

Bay Oaks Newsletter

July 2019

July Business Meeting

Our business meeting for June will be Thursday, July 11, 2019, 6:30 pm at the Kiln library. We're still seeking an "auctioneer" for August program night. Also, don't forget that charity nomination forms are due by August business meeting, if you wish to nominate a recipient.

Upcoming Sit-N-Sew Dates

For those unfamiliar, we have monthly sit-n-sews at the Kiln library on designated Saturdays. This is time set aside to bring whatever you'd like to work on and sew in the company of other members. It starts around 9 in the morning, and they usually wrap up by about 3pm. You can come for any portion of the time...this is a flexible, stress-free day! You can bring lunch and/or snacks or make a food run (there's a subway just north and Ward's south). If you can make these occasionally, it's great fellowship and fun! The upcoming Sit-N-Sew dates are:

July 27
August 10
September 21st / Marge Bailey: Trapunto class
October 26
No Sit-N-Sews in Nov/Dec

Upcoming Program Nights

July 25: Kim McKeithen (Coastal Sew-N-Vac) will show us basic sewing machine maintenance to keep our machines in top shape.

August Program: Auction Night!

and piece into rows, then rows to block. Press as you go. You can press either to the HST or the 4 patches, just stay consistent to reduce bulk.

Sew N Draw (Rescheduled July 13th)

Marge Sandy has rescheduled Sew-N-Draw to July 13th; this is the re-schedule of the one that she had to post-pone in May due to being sick. The same pattern and fabric information stands.

Please let her know at the meeting if you signed up before and can not make the re-schedule. Also let her know if you did not get to sign up before and plan to join in.

Beckwith Retreat Final Payments are **Due Thursday**

If you are going to Beckwith Retreat and owe your final payment, please get with Kay Guillot. Checks can be made out to Bay Oaks Quilt Guild.

Martelli Event Sept 14: Slidell

Judy Theriot would like to get a count of Bay Oaks members who intend to attend the Martelli Products showing in Slidell on September 14th at 9:30 am. She needs to have 150 people there, so she is interested in getting a head count at our earliest convenience. Martelli usually offers special discounts to attendees.



Sept 14, 2019 9:30 am Aldersgate United Methodist Church 360 Robert Blvd Slidell, LA

Let Sue Rountree know if interested!







Pillowcases! Bring them Thursday!

If you made the burrito pillowcases for Brenda's House (June Program night) don't forget to bring them for show-n-tell and turn in!

Block of the Month Due July 11



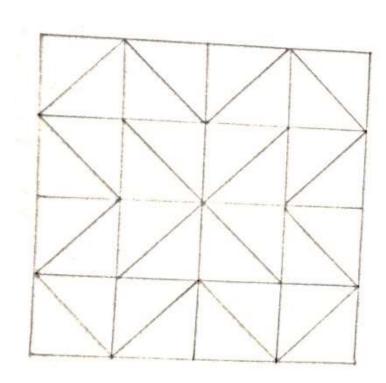
Is your block of the month done? Despite the grayscale picture at left, colors are "Sewer's choice".

The block is a 12" pieced star. To make your half-square triangles (HSTs), you'll

want to start with 4" squares, make your diagonal line and then sew a seam ¼" from line on each side and cut into HSTs. Trim each HST down to 3-1/2". One suggestion would be to make 2 HSTs from dark and light fabric combinations, and 6 HSTs from medium and light fabric (see below):

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ONE SUGGESTION:

MAKE 2 D+L

MAKE 4 M+L