

Seaport Quilter's Newsletter

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President's Message

Autumn is here, historically the time of year we start to slow down and prepare for the colder months. That being said, the last meeting was everything but. We had a great discussion about comfort quilts and lined up a much needed class. Quilt camp is in October, the chartered bus to the Spokane quilt show is full, and the Christmas Dinner is scheduled. All great times to be had and yet we all get so much quilting done.

Celebrate the season, celebrate camaraderie !

BETTY



Be sure to join the fun at the Guild Christmas Party

Where: Clarkston Country Club

When: December 5, 2016 (Monday evening)

What: Social from 6:00

7:00 Buffet dinner with your choice of Steak bites or Cordon Bleu

Why: We have great time getting all dressed up and exchanging beautiful potholders with our friends. This year—JUST a potholder, please

Meetings are held at: **Valley Community Center**

549 5th Street, Clarkston, WA.

7 PM on usually the 4th Monday of the month

Next Meeting—October 24, 2016

Don't Forget the Bus Trip to the Spokane Quilt Show! Details Pg. 5.

Block Party

Whirlpool Block

Pattern and Fabric distributed at the September meeting

Fat Quarters

October

Fall Colors

November

Red or Turquoise or
Red and Turquoise mix

Comfort Block

It's Canning Time

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Refreshments

October

Guild Birthday Party

November

Ronna Bond, JoAnn King,
Carol Hammond

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DEADLINE

By 5pm-Please

The Friday after the guild meeting

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BIRTHDAYS

October

10/4, Micki Mennet-Martin
10/6, Ronna Bond
10/10, Cindy Eccles
Betty Kendrick
Ginny Clark
10/15, Vicki Martin
10/16, Kathy Suesz
10/21, Nancie DeProspero
10/22, Pat Havens
10/29, Shelley Nagle

November

Barbara Burge, 11/9
Illa Smith, 11/10
Joan Hunter, 10/18
Kathy Smolinski, 11/24
Pat Martin, 11/28

If you are hunting for your name—you may not have paid your dues. You can still pay them. Contact Kathy Smolinski

TUESDAY STITCHERS

HOSTESS

October

10/4, Jacki Ficker
10/11, Susan Pakula
10/18, Karen Monson
10/25, Nanda Lamb

November

11/1 Virginia Sparkman
11/8 Pat Frost
11/15 Karen Monson
11/22 Carla Pfaff

When shopping at Staples, help defray the cost of the newsletter by giving this information when you check out:

Reward points go to Seaport Quilters.

The number listed is: 9259979188 and Nancie DeProspero. Thank you for using this rewards program!

Membership Update

Returning Members

Pat Frost
723 Park Ave Lewiston
208-790-7125
BD May 4

Shirley Sears
2501 Johnson Road,
Pullman WA 99163

Jan Ridinger
3318 8th Street,
Lewiston
208-413-8885
BD March 14

New Members:

Joan Hunter 1021 14th St Lewiston
208-792-7456 BD Nov 18
Nancy Myers 4063 Duthie Dr Lewiston
509-769-7065 April 19th jaznlb.nb@gmail.com
Carol Roskammer 635 Grelle Ave Lewis-
ton 208-790-8866 BD April 22
Carol Triplett 7105 Flyby Dr Lewiston
208-790-2186 BD is 12/23

Member Updates:

Judy Robinett has a new address:
PO Box 4 Lapwai, ID 83540
Kathy Smolinski phone should be 208-791-2592





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Sewing Revolution

October 21 & 22

9am-4pm

\$99 includes everything

Over the course of the two days Kym Goldup-Graham will demonstrate a unique ruler/template system for embroidery and quilting. The first morning will include a trunk show, and then the rest of the event will be spent creating 4 projects highlighting new techniques.

The comfort quilt committee thanks the guild members for the quilts that they create to be donated to so many worthy causes throughout our valley. One quilt which was used to decorate our booth at the Nez Perce County Fair had a Spider Man square which did not go unnoticed by many a toddler in a stroller as they wheeled by. A few reminders for members creating comfort quilts. Comfort quilts come in all sizes, from Lap quilts (@ 35 " X 45 ") to larger sizes (44 " X 54 "). They do not have to be backed with flannel, but flannel is a very comfortable backing. Connie Watkins has batting and backing if you have a top that you want to use and she has comfort quilt tops in need of quilting if you want to practice a new quilting technique. Our guild works to finance these quilts and every person who receives one is appreciative.

