River Heritage Quilters' Guild

Quilt Chatter

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From Our President...

Hi Ladies-

I really enjoyed our program last month. Vickie has done a wonderful job with the variety of programs we have had. I think I will make a trip to "The Hill" to see Nola's studio.

I think this heat is sapping my energy. I seem to have the blahs. I did make a trip to St Louis to attend a surprise birthday party for Barb Bolesta. It was a wonderful party and is always fun to see someone really surprised. I am looking forward to her visit to our guild in September.

I am off to LaGrande, OR on Aug 5 and will miss our August meeting. A first cousin passed away and we are gathering for a memorial tree planting on his birthday, Aug 9. I will miss being at guild and participating in the wonderful workshops that have been planned.

The Quilt Show is right around the corner. I hope all of you have your entries ready, your mini quilts made and decided what committee/s you have decided to work on. This quilt show is a group effort which means not only working, but inviting people to come, making quilts to display and participating in all of the things that will be going on. We need quilts for the bed turning. It can be any quilt that you would like to share. Just write a sentence or two describing the quilt, its origin, owner, etc.

Our two new kittens are growing like weeds. They are so much fun and have filled the void left when our 19 year old Annie passed away July 12.

If you would like to make a fabulous tote, I am teaching a class in August and October at the Golden Needle. It is the Professional Tote designed by Laura Martell. Mine is my Elvis tote if any of you have seen it!

Have fun at the August meeting. I will miss you all.

Madeline

August Program: Trunk Show, Lynn Schmitt Cibulka, Chicago. http://www.adifferentboxofcrayons.com/id69.html Theme: My Crayon Box Review...or how I learned to color with fabric. Lynn will share how line, space and color are used in designing quilts.

Fat Quarter:

Bring a BRIGHT colored quarter to the meeting and you will be entered to win a basket of Fat Quarters.

Seasonal Quilt Blocks—free patterns: http://www.straw.com/equilters/library/applique/fallseason.html

Workshop Spots Available:

Ladies: If you missed our July meeting, you may not be aware of our August guest, Lynn Cibulka. She is an innovative quilt/pattern designer and offers unique ideas and techniques. She will be sharing a trunk show at the evenings meeting, as well as offering a Monday morning and/or Monday afternoon workshop. The workshop will be held at the Library in the same room as our meetings. The morning session will begin at 9:30-12:00 noon and the afternoon session will be between 1:00 - 4:00 pm. The cost is $12.00 for either the morning or afternoon; however, if you would like to spend the full day, it's only $20. The featured workshop will be on an original Halloween/Fall pattern. Morning will be a 12" square (plus borders) of a pieced Witches' Boot; the afternoon will be a 24" x 60" table runner called Swept Away. Both pieces are part of her full wall hanging pattern which includes flying geese and pinwheels and borders. So, you may have 2 separate projects or put them together for a larger one.
We certainly do have openings if you would like to attend. If you have a friend that is not a guild member, we welcome them to attend also.

All I ask is that you contact me so I may add your names to the list. When you send me your fee, I will forward your supply list with a picture of the project. .. or if you have already signed up, you may pay me (discreetly) during the workshop. Nevertheless, your supply list and photo will soon be sent to you.
If you need to call me, home is 335-0656/450-6696 or e-mail me at blue1037@charter.net.

I really think this gal will be a treat! She has been featured with a traditional quilt in the May/June issue of American Patchwork and Quilting. I think our guild will enjoy her . . .
If you cannot make the workshop, try not to miss the meeting - and bring a guest to share the fun . .. Mary Green

RHQG Minutes

On July 12, 2010, the River Heritage Quilt Guild meeting was called to order by President Madeline Geiselman at the Cape Girardeau Public Library. There were 52 members present, with 1 guest, and 1 new member. The motion to approve the June minutes was made by Sally Miller, and seconded by Pat Leech.

The July birthdays were recognized and awarded cupcakes and fat quarters. There were 5 present.

Old business:
** MSQG Retreat is in October at Lake of the Ozarks. There is still time to join and sign up for the retreat. See Madeline for information sheets.
** The quilt guild in Farmington will host a square in a square workshop on Aug. 6&7. See Madeline for more information.

