



COUNTRY NOTES
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2010 QUILT SHOW

Quilt Show 2009 How can Donna and I ever express our gratitude to the Guild for producing such a wonderful show? From the Strip Search "assignment" to the request for the Place Name blocks, you came through and you produced. You may not have understood why I was excited about Gee's Bend but you got to experience them first hand and you felt the excitement of the many people who came to the show to see their work. The women who came from Gee's Bend were so taken with the people they met here and appreciated the hospitality you showed them. For that I am most thankful.

Now, as you know, my mind has jumped ahead to next year's show and Donna and I have some wonderful ideas to share with you at the next regular meeting. For now I will just ask you to get your sewing machines tuned up, your needles sharpened, and your creative minds jump started and ready for another fun year (actually just 10 months!) preparing for an even bigger and better Quilt Show 2010!

President's Message

The fall colors are becoming to look like a quilt of many colors. As I drive up my street, I see all kinds of blocks.

We will have a busy November, with the Quilt-a-thon on the 3rd and the regular meeting, with Betty Sue and the wool work shop.

The luncheon was great and Tony, as always, gave everyone a laugh.

Start thinking about the 2010 Quilt Show, Home Sweet Home.

Kathryn

November Birthdays



4	Dorothy R
8	Ella B
18	Laura S
25	Paula S
26	Joyce K

November Hostesses are:

Suann C
Amanda M
Donna M
Katherine S

November Friendship Quilt Winner – Linda C

My name is Linda C. I was born, reared, educated, and retired in Saline County. After graduating from Marshall High School, receiving a B.S. in math and business education from Missouri Valley College and an M.S. in guidance and counseling from Central Missouri State University (now University of Central Missouri), and teaching for 30 years, I retired in 2002 and immediately joined CPQG. I also enjoy walking, reading, playing handbells, attending grandchildren's activities, and spending time with family and friends.

I am married to Terry, who works for Hahn & Phillips. We have two children and four grandchildren. Our daughter, Stacey S, lives in Marshall and teaches first grade at Benton. She and her husband, Jim, have two sons and a daughter. Tyler is a sophomore at Missouri State University, Ryan is a junior at Marshall High School, and Malorie is also a junior. Our son, David, is an estimator and project manager at Hilty Construction in Clinton, MO. He and his wife, Kara, have a daughter, Anniston, who was born last Thanksgiving.

My mother, Betty P, is a charter member of the Guild. It was her participation and projects that caused my interest in quilting. She has made and continues to make quilts for each of her 5 children, graduation quilts for each of the 11 grandchildren, and baby quilts for each of the 13 great-grandchildren (has one ready for the baby due in November). I have always appreciated the skill, time, and effort that making a quilt requires and wanted to be able to pass something that special and personal on to my family.

My favorite Guild activity is the monthly friendship block. I like the opportunity to make a different block each month without having to make a whole quilt. The block that I have chosen is a very simple pinwheel pattern. I am really excited about having my name drawn for the friendship quilt (thank you Amanda) and would like to thank everyone who makes a block for me.

Program News

Don't forget!! The "working with wool" workshop will be held at 9 a.m. on our regular meeting day. If you haven't signed up, but want to take the class, contact Michael or Micki as soon as possible. There are only a couple of seats available. Betty Sue Simonson will be teaching the class and will have kits available. Please bring basic sewing supplies. Betty Sue will also present a trunk show of her beautiful wool items at our afternoon meeting.

The January program will be featuring all of us!! We would like to spotlight the "other" talents that we have. Be thinking about what you might want to share with the group.

And February!!! We have booked Ann Hazelwood for the February program! Michael will be discussing with you this interesting and interactive program at the November meeting.

Keep it quiet. But we really want to surprise Kathryn with her president's quilt top early, at the Christmas Luncheon. If you have a block, please get it to Norma Jean at the Charity Work Day, Nov. 3, or mail it to her. If you can't complete it, please pass it on to someone else, or send it back Thanks.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS.....