Connie Watkins and Diane Adams, Comfort Quilt Chairs



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QOV Sew Days

The first Monday of every month is a QOV sew day at Becky 's. 10:00—3:00

You might want to call ahead to make sure there is room for you and your machine.



September Seaport Quilters Guild Meeting Minutes

September 26, 2016

Meeting was called to order by President Betty Kendrick 7:00 PM 66 members present.

New members were introduced and a guest.

Minutes: approved

Treasurers Report: final print of 2017 budget will be printed for Oct. meeting.

Correspondence: Senior Center mgr. invited our members to join the vendors for a craft sale during their annual Rummage Sale on Nov. 12th. The cost is \$25 contact Patti to reserve a space.

Committee Reports:

Sunshine: Lori Hatch and Jacki Ficker reminded us that the **Christmas dinner would be Dec. 5th, at the Clarkston Country Club, 6-7pm Social, dinner at 7pm. Cost is \$21 with a choice of steak or chicken. Don 't forget the " potholder exchange " – potholders only please.**

Library: Asotin Library, Blooming Nine Patch – winner Jerry Henderson.

Comfort Quilts: Diane Adams showed 7 comfort quilts. A discussion followed with questions about size and quality of quilts – it was decided that the committee would look the quilts over for missed stitches and holes before they were awarded.

Also it was decided that none of the Comfort Quilts should be used for Raffle by receiving groups.

Mystery: 37 members took part in the class this year, tonight 19 were shown and prizes were awarded by Shelly Nagle.

Newsletter: none

Camp: Jacki reminded us that camp is getting closer: Oct., 27-30th cost is \$225. You may stay an extra night (Wed.) for \$55. Twenty-four are signed up and we will be in the larger building.

Classes: Bus Trip to Spokane Quilt Show, " Quilt of Many Colors " Oct. 14th leave 8 AM return 8 PM. We will meet in the old Safe-way parking lot by 7:30am. Balance due is \$10.40 please bring check on the 14th.

Please share any class or guest speaker ideas with Barb Boland.

New Business:

2017 Quilt Show: Galaxy of Quilts and the dates are: Set-up April 28th and show April 29th and 30th.²⁰¹⁷

Ginny Clark will be the check-in chairman and Vicki Van Horn will do the cookie booth.

Special request: needed someone to be in charge of making the ribbons . Suzanne Orwig has agreed to do the publicity.

Traveling Quilt: The Nez Perce Fair was a great success and Jodi and Karen would like to send a special thank you to those that helped with setup and selling tickets, we made \$633. However Kathy Smolinski checked last year and they made \$634! Lol Next opportunity is Winchester on Nov.5th.

Please notify Peggy Fulton of any changes to your directory information ASAP! A new list of members with email will be out in Oct.

Festival of Trees: Earlinia Scott will Chair and the theme is, " Santa Clause is Coming to Town ". Colors are cream and turquoise. A tree was donated by the Sittons. Earlinia will share some of the decorations at the next meeting,

Block Party: 28 squares were returned, 14 to JoAnn King and Jacki Ficker. Next month will be Whirlpool Block with ghost fabric.

Fat Quarters: Judy Wallace won with eleven.

Door Prizes: **Peggy Fulton, Nanda Lamb and Jacki Ficker**

Show and Tell: Several beautiful quilts, Nanda Lamb shared the Pineapple Ruler quilts and suggested we could have a class.

Programs: **The Eyes of Freedom**, this very special traveling display will arrive in Lewiston at 3:15 pm Nov.6th please join together to welcome the truck in the Red Loin Parking lot. Sharon Ledbetter and Sandy Berg handed our reminder postcards for the Nov. 7th - 11th program honoring our military and veterans.

Meeting adjourned at: 8:50 PM

Respectfully ,Jodi Haskell

Upcoming Events

Let's go to the quilt show in Spokane in October. The chartered bus will depart from the parking lot of the former Safeway Store in Nez Perce Plaza at 8 a.m. and return close to 8 p.m. or earlier on Friday, October 14, 2016. Our cost on that Friday will be \$10.40. Jacki is now taking names for a waiting list. There has been one cancellation so give her a call if you want to go. It will be fun, relaxing and stress free. You may take your lunch with you or plan to purchase lunch at the show. On the way home we'll show & tell our wonderful (can't live without) purchases.