Winners for tonight:
Fat quarters: Nancy Pleimann
Name tag: Lois Emerine
Stash for Cash: $25. Mary Beth Parrish
Door prize: Mary Tripp

New Business:
Our quilt show in September is in need of quilts to display for the bed-turning. Please see Mary Tripp to fill out an information sheet and for further information.
Linda Tansil is in need of mini quilts for the auction. Please get those minis ready to go!

Special Events: Mary Green presented information regarding the August meeting and upcoming workshop with our speaker next month, Lynn Cibulka. Workshops will be held at the Cape Public Library both morning and evening. Contact Mary to sign up and for more information.

Quilt Retreat: Lynnore Meyer reported our next year's retreat will be our 15th year and would like several people to submit design ideas for special T-shirts for the event. Please contact Lynnore.

Program:
Ms. Nola Heidbreder from St. Louis demonstrated traditional rug making, its history, technique, and displayed her beautiful rugs. She explained the different wool styles: Shirred rugs, Hearth rugs, Jute rugs, and several others. Her studio in St. Louis is open by appointment, and she teaches individual classes there.
She shared some of her techniques of repairing antique rugs and talked about Punch Hook, Latch Hook, and Locker Hooking. It was a very enlighting program and held our interest with her demonstrating the actual placement of the wool and following pattern design.
Several members displayed their favorite wool rug projects and prizes were given out.

Show and Tell:
(8 displayers) Vickie Howard, Lynnore Meyer, Darla Snider, Saphrona Brewington, Karla Kiefner, Joan Meyer, Ruth LaClair, and Deanna Easley

Respectfully Submitted,

Carol Gallaher, Secretary

River Heritage Quilt Guild's QUILT SHOW

September 24 is fast approaching. That is the Friday before the quilt show and we will be judging and hanging quilts at the Arena Building.

We need hostesses. The hostesses sell tickets and mingle with the guests to talk about the quilts. We like for you to wear the RHQG aprons and white gloves. We have plenty of both to loan. Glenda will need ladies to help in the kitchen with the cinnamon rolls and the luncheon. Mary K will need ladies to help with registration. Martha will need help setting the quilt show up. We will all help take it down. I have had one offer of a pick up truck to get the standards to and from the storage shed. I need one more truck. All of us can make Mary K's job easier by getting our entry forms in EARLY. We also need quilts for the bed turning. It can be any quilt, any owner, any story, just something that you would like to share. Sally has been busy advertising our show all over the place. We are hoping for a good turnout. This will be our 8th quilt show and is grows every year. The raffle quilt will be on display. The raffle quilt will also be taken to the MSQG retreat in October in order to sell tickets. Sally has already started receiving door prizes, so we should have a good selection.

The quilt show is shaping up nicely, but it can't be done by the relatively small Quilt Show Committee. Please take the time to sign up for a committee, get your quilt(s) entered early, get your mini quilts done for the Silent Auction and plan on spending a fun weekend at the RHQG Quilt Show.

More Seasonal quilt pattern inspiration……

www.freequiltpatterns.info/ and scroll down to where it says Seasonal Quilt Patterns under Category Pages

QUILTS NEEDED FOR MUSEUM EXHIBIT

The Cape River Heritage Museum is going to have a quilt exhibit starting in Sept and running to Dec. 15, 2010. Do you have a quilt or quilt collection you'd like to exhibit?

They will be opening the exhibit Sept. 24th along with our Quilt Guild Show that weekend. Our Quilt Guild's show is at the Arena Building. The Oliver House and the Glenn House will also be participating in the quilt themed weekend.

