

Pine Needles Quilt Guild

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- Next Meeting - November 13th at 6:30. Don't forget to bring:**
- Quilts for Home Tour
 - Name Badge
 - \$ for Christmas Quilt tickets

Quilt Grab Opens PNQG Holiday Season

Home Tour will be here before you know it!

The November 13th Guild meeting is our famous quilt grab, so bring all the quilts that you have been working hard to finish to this meeting. House leaders will choose and sometimes grab the quilts for each of their homes. Quilts will be returned at the December meeting.

Included in this newsletter are the labels for your quilts and your personal inventory sheet.



Will Joyce Gwinner bring this graphic Friendship Star quilt to the Home Tour Quilt Grab? (Shown at the October meeting by Joyce and Jordan Gwinner.)

Mark your labels with your initials and a number, i.e. DS1, then DS2, etc. Enter these numbers on your inventory sheet

along with the description of each of corresponding quilt. During the quilt grab, make note of which

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Photo Inspired Landscapes Created

Using favorite personal photos as inspiration, fifteen students pawed through their collections of fabric to choose the perfect piece to shape into elements of a landscape



Icky Orr places fabric on her raw edge applique landscape.

scape in the October 13 workshop taught by Gayle Simpson. Gayle was easy-going and moved from student to student making sure that everyone received personal attention. She

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President's Message



Well, the holidays are upon us. Nothing new this year—I'm not ready!

I hope you have made more progress this year than I have. That means you should bring all your newly finished quilts to the November meeting for the annual free for all known as the quilt grab.

I know that Debbie and her committee have been hard at work planning to have the best home tour ever.

We had a great turn

out for our mini retreat at the church camp here in Wrightwood. The opinion of all who were there was that we need to do that at least twice a year. So look for another event in the not to distant future.

Before we start the fun part of the meeting in November, we have some business to transact. November is the month when we elect our new offices for the next year.

As of this writing we have

the following members who have volunteered to serve next year:

- President: **CANDIDATE NEEDED!**
 - VP Membership: Linda Tashiro and Christie Close
 - VP Programs: Nancy Fogo and Lenore Ferris
 - Secretary: Eileen Burns
 - Treasurer: Marion Hall
- We will accept nominations from the floor for any position.

In the new year we will begin the process to

obtain tax exempt status: something that is long overdue for our group. We will need a full slate of officers to complete this process. I'll give more information on this at the meeting. We won't be having a speaker but anyone wanting to join us for dinner—same time, same place!

See you in November. Keep quilting.

—Marlene



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house your quilt is going in. Before you leave the meeting, have us make a copy of the sheet for our records.

Don't forget that this year we are taking quilts for holidays other than Christmas as well and will be displayed as a collection in one of the homes. Of course, we will still be

taking all your other traditional, art and Christmas quilts as well.

It's also time again to start planning to make wonderful **homemade** cookies for the Holiday Home Tour Cookie House and vie for the Golden Spoon award. Simply tape your recipe to the top of your three (3) dozen cookies and you are in the running. Recipes will be compiled in a small booklet for all to enjoy and will be available in February.

You may drop your

cookies off Wednesday or Thursday at either Marion's at 1114 Robin Lane, or Icky's at 1202 Robin Lane. If you live off the hill, you may give them to either Icky or Marion Friday night during the preview, but only if you live off the hill please. You may also delivery them to the cookie house at the Wrightwood Country Club on Saturday the day of the tour between the hours of 9:00 and 10:00.

Thanks to everyone who has signed up for helping on the home tour.

Refreshments:

Kim Small
Corinne Baker
Flo Souza
Christy Close

Happy Birthday!

Eileen Burns
Donna Hickish
Teresa Howard
Flo Souza
Betty Tracy

We wouldn't have a home tour or a guild without you!

—Debbie Stefan,
Home Tour Chair



Show & Tell



Top to bottom: Stephani Neal and Christy Close showed this striking Lone Star; Elaine Bowdon made these cheery bird houses and flowers and great lattice border; Border detail from Joanne Tschantre's coffee quilt. Below: several photos are stitched together to show 2012 mystery quilt in various stages of completion .



Clockwise from above right: Joanne Tschantre's coffee cups are from a CutUps block exchange; Marlene DeJongh looks forward to winter; Eileen Burns made this bold purple and black Drunkard's Path; Joyce Gwinner inherited the block of the month blocks; Harriett McGlothlin showed this t-shirt quilt; Corinne Baker made these feathered stars.



Show & Tell, continued...

Clockwise from right: Icky Orr completed this quilt highlighting snowballed flowered blocks; Lorrie Havens' scrappy autumn hued quilt was quilted by Christy Close; Marlene DeJongh stitched these exotic flowers; Kathy Mekemson made an unusual stew.



Above: Joyce Gwinner harvested some fabric apples; Below: Diane Armstrong appliqued these beautiful baskets and flowers.



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Make your reservation now to avoid disappointment in not having the cabin or teacher of your choice and to enjoy this wonderful and unique opportunity. **For more information:** Terry Caselton 650-773-5756 terry@pamstravel.net or Liz Arguello 650-455-2309 lizarguello10@gmail.com

offered design and fabric recommendations but allowed each person to make their own creative decisions. Quite a bit of fabric was shared between friends.

The class ended mid-afternoon and the weekend retreat continued with more sewing and a potluck dinner.





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Submitted by Diane Armstrong: "A quilt is an object of peculiar intimacy. By virtue of the way it is created, every inch of the fabric is touched. Each scrap absorbs the quilter's scent...and the smell of her household...And tears, though she might be loath to admit it." from The Goodbye Quilt by Susan Wiggs

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Calendar

- ◆ November 13 - Home Tour Quilt Grab
- ◆ December 8 - Holiday Home Tour
- ◆ December 11 - Holiday Potluck Dinner
- ◆ January 8 - Quilto!
- ◆ February - No Meeting

Home Tour Quilt Labels

Use the enclosed labels to describe your quilt to us. Enter your name, phone number and a quilt number on the label: detail information about the quilt should be entered on the personal inventory sheet. For the quilt number use your first and last initials and then assign a number. For example, Debbie Stefan would be DS1, DS2, DS3, etc. This is important – we want to get the right quilts back to their rightful owners. **Attach one label to each quilt you are loaning for the home tour. Copy this form if more labels are needed, or ask the “Quilt Lady” for another form.**

Quilt Owner:
Phone Number:
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