



COUNTRY NOTES

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From the President

I hope all of you are healthy and enjoying everything Santa brought you. We're going to start the New Year off right and work on things for the quilt show Bazaar. The fun starts at 9 am if the weather doesn't change our plans. Bring a dish with something good to eat in it for lunch. At 1 pm we'll have a short regular meeting. Also, I'm still looking for a picture of a past Opportunity Quilt called "Wasatch Memories". If a charter member/member would share a copy of it with me I'd appreciate it. See you at the January meeting.....

Meeting Tuesday January 11th at 9 o'clock

Work Day to work on bazaar or silent auction items. Val S will have kits and items to work on. Pot luck lunch.

Donna R

Board meeting, Tuesday, January 18th, 10 o'clock, YMCA

Remember ----- if Marshall schools do not have classes. CPQG will not have a meeting.

January Birthdays



3	Katye E
12	Mary Vale J
16	Kathryn J
30	Linda C

Hostesses for January are Mildred M, Betty P, and Christy W.

February hostesses are Norma F, Marty W, and Donna B.

Upcoming Programs

February 8th Libby Wallis of Lib's Quilts

March 8th Workshop: Easy Trapunto 9 to 12 with Kathy Delaney

1 o'clock Meeting: Kathy Delaney

“ If I'm the Applique Queen, Where's My Crown “

If you missed the Charity Workshop November 10th, you missed a good time and a great learning opportunity. It's also a great way to get to know other guild members a little better. We have some really nice, fun members.

Thank you Norma Jeane and Marlyn for doing most the cutting ahead of time. It is so exciting to make a beautiful quilt top in a few short hours, and we made 2! One will be for the YMCA and one is for the Relay for Life.



COUNTRY PATCHWORK QUILT GUILD
REGULAR MEETING
NOVEMBER 9, 2010

President Paula S called the meeting to order. She welcomed everyone and guests. Guests were Nancy R, Donna M, Joy P, and Norma H.

Kathryn J moved that the minutes be accepted as printed in the newsletter. Seconded by Millie M. Approved. Donna R moved that the financial report be approved as printed in the newsletter. Seconded by Donna B. Approved.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Sunshine: Linda C has sent a card to Betty E.

Door Prizes: Kathryn J, Michael M and Mary Vale J won the door prizes.

Friendship Block; N. J. F thanked all that made a block for her. Kathy C passed out her block directions and Rita M's name was drawn for the next month.

Historian; nothing

Librarian; Dorothy R reported the library has been categorized and to please go thru your personal library to see if you have any of the guilds books and to return them.

Newsletter: Kathy C was wanting to know if everyone had received the newsletter.

Charity: The guild will be having a workday on Wednesday to sew together quilt tops for Relay for Life and for the silent auction at the YMCA.

N. J. F gave a quilt to the residence at the dedication of the new Habitat home.

N. J. F will be traveling to Columbia, MO to the VA Hospital to delivery 2 quilts to the veterans. Kathy C volunteered to make a pie for the reception.

2011 quilt show: The quilt show dates are October 15 and 16 along with the National Corn husking Events. The theme is "Stars in Our Lives". For the small bazaar we are wanting items less than \$30.00.

Suggested baked items for the bazaar. Gayle S will be working on the fat quarter basket raffle. President's challenge needs to be completed by the September meeting. Bring in a brown paper bag. Voting will be done at the September meeting.

The following individuals showed their first made quilt:

Year	Individual	Title
1991	Marty W	Desert Storm
1985	Anita C	Sampler
1998	Donna R	Monkey Wrench
1975	Betty L	Star Pattern
1985	Kathryn J	Sampler
Early 1980	Rita M	Snails Trail
2002	Lavonne B	Fan
Early 1980	Marlyn M	Fan
Started 1936--Quilted 1945	Rita M	Sunbonnet Sue
1962	Dorothy R	Baby quilt and Orange and green appliqué
1986	N. J. F	Christmas
2002	Linda C	Sampler
1965	Kathryn S	Stars
1980's	Betty P	Sampler
1980's	Eileen H	Sampler
1995	Marilyn S	
	Mary Pat W	wall-hanging
2002's	Paula S	variation of Churn Dash

Other quilts shown:

Red/White/Black charity quilt

Amanda M Barn Raising Log Cabin and Rag Quilt

Dorothy R Table cloth

Marlyn M Friendship Block Stars

Other business:

Reminded to bring a \$10.00 gift or ornament for the Christmas luncheon. Meat will be provided by the guild. And don't forget your covered dish.

Program was turned over to Donna McAdams of Sew Creative. She showed many samples of the line of "Scrap Therapy" patterns.

Meeting adjourned and refreshment were served.

Submitted by Marty W, secretary

COUNTRY PATCHWORK QUILT GUILD
BOARD MEETING
NOVEMBER 16, 2010

PRESENT: Christy W, Karen G, Micki U, Donna M, Paula S, Gayle S, Valerie S, Marty W, Donna R, and Kathy C.

President Paula S called the meeting to order. The minutes were approved as printed in the newsletter. The financial report was approved as printed in the newsletter.

There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS:

A motion as made by Kathy C and seconded by Christy W to give \$50.00 cash to the Community Holiday Project. Motion approved.

Kathryn J wants permission to have the October meeting on October 18, 2011 after the quilt show.

Approved.

Linda C had e-mail guild members about the Marshall choraliers going to Carnegie Hall in May. The choir members are wanting jobs in order to make money to finance their trip.

There is no program in January. We will be working on Bazaar items, so bring your sewing supplies. Also bring a covered dish--it is Pot Luck.

A motion was made to donate the red/white/black quilt to the Fitzgibbon Spring Fling which is April 8, 2011.

