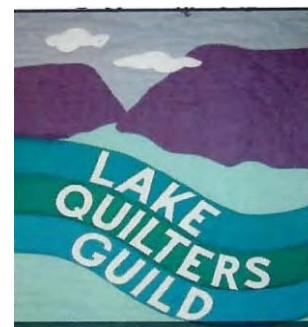


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President's Message

First, let me begin with a reminder - there will be no meeting in June. There will be a newsletter, but no workshop, no meeting.

We will meet again in July for our silent auction. I know Katherine Lewis has filled at least two bedrooms with donated items for this event!

This month's stack n' whack with Fay Hill should be quite informative as well as exciting for the participants. Can't wait to see the results during the lecture or our show and tell.

Another reminder for those who are not members of a Bee to please bring in either completed items you would like to share or any "in progress" items. We would love to see what you are working on. There will be a table directly behind the "Bee of the Month" exhibit on which to place your items.

I sincerely hope you all have a great beginning to the summer with family and friends. Be safe, have fun and see you in July!

Keep on quiltin'
Stephanie

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Membership Report:

We have added three members this month. The two new members are Shannan Maggied and Debra Vierling. We welcome you into our Quilt Guild and we look forward to meeting you at our meetings!! We also have had one renewal. Most of our new members are joining because you ladies are inviting them!!! Keep up the good work. If you know of anyone that may be interested, stop by the membership table and ask me for a New Membership application!!!!

Betty

Block of the Month

Hello BOM Ladies....

I will have multiple patterns for you once again....I must keep you busy now before all your summer company arrives and distracts you from quilting.....see you soon

Susan

Next board meeting:

July 11 at 1 pm, Moneta Library

Minutes from the Board:

All board members present at the meeting were trained on the use of our new PA system. Due to a lack of a quorum no voting occurred.

Please contact Linda Walters at lindaw@shentel.net if your email address changes to ensure email delivery of your monthly newsletter and LQG blasts.

QUESTION from your Program Chairs, Bette and Kay:

At the last guild meeting, several folks asked if a workshop could be held on free motion quilting. Before we go forward, we need to hear from you. Should this workshop be specific to Beginners Free Motion Quilting or Advance/Intermediate Free Motion Quilting? At the next Guild meeting on May 24, we will be conducting a survey to help us determine if enough folks would attend a workshop and what topic it should be. Thank you

UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND WORKSHOPS

May 23 – 9AM to 3PM...“Magic of Stack N Whack”...Fay Hill

This class is full but still put your name on the waiting list.

Fay Hill will teach the technique (Bethany Reynolds) of stacking fabric and whacking it. As you put your stacks together, you will see the magic come alive. This technique is so much fun, in fact it is addicting and you will want to make more. Specific fabric purchase and pre-cutting is required.

Members \$35 Non-members \$40

May 24...“My World of Addiction & Quilting”, lecturer Fay Hill

JUNE – REMINDER NO WORKSHOP OR GUILD MEETING

July 26...Silent Auction...more information will be provided by this committee.

August 22 – 9 AM to 3 PM...“Disappearing Hourglass”...instructor Susan Wilson

We have a couple of slots available, so make the call and sign up.

Our very own Susan Wilson is facilitating this workshop. Through cutting and rotating a simple block a beautiful star is created. This technique and pattern was in the Missouri Star BLOCK magazine. Although the original design is a Star quilt, there are alternative ways to set the blocks. Susan has obtained permission to teach this technique and use the magazine.

Members \$15...Non-members \$20

August 23 – “Ruler Queen”, lecturer Susan Wilson

NOTE THE SEPTEMBER DATES CHANGE to the Third Monday and Tuesday.

September 19 – 9AM to 3PM...“Landscape Beyond the Basics”...instructor Joyce Duncan

A kit (cost TBD) will be used along with background fabric to create a little bit of God’s beauty using your creative spirit. Layer upon layer will be built to make a stunning scene. You will learn the fundamentals to become a “fabric” artist.

