



Lake Quilters' Tidings

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Programs and Workshops

By Susan Palmer

November

The last program of the year will have four of our local quilt shops... -

Boone's Country Store
 The General Store
 Quilting Connections
 Smith Mountain Lake Quilting

They will give us a little bit of their background, news of upcoming classes, and demonstrate a few gadgets that they love. A few items will be for sale, others can be ordered or purchased at the stores.

There will be tickets given out for door prizes as well...fat quarters, gadgets, and ??? Don't miss out!

We will also have a presentation by Pidge Morgan, from TEP, who will have a selection of African fabrics for sale to benefit the school and tech center we sponsor in Africa...

There may even be a demonstration of an easy project or two that you might be able to make for Christmas....

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For up-to-date information and photos of Guild happenings...

Be sure to visit our website at <http://www.lakequilters.org>

Email additions or questions to bonnie@lakequilters.org
Bonnie Bull,
Webmaster

NEXT MEETING
January 25, 2011

PLEASE TURN OFF
CELL PHONES
DURING MEETINGS

Ripples From Our President

By Linda Quinn



November 2010

Linda Quinn

December is almost here. This is a great time to peruse our guild library books to look for "last minute gift ideas" and ideas for 2012 projects. (Kudos to Ann Ochs for setting out the books that align with our program each month.)

It is also time to extend a special thanks to Susan Palmer (Programs), Paula Stevens (Membership), Irene Capps (Secretary) and Sandra Ferguson (Treasurer). We really appreciate everything you have done for the guild during the past two years.

We are fortunate to have many others who have also taken on leadership roles this past year and worked hard to keep things moving. Many thanks to Helen Buchanan (Block of the Month), Judy Bukauskas (Name Tags), Bonnie Bull (Webmaster), Madeline Demchak (Sunshine), Susan Dittler & Chris Patene (Bee Keepers), Bette Gove (Historian & Challenge), Betty Huffman (Hospitality), Joyce Moorman & Joyce Noell (Quilt Show), Ann Ochs (Library), Hallie Ruedi (Quilt Raffle), Stephanie Schaefer (Newsletter), Vicky Seekford (Publicity), and Marcia Wright (Charity). And finally, thanks to each of you who has helped out with block of the month, charity, quilt show, set up & clean up, and all the other "behind the scene tasks". Working together makes good things happen!

Remember now is the time to sign up for the guild holiday luncheon (December 14, 2010) and register for the guild retreat (April 8-10, 2011).

Have a wonderful holiday season,
Linda Quinn

Membership News

As a reminder, the Guild no longer mails copies of the newsletter. If you receive a paper copy of your newsletter, please remember to pick it up at the sign-in desk.

Paula Stevens

Ps...Don't forget your name tags!

Paula Stevens,
Membership Chair

Volunteer Clean-Up Schedule

Thanks to everyone who offered to set up before and clean up after Guild meetings. If you are unable to attend, please find a member to substitute for you. Try to arrive by 11:30 to finish setting up in time for Block of the Month at noon. Clean up immediately follows the Guild meeting. After vacuuming, please remember to remove any trash bags our members fill and visit the dumpster on the way home.

November Reminder

Marilyn Doble
Ellen Hackett
Peggy Jeans
Melba Smith

Betty Huffman
(540-483-0775)

WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

Notice of guild meeting cancellations due to bad weather will be posted on the WSLS website: <http://www.wsls.com>. Click on "Weather"/"Closings". A link to the WSLS web site can be found at the bottom of the HOME page on our web site (<http://www.lakequilters.org>)

For further information or questions, please contact the Guild President or the Program Chairperson (VP). Their contact information is listed in the newsletter under the current officers.

Volunteers Needed:

Historian
Hospitality

Contact Linda Quinn if interested.

2011 Slate of Officers

President: Linda Quinn

VP Program: Ruth Ann Assaid & Eloise Vass (2011 Programs)

Teena Livsey & Sharon Reilly (2012 Programs)

VP Membership: Regina Cosgrove

Secretary: Joyce Noell

Treasurer: Marnie Brush

Guidelines for Workshops

Workshops are special opportunities for a small group of people (usually only 20) to have instruction from a guest teacher. Please follow these guidelines when signing up for a workshop:

- Sign-up will begin at 12:30 at the Guild meeting in the month announced for the workshop sign-up. Only people who have signed-up AND paid can attend the workshop. You are not considered "signed-up" until you pay your money!
- If you are unable to attend the guild meeting at which the sign-up occurs, have a friend sign you up and pay your money. We will **NOT** be taking phone sign-ups before this time...Please don't ask us to break this rule.
- Once the workshop is filled, a waiting list will be formed. If someone drops out of the class, the next person on the waiting list will be called. Please do not by-pass the waiting list by selling your spot to a friend. It is not fair to those who have been put on the waiting list.
- Once you are on the list, and find you will be unable to attend, you will not get a refund unless someone is found to take your place. Please call **Susan Palmer at 721-5299** as soon as you know you can't come and the next person on the waiting list will be called. If there is no one on the waiting list, you may then find your own replacement.