QUILT SHOW 2011:

Admission will be \$3.00 with no dollar discount.

Betty L needs for use to add \$200.00 to our quilt budget in order to obtain a guest speaker for the quilt show.

Kathy C moved to increase the guest budget by \$200.00. Seconded by Christy W. Motion carried.

There is a quilt show meeting at Karen's house on December 15th at 10:00 a.m.

REMINDERS:

Don't forget your covered dish, brown bag if it applies and your Christmas gift if you want to participate in the exchange.

If Marshall public school is not in session, there will be no quilt guild meeting.

There will be no board meeting in December.

If anyone has fabrics that they would like to donate to our charity stash, the committee thanks you.

Meeting adjourned.

Submitted by Secretary ----Marty W

COUNTRY PATCHWORK QUILT GUILD
REGULAR MEETING
DECEMBER 14, 2010

Twenty-five members enjoyed a carry-in luncheon. Meat of turkey and ham were provided by the guild. The meat was cooked by Marty W. Kathryn J gave the invocation.

CHARITY:

Marlyn M showed the two quilt tops that were done at a workshop. These will be for Relay for Life and the YMCA.

We have two baby quilts which will be given to the first born baby in Chariton and Pettis County. N.J. F discussed her experience at the Veteran's Hospital in Columbia.

SUNSHINE CHARIMAN: Linda C reported the following Mildred M had fallen and broke her elbow. Lois H is to have artery surgery. Dixie N is to have shoulder surgery. Darlene L has 3 treatments remaining.

NOTE: The January 11, 2011 workday will begin at 9 a.m. Bring all your sewing supplies, something to work on. We will be working on bazaar item. There will be a short business meeting. Pot Luck. No refreshments will be provided

There were 4 that participated in the brown bag exchange. Others enjoyed the gift exchange and the door prizes.

Submitted by Marty W, secretary

Life is like a patchwork quilt
And each little patch is a day
Some patches are rosy, happy and bright.
And some are dark and gray.

But each little patch as it's fitted in
And sewn to keep it together
Makes a finished block in this life of ours
Filled with sun, and with rainy weather.

So let me work on Life's patchwork quilt
Through the rainy days and the sun
Trusting that when I have finished my block
The master may say: "Well done."

Elizabeth Ryan DeCoursey



Friendship Block Winner

Rita M

Once again, my name was drawn for another friendship quilt. My friendship quilts are my favorites to use as they hold so many good memories of quilting friends who are no longer with us.

I was born in Norborne, Mo. and moved to Nelson at the age of 14, then moved to Arrow Rock and graduated from Marshall High. I was married to Harley 59 years and we had 4 children, 2 girls and 2 boys. Now I have 8 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. None living close enough to spoil.

I joined the guild when we moved to Marshall in 1992 and have met so many good

quilting friends. I have many fond memories of such things as: Project Day at Betty P, and quilting on the raffle quilt in her basement, as we do at Micki's now. We have had many fun filled guild trips, and I have learned so much from the workshops and satellite groups, the interacting with you good quilters and certainly must include all those great quilt shows we've had over the years. It seems like they get bigger and better each year. My thanks and love goes out to all of those who have contributed to these memorable experiences.

Thanks to Norma Jean for the invitation to fly to Phoenix with them, then I'll go on to Tucson to spend Thanksgiving with a brother and his wife and my daughter and their families.

Library News

Be sure to look at our library! With the help of Lavonne B it has been reorganized with the books now arranged by subject. They are in alphabetical order within each subject so when browsing, please try to return books to their original location. However, when you return a book which you have checked out, it should be left on the table or counter.

Look at ends of the cart for a list of the complete subjects and the color code for each one. The dividers between the books have an abbreviated subject on them which may not indicate everything that is in that category. The spine of each book has a color code to indicate its subject. You may also refer to the blue file folder which lists all the books and videos in the library. There are three separate lists for the books: by title, author and subject. The Cassettes are now in boxes. If you would use the videos they were transferred to DVDs, please advise a board member or Dorothy Rolf, librarian.

We are still missing 16 books per the check out cards in the box. Please check to see if you have any of these books:

Tulips, Best Selling Patchwork, Easy Mini-Quilts, Christmas Cupboard, Favorite Redwork Designs, Great American Quilts, Great American Quilts 1992, Kansas City Star Quilts, Kansas Trouble, Needlework Sewing, Nine Patch Design, Nine Patch Pizzazz, Redwork, Quilts & More, Silk Ribbon Embroidery, Through the Garden Gate.

Calendar

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| Feb. 11-12 | Calico Cut-Ups Quilt Show, Salvation Army Community Center
14700 E. Truan Rd, Independence, MO vendors 816-461-1778 |
| March 12 | Quilts Among Friends Quilt Show, First Christian Church,
Warrensburg, MO quiltshow11@yahoo.com 660-747-7080 |
| April 9-10 | Q.U.I.L.T. Guild of NW Arkansas, Benton County Fairgrounds
http://Quiltguildnwa.edublogs.org |
| July 21-23 | Ricky Tims' Quilt Seminar, Quad Cities, IA-IL |
| Oct. 15-16 | Country Patchwork Quilt Show, Marshall MO YMCA |

Attention: We need help. We are quilting on the raffle quilt at Micki U's. Please join us. Just come or call Karen G or Micki. We quilt Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 – 3, or whenever you can. We have a nice carry in lunch and a good time. It is a great way to practice and improve your quilting. The good quilters are very generous to pass on helpful hints and ways to make your quilting better. It's like a free quilting lesson. It's a hand quilted raffle quilt. No one expects it to be perfect. Hope to see you at Micki's.