

the Bee Line

NEXT MEETING:

April 10th, 2010

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church

26 W. Commerce Street

Chambersburg, Pennsylvania

12:00 P.M. Social Gathering

1:00 P.M. Business Meeting/Program

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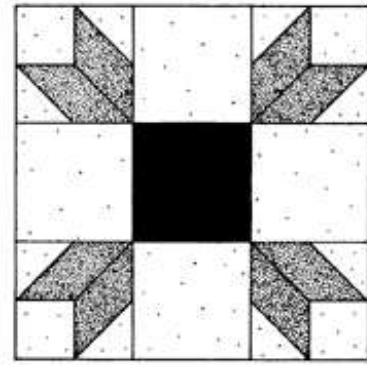
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April Program

The Making of a Quilter

Linda Schwalm

Do you have the skills needed to make your first quilt or to become a better quilter? What old or new skills should you develop? Do you need help with color decisions? Where do you get inspiration or ideas for a new quilt? Ever wonder how to create a quilt you like using your most disliked color(s)? What seems to be missing in a quilt that just doesn't seem right to you? Have a special fabric you'd like to use but don't know how to begin? Join us at the April meeting for a presentation to answer your questions and open your eyes to fabric, color and design choices. (Workshop supply list on page 5)



Tulip Lady Fingers

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**Chambersburg Quilt Guild, Inc.
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Chambersburg Quilt Guild Meeting Minutes

The Guild meeting was held on 3/13/10 at 1:00 pm at Trinity Lutheran Church, Chambersburg PA. Ninety-seven people signed in for the meeting. The last meeting's minutes were published in the Bee Line and approved by the members. The Treasurer report was given and also approved by the members. The Documentation financial report was given and filed for audit. New members and visitors were welcomed. The February meeting had been cancelled due to inclement weather.

Documentation Disbursement: Mim Huffman represented the disbursement committee and asked the membership to approve a \$10,000 disbursement of the proceeds of the Documentation book. The groups and amounts are listed in the March Bee Line, page 2. The membership approved the disbursements.

Old Business: **Round Robin** – the fourth round is due today and it should be finished in May. **Photographs** for the Membership Directory will be taken before the April meeting. Membership is requested to pay next year's dues early in order to get the directory with pictures ready for September. Forms are available in the back. **Friendship Blocks** are available at the back and should be returned by the April meeting. **Raffle Quilt Tickets** are ready for pick-up for the next raffle. Dottie Moreland has **raffle quilt kits** for members to make for the next raffle quilt. The kit is due in May. Proceeds from the quilt help finance the guild and its activities. The next **Board Meeting** has been changed to 10 o'clock, May 8th before the May meeting. **Retreat** – If you are attending the retreat it must be paid by the April meeting.

New Business: **Gotemba, Japan** will be visited by a couple of guild members in August. This is our guild's sister city. If you would like to send a small quilted item see Helen Lagasse. **Quilt Bee locations** for the

rest of the guild year will be listed in the newsletter. The **March Bee** will be held at Dottie Moreland's house. The **July Bee** will be hosted by Wilma Beatty. A suggestion was made to have a host and co-host for the bee. This will encourage new people to take a turn at hosting a bee. Sign up sheets for next year are in the back. Cindy Bender announced an **Evening Bee** is being formed at the Grove library, the third Thursday each month from 6:30 – 8:00. **Cook Books** – Cindy will ask the board for seed money to start the cookbook. **Refreshments-** We need people to sign up to bring refreshments for our meetings. **Lancaster Bus Trip** is March 25th. A new show put on by AQS. Information and signup for the trip is in the back. **National Quilt Day** is March 19th and volunteers are needed to sew that day. The **Sunshine** committee gave a report on the health of some of the members and their families and new additions to families. Wilma Wehrle-Irvin introduced and welcomed new members and their quilt buddies. **Nominating Committee** has four positions open for this year, The recording secretary, correspondence secretary and two facilities people. Contact Lani Brechbill if you are interested. Melissa Bowen volunteered for Recording Secretary. **Challenge quilts** are due in May. The theme is "What do I think of in Pennsylvania". Paducah Quilt Show – Donna Gilbert had her 85x85 "Tropical Beauty" placed and juried in this prestigious show. **Programs** – Dottie Moreland presented her program "Using Printed Fabric in Appliqué" for the membership. She also held a workshop in the morning that was well received. Meeting adjourned.

Submitted by: Christine Mieczkowski,
Secretary

President's Corner Block

Spring is here, thank goodness!!

Don't forget that you can now start paying your dues for next years membership and thus be included in the new years directory. So get your picture taken before the next meeting

Also a reminder that the Board meeting has been changed to before the May 8th meeting at 10:00 am.

Marilyn

Greeter

Wilma Wehrle-Irvin

Refreshments

Kathy Magaro
Ellie Garris
Marilyn Peron
Sue Frederick
Amy Hetz

Sunshine

Here is the latest report on Mary Ellen. She is expecting to be home by the weekend. (Editor's Note; she is home!) If you plan on sending any cards of encouragement, please send to her home address.