Girls Gotta Have Fun! Scrappy Quilt. Challenge

The countdown is now on! It is just under 30 days until the challenge quilts will be on display!

Have you gotten yours finished? If not, and even if you haven't begun, there is still time to make one.

Check out this scrappy quilt...it can be made in any size.

<https://mail.google.com/mail/?hl=en&shva=1#inbox/12b9bdd27e8673f4>

Remember, we will be taking many of the quilts to the Hampton, VA show. Definitely the top voted quilts will go, and as many others for which we have room. If you cannot let your quilt go to the show, please indicate this on your entry form.

Happy Stitching!

Bette Gove kayaksml@gmail.com



Treasurer's Report

By

Sandra Ferguson

Balance (10/1/10)	\$5304.64
Income	
Dues	210.00
Workshops	130.00
Guild Merchandise	176.00
Christmas lunch	624.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 950.00
Expenses	
Newsletter	\$ 25.20
Program	50.00
Workshop	100.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 175.20
Balance (10/30/10)	\$6079.44

CHARITY COMMITTEE NEWS

Thanks to everyone who donated items at the October meeting. We collected one pillow pal, one lap quilt, 2 wheelchair bags, 11 totes, 2 sweaters, 4 pair mittens, and a small bag of toilet-ries.

We will deliver items to Franklin County on **November 19**, and we're trying to set up a Bedford County delivery. We can always use twin bed sized quilts for teens. The Foster care agencies have requested that size. Look in the January newsletter for a final accounting of deliveries during 2010.

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Rose-Marie's Sewing Studio Quilting Cottage (540) 297-2841

Rose-Marie's Quilting Cot- tage is looking forward to helping you get your unfin- ished quilts finished so you can have a start toward your Christmas Presents. What nicer gift could you give, but a quilt made by you. Re- member, finished is beautiful.



Rose-Marie's Quilting Cottage

Annual Holiday Luncheon

Our holiday luncheon will be held at the Waterfront Country Club on Tuesday, **December 14**. Please bring your challenge quilts at 11:00 for display and voting. Lunch will be served at 12:00, followed by an exchange of handmade ornaments and awarding prizes to the challenge winners. Please mark your lunch menu choice on the **enclosed insert** and bring it with \$12.00 (payable to Lake Quilters Guild or LQG) to the October or November guild meeting. You may send your menu choice and check to :

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Lake Quilters Guild Retreat 2011

Attached as an insert in this month's newsletter is the application form for the Lake Quilters Guild Re- treat 2011 to be held in April, 2011. All infor- mation can be found on the application. **Applica- tions will be accepted at the November Guild meeting beginning at 12:45 PM**



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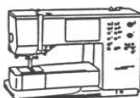


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*Block of the Month 2010
Civil War Quilt*

Helen Buchanan, Chairperson

Date	Block	Teacher
Nov 23	Border	Carol Althoff/ Gwen Bruington

There will be a \$5 charge to take the class this year. This fee will pay for the printing costs and for assembling/quilting the teacher's blocks. This finished quilt will be raffled off to guild members. Those taking the class will be entitled to one free raffle ticket.

LIBRARY CORNER



A new book was donated to the Quilters by Marnie Brush at the SML Quilt Store.

The Aloha Quilt by Jennifer Chiaverini.

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November Featured Bee: Stitches in Time

Stitches in Time is an appliqué bee started by Kinza Pickelsimer and Linda Pote in 2004. We bring our lunch and meet in Kinza's home on the fourth Wednesday of the month from 10:00 to 2:00. Kinza treats us to a yummy dessert.

Our leader is an excellent teacher and is always willing to help us. She has taken extensive classes including several at the Appliqué Academy sponsored by Elly Sienkiewicz and is very knowledgeable in many creative sewing techniques including hand quilting. Several other members of our group are experienced, avid appliqué quilters.

It is always a delight to see what creative things on which others are currently working. Some of us are working on a project from Kathy Delaney's book "Field of Flowers" featuring twelve flower blocks. Everyone is invited to work on the project or any other project they choose.

