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# The Silhouette

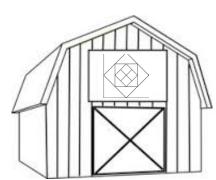
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#### **CAMEO Quilters proudly present**

Suzi Parron

## "Barn Quilts and the American Quilt Trail Movement"

Thursday, May 19 at 7 p.m.

Clawson United Methodist Church basement 205 N. Main St. (north of 14 Mile) Clawson, MI 48017 \$10 guest fee

(Come and Meet Each Other and bring a friend to enjoy this interesting presentation!)

#### President's Corner:

#### If Quilters Wrote Spam

The first definition of email spam that I recall showed up online in the 1980's, naming spam as a Stupid, Pointless, Annoying Message.

I look in my spam email files regularly. I need to, as the filters seem to be a bit erratic in their ability to sort my mail. Just this morning, emails from my favorite quilt stores had migrated to the spam file, and offers for meds and online schools crept into my regular mail box.

And just who do these spammers think I am? I have no interest in hot chicks on the web, unless they mean poultry recipes for the grill. I am not wanting to meet random unknown singles, be they lonely, of a particular faith, or 'in my neighborhood.' I can find government grants on my own. And I certainly do not need any part of my body enlarged!

If spam-creating writers had a clue of how to get our attention, they would change their topics and subject lines. What self-respecting fabric addict and quilter would not be tempted to open emails with senders and subject lines like these?

from: DirectSupplier: We will qualify you for free fabric, or pay for it ourselves

from: HelpAQuilter: My family kicked me out because of my addiction

from: Freebies4U: Sign up today, get free fabric for life from: CartoonMailer: Get quilt cartoons delivered daily

from: ImaQuiltgod: Patterns, templates and more, never over \$1

and my favorite:

from: InYourDreams: Lose inches sitting at your sewing machine. I would never leave my machine.

Remember, check your email spam files often for some laughs.

Sew Sincerely,

Sharon Johnsonbaugh

#### **Guild Program Calendar**

#### **2016**

May 19 - Suzi Parron: Barn Quilt Lecture

May 21 - Suzi Parron Workshop Paint Your Own Barn

Quilt

June 19 - CAMEO Potluck, Annual Meeting & Elections (members only)

September 15 - Welcome Back Block Party

October 20 - Lynn Harris - Every Last Piece

October 22 - Lynn Harris String Theory Workshop

**November 17** - Holiday Whistle Stop

**December 15** - Hoiday Potluck

#### 2017

January 19 - Sulky Seminar - Two 1/2 day workshops

February 16 - Frances Krupka - Jackets/Bags

March 16 - Lake Erie Mercantile - Trunk Show

April 20 - Beth Markel - Lecture/Trunk Show

May 18 - Chris Moline - Lecture - 200 Years of Quilts

May 20 - Workshop

**June 1, 2, 3** - Quilt Show!

June 15 - Annual Meeting/Potluck/Elections

**Editor's Note:** The deadline for the June newsletter is May 26. Keep reading for the Slip of the Keyboard.

#### Note from the President...

Clawson United Methodist Church (our meeting site) has requested that we not enter the church prior to 6:00 p.m. on meeting nights.

Thanks for your cooperation.

Sharon Johnsonbaugh

**Want Ads** - The *Silhouette* is taking ads. The costs are:

- \$1.00 per column line
- \$5.00 per business card size
- \$15.00 per quarter page size

These costs are per issue. Send ads and payment (made out to CAMEO Quilters Guild) to Rosemary Spatafora (address in the directory).

#### Program News - Linda Watkins, VP Facilitator

A huge thanks to Joe Cunningham for sharing his wit, wisdom and music with us last month. I think he was one of the most entertaining speakers I've heard. We had a wonderful turnout for both is lecture and his workshop. I can't wait to see everybody's quilt. Each one should be very different.

Finishing out our CAMEO lecture and workshop year is Suzi Parron on May 19th. She will discuss "Barn Quilts and the American Quilt Trail Movement." Suzi has promised she will bring her books to sell at our meeting. We can look forward to seeing many examples of barn quilts in her slide show. Then on Saturday May 21st we will learn to paint our own 24" by 24" barn quilt block. How great, no sewing machines or fabric required. Depending on the block you select to paint, you should go home with a completed block. Right now, I am taking names for a waiting list for this workshop. If you want to see more barn quilts, there are several Barn Quilts Trails in Michigan that are easy day trips. Looking forward to seeing everyone at the May meeting.



