

# Lake Quilter's News

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Editor Jackie Hodgson

## Presidentos Message

Hi, Ladies,

Our country has been hit with too many severe storms this year as well as a mild earthquake in Giles County. Our area has been blessed with little rain and wind from either storm. I know prayers are welcome for all!

The General Store is a drop off point for all donations for the Hurricane Harvey and Irma recipients. Please go to the back door and drop your donations downstairs. Suggestions are diapers, adult and child, peanut butter, bleach, rags, water, canned foods with pop off tops, feminine hygiene products, over the counter medications, etc.

Hope many are signed up for the intermediate free motion quilting on Monday and also for Cecily Sue's workshop in October. The General Store has the supply kit for the October workshop available now.

Our hospitality committee met with the caterer to book our Christmas luncheon. At that time, a question arose regarding the ornament exchange. Last year only 13 participated. Please let me know via email if you would like to continue this program.

Contact me at <a href="mailto:smlstephanie@embargmail.com">smlstephanie@embargmail.com</a>

The reservation form for the luncheon will be attached to the newsletter.

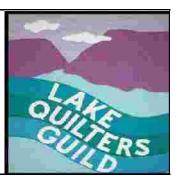
Until next month,

Keep on quiltin'

Stephanie

Don't give up. Remember, it's always the last key on the key ring that opens the door.





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> Next board meeting: Monday October 16 1pm at The Moneta Library

#### UPCOMING WORKSHOPS AND PROGRAMS

Bette Gove

September 25, 9 am- 3pm – Intermediate Machine Quilting – Instructor – Susie Jacobs. The class time will be spent exploring an assortment of designs for use in blocks, borders, and backgrounds. Each pattern will first be drawn on paper and then stitched on fabric. She will cover lots of tips and techniques needed for successful quilting, picking quilt designs to suit your quilt and how a little tweak can change the look of a design. There is only one place left in this class. Cost is \$35.00.

**Susie Jacobs Lecture is** "It took just one look" and is about how she got interested in quilting and how machine quilting changed what she does. Susie made her first quilt over 35 years ago and wishes she had kept count on how many quilts she has made since. She took her first machine quilting class 20 years ago and after a shaky start, began to enjoy the time spent creating designs on her quilts. Over the years, she has shared her love of quilting while working in quilt shops and teaching.



Workshop: Wool Embroidery, Monday Oct. 23, 9AM– 3PM. Teacher Cecily Sue Roth. With the kit CS will supply (\$25 day of the workshop) you will be working on one of her designs. She will show you how to do the stitches along with guidance as to what to do where. Because she wants to give everyone lots of personal attention the class size is limited to 10. You will be able to make this project into a pillow, or a wall hanging, or part of a quilt. NO sewing machine needed! *Cost of class is \$25.00*. There are 8 places to fill!

Lecture Tuesday Oct 24, 1:30 PM is "What Inspires You". Come to see some of Cecily Sue's quilts and hear about what might inspire you!

A little about Cecily Sue Roth: She used to watch her mother sew their clothes in the basement on an old workhorse Singer machine. She was told to NEVER touch the sewing machine. But at age 7 Cecily Sue snuck down to the basement and sewed up the scraps. This went on for about three weeks until one day her mother came down and caught her. Her mother tried to be angry but in the end said she would be there to help her when she needed it. CS moved on to sewing Barbie doll clothes which she sold to her friends for 15 -20 cents each. She has always been creative making things with her hands. Her creativity has not slowed down in her retirement. Cecily Sue now teaches others machine embroidery, and quilting classes from Maryland to local. She currently owns two businesses. She loves sharing what she knows with those who want to learn.

Remember in November the guild meets on the second Tuesday the 14th.

**Program Tuesday Nov. 14** – Rosemary Newcomb is going to present to us a trunk show of her pieced and embroidered quilts. She has many years of experience teaching for Sulky Thread, and at quilt shops and other guilds. This is promising to be a fun filled program

**REMEMBER:** You can now register for classes any time. We accept credit cards, cash and personal checks. Just contact Bette @ 540.875.7123 <u>kayaksml@gmail.com</u>.

# Workshop Guidelines 2017

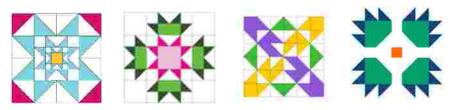
Workshops are special opportunities for a small group of quilters (generally between 10 to 20) to learn new patterns and new techniques, to develop deeper threads of friendship and to obtain valued instruction from the guest speaker.

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 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 who this person is and their contact information.

