



## **Bay Oaks Quilt Guild**

Meets 6:30 PM, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday

**Kiln Library**

**Highway 603**

**Kiln, MS 39556**

October 9<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2008

[www.bayoaksquiltguild.org](http://www.bayoaksquiltguild.org)

**Please note the change in our meeting place. This will be our meeting place through the rest of this year.**

**Treasurer's Report** A full report at the business meeting.

**October Birthdays** Happy Birthday to our October born members: Melba 6<sup>th</sup>, Mary Alice 9<sup>th</sup>, Jane 11<sup>th</sup> and Sue 21<sup>st</sup>.

**October 9<sup>th</sup> meeting** We will have a special guest speaker, Sandy Sturgis, who will give a talk about Settings generally based on Sharon Craig's techniques in her book Setting Solutions. We are very lucky that Sandy is visiting Chris at this time and has offered to talk to us. **October 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting** There is a possibility of working on some blocks for Quilts of Valor and a showing of new cutting tools.

**Ugly Fabric Challenge.** Rules are as follows:

1. Keep your quilt design or layout a secret! Do not show or tell any other guild member until the showing at the Christmas party.
2. The ugly fabric must be prominent and the most visible piece that catches your eye.
3. **Your quilt should be between 72" and 96" around the perimeter** in any shape you choose.
4. Your quilt must be completed, quilted and bound by the Christmas Party.
5. Use no more than four (4) other fabrics and any design you wish.
6. You must label and name your quilt.
7. **Do not make a Christmas quilt.**

**Retreat, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>** Our retreat had to be cancelled because we were 6 short of the required number.

**Red Plaid Quilt** Lou Ada has turned in the beautiful red plaid quilt. We have sold many tickets at the MQA meeting and the lucky person will be chosen at our Christmas Party. There is still time to sell to your family and friends and to buy some for you. If anyone has an idea of a place to set up and sell our chances please speak up and offer to take charge of heading a committee to do that.

**Christmas Party** Please give thought to being the host location for our Christmas party. The location and date should be finalized by the end of October.

**Please keep Solveig Wells in your thoughts and prayers as she goes through a new challenge in her fight with cancer.**

### **Calendar of October Quilt Shows:**

Oct. 10-12 Pine Belt Quilters Fiber Art Quilt Show, Hattiesburg, MS

Oct. 11 Berry Patch Quilt Show, Ponchatoula, LA

Oct. 29-Nov. 2 International Quilt Show Houston

Nov. 1-2 Piecemakers Quilt Show, Picayune MS

Nov. 15-16 Pine Needles Quilt Show, Perkinston MS

**Don't forget to bring your Show and Tell**

**Sew Long, Gloria Burlette**

Show and Tell at our meeting.



Carol R



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Gloria B



Mary Ellen H



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**Mississippi Quilt Association Fall Gathering on the Gulf Coast. Bay Oaks members are in red shirts with their our new banner above our black and white challenge quilts display.**



Bay Oaks Members at MQA luncheon



Bay Oaks members at MQA meeting



Bettye B was the featured speaker



Bobbie S with her beaded wall hanging.