



# The Quilt Line



Pocono Mountain Quilters' Guild

June 2016

**Next meeting is June 15th, 2016**

**President's Message:** No Message.

**Check out the web page at [www.thepmqg.com](http://www.thepmqg.com)**

## **Minutes:**

The May meeting of the Pocono Mt. Quilt Guild was called to order at 8:10p.m. by president Lois Kirkwood.

Minutes were approved as written in the newsletter, motion Bea Kasebier, second Christine Bearn.

No treasurer's report, it was not listed in newsletter.

Jane Maughan reported on upcoming meetings and activities.

June 15, "How the Winners Work", 6 challenge winners will present 10 minute presentations on their challenge pieces along with a demo of the technique or method used. Members will divide into groups and move to all presentations.

July 13, Meeting will be held at the American Ribbon and Potting shed business on Ann Street. The Potting shed will hold a demonstration for those present.

August 10, Picnic will be held in the garden at the back of the library under a tent supplied by the library staff. Marie Schriever and Marianne Bridges presented the theme "Black Tie Picnic" asking all members to arrive in some type of black and white attire. Ties were encouraged. All members were asked to bring a dish to share.

Board member Mary Santoro will chair the nomination committee along with members Judy Mehl and Linda Doll. Thank you to each for stepping up to the task.

Marie Schriever reported on "Quilt Bingo" being held on August 7. Tickets will be available at the June meeting. Anyone wishing to reserve tickets should contact Marie as there are only 125 tickets being sold. Members who could not remember what they signed up for may review the list with Marie.

Sheryl Flatt reported on the "Mystery Retreat". There is only one spot left but anyone should apply as there will be a waiting list in case of a cancellation.

Lois read a letter received from Most Holy Catholic Church asking for a donation of a quilt, funds to be used for the building fund. Membership agreed to donate. Rose

Frailey stated that there are two quilt tops available for quilting; Lois said she would arrange for the quilting.

Thank you to Lorraine Hare for organizing the challenge book and forwarding to members.

Mary Santoro reported \$33 was collected from tricky tray. Thank you to all who brought gift. Winners were, Pay Howlin, Kim Kimler, Barb Hall, Marie Shriever, Donna Conto, Sarah Pierson, Lois Kirkwood, Bea Kasebier, and Marianne Bridges. Barb Wenton passed list for monthly refreshments.

Barb Ebert made a motion to adjourn seconded by Sherry Seip, approved.

*Submitted by Marianne Bridges*

## **Calendar:**

**June 15<sup>th</sup>:** Our 2016 Challenge was a spectacular success. Our June Meeting will provide the opportunity for all of us to learn how to "Work it Like the Winners." All six of our Challenge winners will tell us how they designed their winning quilts and each will demo a portion of their work. Attendees will be assigned to small groups and each group will move through the demo tables, spending 10 minutes with each winner. By the end of the meeting everyone will have had the opportunity to see six demos. Prepare to witness precision piecing, skilled appliqué techniques and more! Our recent survey said members value demos, so this is your chance to see six great demos in one evening. Bring your notebook to take notes!

### **July 13<sup>th</sup>: July Road Trip**

On Wednesday, July 13<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 P.M. we will meet at The American Ribbon Fabric store and the adjacent Potting Shed for our July Road Trip. The Potting Shed has planned a silk flower demo for us, together with refreshments from their locally made salsa and dips line of foods. The stores are located on Ann Street in Stroudsburg.

### **August 2<sup>nd</sup>: August Picnic**

On Wednesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 6:00 P.M., we will enjoy our annual picnic.

The August Picnic will be an outdoor event again this year— now in the garden of the Eastern Monroe Public Library where we regularly meet. The Library staff will set up two tents for us in the garden; they have not yet used the newly re-landscaped garden for a group party and they are excited about setting up for our picnic.