Members \$28...Non-members \$ 33... plus the cost of the kit

September 20...“Photos to Inspire Landscape Quilts”...lecturer Joyce Duncan

About Joyce: Joyce has lived in Lynchburg with her husband for over 48 years. Joyce has been sewing since she was a little girl, learning on her mother’s treadle machine. Her early sewing was clothing and home décor. Joyce worked at Quilt and Sew Studio for 10 years. She was the shop’s machine embroidery specialist, teaching a monthly embroidery workshop. Joyce dabbled in quilting over the years but did not fall in love until she discovered “landscape quilts”. Landscapes allow her to re-create the beauty she sees, using her own creative spirit. She loves to embellish landscapes with machine embroidery, free motion thread painting and all kinds of unusual materials to create a 3 dimensional effect. She has taken classes from award winning, renowned quilters such as Nancy Prince, Linda Schmidt and Susan Brittingham. Joyce has taught landscape quilting a various guilds and quilt stores. She loves sharing her passion.

October 24 & 25...Linda Haun will be conducting a workshop and be our guest lecturer. Check her out online! Her classes are fun and empowering. Linda Haun is recognized nationally in the quilt industry. **STAY TUNED FOR MORE DETAILS TO COME!**

REMEMBER: You can now register for classes at any time. We accept credit cards, cash and personal checks. Just contact Bette kayalsml@gmail.com or Kay kmccoy4053@gmail.com. They will get you signed up!

Workshop Guidelines 2016

Workshops are special opportunities for a small group of quilters (generally between 10 to 20) to learn new patterns and new techniques, to develop deeper threads of friendship and to obtain valued instruction from the guest speaker.

Please follow these **guidelines** when signing up for a workshop.

- Sign up will begin at the monthly guild meeting three or more months prior to the workshop.
- Three months or more prior to the workshop, the sign up will be offered to our guild members. Two months prior, if the workshop is not filled, the workshop will be opened to other guilds and to the general public at an additional fee. One month prior to the workshop, if not filled, the workshop will be cancelled and payments returned.
- Only people who have signed up AND paid can attend the workshop. You are not considered signed up until your payment is received.
- Once the workshop is filled, a "waiting" sign-up sheet will be made available. If someone drops out of the class, the next person on the waiting list will be called. If you need to cancel, please do not find a replacement unless there is no one waiting.
- Once you have signed up for a workshop and you find you are unable to attend, you will not receive a refund unless your spot is filled. Please contact Bette Gove and/or Kay McCoy as soon as you know you can't come and if applicable, the next person on the waiting list will be contacted. If there is no one on the waiting list, you may find your own replacement. Please advise Bette and/or Kay who this person is and their contact information.

Featherweight 221 Sewing Machine

Her name is Liz. She was born on August 11, 1952 in Elizabeth, NJ. Liz is in excellent condition.

Machine comes with these accessories: Walking foot with guide, Screwdriver, 1/4" Little foot, Bobbins and needles, Foot hemmer, Original book, Multiple slotted binder, Black case with lock, Edge stitcher foot, Featherweight 221 - third edition book, Ruffle foot, New belt

Sale Price \$400.00

Contact **Karen Arends** 721-5449

Meet Some of Our New Members

Ginger Brothers: Ginger moved to the area two years ago and presently works at Bedford Middle School. She hopes to be able to attend our July meeting so be on the look-out for her. Ginger is an artist and loves working with color. She is only 27 years old and anxious to find more time to quilt. She learned of our guild through Dottie Wilson at her church.

Jan Brothers: This is Ginger Brothers mother!!! Jan has been quilting about five years and was involved in a prayer quilt ministry in her church in Northern Virginia before she moved to the area two years ago. Jan works in the Franklin County School System. Her husband enjoys fishing, so they came to the area because they like Smith Mountain Lake so much. Jan also learned about our guild through Dottie Wilson. Jan hopes to retire in several years and then be able to come to our guild meetings on a regular basis.

