



Bay Oaks Quilt Guild

June 2012

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

Diamondhead Baptist Church
63780 Diamondhead Drive N Diamondhead, MS
39525

<http://www.bayoaksquiltguild.org>

Mark Your Calendars

June 14 th	Business Meeting
June 1– Oct 1, 2012	Mississippi's 2012 Nine Patch Quilts are currently on display at the Agriculture & Forestry Museum, Quilts provided by MQA Legacy Committee Jackson MS.
June 7-9	Alabama Quilt Symposium, Bumpus Middle School Campus 6055 Fleming Parkway Hoover, Alabama
June 23	Bay Oaks Shop Hop to shops in Gautier/Mobile area.
July 23 & 24 July 25 & 26 July 27 & 28	MQA National Teacher, Marilyn Doheny Hattiesburg MS Jackson MS. Starkville MS
August	Pine Belt Quilt Show Entries are DUE!
Sept 21-22, 2012	GSQA Quarterly Meeting, Baton Rouge, LA Lynn Roddy Brown & Kathy Brown will be presenting AND Needle Chasers Quilt Show and Apron Museum, Iuka MS. (http://www.tishomingofunhere.org/PDF's/Needle%20Chasers%20Quilt%20Show%20Flyer.pdf)
Oct 5th – 7th	Pine Belt Quilters Fiber Arts and Quilt Show, "Life on Our Planet," Lake Terrace Convention Center, Hattiesburg Convention Center, Hattiesburg, MS
Nov 1-4, 2012	International Quilt Show, Houston TX

Of Interest:

1. MQA:

1. Mississippi's Nine Patch Quilts are currently on display at the Mississippi Agriculture & Forestry Museum located in Jackson, Mississippi. A list of the current quilts and quilters on display is at: <http://www.mississippiquilt.org/AG-Museum-Quilt-Exhibit.html>
2. MQA is currently accepting Christmas Quilts to be displayed in the Agriculture Museum.
Information and forms are available on at:
http://www.mississippiquilt.org/files/2012_Christmas_Quilt_Exhibit_.pdf

3. Mississippi Outstanding Quilter Nominations: Nominations will be accepted until April 15, 2013 for any Mississippi quilter, 65 or older. A Nomination form (with the instructions) will be sent out with the newsletter or download it from:
http://www.mississippiquilt.org/files/2013_Mississippi_Outstanding_Quilter_Nomination_Form2.pdf

2. **GSQA**

Marion Maerke Scholarship award is the highest honor awarded to a GSQA member. The scholarship recognizes those GSQA members who are active and passionate quilters; volunteer their services to GSQA, the local guild, other quilting organizations, and that benefit the community; and are active participants in quilting, as well as stimulating and encouraging others in all things relating to quilts and quilt making.

You will learn more about this during the next few meetings.

To see a list of past winners: <http://gulfstatesquilting.org/MarionMaerke.html>

3. **Fat Quarter Lotto:** Bring teal, aqua, turquoise, sea blue, blue green, green blue fat quarters to the Business Meeting June 14. The following is a list of the fat quarter colors for the rest of the year – so you can plan ahead!

1. **June – teal, aqua, turquoise, sea blue, blue green, green blue – whatever you want to call it!**
2. July – red, white & blue
3. August – purple
4. September – yellow
5. October – brown
6. November – fall fabrics
7. December – Christmas fabrics

4. **UFO Challenge:** Everyone should have their UFO list in to Therese. We've already had a couple of projects completed.

5. **Row by Row:** Each month at the Business Meeting, Therese will demonstrate one of the blocks of the quilt. The object is to become proficient in making the blocks, learning new techniques and having a quilt when the year is done! So far the patterns are:

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| 1. | June | Magic Nine Patch |
| 2. | July | Half Square Triangle |
| 3. | August | Log Cabin |
| 4. | September | Snail's Trail |
| 5. | October | Ribbon Star |
| 6. | November | Half Horizontal Rectangles |
| 7. | December | Star Window |
| 8. | January | Arkansas Cross Roads |
| 9. | February | Hearts |
| 10. | March | Migrating Geese |
| 11. | April | Irish Chain |

6. **Boutique Projects:**

Therese is collecting 2 1/2" and 3 1/2" squares for a boutique item. When you are through cutting out a project, perhaps you could cut some extra squares to donate to the cause. Please put into a baggy, labeled with the size. She will be collecting squares until March 2013.

7. **Civil War Blocks for June**

Please **CTRL-CLICK** on the link **below** the block's picture to go directly to the page that contains that week's 'history lesson' and the directions for the block.



[49 Yankee Puzzle](#)



[50 Grapes of Wrath](#)



[51 New York](#)



[52 Christmas Star](#)

NOTE: If you cannot use the links above, copy the below link into your browser.

<http://civilwarquilts.blogspot.com/2011/12/49-yankee-puzzle.html>

<http://civilwarquilts.blogspot.com/2011/12/50-grapes-of-wrath.html>

<http://civilwarquilts.blogspot.com/2011/12/51-new-york.html>

<http://civilwarquilts.blogspot.com/2011/12/52-christmas-star.html>

8. Tip:

For an alternative way to piece a circle: <http://www.hgtv.com/crafting/pieced-curves-sosimple/index.html>. From the book *Pieced Curves So Simple*.

Next Business Meeting (June 14)

On the agenda:

1. **Bay Oaks Shop Hop Trip:** Faye K will pass out sign-up sheet at next business meeting for those interested in going on road trip to Gautier/Mobile on June 23.

May 2012 Show & Tell



Pink Heart Quilt Workday

