

BAY OAKS QUILT GUILD

Meets 6:30 PM, 2nd & 4th Thursday

Methodist Church , 5305 Noma Drive, Diamondhead, MS 39525

www.bayoaksquiltguild.com http://bayoaksquiltguild.blogspot.com

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Treasurer's Report

No transactions as of February 28.

Opportunity Quilt Ticket Sales

Please bring any money collected to the business meeting. We need ticket money as soon as possible.

Next ticket sales at Second Saturday in Bay St. Louis will be on March 9. Come join the fun. Meet at 3:30 in Bay St. Louis and sell from 4PM – 8 PM. Please contact Faye for information and directions.

Fat Quarter Lotto

Lotto will continue in 2013. To participate, bring one or more fat quarters of the theme of the month to the business meeting. If your name is drawn, you receive all the donated fat quarters in the group.

| | | August | Purple |
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| March | Green | September | Fall |
| April | Easter | October | Halloween |
| May | Flowers | November | Thanksgiving |
| June | Beaches | December | Christmas |
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July Red, White, or Blue

Memberships

If you forgot to renew, you can still do it. Dues are \$15.00 for adults and \$1.00 for junior members. A membership form needs to be turned in also. You can use the one in the newsletter or pick one up at the meeting. Total membership is 49 adults and 2 juniors. Presently, 32 adults and 2 juniors have paid.

2013 Bay Oaks Quilt Guild Membership Application

| Name | Home Phone |
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| Address | |
| Address | |
| City | |
| State Zip Code | |
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| Email Address | |
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| Month and day of birth: | |
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| <u>Annual dues start 01/13 - \$15.00</u> | Junior Member\$1.00 |
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| Level of quilting experience: Beginner: | ntermediate: Advanced: |
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| What quilting techniques are you interested in learning | more about? |
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| Are you a machine or hand quilter? | |
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| **Would you like your name on the roster for <u>general m</u> No | embership use? Circle one: Yes |
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| Mail form and dues to Joy Vanderhoof at 7031 Lind Rd., meeting. | Kiln , MS 39556 or turn in at |
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Quilt Show News

<u>Registration</u>: Bay Oaks Quilt Show is fast approaching. As of the February Program Meeting only three people had turned in registration forms to show their quilts. I am extending the deadline to our March business meeting which is March 14. Marge has gone above and beyond in organizing workshops for making boutique items. All of you have been extremely generous with your donations. We are going to have an awesome boutique that all in attendance are going to envy. So you see, we have to display enough quilts for a quality quilt show or Marge will have our heads! Get your pen out, fill out those forms **in duplicate**, attach a photo and bring them to the March 14 meeting. We cannot wait any later. You don't have to have a finished quilt to be photographed. You can take a picture of just the top. If you are having trouble getting a picture taken, call Therese. Kay has sent notices to every conceivable publication she can find. I've already had a call from a Jackson quilter who plans to come down. We have had only two previous quilt shows but already we have a reputation of putting on a wonderful show. Let's keep that reputation!

Program ads: Only four ads have been turned in to Gloria for a total of \$100.00. We want the ads to pay for the program and this is going to take everyone bringing in at least one ad. If you've lost your sample ad page, Gloria has more. Call her! Last time, some had a friend or family member pay \$10 to wish the guild good luck with our show. This was a business card size ad. All ads do not have to be from businesses. Be creative! Therese Springer, Quilt Show Chair

Boutique: Marge has projects and suggestions for anyone who needs them. Thanks to all who are continuing to work on items at home. Please bring your finished projects, priced with at least the cost, to the next meeting.

Other: The t-shirts have been ordered. Help will be needed getting the hanging system ready to put in place and hanging quilts for the show. Krol Electric has volunteered a crew to help us assemble and raise the system at St. Rose.

Website and Blog

Remember to check the website for a listing of our Guild library books. Contact Kathy Kleppner if you want to check out any of the choices. Also browse the blog maintained by Kay. These are good places to find additional information to that printed in the monthly newsletter.

UFO Challenge

Not many people have responded to the Challenge for 2013. If you are interested, please let the officers know soon. Members submit a list of their UFOs to Cathy O'Flynn. Each completed item must be shown at Show and Tell to be marked off your list. Each member gets one chance to win for every UFO on the list that is completed by the drawing at the Christmas party.

Did you know??

Remember when 13 members of our guild made 19 little quilts for the Alzheimer's Quilt Inititive last year for the GSQA Quilt Show? Our guild's work brought in \$574.89! Pat yourselves on the back.

<u>Entries for 2013 show</u> Now's the time to get those quilts ready for submission. The March 14 entry deadline will be here before we know it.