## CHARITY REPORT

August was certainly the month for the guys! We received three very bright, cheerful quilts made with boys in mind, as well as three equally masculine pillowcases. For the men, there were lap and bed quilts. There were three more pillow cases, five fidget quilts, two more quilts, several bears and pillow pals. It is truly heartwarming to see donated fabric coming back in crib quilts, children's "nap" quilts and of course quilts for nursing homes and hospices. Just think of the warm memories your lovely scrap quilts surely bring to nursing home residents. The fabric stashes, ribbons, buttons, and trims keep coming in as our quilting neighbors downsize, declutter, or pass on. And you keep recycling stash and notions into charming, comforting quilts. What a classy way to recycle!



# Betty Huffman

## Block of the Month

Ladies, I will not see you this month as hubby and I are somewhere on back roads. Stephanie Schaefer has volunteered to do this months BOM. She has a pattern she wants to share and will have details on it's construction. Thanks Steph for filling in this month. I have copies of last month's fat quarter bag for those not at our last meeting. I'll bring them to the October meeting. See you then. Dottie Wilson

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

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

### 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.

For up-to-date information and photos of guild happenings...Be sure to visit our website at <a href="http://www.lakequilters.org">http://www.lakequilters.org</a>

Email additions and questions to Bonnie Bull, Webmaster <u>bonnie@lakequilters.org</u>

Please contact Jackie Hodgson at hodgson.jackie@gmail.com or call if your email address changes to ensure email delivery of your monthly newsletter and LQG blasts.

#### Lake Quilters Guild Board Meeting September 11, 2017

Present: Bette Gove, Jackie Hodgson, Cecily Sue Roth, Dawn Saunders, Stephanie Schaefer, Linda Walter: The president called the meeting to order at 1:00 PM.

Programs : (Bette Gove and Cecily Sue Roth) reported the following

September 25 – Susie Jacobs – Machine Quilting for Intermediates - Because of cancellations, there are now two spots available for this workshop.

October – Cecily Sue Roth – Hand Stitching on Wool – Seven have signed up for this workshop. Two more are needed to break even on the cost.

November - Rosemarie Newcomb is giving a lecture. Topic - TBD

**December** will be the guild **Christmas luncheon**. Bette, Stephanie and the hospitality chairs will be meeting to plan that tomorrow, September 12. Reservations may be made starting in October

No workshop is planned for January .

February is the LQG Sew-In.

March – Susie Skylar – Sports Quilts – Cost \$35 for members, \$40 for non-members plus book purchase. Cecily Sue will look into getting the book for participants at a discounted price. Signups begin in October

April – Paula Golden – Bindings – cost TBA – Signups begin in November.

Membership stands at 152.

<u>Treasurer:</u> An email on the budget was sent to board members. Any questions may be directed to her At Dawn's request, the board agreed to move next month's meeting to October 16.

All audit information and payment is ready. Dawn gave these items to Stephanie so that she can arrange for the <u>audit.</u>

<u>President:</u> Stephanie asked Dawn to include a quilt retreat line item and a silent auction line item in the 2019 budget. The board approved \$123 to be paid to Cathy Fandel for quilting the king size raffle quilt for the 2018 Quilt Show.

The batting was donated and the cost was 50% off her usual fee

The meeting was adjourned at 1:30 PM.

Treasu	urercs Report	Membership News:
August 2017		Ladies, if you are interested in a magnetic name tag,
		we will continue taking orders at the September meeting. <b>They cost \$15.00.</b> We also have some
Bal. in checking account(7/31/17)	\$10431.72	ceramic Lake Quilters Guild pens for \$5.00 each, if
Income		you are interested. Please have a check made paya-
Workshop	229.99	ble to: Lake Quilters Guild or have the correct change
Membership	167.50	for your purchase. Your order will be placed and they
Interest	<u>0.41</u>	should be available for pick-up at the next Quilt Guild meeting.
<u>Total Income</u>	\$397.90	We want to welcome our new member, <b>Klysta Arm-</b> strong. We are so glad that she has joined us.
<u>Expenses</u>		Please look for her and make her feel welcome.
Administration	52.11	Starting in OCTOBER, we will begin taking renewals
Block of the Month	34.40	for 2018. It's not too early to be thinking about next
Quilting Outreach	500.00	year. There are some incredible programs and clas-
Programs	1084.07	ses already scheduled for next year!!! The <b>renewal</b>
Workshops	503.72	fee will continue to be \$25, as it has been for quite
		a few years. That's really a bargain, as you really are only paying slightly over \$2.00 a month and
<u>Total Expenses</u>	\$2174.30	look what you get!!!!!
Balance carried forward (8/31/17)	-\$1776.40	Betty Reynolds Membership Chair
Balance in Checking Account	\$8655.32	

# Quilt Show News "Our Quilts, Our Passion" April 6-7, 2018 TWO RAFFLE QUILTS

We hope you are all working on your quilts for our quilt show in the Spring. Some of the wonderful Show and Tell items would be great for our show. One of the high-lights of our show is our raffle quilts.