FRIDAY NOV 6 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. **SATURDAY NOV 7** 9:00 a.m. to 5:00p.m.

Over 200 quilts on display – bed turning, challenge quilts, opportunity quilt, silent auction, guild corner, boutique, featured quilter

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

1800 SW 150 Highway

Lee's Summit, MO

www.Isquilters.com

Free Chili Dinner & Quilt Show

Village Hospice, a John Knox Village service

November 7, 2009, 11:00 – 1:00pm

United Methodist Church

1211 South Hwy 13 Lexington, MO

Vintage Quilt Sale Butterfield Youth Services

Sat Nov 21 2009 9:00-3:00pm

BYS Gymnasium 1126 E Hwy W Marshall, MO

Partners in Patchwork Quilt Guild

Friday Nov 20 9:00-8:00pm Sat Nov 21 8:00-3:00pm

American Legion Bldg

1001 W 22nd Higginsville, MO

Vendors-Raffle Quilt-items for sale made by guild members

Charity Work Day: Tuesday, Nov. 3, 8:30 to 3:30

Bring your sewing supplies: machine, thread, cutting board, ironing board, fabric you'd like to share, rulers, rotary cutters, extension cords, power strips, etc. etc. Please put your name on your supplies or mark in some way.

We have some donated florals and busy prints that desperately need some solids and neutrals to go with them. We have some coordinated bundles ready to be cut into simple strip patterns and pieced. Remember: finished size is about 45 by 60 and the design does not have to be complicated!

Snacks will be provided but lunch is Brown Bag Carry-In. We will have tea available.

Any questions: call NJ F.

**COUNTRY PATCHWORK QUILT GUILD
REGULAR MEETING
OCTOBER 13, 2009**

President Kathryn J opened the meeting with a moment of prayer. 31 individuals enjoyed the fall luncheon.

President Kathryn J called the meeting to order. Guests were Jane H, Gee's Bend's ribbon winner from the quilt show: Kathie B, Norma Jean's quilt show assistance, and Tony Munoz, the quest speaker. Donna R moved to accept the minutes as printed and was seconded by Betty S. Motion carried. Katherine S moved we accept the treasurer's report as printed in the newsletter. Seconded by Betty S. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Charity: Don't forget the workday on November 3rd at the church beginning at 9:00 a.m. Bring supplies and your own lunch.

Sunshine: A sympathy card was sent to Mary T in the loss of her husband.

Friendship: Dorothy R's blocks were collected. Eileen H handed out her quilt blocks. Betty L's name was drawn for the next friendship quilt.

Web Director: Suann wants feedback on the web page.

Newsletter: Information should be sent to Kathy C by the 25th of the month or before.

2009-quilt show: Norma Jean and Donna thanked all those that helped make this year quilt show a success. There were almost 1,000 in attendance. Many positive feed backs from the quests. Norma Jean has already started planning for next year. Her brain is on automatic go.

Door Prizes: Door prizes were won by the following individuals: Rita M, Marilyn S, Paula S, Darlene L, Suann, Marty W, Kathie B, Betty Sue S, Christy W, Barbara, Jane H, Tony Munoz, Charlene G, and Amanda M.

November workshop: Betty Sue S showed what we were making at the next workshop to be held at 9 a.m. on November 10th.

Show and tell: Amanda M showed two quilts—one-stack blocks and maple leaf done in homespun's.

Old business: none

New business: none

Program: Tony Munoz was introduced. He presented a trunk show and discussed quilting from a male quilter's view.

Meeting adjourned.

Marty W
Secretary

**COUNTRY PATCHWORK QUILT GUILD
BOARD MEETING
OCTOBER 13, 2009**

President Kathryn J called a special board meeting after the regular meeting. There was a quorum present. After discussion, we agreed that not to have our scheduled board meeting in October and meet after the November regular meeting.

Meeting adjourned.

Marty W
Secretary