For the first time we are having a unified theme. In the past, small groups have chosen themes and decorate their tables. In recent years the Guild's small groups have dwindled and so we have decided to have a single theme.

Marie Schriever and Marianne Bridges are the August Picnic theme coordinators and they chose "Black & White." Come dressed in black, white or black & white. Consider wearing a black tie or tuxedo theme, or summery white! Hats and headpieces will make the August Picnic more festive. Everyone brings dishes for the table, so plan to treat your fellow Guild members with a summery dish or dessert of your creation. Let's all contribute to turn out a delicious picnic dinner. Guild will supply table decorations, please bring your own table setting (plate and utensils). In case of rain, we will have the main meeting room at the Library for our use.

## **Treasurer's Report: Report for May 2016**

### **April's Activity 2016**

**Beginning Balance:** \$9,020.02

**Income: Ways and Means** -

**Total Income:** -

### **Expenses:**

**#1124 Echhar - Basket** \$65.90

**(Member of the Year)**

**#1125 American Ribbon** \$31.56

**(Challenge Ribbons)**

**Total Expenses:** \$97.46

**Ending Balance:** \$8,922.56

*Submitted by Marie Guidry*

## **Treasurer's Report: Report for June 2016**

### **May's Activity 2016**

**Beginning Balance:** \$8,922.56

**Income: April - Ways and Means** \$37.00

Membership \$10.00

May - Ways and Means \$33.00

Guest Fee \$5.00

**Total Income:** \$85.00

### **Expenses:**

**#1126 Speaker Gail Kessler** \$576.68

**#1127 Barb Wenton** \$29.67

**(Refreshments)**

**#1128 Postmaster - Box Rental** \$136.00

**Total Expenses** \$742.35

**Ending Balance:** \$8,213.21

*Submitted by Marie Guidry*

## **Activities:**

### **Fat Quarter Basket:**

I would like each member to bring 2 fat quarters, to each meeting for our raffle basket.

*Submitted by Sheri Seip*

### Ways and Means:

\$33.00 was raised in May. Winners were: Pat Howlin, Kim Kimler, Marie Shriever, Donna Conto, Sarah Pierson, Lois Kirkwood, Bea Kasebier, and Marianne Bridges.

Thanks to all who participated. As always, donations needed!

*Submitted by Kathleen Rambo/ Mary Santoro*

### Charity Quilts:

No Report.

*Submitted by Judy Mehl*

### Community Quilts:

No report.

*Submitted by Rose Frailey*

### Celebration Quilts:

Do you have a special occasion coming up? Or know someone that does? Let us help you celebrate. The birth of a baby; a wedding; a 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary; a 50<sup>th</sup> or 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary are important occasions. **It is important to celebrate.**

*Contact Sheri Seip*

### Hospitality:

No Report

*Submitted by Barb Wenton*

### June's Birthdays:

Andrea Kash	June 7 <sup>th</sup>
Linda Hinkson	June 30 <sup>th</sup>

### June's Anniversaries:

Norma Woolever	6/01/1957
Pat Cudney	6/04/1960
Ann Jennings	6/28/1968
Sue Andrews	6/29/1968
Lorraine Hare	6/14/1980
Christine Bearn	6/01/1998
Bobbie Long	6/25/1999
Jane Maughan	6/02/2007
Andrea Kash	6/28/2014



## For Your Information:

### Apologies:

I am apologizing to the members who I did not get their Viewer's choice ribbons yet. I have them all at home; I just have to feel well enough to put them together. Thanks for your patience. *Lorraine Hare*

### Member of the Year

Congratulations to this year's recipient: Marie Guidry.

Previous recipients are: Janet Richards, Ann Benz, Lorraine Hare, Barbara Ebert, Kaye DeMars, Ditta VanGemen, Barbara Wenton, Norma Woolever, Peggy Plascencia Chiniewicz, Kathy Parrish, Edna Shaffer, Rose Frailey, Marianne Bridges, Pat Bruck, Andrea Kash, Sheryl Flatt, Mary Santoro, Laura Lyman, Betty D'Imperio and Bea Kasebier.

