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BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD

CEO MESSAGE

Bool's April Message —

Many people have spent their time this year keeping alive the quilt guild. We have received confirmation from people willing to volunteer their time as members of our Executive Board of Directors during FY2021-2022. We will be able to have an official vote at our June Annual Meeting. We are able to take additional nominations if requested. In the past we truly had elections to decide between people.

As of today those volunteering are: Judi Kirkpatrick for CEO; Trina Pratt for Vice CEO; Martha Eberhard for Treasurer; Betty White for Secretary; Connie Richards for Starlight Chapter President; and Pat Leistner for Day Chapter President. Their willingness with their time is most appreciated. In addition Lynn Hill has agreed to be Editor of Newsletter. I was saddened to hear several people decline due to hesitation to work with un-named people. Fill in the appropriate lesson to yourself about working with people even if you don't agree.

This year we have had to put many traditional activities on hold. It is with hope we look forward to once again having the friendship found in guild, to having Show and Tell in person, to participate in special interest groups, look in our library for books, work together on service projects and know that someone appreciated your time.

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Day Chapter ZOOM Meeting Monday — April 5

A Message from Carrol —

Our April 5 speaker will be Patricia Belyea from Washington state. She'll be giving us an inside tour of the 2020 Tokyo Quilt Festival and also explain the traditional hand dying process of Yukata cotton.

Patricia and her daughter have a company that deals with vintage and imported textiles from Japan. They also have an on-line quilt gallery representing national quilters. Check the internet for Okan Arts.

She has written several books and articles and speaks at events across the country.

Day Chapter President



Starlight Piecemakers Chapter ZOOM Meeting Thursday — April 1

A Message from Ustena —

Happy springtime, Quilters! I hope everyone has been sewing to their hearts content and enjoying this warmer weather. This next month we will have our own Betty White giving us her presentation entitled "My Quilting Life... So far."

I look forward to seeing all of her treasures and hearing about the journey, still in progress. Hope you will all join us through zoom and learn about one of our beloved members.

Enjoy the longer days with more sunshine and Happy Quilting!

Starlight Piecemakers Chapter President

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Quill-Q-Gram

Catherine Erlanger, Editor

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BTQG BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2020-2021

Executive Board Members/	Elected	
CEO	Boo! Kula	573-449-0346 (H)
Vice CEO	Judi Kirkpatrick	660-734-0358 (C)
Secretary	Judy Gieselman	573-445-2381 (H)
Treasurer	Willie Morris	573-424-1421 (C)
President-		
Day Chapter	Carrol Lewis	573-657-4532 (H)
Starlight Piecemakers	Ustena Simenson	573-356-5915 (C)
Past CEO	Alice Leeper	573-489-1458 (C)

Board Members/Appointed Standing Committee Chairs

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Membership	Deborah Kagay	573-289-2399 (C)			
Chapter Programs					
Day Chapter	Christi Brietzke	573-289-1822 (C)			
Starlight Piecemakers	(vacant)				
Newsletter	Catherine Erlanger	626-421-8628 (C)			
	BTQGNews@gmail.com				
Librarian	Karon Huggler	573-489-6373 (C)			
Service Project	Irmgard Marsh	660-591-3223 (C)			
Hospitality	(vacant)				
Quilt Show	Peggy Brothers	573-442-7352 (H)			
	Kathryn Reece	573-619-7928 (H)			
Board Members/Appointed Ad Hoc Committee Chairs					
Webmaster	Janet Hollandsworth	573-999-5706 (C)			
Social Media	Barb Nixon	573-239-1039 (C)			
Retreat	Anna Mary Hughes	660-676-6745 (C)			
Membership Directory	Debbie Odor	901-218-1345 (C)			

From the Nominating Committee . . .

Slate of Candidates Nominated for Election to 2021-2022 Executive Board Offices

CEO	Judi Kirkpatrick
Vice CEO	Trina Pratt
President, Starlight Piece- makers Chapter	Connie Richards
President, Day Chapter	Pat Leistner
Treasurer	Martha Eberhardt
Secretary	Betty White

Additional nominations for the Executive Committee offices above are welcomed at the April Guild meetings, if possible, or by communicating with CEO Boo! Kula during the month of April.

