



October 2025 VQG Newsletter

Our next Meeting

Wednesday Oct. 15, 2025, at 6pm
Sacred Heart Parish Center,
320 Fair Ave. New Philadelphia.

From the Co-Presidents' Sewing Room

Valley Quilt Guild was formed and first met on October 19, 2005. Our written history tells us that a group of women including Amy Jones*, Barb Exley*, DeAnne Kirven*, Marilyn Foland Perrone and Nancy Watson* were the founding members/officers of VQG along with many others. We are celebrating our 20-year anniversary and extending an invitation to all current and former members! The event is on October 15, 2025, at 6pm at Sacred Heart Parrish Center (fully accessible) 320 Fair Ave NE, New Philadelphia, Oh. PLEASE RSVP to Bev Peacock: call or text Bev at 330-340-4882 or email Bev at peacockbeverly3@gmail.com The celebration will include a light dinner, lots of social time, games and door prizes. A slide presentation will showcase quilts, our meetings, VQG Quilt Shows and memories over the past 20 years.

Please reach out to former members and if you are able offer a ride to the event. Hope to see all of you at this celebration!

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Co-Presidents

Freda Lehman and Jane Gingrich



Treasurer's Report, Peggy Dillon

Balance on Hand as of

Sept. 30, 2025 \$5208.33

CD \$3116.42

See attachments for full Treasurer Report

What's Happening!

Bev Peacock & Peg Fuellner

Programs & Workshops

Oct is our **20 Year Anniversary Party**.

Come be a part of the celebration.

Prizes and food included.

November 19th: Becky Ault is

teaching/hosting a Christmas Workshop.

Set up Starts at 9 am.

All Meetings and workshops are held at Sacred Heart Parish Center!

Art in the Alley – October 12, 2025

Please consider putting in "Small" quilts for display and making items for the boutique. Volunteer to help. Wear a costume. Visit the booth as you peruse the festival.

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Christmas Tree Workshop by Becky Ault for All Day "SEW IN"

November 19. Doors open at 9am. Bring your own lunch.

Sunshine and Shadow

Cathy Zimmerman will send cards to members if she knows that someone needs to get a "Get Well" card or thinking of you or even a sympathy card. Call Cathy at 330-447-6391 to have the guild send its best wishes.

Community Service – Diane Kohler

Please remember to bring to the meeting the items you have made either from kits that are provided or from your own stash. Also fill out the short donation form so that keeping track of donations is stream-lined.

Valley Quilt Guild officers are:

CO-President – Jane Gingrich & Freda Lehman

Co-Vice President of Programs & Workshops –

Bev Peacock and Peg Fuellner

VP Membership – Vicky Holly

Secretary - Elsie Partridge

Treasurer - Peggy Dillon

Meeting Minutes Sept. 2025

The meeting of the Valley Quilt Guild was brought to order at 6:00 on September 17, 2025, by Co-President Freda Lehman with 41 members of the 54 present and no guests or new members which represented a quorum.

Freda Lehman was the winner of the fat quarter for the month.

The program for this month was presented by Plaid Sheep Quilt Shop.

Secretary's report was posted in the newsletter with no additions or corrections noted. Motion to accept was made by Devanie Gladman and second by Beverly Peacock. Motion was approved.

Treasurer report was printed in the newsletter with no corrections needed. Checkbook balance as of 8/31/2025 was \$4958.33 and CD balance was \$3105.55. Motion to accept by Cinda Pottmeyer and second by Nedra Lovell. Motion approved.

Co-VPs of Programs and Workshops Bev Peacock and Peg Fuller announced the programs for the remainder of the 2025 year. In October we will celebrate our 20th Anniversary Celebration. A short business meeting will precede the celebration. There will be no show and tell at that meeting. November will again be our gift exchange (\$10.00 approximate value) and we will have an all-day workshop for a Christmas tree quilt that same day. There will be no meeting in the month of December. Chestnut Ridge will have a presentation in January 2026. February will be Tips and Tricks presented by our members. A printed list of upcoming programs was distributed to attending members.

Please get newsletter items to Chris Clore by the 1st of each month. Contact Karen Obermiller regarding Facebook items and Vicky Holly on the website.

No publicity news to report.

Community Projects Chair Dianne Kohler will get her report to Co-president Jane Gingrich.

Sunshine and Shadows chairman Cathy Zimmerman was welcomed back after her recent illness and will continue to send out cards as needed. Please notify her of any events needing cards.

Art in the Alley for October will be October 12th with a severe weather date of October 19, 2025. All are encouraged to dress in costumes for the event.

2026 Guild Quilt show October 9 & 10. Updates: list of chairs and co-chairs still needed. In January we will start formal committee meetings. You will get reports and updates at each guild meeting.

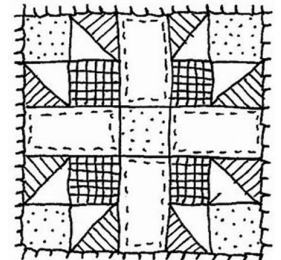
Next meeting October 15, 2025, at Sacred Heart.

With no further business, the meeting was then adjourned at 7:17pm.

Show and Tell followed the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Elsie M. Partridge
Secretary



Valley Quilt Guild WEBSITE Valleyquiltguild.org

Website maintained by Vicky Holly
This private Membership gets you into the area of the website that has the newsletters, treasurer reports, by-laws and member list.