### Future Meeting dates are:

July 13<sup>th</sup> (2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday)

Sept 14 (2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday)

Oct 19 (3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday)

Nov 9 (2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday)

## Quilt Bingo

Date - Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2016

Venue - Moose Lodge, 705 Stokes Mill Rd, East Stroudsburg

The Pocono Mountain Quilter's Guild is having a "Quilt Lovers" Bingo on Sunday, August 7, 2016. It will be held at the Moose Lodge 705 Stokes Mill Rd, East Stroudsburg. Tickets are \$25 in advance and limited. If tickets are available at the door they will be \$30. Tickets include admission and cards to play every game. We will play 16 games and all prizes are quilted or quilt related items. Additional cards, raffle, food, etc. will be available for purchase. Doors open at 12:00 and the games start at 1:30 pm. All entrants must have a ticket, seating is limited!

If you would like tickets please email Marie Schriever: [smitty9union@yahoo.com](mailto:smitty9union@yahoo.com) with the number of tickets you would like. If you have any questions you may call me or Marianne Bridges. Thank you.

### The event team is as follows:-

Project Leader

Marie Schriever (Quilt donations, Bingo)

Publicity

Peggy Plasencia-Chiniewicz

Food Service

Marianne Bridges

Tricky Tray

Barbara Wenton

External Sponsorship/Donations

Jan MacBeth

Finance/ Admin/Printing  
Bake Sale

Christine Bearn

**Other members**

Lorraine Hare, Lois Kirkwood, Linda Doll, Louise Price and Kathy Parrish

**If you signed up to make a prize for the bingo, please let us know what it is or bring it to meeting if it is finished.**

*Submitted by Marie Schriever*

**Tea Time:** No Tea Social in June! The Tea Social will return in October.

**Wear Your Name Tag:** Please wear your name tag to help everyone greet and speak to each other by name. If you forget your name tag, stop at the Sign up Sheet for a paper Hello My Name Is tag!

*Submitted by Jane Maughan*

**Quilter's Mystery Retreat Weekend 2016**

Mystery Quilt Retreat

Thank you to everyone who signed up for our Mystery Quilt Weekend. I know we will all have a great time. Don't forget to send in the balance of the payment 30 days before we go which would be September 30th.

*Submitted by Sheryl Flatt*

**For your Information:**

Pocono Chapter Quilts for Kids annual luncheon will be held on Saturday, Sept. 10th at noon. It will be at Boulder View Tavern in Lake Harmony again and you have your choice from three entrees. Tickets are \$26.00 and we will have a small tricky tray. We have a good time as usual. The only thing missing is YOU! Contact Marie Schriever for tickets.

The Guild website can be found at [www.thepmqg.com](http://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.

**Editor's Note:**

**There will be no newsletter in July as Lorraine Hare will be away from June 21<sup>st</sup> until July 12<sup>th</sup>. The next meeting is on July 13<sup>th</sup>.**

If you have something you want included in the newsletter please forward to [lorrhare@ptd.net](mailto:lorrhare@ptd.net) Articles such as recipes or quilt shows/events, tricks or tips, news about members are due to the Editor by the first Wednesday of the month.

**Officers**

President	Lois Kirkwood
Vice President	Jane Maughan
Treasurer (Acting)	Marie Guidry
Secretary	
Financial Secretary	Mary Santoro

**Committees:**

Activities	Jane Maughan
Historian/Photos	
Celebration Quilts	Sheri Seip
Helping Hands	
Ways & Means	Kathleen Rambo / Mary Santoro
Hospitality	Barbara Wenton
Newsletter	Lorraine Hare
Community Quilts	Rose Frailey
Publicity	Pat Cudney
Webmaster	Jane Maughan
Challenge 2016	Lorraine Hare
Charity Quilts	



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