Mary Ellen Fairbairn
146 Camelot Dr
Chambersburg, PA 17202

Please remember to contact Lee Hively by phone: 267-3761, email: leesquilts47@gmail.com (if that doesn't work nealhively@comcast.net) or Wilma Wehrle-Irvin phone 749-5005 email: wehrlebird@comcast.net for sunshine news.

April Trivia;
Birthstone: Diamond
Flower: Daisy

Next Board Meeting

May 8th, 2010 10:00 am
Trinity Lutheran Church

April Birthdays

Margaret Buck	4/4
Edith Lindsell	4/8
Nancy McGinnis	4/12
Anna Matse	4/12
Linda Rausch	4/12
Jeane Kalchik	4/20
Marie Cochran	4/25
Cherrie hess	4/25
Nancy Bender	4/27
Becky Dopp	4/27
Betty Byers	4/29

Nominations for 2010-2011

The Nominating Committee would like to present the membership the slate of officers proposed for the 2010-2011 Guild year.

President: Joyce Randolph
Vice-President: Darlene Dixon

Corresponding Secretary: Wilma Beatty
Recording Secretary: Melissa Bowen

Treasurer: Grace Pace

Program: Darlene Dixon (Chair)
Elizabeth Basilliko
Tonya Reichard

Librarians: Fran Chamberlin
Judie Svoboda

Hospitality: Roxy Isner
Amy Hetz
Cheryl Chrisman

Membership: Rhonda Gore

Historians: Megan Music
Kathryn Grabowski

Sunshine: Lee Hively
Wilma Wehrle-Irvin

Facilities: Vi Keefer
Bonnie McChesney
(one vacant slot)

Newsletter Editor: Cindy Bender

2010 Spring Retreat

The Spring Retreat is **April 16-18, 2010**. Again you can go extra nights such as Tuesday, Wednesday, and/or Thursday, at an additional fee. The retreat is held at the Byers Conference Center at the Roxbury Camp in Roxbury, PA. It is a weekend to “eat, sleep, & quilt”. You bring whatever projects and/or sewing machine and spend the weekend quilting while the Roxbury staff feed and care for us. It’s a lot of fun and you get to know other members during the weekend. The sleeping rooms are like 5-star hotel rooms. There will be registration sheets available at the meeting to sign up for the retreat. You must submit a deposit when you sign up, with **the total fee paid by the April meeting**. If you have any questions about the retreat, please see Dottie Moreland, 717-263-1476, or demoreland@hotmail.com.

The rates for the **Spring** retreat are as follows; Weekend rate – this included 2 nights lodging (Friday & Saturday) and 5 meals starting Friday evening

\$122/person – double occupancy

\$131/person – single occupancy

Extra nights – no food service on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday

If you can’t come for the entire weekend you can come on a daily basis at a nominal fee of \$5/ day unless you order a meal on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday, then you will only pay the cost of the meal.

Please contact Dottie Moreland for meal and room prices for 3 or 4 people per room.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please be aware & prepared to have your total retreat fee paid by the April Meeting

Paper-Piecing Workshop Borders

In the third and final workshop of this Back to Basics Series, you will be working on a paper piecing border to add to the center pieced block and the appliquéd border or the beginning of a border for another project. Linda Schwalm (717-532-9086) will teach basic paper-piecing using foundation papers. You will learn the hand OR machine (your choice) sewing technique while making your border. Three colors of fabric are suggested for this design (last year's raffle quilt used blue, gold and cream). You will be provided printed foundations in the workshop. You will have your choice of 2 borders (3-1/4 inch or 6-1/4 inch wide).

Supply List:

Sewing machine (you will need to shorten stitch length)
OR Hand sewing needles
6 inch *Add-A-Quarter* ruler (available at Sew'N Place)
28 or 45mm rotary cutter
Small cutting mat (to fit on individual sewing table)
Neutral or tan sewing thread
#80 or #90 sewing machine needle OR hand sewing needles
Small scissors

Fabrics:

Red – 1/4 yard
Blue – 3/4 yard
Off White – 1/2 yard

Help needed

The facilities committee needs another person to help to set up
Call Barb & volunteer for set up
for the April meeting

help is needed at 0830
(prior to the workshop)
717-263-3538

Quilt Bee

April 26th, 2010

9:30am to 2:00pm

Hostess: The Quincy Ladies
Quincy UM Home campus
Quincy, Pa

Come and join us. We share this time together while working on our own projects. Each quilter brings her own brown bag lunch and our hostess provides the dessert & beverage.

Directions:

From Chambersburg;
take route 30 East to Mt Alto Road turn **right** and follow Mt Alto Road to the Mt Alto intersection. Turn **right** (south) onto route 997 (Anthony Highway). Proceed approximately 3 miles. Turn **right** onto Quincy Village Drive (large sign at entrance). Follow Quincy Village Drive to the Stone House on the **right** (about 1/2 mile). Parking is available in the lot beside the house.