Jerry Whitt: Jerry is owner of Quilted Expressions in Lynchburg. He knows many of you because of his shop in Lynchburg. Jerry has been quilting for about 25 years and has owned his business just as long. He particularly enjoys machine embroidery. He is a dealer for Bernina and Pfaff. Look for his advertisement in the newsletter. Jerry has given programs to our guild in the past and I'm sure we will see him again in the future.

Please add the following members and their information to your 2016 directory:

Rose-Marie Newcomb - quilterose@mindspring.com

Shannan Maggied - ssmaggied@yahoo.com



Treasurer's Report
April 2016

Balance forward (3/31/16)	\$14510.32
Income	
Membership Dues	100.00
Advertiser Dues	30.00
Workshop	15.00
Ways & Means	8.00
Quilt Show raffle Quilt	1371.00
Quilt Show	2100.00
Interest	<u>0.69</u>
Total Income	\$ 3624.69
Expenses	
Bank Charge	0.41
Quilt Show Raffle	23.90
Workshops	425.00
Quilt Show	770.07
Programs	<u>367.20</u>
Total Expenses	\$1586.58
Balance Carried Forward (4/30/16)	\$2038.11
Balance in Checking Acct.	\$16548.43

Silent Auction

Many of you are cleaning your sewing rooms this time of year. Please remember the guild will be having a silent auction in July and any items you would like to donate will be appreciated. The Shady Ladies are collecting these items now. **Katherine Lewis** will be happy to store items until July. Give her a call at **719.1940** to make arrangements to get the items to her.

Weather Cancellations

The cancellation policy for LQG meetings is: If either Bedford or Franklin County Schools are canceled then the LQG meeting is canceled. In addition, notice of guild meeting cancellations due to bad weather will be posted on the WDBJ7 website: <http://www.wdbj7.com>. Click on **Weather/Closings**. A link to this website can be found at the bottom of the Homepage of our website. For further information or questions, please contact the LQG president or the VP of Programs. Their contact information is on page one of this newsletter.

Library News

We have been busy cleaning the library cabinet. There are now 5 irons on top of the cabinets...3 large posterboards..several ironing boards. We will have these plus books at the next meeting. Please stop and retrieve any items and give some books a new home.

Thanks, Anne & Sue

Do you know a member in need of a Get Well, Sympathy or Thinking of You card?

If so, please contact
Bonnie Zinck
Sunshine chairman at bgzinck@aol.com

For up-to-date information and photos of guild happenings...Be sure to visit our website at

<http://www.lakequilters.org>

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

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Save the Date - **June 24th 2:00-4:00**

Meet and Greet with **Karianne Wood**

Fabric Designer/DIY Blogger/ and Home Decor Expert

See her fabric line Simply Eclectic -

There will be:

- Giveaways to the first 50 attendees from Hoffman Fabric
- Door prizes
- Refreshments

Stop by to see some amazing projects, quilts and DIY projects!

Her blog **Thistlewood Farms** was voted one of the Best DIY

Blogs of 2015

Featured in *Better Homes and Gardens' Christmas Ideas*; *Country Living*; *Flea Market Décor*; *Country Woman*; *HGTV Magazine*; *Cottage Journal*; *Chicago Tribune*; *Reloved Magazine*; and *This Old House*

See you soon, thanks for shopping local!

Remember to get your rewards card punched and earn a \$20.00 Gift Certificate

Open Mon-Fri 9:30 - 5:30
Sat 9:30 - 5:00
Sun 11 - 4



Charity Report

With the donation of 39 stockings in April, our guild now has over two hundred stockings ready for Christmas. We also took in 7 wheelchair/walker bags, 1 fidget quilt and a pillow case, plus poly batting (good for pillow pals), cheater cloth and backing fabric.

Please stop by the charity table to look at our fidget quilts. Carol Thommen and Mary Ann Spangler have made some that we will be placing in local nursing homes. We will have a couple on display to inspire you to put your yarn, rick rack, lace, buckles, ribbon, buttons, keys, shoelaces, Velcro, and colorful scraps to a most worthwhile use.

