

- Suzanne de Chazal proposed the 2018 Quilt Show be held October 4th thru 6th 2018 at Broadway Christian Church pending approval of the facility by board members. Linda Karns seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.
- Joyce Campbell moved the membership directory be printed by Fed Ex Office on the 20lb paper. Virginia Peterson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.
- Joyce Campbell made a motion that we extend an invitation to Linda Punphrey to be our speaker at her required fee for our 2-10-18 meeting and 40th anniversary celebration. Marilyn Wooldridge seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.
- Merrill Winfield made a motion that we renew our Heartland Quilt Network membership for one year. Catherine Erlanger seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Quilt Shows in the Area

Runge Conservation Nature Center is presenting their 2017 Nature's Needlers Quilt Show during the months of September and October.

This quilt show celebrates the creations of 20 years of Nature's Needlers, a program offered by Runge volunteers who teach, instruct, and guide participants in needlework inspired by Missouri's outdoors. Each month, participants assemble a nature block while learning fascinating information about the selected Missouri plant or animal. Blocks are hand or machine pieced, using templates, or by paper piecing. Each year has a particular theme.

The Runge Conservation Nature Center is open Tuesday through Saturday from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, and Thursdays until 8:00 pm. The center is located 1/3 mile north of Highway 50 on Highway 179, Jefferson City, MO. Be sure to go see this show! You can also enjoy the interesting nature displays at the center, or hike on one of their trails.

Raintree Quilters Guild Harvest of Quilts XII Quilt & Craft Show in Evansville, IN September 22nd & 23rd, 2017

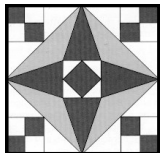
- Over 150 Quilts on Display With Judged and Non-Judged Entries
 - Quilt For the Cure Raffle Quilt
 - 2017 Raintree Quilters Guild Raffle Quilt
 - Special Quilt Exhibit

\$8 Admission • Under 12 Free • Free Parking • Handicap Accessible

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There are less than 3 months before the Day Chapter Holiday Party! Joyce Campbell would love to hear any ideas to make this party festive and fun. So put on your thinking caps (or elf hats 🧝 if it helps to get you into the Holiday Spirit!) and let Joyce know if you would like to help with the party.



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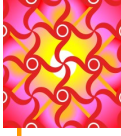


★ HAPPY ★ BIRTHDAY!

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- ★ Muegenburg, Margaret Sep 4 ★
- ★ Puleo, Donna Sep 4 ★
- ★ Tompson, Mary Sep 4 ★
- ★ Canyon, Jan Sep 10 ★
- ★ James, Mary A Sep 10 ★
- ★ Wilkerson, Julia (Duffy) Sep 11 ★
- ★ Brown, Mary Lu Sep 14 ★
- ★ Sanders, Barb Sep 17 ★
- ★ Tharp, Susan Sep 17 ★
- ★ Kirkpatrick, Judi Sep 19 ★
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Columbia, MO 65203

REGISTRATION FORM



'Ruby 3.2k Walk'
BTQG Winter Quilt Retreat
The Lodge of Four Seasons, Lake Ozark, MO
February 23-25, 2018

Name: _____
Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Email: _____

I wish to participate in the "Secret Sister" gift exchange: YES ___ NO ___
(If yes, you will receive Secret Sister Information' form in your registration packet.)

I wish to participate in the following classes:
Self-binding Blanket by Maria DeLematre YES ___ NO ___
Paper Piecing by Ann Rennier YES ___ NO ___

Note: Class supply lists will be distributed with retreat packets

Roommate(s) request: _____

ADA-accessible room: YES ___ NO ___

Dietary restrictions: _____

Emergency contact: _____ Phone: _____

RETREAT FEE \$200

Retreat fee may be paid in full or can be paid in up to three installments with final payment due January 5, 2018. If you choose installments, first payment must be at least \$66 and accompany this form. Second and third installments will be \$67 each and payable by October 31, 2017 and January 5, 2018, respectively. You will receive a confirmation email upon receipt of final payment to confirm your retreat space.

Mail completed forms to Brenda Austin, 3971 E. Webster Rd., Hartsburg, MO 65039.

Amount paid: _____ Check # _____



If you like to get up and move, we will offer several walks that just might allow you to get in 3.2 miles throughout the retreat (inside or outside, depending on weather)!