#### Reminder!

Challenge Quilts are due at the May meeting! We can't wait to see them!

#### **Committee Manuals Due at May Meeting**

If your Committee has completed their undertaking, please fill out the report form, in the manual, and return the manual either to your Liaison or myself at the May CAMEO General Meeting. I understand that some manuals can not be returned yet (Audit, Nominations and Elections, etc.).

# Attention CAMEO Quilters! Help Publicize Our May Program!

Wow! Our Joe Cunningham program brought in a whopping 28 guests! How exciting to share such a great program with so many! We are hoping that our May program will also draw lots of interest and bring in many guests. Please help publicize Suzi Parron's program by sharing the flyer included in this newsletter with your quilting friends, local quilt shops, other guilds, Facebook, etc. Thanks - you're the best!

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## **Membership News and Notes**

**Membership Chairperson** 

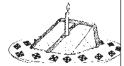
Great report! Great meeting! Great new member! Joe Cunningham entertained us splendidly, didn't he? His expertise brought us in 28 guests that night, along with 44 of our own members that attended.

And we have to welcome our newest member, Mary Jane Blackmer from Farmington Hills, MI. She is our 56th member for this year.

The 2016/2017 Membership Form is included in this newslet-

Birthday wishes going out this month to: Willie Pfieffer - 5/9

Kay Schepke - 5/22



#### From Peggy Grunow

I would like to thank all my CAMEO friends who have sent me cards and well wishes while I have been ill. They were appreciated.





**CAMEO Charity Quilt Kits** These kits are needed so that the Charity Committee can complete their report.

Please bring to the May meeting.

Hospitality - Betty Carpenter & Kay Schepke May flowers is our signal to prepare for what comes next and that's our June Pot Luck. The clipboard will go around our group again in May, so if you didn't sign up in April be sure to look for the clipboard at the membership table or when it's in circulation in May. Not to worry for those who can't make the regular meetings. As usual, I will email or call you just to make sure you didn't forget and many of you are so grateful to be reminded.

The following people will be bringing hospitality treats in May, and we are very thankful to all who bring them. So, even if your birthday isn't in May and you would like to bring something, please do, the treat table is the best.

Willie Pfeiffer Shannon Boardman Tina Rink Cathy Mentkowski Linda Watkins



#### **Fabulous Finds Table**

Lucy Lesperance & Janet Nelson What a great response we've had to the Fabulous Finds table, for all who gave and all who took away. Thank you.

Would be great to see some of the fabric come back incorporated into your quilting creations at Show and Tell.

May will be our last Fabulous Finds table for this season. Good time to clean out your stashes and those extra notions you do not need anymore.

#### **Charity Quilt Pattern**

Willie Pfeiffer has generously shared a Charity quilt pattern, "Betsy's Beauty", included in this newsletter. Willie says, "This is an easy Jelly Roll friendly little quilt. Great for leftover stash strips 2 1/2 inches." What a great summer project! Have fun making it and we'll look forward to seeing lots of these quilts at our September Show & Tell! Thanks, Willie!



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#### What can a CAMEO member do,...?

By CAMEOCarol

You can..., bring in an item for the Fabulous Finds Table, something you were sure would have time to make/use but then changed your mind. It is waiting for a good home and the Fabulous Finds Table may be just the place for it to go home with someone else.

**You can...,** visit the Fabulous Finds table looking for just the thing you need/ have been waiting for. Take it home with you, it's free!

You can..., bring in a charity project you just didn't have time to start or complete and turn it in at the Charity Table. It will be reissued to someone else next year. The Charity Committee will be busy preparing their annual report to let the State of Michigan know that we are fulfilling our requirements to be a non-taxed entity. If you have any completed Charity items be sure to get them in so that they can be included in the report.