Our delivery of wheelchair/walker bags to Bedford Nursing Home this spring leaves our supply depleted. We will have upholstery fabric, copies of three different patterns and kits w/a pattern for you to take if you would like to make something nursing home residents really appreciate and use every day.

We have an abundance of stuffing for bears or pillow pals. We will gladly fill tall kitchen bags with either polyfil or more cotton-like stuffing from Schoolhouse Fabrics in Floyd. Be forewarned that polyfil makes a soft whispering sound as it expands and creeps out of the bag. This warning applies to those of you who like to sew while the house is quiet early in the morning or late at night.

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Whole load of new quilt shop fabrics coming soon!

Large selection of beautiful fabrics from Michael Miller, Robert Kaufman, South Seas, Andover and many more.

While you are here, add your name to our mailing list for advanced notification of sales and why not purchase some of our homemade soups and baked goods .

Buzzing of the Bees

Bag Ladies Bee (Moneta area) - meets the 1st and 2nd Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. to ??? at Mary Ann Spangler's. Bring lunch. Will continue to work on charity items for children. Making bears, wheelchair bags, and lap quilts for charity. Membership is open. Will display in APRIL.

Friendship Bee (Hardy) – meets 1st & 3rd Monday, 10:00 a.m. Call Betty Huffman for meeting location. Will display in AUGUST. (Full at this time)

Kept in Stitches Bee meets 1st Thursday at the SML Association meeting room (lower level behind Old Oak Café—Rt. 616 at Westlake) 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Members work on individual projects as well as charity quilts. Call Marilyn Doble or Linda Burke. Bring lunch. Will display in SEPTEMBER. (New members WELCOME).

Material Girls Bee (various locations) - Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 9:30-3 PM. Call Kate Holdgreve. Traditional quilters learning new and different techniques. (Full at this time). Will display in JUNE.

Piece Makers Bee (Moneta) meets 4th Tuesday, 9 a.m. to noon at Dot Jackson's home. Work on charity quilts and always learning new techniques and projects. Will display in OCTOBER. (Call Ruth Ann Assaid.

River Queen Bee (Goodview) meets at the Moneta Library the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 12:30 pm. For questions please call either Sharon Cullen or Linda Pote. Will display JANUARY 2016. (Full at this time.)

Shady Ladies Bee (Various locations) meets 2nd Thursday of each month from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm or longer. They will rotate meeting sites from home to home. Will display in MARCH. (Full at this time.)

Southside Bee (Union Hall) meets 2nd Thursday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Bring lunch. Call Irene Capps. Working on scrappy charity quilts. Will display in MAY. (Full at this time.)

Sunshine Bee (White House Corner/Huddleston) meets 1st Thursday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., at Cindy Clark's home. Bring lunch. (Full at this time.) Will display in NOVEMBER.

IF YOU WISH TO BECOME A MEMBER OF A BEE or IF YOU HAVE ANY UPDATES/ CHANGES FOR THE ABOVE BEES, CALL MARLYN CURNOW (488-2617) OR DALE STELLHORN (297-1020) BEFORE THE 3RD OF EACH MONTH.

Please let us know if you will be displaying on the same date as last year. We appreciate your efforts to share your beautiful work with all of us.

BUZZING TO ALL BEES

From Marlyn & Dale



Calling all Bees:

Displaying Bees are responsible for the following:

1. Arrive early to set up tables and chairs
2. After the meeting, the displaying Bee is expected to put tables and chairs that were not up when they arrived back in the closet.
3. Pick up trash in main room and rest room and put in trash bins in the lower parking lot
4. Please do your display to inspire all of us!

Thank you for your help!

If you need clarification, please let me know.

Do any of the Bees need new members? Applications can be gotten and completed and given to Dale or me. We will do our best to match up new members and Bees. Contact us at marlynquilts2@gmail.com

Displaying and responsible Bee for set up and take down for May is the Southside Bee.