Standing Committee chair positions needing to be filled are:

Day Chapter Program Chair Library Committee Chair Service Projects Committee Chair

Please call or email a Board Member if you are willing to Chair a Guild Standing Committee and be a working member of the Board. (See page 3, "Speak Up, Members!" for more information)

Treasurer's Report Period: 02/01/2021-02/28/2021

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Approved Report prepared & submitted on 03/08/21 to Board for Approval by

Willie Morris, Treasurer

Guild's NET ASSETS on 02/28/2021					
Cash 02/28/2021 (General Ledger)	\$ 21,504.41				
Savings (Money Mkt Balance)	\$ 1,035.40				
CD's (2)	<u>\$ 11,472.68</u>				
Net Assets on 02/28/2021	\$ 34,012.48				
Number of Members 144					
FY2020-2021 (07/01/20-06/30/21) Year-to-Date Summary of General Ledger Financial Transactions To-Date					
Year-to-Date Summary of G	eneral Ledger				
Year-to-Date Summary of G	eneral Ledger				
Year-to-Date Summary of G Financial Transactions Beginning Cash Balance	eneral Ledger To-Date				
Year-to-Date Summary of G Financial Transactions Beginning Cash Balance (G/L) 7/1/2020	eneral Ledger To-Date \$ 20,715.66				

Board of Directors ZOOM Meetings Updates

From the Board Secretary:

There were no motions made and approved at the March 8, 2021 ZOOM meeting.









Virtual Retreat Reflections

Well we did it!! The BTQG Virtual "Home Alone Retreat" is in the books. Thank you to everyone who attended, participated, and contributed. We managed to make it thru my technical difficulties and have a good time. We **learned** from each other and **shared** with each other. I was excited by the number of members who logged in to 1 or all of the 6 zoom sessions. We averaged 35 I think (sometimes more than 1 person was at a log in). We had ZOOMERS from as far away as California and Washington.

We all agreed we can't wait til next year when we can all get together for our annual retreat.

....Judi Kirkpatrick

ZOOM Your Show & Tell Projects

At April Chapter Meetings

Don't forget to text (660-734-0358) or email jikirk@yahoo.com a picture of your project for everyone to see during our ZOOM sessions. It has been fun to see what you are working on. — Judi Kirkpatrick

Details: I put all the Show & Tell pictures together and make a slide show. You may also send any info/story regarding your project you text or email to me. <u>Deadline</u> for pictures, etc., is <u>8pm the night</u> <u>before the meeting.</u> — Judi

Speak Up, Members!

If you want to nominate additional candidates for BTQG Executive Board Officer positions, **now is the time**.

Your opportunity is **during April**. If you can't successfully put forward a nomination during one of the April ZOOM Chapter meetings, missed the ZOOM Chapter meetings, or if you have no access to ZOOM, you are still able to nominate. Contact Boo! Kula directly **before the May chapter meetings** to relay your nominations.

BACKGROUND INFO FROM THE BTQG BY-LAWS:

* BTQG By-Laws require that the slate for elected Officers of the Board of Directors be presented no later than the May chapter meetings. * The final ballot for elected Officers must be published in the June newsletter. * The election of Officers of the Board of Directors must be held at the Guild Annual Meeting held on the first available Saturday in June. * Appointments to Standing Committees are made by the new CEO from willing candidates who volunteered or were nominated. * Newly elected Officers and appointed Standing Committee Chairs take office July 2.

The Retreat Mystery Block!

Retreat Mystery Block Clues and Block Reveal

Would YOU have solved The Retreat Mystery Block?

Go to <u>www.btqg.missouri.org</u> for All of the Clues and Directions.

To check out our April Chapter program speakers in advance, go to their websites:

https://okanarts.com Day Chapter Speaker https:bettyssquiltery.com

Starlight Chapter Speaker



Bits & Pieces . . .