The raffle quilts are very important because this is how the guild makes money to provide us with quality programs through the year. The show itself does not make much money. Raffle tickets will be available at our October meeting. The cost will be



\$2 each, or 3 for \$5, or 6 for\$10. Please get your tickets to sell.

We will have not one, but TWO beautiful raffle quilts thanks to two of our members. Jackie Hodgson has made the beautiful tumbling cubes quilt with fabric the guild purchased and Cathy Fandel quilted it. What a beautiful addition this would be to anyonecs home. It will fit a king sized bed! Thank you, Jackie,

for your time and talent in making this quilt for the guild.

Our second quilt was made and donated by Stephanie Schaefer. The colors in this quilt are bound to catch everyonecs eye. Thank you Stephanie for this generous addition to our quilt show! And thanks to Alicia Knox for the lovely quilting.



### 2017 SML Quilt Guild Challenge-Wall Hanging



(you choose size)

The Log Cabin Star is for the Novice Quilter. If youre a beginner and want to participate in this years challenge pick this star. This block may look intimidating but it's a great starter. Straight lines!! Make Log Cabin squares and arrange into a Star!



The Bethlehem Star is for Intermediate Quilters. If youre a fairly confident quilter that has quite a few projects under your belt, then this is probably the Star Challenge for you! Here's a link:

http://www.fonsandporter.com/wp-content/uploads/Bonus-BrokenSpoke-PiecedDiamond.pdf



The Glacier Star is for the Advanced Quilter. If you've made many quilts and projects and are very confident with patterns then this is the challenge for you! Unfortunately, there are not free patterns for this block. Since many of you advanced quilters have made some form of this pattern you may already have it. If not, you can get it from <u>www.quiltworx.com</u> or <u>www.keepsakequilting.com</u>

Please pick the appropriate skill level star and good luck!!

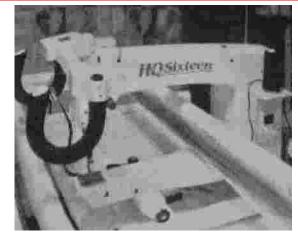
Veronica Church

## Quilting Frame For Sale

This is brand new. It is a Z44 Pro Tm Grace Company no baste hand quilter frame. I understand this is their top of the line frame. It is fruit wood. The new model on the Grace Company website sells for \$809. Mine is older and I am asking \$400. Anyone you know who may be interested can call me at <u>540-721-7777</u>. I hope this quilting frame can find a loving new home.



Jenny Nissen



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# 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 (297-1335). Bring lunch. Will continue to work on charity items for children. Making bears, wheelchair bags, and lap guilts 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 Cafe — 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 WEL-COME).

Let It Bee meets 1st Thursday, 10 a.m., Bethlehem Methodist Church (across from Moneta Library) Will display in NOVEMBER. Contact Dale Stellhorn (Full at this time).

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

River Queen Bee (Goodview) meets at the Moneta Library the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 12:30 pm. For guestions please call either Sharon Cullen or Linda Pote. Will display JANUARY 2017. (Full at this time).

Sew Happy Bee (Rocky Mount) Meets at Living Waters Assembly of God Church 2nd Tuesday of the month from 12 to 4 PM. Accepting new members. Contact Shannan Maggied

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 guilts. Will display in MAY.

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 FACH MONTH.

COMING UP IS OUR "KEPT IN STITCHES BEE". THEY ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO SHOWING OFF WHAT THEY HAVE MADE. MAKE SURE YOU TAKE TIME TO ADMIRE. THEIR WORK.



LET'S MAKE SURE ALL GUILD MEMBERS HELP WITH SETTING UP AS WELL AS TAKING DOWN. PLEASE REMEMBER ALL OF US ARE NOT AS STRONG AS WE USED TO BE SO PLEASE STEP UP TO THE PLATE AND HELP. THANKS A BUNCH.



If you have an interesting project that your Bee has been involved in and would like it to be included in the Newsletter please send it in a 'WORD' document to marlynguilts2@gmail.com no later than 5th of the month that you would like it to appear.

Include a picture too.

Marlyn & Dale

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