From member; Karen Manderson
PINK SQUARES NEEDED

Karen Manderson is helping a young Cadette Girl Scout with her Silver Project. She is in need of 6 inch pink squares. If you can assist with this project, please donate your squares to Karen. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

Looking ahead to May 2010:

Our May feast is fast approaching...it is not too soon to begin thinking of the delectable goodies that our membership always manages to come up with. This year the division of goody-making is as follows:

- A- L finger food
- M-Z desserts

Photo Directory Pictures

I apologize for not being available to take pictures at the March meeting... the nasty spring cold had its grip on me.

I will be available to take pictures before the April guild meeting for those who haven't had their picture taken yet.

If you have any questions, please email me.

Nancy Bender

<p>The BeeLine Deadline - the 20th of the month for the next issue. Cindy Bender, Editor 119 Lincoln Drive, Fayetteville, PA 17222 bendercj@innernet.net 717-352-3186 (before 9pm please)</p>
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The Fabric Center

41 Pomfret Street
Carlisle, PA 17013
717-243-5076

M,T,W,F,Sat 10-5, Thur 10-6
Show guild card for 15% discount

New fabrics arriving weekly
100's of precut fatt quarters & fatt quarter packets

COUPON
\$5 off your \$25 fabric purchase
Expires April 30th, 2010
Cannot be combined with any other offer

Quilting Bee Prints

(the editor)

The documentation committee was asked to look into the possibility of making prints of the painting on the cover of *Quilt Treasures of Yesterday* available for purchase. That information is now available and the professional photographer who did the work will have samples to display at the March guild meeting. Payment needs to be made when orders are placed.

Five samples suitable for framing range in size from 4" x 6" to 11" x 14" and are priced from \$2.00 to \$20.00. Note cards with envelopes will also be available. They are priced at 3 for \$10.00 or 4 for \$12.00. This is a service being offered by the committee. It is not a money making project for us.

Raffle Ticket Sales in Progress!

As you sell your raffle tickets, please turn the money in to the committee. If by chance you cannot sell all your tickets...turn those into the committee also to be redistributed. Our recipient is the Cumberland Valley Breast Care Alliance.

S & B Session (3rd Thursday)

The community room at Grove family Library has been reserved for these Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8 pm

April 15th, 2010

May 20th

June 17th

July 15th

August 19th

Bring your handwork & join us for a time of stitching. This is an informal group & open to anyone who wants to give themselves an time of fellowship & stitch a little while in the company of others. The type of handwork is optional, i.e. quilting, counted cross stitch, knitting, needlepoint, crochet, **macramé...whatever...**

Bring your own non-alcoholic beverage, if desired. **(the editor)**

Regional & National Events

2010 Pennsylvania Relief Sale, April 2 and 3, 4pm to 9pm Friday, 8am to 2pm Saturday, Harrisburg Farm Show Complex, "Quilter's Attic at the Relief Sale." Free admission.

www.pareliefsale.org

A Quilt Lover's Tour of England, April 5-13, 2010, sponsored by the New England Quilt Museum

(877) 887-1188, SewManyPlaces.com

AQS Quilt Show, April 21-24, Paducah Expo Center, Paducah, KY,

www.americanquilter.com

Denver National Quilt Festival V, April 29-May 2, Denver Merchandise Mart, Denver, CO,

www.mancuso@quiltfest.com

Maryland Sheep & Wool Festival May 1-2, 2010, Howard County Fairgrounds, West Friendship, Maryland www.sheepandwool.org

Quilt Sale May 1-2, 2010. Cooksville, MD Hosted by Rosemary Clark & The East Coast Quilters, et al

410-489-4004 for more information.

"Timeless Treasures" Quilt Show, June 5-6, Charles Chrin Community Center, 4100 Green Pond Rd, Easton, PA

www.colonialquilters.org

Annual Quilt Show, June 17-19, Greater Columbus Convention Center, Columbus, OH,

www.nqaquilts.org/2010show

Quilting by the Lake, June 18-30, Onondaga Community College, Syracuse, NY,

www.quiltingbythelake.com

Vermont Quilt Festival, June 25-27, Essex Junction, VT, www.vgf.org

The Mason Dixon Quilt Show is April 17 & 18, 2010 at Hagerstown Community College on Robinwood Dr in Hagerstown, MD. The hours are Sat 10:00 to 5:00 and Sunday 12:00 to 5:00. Admission is \$5.00 for adults. Children under 12 are free. For more information contact Debbie Wible at 240-675-2141 or e-mail at stuffedbydebbie@myactv.net.

2011 Raffle Quilt Correction Basket Kits

Dear Ladies,

We have discovered a problem in the basket kits that were distributed at the last guild meeting.

Dottie has sent the attached fix for the problem (which the editor could not get in the newsletter) and asks that you please discard the picture of the finished block from your kit. She said that the paper pieced patterns you have are correct.

If you have any questions about this, please call Dottie Moreland and 263-1476.

Thanks for your patience as we try to get this info to you.

Debbie Brug

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