Contact Viney Mosley
jeanbellmosley@charter.net

31-Jul-10 **TREASURER'S REPORT**

Month Beginning Cash Balance	9,206.07			
Income		July	Year to Date	Budgeted
	Stash for Cash (50/50)	25.00	162.00	300.00
	Dues	10.00	950.00	2000.00
	Opportunity Quilt	75.00	295.00	1500.00
	Special Events		400.00	1320.00
	Guild Retreat		5070.20	5500.00
	Pin Sales	5.00	5.00	
	T-Shirts		354.25	
	Library		15.00	
	Fons & Porter		0.00	180.00
	Rental of Standards		50.00	200.00
	Quilt Show		553.60	8000.00
	Misc		0.00	
Total Income		115.00	7855.05	19000.00
Expenses				
	Programs	226.86	936.15	2000.00
	Membership		88.85	200.00
	Historian		0.00	30.00
	Hospitality	8.28	144.31	350.00
	Newsletter/Yearbook	19.95	384.69	700.00
	Opportunity Quilt		323.70	500.00
	Special Events		524.36	1700.00
	Community Projects		10.72	150.00
	Pattern of the Month		0.00	200.00
	Administrative Expenses		55.00	300.00
	Storage for Standards		0.00	360.00
	P.O. Box		0.00	50.00
	Fons & Porter		0.00	135.00
	Guild Retreat		5054.26	6000.00
	T-Shirts		349.19	
	Board Retreat		200.00	200.00
	Quilt Show (arena)		633.81	6000.00
	Misc. Expenses		56.69	125.00
	Certificate of Deposit		0.00	
Total Expenses		255.09	8,761.73	19000.00
Certificate of Deposit	5119.71			
Month Ending Cash Balance	9,065.98			
Balance	14,185.69			

Quilt Shows and Other Area News

Find a quilt show: http://www.quiltguilds.com/august.htm

WPT QUILT EXPO, September 9—11

9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Exhibition Hall at the Alliant Energy Center
Madison, Wisconsin
http://wiquiltexpoorders.com/
You can order a CD of pictures from the show on their website.
Contact Information: Wisconsin Public Television
Phone: 866-297-6545
Email: wiquiltexpo@wpt.org
Website: www.wiquiltexpo.com

RIVER HERITAGE QUILT SHOW, September 25 –26

9 am to 4 pm
Arena Building, Cape Girardeau, MO
Bed-Turning
http://www.riverquilters.org/show10.htm
All quilts must be registered by Friday Sept. 12

CONTACT INFO CHANGES:

Judy Robinson has a new cell phone number. It was left out of the online newsletter. Contact a board member.

Mary Green has a new email address: blue1037@charter.net

2010 Officers

President—Madeline Gieselman
Vice President—Vickie Howard
Secretary—Carol Gallaher
Treasurer—Barb Miller
Historian—Pat Smith

2010 Committee Chairman

Audit—Glenda Nations
Community Projects—Nancy East
Hospitality— Muriel LaMadrid
Membership—Mary Tripp
Yearbook—Sally Miller
Pattern of the Month—Vickie Howard
Quilt Show— Madeline Gieselman
Opportunity Quilt—Anastasia Gonzales & Merle Deneke
Newsletter/ Website—Linda Tansil
Publicity—Sally Miller
Special Events—Mary Green

2009-2010 Block of the Month Christmas Quilt Challenge
GUIDELINES:

Size…..your choice;
Must use minimum of 9 blocks from monthly patterns;
Additional blocks/borders may be added;
Must be brought to September meeting (does not have to be quilted); bring in a non-transparent bag.

Quilts will be numbered and displayed for Viewer's Choice vote.

First Place…..$100
Second Place… 50
Third Place…… 25

AUGUST 2010

* indicates a birthday

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 ***Community Projects***	3	4 *Dee Roe	5 *Cheryl Amos	6	7
8	9 AM & PM WORKSHOPS Guild Meeting,6:30 social time, 6:45 meeting time, Cape Library	10 *Mary Belle Dohogne	11	12	13	14
15	16 ***Community Projects***	17 *Joyce Holloway *Cindy Spaeth *Carol Wichern	18	19	20 *Kimberly Stueve	21
22 *Have you entered a quilt in the show yet?*	23	24	25 *Marie Todd	26 *Carolyn Andrews	27	28 Finish an orphan block for the silent auction.
29	30 *Karen Yates-Bey *Christina Ludwig	31				

Vickie Howard shared some quilt websites:

www.quilterstravelcompanion.com

Many shop ads are displayed with continuous updates. Over 1200 shows are listed--there's a list of guilds, shop hops, retreats and other 'quilty' events AND it's all updated weekly!

www.quiltersgiftshop.com

No fabric, no patterns, notions —- nothing but gifts for quilters

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Upcoming Guild Activities….

Guild Meeting:
August 9
Workshops in day
6:30 social
6:45 meeting

Quilt Show
September 25 and 26, 2010
Theme: Seasons

Please send all information to be published in the newsletter by the 20th of the previous month to Linda Tansil or email newsletter@riverquilters.org

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