
February Program:

February's program is a "make it and take it." We are going to have four options for members, and they will get to choose two. It should be lots of fun and an opportunity to learn something new. Members should bring basic sewing supplies (needle, thread and small scissors). Also, if you have an old wall calendar or a couple sheets of scrapbook paper, please bring them.

JUNE 2013 WORKSHOP:

Mark your calendars for June 10 and/or June 11, 2013. Lynne Hagmeier, who designs the Kansas Trouble patterns and fabric, will be doing a trunk show and workshop. We hope to have a great turn out.

--Chris Ludwig & Betty Meyer, Co-Vice Presidents

THANK YOU: Thanks so much for the donations of quilts to Hope Children's Home. With it being cold and the kids coming in with nothing much of their own, it is so nice to have the comfort of these quilts. With your donation we will be able to give these kids HOPE for a brighter future as we assist them during this time of crisis in their lives. For more information on how your donation is helping to make a difference in the lives of foster children in our community, we invite you to visit our website at: www.hopechildrenshomejackson.com. You can also find information there on our upcoming events for this year and volunteer opportunities. Thank you again, and we look forward to your continued support!--Dianna Peace, Administrative Assistant, Hope Children's Home

RETREAT: The plans for the Guild's Annual Retreat has been shared at the January meeting. The dates for the retreat will be Wed., March 11, through Sun., March 17, and will be at the Kentucky Dam Village. Everyone is welcome to attend! Some cabins have already met and committed, and others are getting together soon. If you have never been and wish to know more, please ask any guild member or you can call the retreat chairperson, Mary Green (335-0656/450-6696). We have 8 cabins reserved and have been told more are available if needed. Anyone new to the retreat is welcome to join an existing cabin (if there's an extra bed) or recruit friends to form a new cabin. No one will be overlooked! There is certainly room for all!!!!!!

--Mary Green, Retreat Chairman

RHQG Minutes January 14, 2013

The River Heritage Quilt Guild was called to order at 6:30 p.m. on January 14, 2013, at the Cape Girardeau Public Library by President Sally Miller. There were 66 members present, 3 guests. Welcome two new members Velda Smith and Sara Goin.

The made the motion to approve the minutes was made by Madeline Gieselman and seconded by Cheryl Tuschhoff.

January Birthdays celebrated were Nancy East, Darlene Jackson, Mary Peters, Monica Lewis, Pat Leech, Martha Haertling, Margorie Suedekum, Sandra Cryts. Four were present.

Sally had pamphlets that highlight fabric shops along Interstate 44 from St. Louis to Springfield.

The program was given by Maxine Michael on the art of English Smocking. Maxine had several beautiful dresses and also gave us all a brief history lesson on the art. Chris Ludwig also brought some beautiful dresses.

Chris Ludwig introduced the gadget of the month: A finger rotary cutter which Raven told us all really works.

Drawings: Attendance-Deanna Easley, Name tag-Raven Simms, Gadget-Debbie Meek, Fat quarters (27)-Linda Gast, Cash for Stash (\$26.50)-Mary Alice Rushton.

Nancy East, Community Projects says the group that meets at her house make all size quilts and meet at her house on the 1st and 3rd Monday of the month from 9:00-2:30, bring a sack lunch and stay as long as you can "just come and have fun." Her new house is located at 2638 Janet Drive.

Madeline says the 2014 quilt show will be held on Oct. 4th and 5th, and this will also be the Guilds 25th Anniversary. The theme will be "patriotic."

Cindy Spaeth needs all items for the newsletter by the 20th of each month.

The Rabbits' Lair out of Arkansas sent some Quilt Sampler Kits. Winners were Joyce Holloway, Ellen Coffman, and Harriet Martin.

Programs for the coming year are going to be discussed at retreat.

Mary Green says we have 8 cabins reserved at Kentucky Dam Village this year. Some are 3 bedrooms-3 baths and some are 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Contact a cabin mom or Mary Green if you are interested in attending.

Show and Tell--Sally Miller, Clara Friese, Cindy Spaeth, Pat Lester, Linda Gast, Darla Snider, and Deanna Easley.

RHQG Minutes 1/14/13 (continued):

Madeline brought some of her sister, Muriel LaMadrid's, things, and let everyone have something. She hopes everyone enjoys what they took, encourages everyone to finish some of their projects, or to leave notes.