Some of the members get together and go on road trips to area quilt shops, shows, etc. Joining this group is an excellent way to meet some great ladies and to learn while having fun together.

Edyth O'Connell has moved and will not be able to attend meetings anymore. We will miss her. The last time she met with us she shared her "Field of Flowers" quilt top with us.

Other members of the Bee are: Pat Blice, Bonnie Campbell, Linda Cronies, Cathy Maycock, Wanda Nawrocki, Kinza Pickelsimer, Linda Pote, Bette Stubs, Peggy White, and Dottie Wilson.



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You
And
Yours!*



Buzzings from the Bees by Susan and Chris

- **Bag Ladies Bee** (Moneta area) - meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 10:00 am to ??? at Mary Ann Spangler's (297-1335). Bring lunch. Finished making favors for the Guild's 2010 Christmas luncheon. Will continue to work on charity items for children. Also, now using completed Friendship Squares to create other items. Working on poor man's crazy quilts (also know as orphan's square). Addressing/sharing thoughts regarding color schemes and applique and embellishment techniques. Will display in January 2011(**Full at this time.**)
- **Blue water Bee** (Moneta) - meets 1st Tuesday, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm, at Smith Mountain Lake Quilting Shop; Contact Marnie Brush (719-7845). Working on School House Quilt Block of the Month Exchange and charity quilts for Bedford Social Services. (**Full at this time.**)
- **Buzzin' Bees** (Boones Mill) - meets 1st Thursday 9:00 am to ??? at Velma Meador's home (334-1957). Bring lunch. • **Friendship Bee** (Hardy) - meets 2nd and 3rd Tuesday, 10:00 AM to ??? Call Gloria Thar (890-7916) or Jeannette Chace (721-1550) for meeting location. Bring lunch. Bring anything you've started or want to start; there will be help for new quilters. (**New members Welcome**). Will display in July 2011.
- **Hardy Bee** (Moneta) - meets 4th Tuesday, 9:00 am to noon, at Dot Jackson's home (721-4859). Working on "row by row" quilts and continuing making charity projects. The group prepared and delivered a quilt to local veteran Bob Vandelinde for Veteran's Day. Will display in April 2011. (**Full at this time.**)
- **Kept in Stitches Bee** (Hillcrest Heights) - meets 1st and 3rd Thursday, 10:00 am to 3:00 pm, at Alma Carter's home (721-5671). Main focus for 2011 will be charity project, cotton theory, civil war quilt and UFO's. Will display in September 2011. (**Full at this time.**)
- **Material Girls Bee** (various towns)- meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 9:30 am to 2:30 pm. Call Marcia Wright (427-9312) or Kate Holdgreve (890-2027). Bring lunch. Making quilts for each member. Will display in August 2011. (**Full at this time.**)
- **River Queen Bee** (Goodview) - meets 3rd Tuesday, 12:30 pm. Call Linda Pote (297-6652) or Sharon Cullen (297-3661) for meeting location. Working on UFO's, charity items for hospitals and battered women shelters, and a new round robin quilt. Will display in June 2011(**New Members welcome.**)
- **Sassy Stitches Bee** (Roanoke) - Meets 3rd Tuesday 10:00 am to 3:00 pm at St. John Lutheran Church. Contact Joyce Noell (774-2570) for information. Will display in May 2011. (**Always open to new members.**)
- **Shady Ladies Bee** (Various locations) - Meets 1st Monday from 10 am until Noon Call Hallie Ruedi for meeting location. Working on two round robin (row-by-row) charity quilts. This year's plan is to have a member demonstrate a different project/technique each month. Will display in November 2011. (**Full at this time.**)
- **Southside Bee** (Union Hall) - meets 2nd Thursday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Bring lunch. Call daytime hours only Sandy Randall (576-2082). Will display in March 2011. (**Full at this time.**)
- **Stitches In Time** (Goodview) - Applique Bee 4th Wednesday , 10:00 am. Bring lunch. Call Kathy Maycock (989-0740). Project: Hearts and Flowers blocks by Kathy Delaney. Will display in October 2011..
- **Sunshine Bee** (White House Corner/Huddleston) - meets 1st Thursday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, at Cindy Clark's home (297-0043). Bring lunch. (**Full at this time.**)

IF YOU WISH TO BECOME A MEMBER OF A BEE or IF YOU HAVE ANY UPDATES/CHANGES FOR THE ABOVE BEES, CALL SUE DITTLER (587-5925) OR CHRIS PATANE (297-0994) BEFORE THE 3RD OF EACH MONTH.

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