**You can...**, buy tickets at the Door Prize Table, you could win a prize.

You can..., attend the May Meeting featuring Suzi Parron. Her topic is Barn quilts. Her workshop on Saturday, May 21 will have each attendee actually painting a 24" X 24" quilt block on wood. If you have reserved your spot, be sure to wear old clothes. As of this writing, the workshop is full, but you can check with Linda Watkins, Facilitator VP, to see if anyone dropped out.

You can..., still send in your officer nominations to the Nominations & Elections Committee. Contact Sandy Peiss. The N&E Committee will present the slate of candidates at the May meeting as well as take nominations from the floor prior to the President closing the nominations. Voting will take place at the members only June Business Meeting.

**You can...**, re-up your guild membership for next year when the member enrollment forms are available. Your Programmer CoVPs, the Fluscos, have completed the program plans for the next guild year and promise an exciting array of speakers and workshops.

You can..., sign up at the May meeting to bring in a dish to pass to our June Annual Business/ Dinner Meeting. If you can't attend the May Meeting, you can contact Hospitality's Betty Carpenter or Kaye Schepke to sign up for a dish. You CAN do a lot for CAMEO!

#### Items to bring to the May meeting:

- 1. Yourself and your smile!
- 2. Your Name Tag
- 3. A guest and possible new member.
- 4. Money for Door Prize Table
- 5. Show & Tell Items
- 6. Charity Items
- 7. Items for Fabulous Finds Table
- 8. Charity Quilt Kits Finished or Unfinished (Please. These are needed for the Charity report.)
- 9. Your Challenge Quilt!
- 10. Committee Manual if you are a committee chair.

## Research & Information Considerations for selecting a longarm quilter

by Ann Bonnelli

Once you have finished piecing a quilt, the decision has to be made, do you quilt it or have it quilted. If you are not quilting it yourself how do you select a quilter? Very few of us will be looking for hand quilters (too expensive) most of us will turn to the longarm quilter. We are fortunate to live in an area where there are many longarm quilters so it comes down to how much you like their work, how much they charge, how long it will take and how well the two of you communicate.

To begin your selection processes ask your friends, your fellow guild members, local quilt shops for their suggestions, recommendations and experiences with local longarm quilters. Look at as many examples of the quilter's work as you can, both from friends she has quilted for and the samples she will show you. Visit Quilt shows and see if she has quilted any of those exhibits.

Hopefully this previewing will give you a feel for the style of quilting you like and are looking for in your quilt. It helps to have seen how a densely quilted piece can give a firm hard flat quilt, somewhat heavy while a piece quilted with more open spaced will give a softer, fluffier look. Are you looking for the same pattern from edge to edge, a pantograph? Do you want different quilt patterns in different blocks or shapes within the block, custom quilting? Obviously this is more expensive. Your quilter will help you with all of this but it is helpful for you to have put some thought in to your expectations. Do not be timid about asking your prospective quilter about her experience. Did she buy her machine a month ago! Has she been quilting for customers for ten years, taken classes, been to conferences, won prizes? The decision who to use is yours, just be informed.

Facts you need to know before you leave your quilt top.

- 1) How do you price? What is included?
- 2) Is batting included, what kinds do you use?
- 3) May I provide the batting? How much larger should the batting be than the pieced top.
- 4) What thread do you use, is the cost included?
- 5) How long will it take?
- 6) What will this project cost?
- 7) How should I prepare the quilt top for you?

Usually you will be asked to present the quilt top well pressed, the backing at least 6-8" larger than the quilt top and kept separate from the top, the batting same size as backing.

Communication is extremely important, do not say to the quilter, "whatever you suggest will be fine" She may think a dense, heavy design will make a manly quilt when you were envisioning something light and airy because you had seen others she had done that way. If you want to defer to her experience at least listen to her describe the pattern/style/thread color she is proposing.

#### Wool and Fiber Sale - May 14, 15, 16

Dianne J. Little - 11040 Berwick - Livonia, MI 48150 SALE WILL BE IN GARAGE, CORNER OF BERWICK AND ELMIRA STREETS

STREET PARKING IS LIMITED - (734) 620-2992

I will be offering wool material suitable for rug hooking, quilting, sewing and felting. I am also a spinner, knitter, quilter and collector of antique textile tools, books and other items of interest to textile enthusiasts. I have been collecting since the 1970's and many of my items are either vintage or antique. In addition to 20 boxes of wool material and lace of varying sizes, colors and lengths, there will be weaving and knitting yarns, older wool dyes from Cushing, some spinning fiber, some textile art pictures, and almost 100 different colors of Cushing Perfection Dyes.