—Respectfully submitted, Sherry Welker, Secretary

RHQG TREASURER'S REPORT

31-Dec-12

Month Beginning Cash Balance	\$ 9,695.54			
Income		December	Year to Date	Budgeted
Stash for Cash (50/50)		\$	288.00	\$ 300.00
Dues	\$ 360.00	\$	1,188.00	\$ 1,392.00
Opportunity Quilt	\$ 20.00	\$	2,070.00	\$ 2,000.00
Special Events		\$	500.00	\$ 1,000.00
Guild Retreat		\$	6,009.20	\$ 6,000.00
Fons & Porter	\$ 100.00	\$	260.00	\$ 300.00
Quilt Show		\$	5,501.83	\$ 5,000.00
Miscellaneous - sale of yearbook		\$	2.00	\$ 5.00
Miscellaneous - sale of pin		\$	5.00	\$ 20.00
Miscellaneous - sale of chicken from picnic		\$	9.00	\$ -
Miscellaneous - standard rental		\$		\$
Total Income		\$ 480.00	\$ 15,833.03	\$ 16,017.00
Expenses				
Programs		\$	1,354.68	\$ 2,300.00
Membership		\$	114.33	\$ 225.00
Hospitality	\$ 123.35	\$	346.71	\$ 400.00
Website	\$ 107.95	\$	107.95	\$ 112.00
Newsletter	\$ 10.20	\$	395.37	\$ 400.00
Yearbook		\$	124.17	\$ 125.00
Opportunity Quilt		\$	247.15	\$ 600.00
Special Events		\$	733.00	\$ 1,700.00
Community Projects	\$ 42.10	\$	209.17	\$ 200.00
Pattern of the Month	\$ 131.60	\$	141.60	\$ 150.00
Administrative Expenses	\$ 84.00	\$	134.00	\$ 200.00
Storage for Standards		\$	360.00	\$ 360.00
P. O. Box	\$ 54.00	\$	54.00	\$ 44.00
Fons & Porter	\$ 75.00	\$	195.00	\$ 75.00
Guild Retreat		\$	4,735.89	\$ 6,000.00
Board Retreat		\$	200.00	\$ 200.00
Room Rental	\$ 50.00	\$	90.00	\$ 100.00
NQA Officers' Memberships		\$	125.00	\$ 125.00
Quilt Show		\$	4,647.87	\$ 5,000.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$ 10.80	\$	100.82	\$250.00
Quilt Guild Cookbook				
Total Expenses		\$ 689.00	\$14,416.71	\$ 18,566.00
Certificate of Deposit			\$5,264.31	
Month Ending Cash Balance			\$9,486.54	
Balance		\$ 14,750.85		

2013 Officers:

President—Sally Miller
Co-Vice Presidents—Chris Ludwig & Betty Meyer
Secretary—Sherry Welker
Treasurer—Nancy Pleimann
Historian—Linda Gast

Committee Chairman:

Audit—Glenda Nations
Community Projects—Nancy East
Correspondence—Donna Irwin
Hospitality—Harriet Martin
Newsletter/Yearbook—Cindy Spaeth
Opportunity Quilt—Jeanette Buchheit
Opportunity Quilt Raffle—Merle Deneke
Pattern of the Month—Pat Smith
Publicity—Ravan Simms
Quilt Show—Madeline Gieselman
Retreat Chairman—Mary Green
Special Events—Lynnore Meyer
Website—Linda Tansil

DINNER

Panera's at 5:00 p.m.
All are invited.

MEETING

Mon., 2/11/13, 6:30 pm
Cape Girardeau Public Library

FAT QUARTER

Patriotic

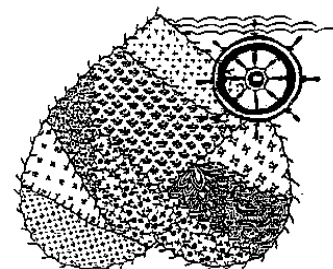
RETREAT

March 13-17, 2013

2014 QUILT SHOW THEME

"Patriotic"

Please send all information to be published in the newsletter by the 20th of the previous month to Cindy Spaeth. If your email changes or for any email announcements, send an email to Donna Irwin.



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