ENTRY FORM

| Bay Oaks Quilters PRIDE OF THE GULF Q | uilt Show |
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| Holy Spirit Center, St. Rose de Lima Catholic Chur | rch, Bay St. Louis, MS |
| April 13 – 14, 2013 | |
| All entry forms must be RECEIVED BY March 8, 20 | 013. |
| Use a separate form plus one copy for each quilt | (Photocopy this form.) |
| NAME | |
| Address | Cell phone |
| City, State | E-mail (Print clearly) |
| Quilt Title/Name | Year completed |
| Size in inches (please measure!) width X _ | length |
| Machine | omestic Sewing MachineLongarm MachineHand Appliquéd ine EmbroideryArtThemeWearableYouthChallenge |
| KitCircuit Teacher ClassMQA ClassMinia | turesFirst QuiltChallengeKit |
| designer, book, kit, magazine, class, etc. Example | your quilt for color, pattern, technique(s), giving credit to the E: Suzy used shades of purplefor her TwistedBargello quilt. This displayed on your quilt. Please use 75 words or less |
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A separate Entry Form plus one copy and a photograph must be sent for each item. Photo becomes property of Bay Oaks Quilt Guild. Quilt Show Chair reserves the right to limit the number of entries per person based on available space.

I wish to enter the above item and agree to abide by all conditions pertaining to exhibiting. I understand that theCommittee reserves the right to change the category in which the quilt is entered. I understand that every

precaution will be taken to protect my quilt entered in this show but that Bay Oaks Quilters cannot be responsible for acts of nature beyond its control. I give my permission for my quilt to be photographed.

Phone (home) _____

Signature of Exhibitor

Date Mail or give Entry Forms and photograph to: Therese Springer, 8338 Kahala Drive, Diamondhead, MS 39525

Program for March 28, 2013: Mariner's Compass and Primitive Patchwork

Intimidated by the complexity of the Mariner's Compass? Believe that only geometry goddesses (or gods) can wrap their minds and protractors around the mysteries of this stunning traditional block pattern? Fear not—in this month's program, Gloria will guide us through an easy paper-folding method of drafting the Mariner's Compass using only the simplest of tools (no PhD in mathematics, CAD programs or slide rules necessary). Then Joy will take us through the steps of making Ricky Tims' Primitive Patchwork blocks. These two simple blocks are a great project for beginners to learn and practice basic strip-piecing and block assembly techniques without the demand for pinpoint accuracy in cutting and matching seams. So you can relax and just have fun playing with colors and fabrics!

MATERIALS NEEDED

Mariner's Compass:

Pencil (mechanical is best or bring a sharpener)

Straight edge/ruler

Eraser

Paper scissors

Primitive Patchwork:

Amounts needed depend on the size of the quilt you decide to make. Strips may be 22 inches long (so fat quarters can be used), but you will obviously need more of the shorter strips than you would of strips using the full width of fabric (WOF). The amounts given here are those you will need if you would like to sew sample blocks at the program meeting.

2 ½ inch strips of a variety of fabrics of your choice (Ricky specifies solids or

blended solids) - minimum of 4 (either 22" or WOF)

3 inch strips of darker (or could be brighter as long as it contrasts with the four fabrics above) fabric - minimum of 1 (WOF) or 2 (if 22" strips)

5 ½ inch strips of lighter fabric -

minimum of 1 (WOF) or 2

(if 22" strips)

5 ½ inch strips of darker fabric -

minimum of 1 (WOF) or 2

(if 22" strips)



Dear GSQA,

I want to thank you for all the time and creative artwork you have shown in the beautiful bras you have donated to Pink Heart Funds. I can't wait 'til everyone sees them.

Our first display will be at the "Ladies Night Out" Expo on Friday, July 27th, at the Harrison County Civic Center, located in Pass Christian on Espy Ave. The Expo will begin at 6 and end at 9pm. We will select four bras to be auctioned off that evening. The others will be auctioned throughout the year. Please join us if you can for a wonderful night out on the 27th.

Pink Heart Funds ministry and outreach provides free of charge, breast prostheses to those who have had lumpectomies or mastectomies, and lymphedema sleeves. We also provide cranial prostheses (wigs) to children and adults that have undergone chemotherapy, Alopecia, or any other debilitating cause for hair loss. All of our services are absolutely FREE for those who do not have sufficient insurance coverage or are unable to afford the purchase of wigs or breast prostheses.

Pink Heart Funds is a 501(c) (3) Charity.

Thank you,

JoAn Niceley Founder/President

Mark Your Calendars

| GSQA Seminar, Marriott Hotel, Baton Rouge, LA |
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| Mountain Quiltfest, Pigeon Forge, TN |
| Quilt Show, Calcasieu Cut-Ups Quilt Guild, Bi-annual Show, |
| Lake Charles Civic Center, Exhibition Hall, Lake Charles, LA |
| National Quilting Day |
| The Giving Quilt Exhibit, Lamar Dixon Expo Center, 9039 S. Saint Landry |
| Ave, Gonzales, LA. |
| "Pride of the Gulf," Bay Oaks Quilt Guild, St. Rose de Lima Church, |
| 301 S. Necaise Ave, Bay St. Louis |
| GSQA Quarterly Meeting, Morgan City, LA |
| "Quilts of the Gulf Coast", Azalea City Quilters, Mobile Alabama Cruise Terminal, |
| 201 S. Water Street, Mobile |
| National Quilting Association Annual Quilt Show, Columbus, Ohio |
| GSQA Quarterly Meeting, Picayune, MS |
| GSQA Quarterly Meeting, Mes Amis quilt store, New Orleans, LA |
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Show and Tell