If some of your members have friends that might be interested in this sale, they are also welcome to attend.

#### **Retreat Kudos and Thanks**

This year's retreat was the best ever! Lots of time to sew and hang out with friends - both old and new. There was plenty of food and snacks and smiles. Really, can we ask for anything more? While in Alcatraz, Al Capone was inmate #85. I wanted to thank the retreat committee for all the time and thought that went into planning, preparations, and helpfulness during the weekend.

#### Quilter's Calendar

#### May 11

Beth Donaldson lecture Howell Melon Patcher, Howell, MI

#### **May 12**

Joyce Triezenberg lecture Great Lakes Heritage Quilters, Bloomfield Hills, MI

#### **May 17**

Cathy Miller, quilt songstress

Quilt Guild of Metro Detroit, Harper Woods MI

#### **Upcoming Quilt Shows**

#### May 14-15

Pieces and Patches Quilt Guild sho Jackson Catholic Middle School, 915 Cooper St, Jackson MI

#### July 15-16

Lansing Area Patchers quilt show Causeway Bay Hotel, Lansing MI

#### **August 10-13**

**AQS** Grand Rapids Show





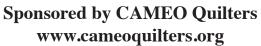
Lady of the Lake Quilt Block Painted on Wood Port Sanilac, MI

# CAMEO QUILTERS GUILD PROUDLY PRESENTS:

A special presentation by
Suzi Parron
"Barn Quilts and
the American Quilt Trail Movement"

Thursday, May 19 at 7 p.m.
Clawson United Methodist Church basement
205 N. Main St. (north of 14 Mile)
Clawson, MI 48017
\$10 guest fee

Barn quilts are painted quilt squares-usually fashioned on boards and then mounted on a barn or other building. Join us for this informative and entertaining presentation featuring over one hundred stunning photographs of barn quilts. Suzi's book "Barn Quilts and the American Quilt Trail Movement" will be available for purchase.





#### CAMEO Quilters Guild General Membership Meeting April 21, 2016 - submitted by Rosemary Spatafora

Meeting took place at the Clawson United Methodist Church, 205 N. Main, Clawson, MI 48017

Called to order - 7:03 p.m. by Sharon Johnsonbaugh. Sharon led the Pledge of Allegiance, welcomed everyone and read CAMEO's mission statement.

Charity Show-n-Tell - Sharon Cratsenburg and Willie Pfeiffer showed quilts. If anyone would like the Miracle Quilts pattern please contact either Willie or Sharon.

Program - Linda Watkins introduced our speaker, Joe Cunningham.

Announcements - The sign up sheet for our June potluck is at the Membership table.

Retreat - Willie reported that the retreat is all set. People who ordered t-shirts can pick them up tonight.

Charity - Please bring any layette items to the Charity table. Thanks to all who participated by donating items to Charity and the layette program. Willie announced that she must give up chairing the Charity Committee and storing the fabric. She will remain as a member of the Charity Committee.

Field Trip Committee - Karla Sutton reported that the April 9 field trip to MSU museum was cancelled due to weather. Those scheduled to attend on April 9 may attend the May 14 trip. Cost to members will be \$5 admission. Contact Karla to sign up.

Hospitality Break

Minutes from March 17 General Meeting were approved. Will be signed, dated & placed on file.

V.P. Facilitator - Linda Watkins reported there are 18 people signed up for the Joe Cunningham workshop with a couple of spots still available. See Linda to sign up. Suzi Parron's barn quilt workshop in May is filled & closed.

V.P. Membership - Cindy May - 28 guests in attendance tonight. We added a new member to bring our membership to 56 with 44 members in attendance tonight. Cindy reminded people to wear their name tags to Saturday's workshop as we will have a lot of non-members attending.

Treasurer's Report - Sheryl Cawley reported the amounts our savings checking and money market accounts. Our year to date expenses (not including tonight) are \$6747.48 and our YTD deposits are \$7398.50. Report will be signed, dated and placed on file.

