



POCONO MOUNTAIN QUILTERS' GUILD

The Quilt Line

May 2020

***** Guild Purpose *****

The purpose of the Guild is to promote friendship among persons interested in all aspects of quilting; to promote an interest in and appreciation of the art of quilt making; to share quilting information; and education and stimulation of high standards and technique.

Meeting Dates

Membership

2nd Wed. at 6:30

Community Room

June 10
August 12
September 9
October 14
November 11
December 9 – Annual Holiday Dinner

Board

1st Wed. at 6:30 PM

Library Board Room

June 10 (prior to regular meeting-5:30)
July 1
August 5
September 2
October 7
November 4
December 2

Charity Committee

6:30-9:00 Library Board Room

June 24
July 22
August 26
September 23
November (none)
December 23

Quilting Fellowship Days

Saturdays 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Community Room

June 27
September 26
November 28

President's Message

Dear Members,

Like many of you, I am anxiously awaiting the time that things will get back to “normal”, whatever that will be! At this point, we are anxious for the Governor’s message on what is to come. As a guild, there are a number of things that must be discussed, so our June Board meeting (June 3rd) **WILL** occur even if we need to do it online. Items such as Quilt Bingo (will the Moose be open and even if it is, how many people can it hold...will the library be open to obtain items for the tricky tray, fat quarters, tickets...where can we advertise since so many stores are closed), the July meeting and officers for next year must be discussed. I am willing to be on the Nomination Committee as the Board representative, but need two members at large now. No one has come forward so **PLEASE** email or text me if you are interested. We need to discuss officer outcome at the Board meeting as well.

On another note, the following was sent to me without an author so I cannot give credit to someone. I thought you might enjoy it!

“I hear some people are starting to feel stressed in lockdown! Actually, I was just talking about this with my sewing machine and she seemed to agree. But when I asked the elastic, she just snapped back! I think it was stressed to the limit. So, I tried to talk to the cotton, but it shrank away. The linen was in a bunch. The scissors were snippy. Even the stuffing was down. When I came around to ask the buttons, they just gaped. The snaps suggested that I get a grip. Thankfully, the iron gave it to me straight and reminded me that this will all be smoothed over soon!”

I anxiously look forward to the time we can meet again and certainly hope this finds you all well and very healthy!

*Piecefully,
Vicki Pede*

Treasurer's Report

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Treasurer's Report for May 2020

April 2020 Activity

Beginning Balance as of 4/1/2020 \$ 11,970.78

Income:

Total income: \$ -

Expenses:

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1317 U.S. Postal Service - P.O. Box Rent \$ 168.00

1318 Selective Insurance \$ 596.00

Total expenses: \$ 764.00

Ending Balance as of 4/30/2020 \$ 11,206.78

Respectfully submitted by Ann Wingert



Calendar

May 6 – Board Meeting **CANCELED**

May 13 – Debora Konchinsky, Critter Pattern Works - Why Be Creative? **CANCELED - Hopefully the speaker can be rescheduled.**

June 3 – Board Meeting

June 10 – Linda Poole, AQS Certified and quilt Instructor – Trunk Show and Evolvement, including painted applique information.

July 1 – Board Meeting

July – Library not available for regular meeting and no field trip as so many stores are closed and we do not know status for July.

July 12 – Quilt Bingo scheduled

August 5 – Board Meeting

August 12 - Picnic

Community/Charity Quilts

There are members of our guild who continue to make facemasks. There is an ongoing request from several community groups. We will continue to post specific requests on an E-Mail thread to everyone. If anyone needs masks picked up and delivered for them just let me know.

There will always be a need for adult and children quilts. Once we are able to return to some kind of normalcy we will be able to attribute them.

Looking forward to seeing everyone. Hope everyone is safe and healthy.

Submitted by Kathy Parrish

Bingo

Save the date – Quilt Lover's Bingo is Sunday, July 12th!

Scholarship Committee

The Scholarship Committee will be rescheduled as soon as we know what is happening!

Scavenger Hunt Challenge 2020

Thank you to Marianne Bridges for facilitating this and for her continuous explanations and excitement. We are excited to see the final pieces!

Hospitality Chair Needed

If this is not possible at this time, a few hands for set-up and clean-up would be super. That worked well at our March meeting.

Activities

Sunshine:

If you know of any member who has had surgery, an illness, a death in the family, become a grandparent or just needs some cheering up please let me know so a card can be sent from the guild.

Submitted by Marie Schriever

Tea Time:

The Tea Social starts at 6:00 P.M. and gives members the chance to arrive early, socialize and enjoy a cup of tea. Members bring their own favorite mugs. Various teas, sugar and milk are supplied. Our speaker meetings and programs have run more smoothly, with fewer distractions, since members have had the opportunity to socialize before the program.

PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE Wear Your Name Tag:

Please remember to wear your name tag to our meetings. It certainly helps other members out who may not be sure of everyone's name! Thank you for helping in this small area.

For Your Information

Guild Photographs:

The Guild has quite a few photograph albums full of photographs taken from meetings and quilt shows over the years. No one has ever asked to look at these albums. All the photographs have all been scanned are stored now on a computer. Lorraine Hare will bring these albums to guild for members to look at. The members will have to make a decision as to what we do with these photographs.

Quilt Shows:

New dates for the Lancaster Quilt Show - It will be held in the same location at the Double Tree Resort and held in conjunction with the AQS show in August.

Aug. 5- 8 for the quilt show. The AQS show will not have Saturday hours but the Vendor Mall at the Double Tree will. Daily hours will be Wed.-Friday 9- 6 pm, Saturday 9-4 pm.

May 10 – The Evening Star Quilters present Luke Haynes, a quilting artist who presents modern themes through portraits on quilts, at Belvidere High School beginning at 7:00 p.m. (Meet and greet from 6:00-7:00) Admission is \$10.00. Please contact Sharon Kubich at sharon.kubich@gmail.com if interested.

August 5-8 - Lancaster Quilt Shows

TBD: PMQG Quiltfest

November 7-8 – Colonial Quilt Guild Show at the Charles Chrin Community Center in Easton (Palmer Township), PA

The **Guild website** can be found at www.thepmqg.com. The current program calendar is updated on the website every month and the current newsletter is available as a link to a pdf file.



May:

5/8 Marie Schriever
 5/12 Debra Shortino
 5/21 Sheryl Flatt

May:

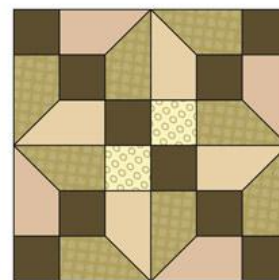
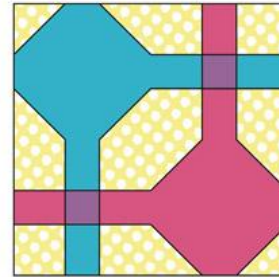
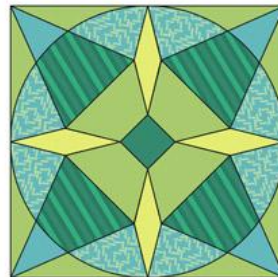
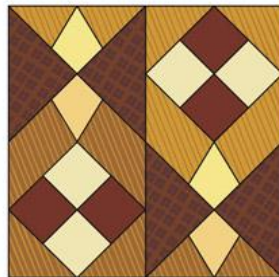
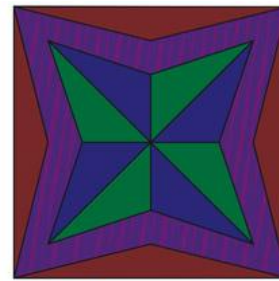
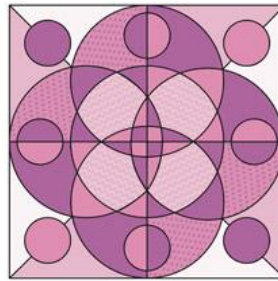
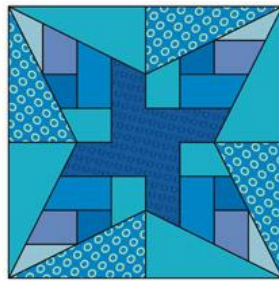
5/19/74 Annie Gibson
 5/25/74 Ann Marie Kizer
 5/8/85 Kari Skutnik

June:

6/7 Andrea Gullion
 6/14 Roberta Fisher
 6/30 Linda Hinkson

June:

6/4/60 Pat Cudney
 6/28/14 Andrea Gullion
 6/1/80 Lorraine Hare
 6/25/99 Bobbie Long
 6/27/70 Judith Mehl
 6/22/13 Debra Shortino



Officers

President – Vicki Pede

Vice President – Shirley Correll

Secretary – Donna Conto

Treasurer – Ann Wingert

Financial Secretary – Ann Marie Kizer

Committees

Activities – Shirley Correll

Historian/Photos – Lorraine Hare

Sunshine Club – Marie Schriever

Celebration Quilts – OPEN

Helping Hands – Peggy Plasencia

Hospitality – OPEN

Newsletter – Lois Kirkwood

Publicity – OPEN

Webmaster – Lorraine Hare

Block of the Month – OPEN

Challenge Quilt – Marianne Bridges

Community Quilts – Kathy Parrish

Quilt Bingo – Shirley Correll

Tea Time – Annie Gibson



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