October Quilt Camp at Palouse Divide Lodge:

Dates: October 27—30, 2016. \$225.00 or \$280.00 if you want to go on Wednesday (an extra day)

Quilt Show 2017

Theme for this spring's quilt show is Galaxy of Quilts which will feature our raffle quilt for this year "Moonglow"

Dates: Set up on April 28. Quilt Show—April 29, 2017, (9:00—5:00) and April 30, 2017, (10:00—3:00)

Raffle tickets for members to sell will be distributed at the October Meeting. Jodi Haskell reported that \$633.00 worth of tickets were sold at the fair. Thank you to Pat Church who has volunteered to handle the volunteer sheets; Suzanne Orwig who will handle the publicity, and Vicki Van Horn who will be managing the cookie booth. We still need someone to head up the committee to make the ribbons for the quilts.

Peggy Fulton and Mary Jo Furstenau



Block of the Month

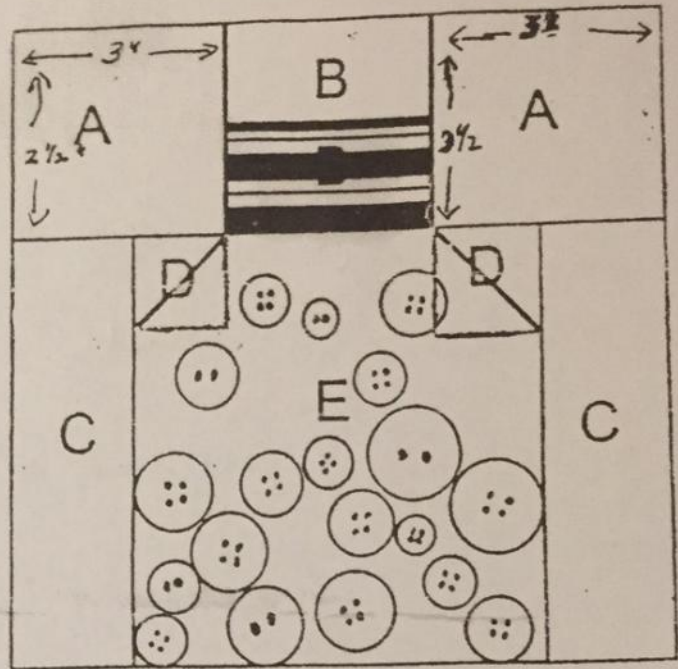
The Block of the Month for October is

Whirlpool Block. 30 copies of the pattern and fabric were distributed at the September meeting. So there are no more kits available. The ghostly pinwheel fabric and the black fabric were given with the pattern. You are to supply WHITE. Squares are to be returned at the October meeting. The pattern can also be found at delawarequilts.com/BOM/whirlpool/index.html.

October Block of the Month

It's Canning Time!!!

8 1/2" block →



Cut the following:
With muslin:

Cut:

- A. 2 strips - 2 1/2" X 3"
- B. 1 strip - 1 1/2" X 3 1/2"
- C. 2 strips - 2" X 6 1/2"
- D. 2 squares - 1 1/2"

In a narrow (or sorta narrow) stripe

Cut:

- B. 1 strip 1 1/2" X 3 1/2"

Conversational print:

Cut:

- E. 1 rectangle - 6 1/2" X 5 1/2"

(Remember your canning jar is 6 1/2" high and 5 1/2" wide!!!)

The comfort quilt committee would like this block made up in "whimsical" fabrics.
Have fun!

About Seaport Quilt Guild:

Our purpose is to promote and enhance the art of quilting and quilt making by exhibitions, lectures, workshops, to encourage fellow quilt enthusiasts by participating in traditional home quilting bees, and finally to educate and increase the knowledge of quilting techniques.

Sharon Ledbetter 's living room is filling up with Quilts of Valor to be awarded at the " Eyes of Freedom " display November 7-11, 2016 at the Red Lion Hotel.



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