Nominations and Elections Committee - Sandy Peiss reported that we are in need of nominees to run for Vice President Scheduler, Vice President Facilitator, Assistant Treasurer and one Member-at-Large. Sandy issued a personal appeal for people to step up and run for office as our guild cannot move forward without a full compliment of board members. Call or email Sandy to nominate yourself or someone else for these positions.

Bylaws Review/Revision Committee - Chairperson, Barb Lusk reported that this committee has met twice this past month and is analyzing the results of the survey.

Programs for 2016/17 - Barb Lusk reported that all the programs are set for next year. The schedule will be published in the May newsletter.

Mystery Quilt - Tina Rink reported that Clue #5 is available at tonight's meeting. Clue #6 will be available in May and quilts will be shown at the June meeting.

Show & Tell, Door Prize Raffle, Slip of the Keyboard and Announcements - Executive Board meeting, Thursday, May 5, 7 p.m. at Carol Fetsco's home. Deadline for agenda is April 30.

Newsletter Deadline - is April 28.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

#### CAMEO Quilters Guild April Executive Board Meeting - May 5, 2016 - Minutes submitted by Rosemary Spatafora

Meeting was held at Carol Fetsco's home.

Called to order by President Sharon Johnsonbaugh at 7:25 p.m.

Present: Sharon Johnsonbaugh, Cindy May, Rosemary Spatafora, Sybil Derderian, Carol Fetsco, Linda Watkins, Cheryl Cawley Minutes from March 24 Board meeting approved. Signed, dated & placed on file.

President: Sharon Johnsonbaugh

Reminded all board members that the manuals for committees who have completed their responsibilities are due at the May meeting. Sharon will get a report form to the Hearts & Hugs chair.

Retreat feedback - 48 attended including 10 guests. Many positive comments. Retreat ran smoothly, good food, door-prizes, make & take, etc. "Stash-relief" table was a hit. Lots of sewing time and lots of room. Evaluation survey was distributed.

VP Facilitator: Linda Watkins

Joe Cunningham - big draw with 28 guests (which paid for more than 1/2 his speaking fee). 17 people attended his workshop. (Cheryl will get Joe's address to Sybil for a thank you.) Linda asked for clarification on breakfast at workshops. The guild provides breakfast only at Charity Day and National Quilting Day. 26 to 27 people are signed up for Suzi Parron's workshop on May 21 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. There will be no lunch break. Linda needs help with set up on Friday, May 20 starting between 4:30 and 5 p.m. Rosemary volunteered. If anyone else can help please contact Linda.

VP Scheduler: Carol Fetsco/Barb Lusk

Carol reported that the total for speakers' contracts for 2016/17 is \$4448. This does not include lodging. Suggested that the cost for lodging this year be added to the budget for Programming-Lodging next year as it is unknown as of now. Carol has a booklet with contracts, etc. and will put this in the Facilitator's box. Barb & Carol will have a programs display at the May & June meeting. Barb will run for Facilitator and she and Carol will work on the Scheduler's and the Facilitator's boxes.

Publicity - Carol reported that Nancy Bekofske sent her info on the publicity that was sent out for the Joe Cunningham program. Quilting With Confidence - Two classes remain in this series. Carol shared ideas for a future Quilting with Confidence class. Carol gave Sharon a number of committee manuals and she will ask Nancy Bekofske for the Publicity manual.

VP Membership: Cindy May - Currently 56 total members (1 new member). Cindy will follow-up with the Retreat committee for contact info for non-members who attended the retreat and invite them to join CAMEO. Photo-taking of members will begin at the May meeting and continue in June and September for inclusion in the 2016/17 directory. The 2016/17 membership application form will be included in the May newsletter. Cindy will also email it to members and will have copies at the May meeting. Charity bins pick-up - Cindy will arrange with Linda, Karla, Rosemary and Carol for a time to pick up the Charity fabric from Willie Pfeiffer.

Recording Secretary - Rosemary Spatafora

Newsletter - Rosemary will no longer serve as editor of the newsletter. Laurie Johnson will take over as editor for the 2016/17 guild year.

Corresponding Secretary - Sybil is mailing out birthday cards and will send a thank-you to Joe Cunningham.