Long-time BTQG member, Peggy Queathem, passed away in Heber Springs, Arkansas, on March 16. Peggy had moved to Arkansas in 2019 to be near her family. Peggy was a dear friend to many in BTQG, always a fun and lively person. Her obituary can be found at this link: <u>https://www.columbiatribune.com/obituaries/story-obituaries-2021-03-20-peggy-joyce-kahler-queathem-1928-2021-4770223001</u>

Pam Close wants to share a slide show from the Pacific Northwest Quilt & Fiber Arts Museum, located in La Conner, Washington, located between Seattle WA and Vancouver BC. Here is a link to the slide show: https://photos.app.goo.gl/aVGeUyrDjBtf8FkY9

Mona Stevenson reports that BTQG member, Jackie Berry, has a quilt triptych "Go Green, Save Green" in a virtual SAQA exhibit called "Oceania". Only 33 quilts were selected by a 3-judge panel. Here's the link, in case anyone would like to check it out. <u>https://thequiltshow.com/blog/saqa-showcases-oceania-with-virtual-exhibition-2021-annual-conference?</u>

Hello,

Sorry to bother you. A couple of the ladies who work at Satin Stitches in Columbia recommended that I reach out to your organization for assistance.

I am looking for someone who might be able to help me with a fabric project. I am trying to cover some fedoras (hats) with some cotton fabric that I have already purchased. I imagine I could struggle and do this myself, but the results will likely be bad!

Of course, this project will not involve any quilting – rather, I am imaging the skills would center around a small bit of sewing and maybe some fabric glue. Do you have anyone in your group who would be able to assist me with this kind of a project? Of course, I would be willing to pay that person a fair amount for their labor and expertise.

Thank you for your time.

Tim Tim Eisenbarth

Educational Program Coordinator Assessment Resource Center 112 Townsend Hall | Columbia MO 65201 O: 573-882-7773 | E: <u>eisenbartht@missouri.edu</u> W: arc.missouri.edu Bettina Havig asked to share this...

Yesterday I had a call from a local woman who lives in the Parkade North area of Columbia. Just a couple of days ago, a quilt that she and her mother made together was stolen from her deck...it's a long story, but a cautionary one. Our members might need to be reminded that leaving a quilt out in the open, even for a few minutes might tempt someone to whisk it away. This woman is very distressed. She said the quilt was on the deck to air and for only a short time. She has no photos. It's possible the thief might try to sell it. It's a shame that someone so needed a quilt that they stole her treasured quilt.

Keep photos of your quilts. The police have nothing to go on without that. She reported the theft to the police and they ambled thought the area where there are homeless people but didn't find the quilt.

<u>u</u> Bettina



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				1 <u>7:00 pm</u> Starlight Chapter Meeting <u>via Zoom</u>	2	3
4	5 Feather- Weight Friends (<i>TBD</i>) <u>1:00 pm</u> Day Chapter Meeting <u>via Zoom</u>	6	7 5pm Newsletter articles due	8 Sassy Stitchers Applique <i>(TBD)</i>	9	10
11	12 <u>7:00 pm</u> BTQG Board Meeting <u>via Zoom</u> Contact Bool KULA to BE ADDED TO ZOOM INVITE	13	14 Small Wonders (TBD) SASH (TBD)	15	16	17
18 2PM Modern Quilt Group (Location TBD)	19 EZ2B Stitchers (<i>TBD</i>)	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27 1PM Needlework Group At Betty's	28	29	30	

Calendar Contacts: (For email addresses, check the directory)							
Carrol Lewis	573-657-4532	Featherweight Friends:	Pam Close	573-808-3496			
Ustena Simenson	573-356-5915	Needlework:	Mona Stevenson	573-698-2019			
Judi Kirkpatrick	660-734-0358	Modern Quilt:	Lora Brinkman	573-821-0262			
Guild Interest Groups on Calendar			Sarah Briggs	573-634-2162			
Group Nancy Anton	io 573-823-9579	Sassy Stitchers:	Peggy Brothers	573-819-6682			
Merril Winfield	573-446-8676	Small Wonders:	Karon Huggler	573-489-6373			
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