Treasurer - Cheryl Cawley - No report.

New Business

Karen Coombs - Carol Fetsco moved that the CAMEO board - "Permit the 2015/2016 Scheduling VP to attempt to book quilter Karen Coombs as a guest speaker for a guild year following 2016/2017." This is because Karen Coombs has a very busy schedule and must be booked more than a year in advance.

Second - Linda Watkins Discussion Vote: 7 yes, 0 no - motion carried.

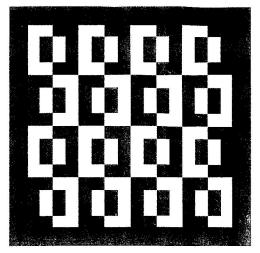
Program Brochure - Carol Fetsco and Barb Lusk will work on a new program bookmark for the 2016/2017 program year. They will also check with printers to get pricing to print at least 3000 bookmarks. A draft of the bookmark will be at the May board meeting.

Charity Donations - Linda Watkins asked Board members to start thinking about organizations that CAMEO will donate money to this year. Send suggestions to Sharon Johnsonbaugh. Board will vote on this at the May Board meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 9:36 p.m.

Next meeting - Monday, May 23 at 7 p.m. at Linda Watkins home. Note scheduling change due to Memorial Day holiday.

### Betsy's Beauty from Miracle Quilts Redesigned to use 2 ½" strips, 8" Blocks (38" X 38" Approx.)



#### **FABRIC**

Border ½ yard Cut (4) 3 ½: strips Binding 1/3 yard Cut (4) 2 ½" strips Dark 5/8 yard Cut (8) 2 ½" strips, (set aside (1) strip dark) Light 5/8 yard Cut (8) 2 ½" strips, (set aside (1) strip light)

This is an easy "Jelly Roll" friendly little quilt. Lireat ... for leftouer stash strips 22

Sew (7) strips each of dark and light together Press to the dark.



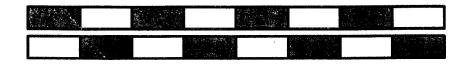
Cut (56) 4 ½" pairs from these Sew (4) rows side to side of (8) pairs each as shown



Sew (2) sets end to end of (8) pairs each as shown starting with light on the top row. (Sew (1) set of (8) pairs starting with dark on the top row.



Cut (8)  $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " strips from the light & dark  $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " strips you set aside. Sew (2) single strips as shown end to end. These are for the top and bottom.



You are now ready to lay out your design as shown on the pattern and sew the strip sets together.

Measure the quilt and border strips and sew all four to your quilt top.

Questions: Call Willie 989-390-6115

#### Cameo Quilters Guild www.cameoquilters.org Meets 10 times a year, Sept. thru June at the Clawson United Methodist Church 205 N. Main Street, Clawson, MI 48017 (1 block N of 14 Mile)

You must complete BOTH sides of this membership/profile form and return it with your dues. Checks preferred. Thank you.

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Do you have computer skills? If so how would you rate them on a scale of 1 to 10						
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Name						
According to CAMEO Standing Rule #1  An individual will remain a member in good standing if the following criteria are met:  a. Serve on the Executive Board, OR  b. Serve as a committee chair, OR  c. Donate time in service each year by working on one guild Standing or Special Committee.  In addition to at least one of the above, each member must serve on at least one designated quilt show committee during the planning/execution stages of a quilt show. Our next show will be in 2017.						
Please look over the committees(s) you would like to join to fulfill your membership obligation to the Guild. Descriptions of each committee are in your Membership Directory. Committees will be filled on a first come basis. If the committee of your choice is filled, you will be notified. (Members please note that many committees will already be filled and you may be assigned to one you did not choose. You will make new friends)						
STANDING COMMITTEES Archives Fund Raising Membership-Sign In Newsletter-Calendar Program-Charity Day Program-Ntl Quilt Day	Audit Hospitality Newsletter-Editorial Newsletter-Mailing Program-Facilitator Property	Charity Library Newsletter-Slip of the Keyboard Nominations & Elections Program-Scheduling Slip of the Keyboard				
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We will try to accommodate your first choice for the committee placement. Thank you for your participation.

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