



# PINE NEEDLES QUILT GUILD DISPATCHER



## October 2017

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## President's Message

Hello Pine Needles Quilters,

Wow it's fall already! Hope everyone had a great summer. It's time for our October Presidents' Challenge. Looking forward to seeing all your beautiful finished quilts at our next meeting. We will all be voting for the winners. These finished quilts will look great at our Home Tour so bring them back in November for the Quilt Grab.

We had a great retreat at Camp Mariastella last weekend for all that attended. Marathon quilting at its best. We accomplished a great amount of sewing and had fun doing it. We will have to do it again next year.

Keep on stitching, see you at our next meeting

*Mary,*

PNQG Co-President



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## 2018 Positions Needed

Please, start thinking about positions for next year. We will need:

Treasurer  
Secretary  
VP Membership (second position)  
Newsletter  
Hospitality

These are just a few, along with various other appointed positions. Let Carrie or one of the Presidents know if you are interested. Don't wait for the **begging** to begin next month.

## This Month's Meeting

*From Carol Gaines and Elisa Gurley, Programs*

Our October speaker is Leah Zieber. She will present "Tiny Treasures", a children's quilt show and lecture. Leah encourages members to bring their own tiny antique quilts to share. Don't forget to bring your quilts for the Presidents' challenge. Show us in which library book you found the inspiration for your quilt!

November will be the quilt grab for the home tour, and December's program is the Christmas party! The year is quickly coming to a close, so finish your projects for our challenge and for the home tour.



### What to Bring

- Challenge Quilt
- Money for 50/50 Drawing
- Sew and Tell



## Rhinestone Rose Inn and Wellness Center

*Submitted by Joy Agnew on behalf of the Home Tour Committee*

As a result of our search for homes for the Home Tour, we had a call from Loretta Stone, partner owner of the Rhinestone Rose Inn and Wellness Center. Loretta volunteered the Rhinestone Rose for our Home Tour on December 2<sup>nd</sup>. The Inn is located on the eastern edge of town on Lone Pine Canyon Road.

Beth Stanton and I went to visit her and had the pleasure of touring this beautiful home. There are several themed bedrooms (I lost count), and a private cottage. Some of the themes included a Marilyn Monroe room, Angels, Romance and Roses, and the Hideout (Chicago Style), each room has its own lovely bath. Both floors have relaxing living rooms with fireplaces, and there is a lovely kitchen where she cooks breakfast for her guests.

There are many peaceful sitting areas outside, including a gazebo. Since it backs up to the forest, there is the option for wonderful hikes originating there.



The home includes a wellness room including a spa, sauna, massage room and relaxing areas. Recently added extra parking spaces enable them to accommodate guests and friends.

Unfortunately, due to the location, we are not able to have this house on our Home Tour. The house is on a series of curves leading up to and out of Wrightwood with fast moving traffic. Loretta was very gracious to accept this as a public safety decision.

The good news is that the house will be open and available to our home tour guests for a weekend stay. Visit the website [www.therhinestonrose.com](http://www.therhinestonrose.com) to see some great photos of the house. The phone number is 541-952-1190. If you have friends coming for the weekend and they need a place to stay, this is a good choice.

## SEPTEMBER'S RETREAT

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## Last Month's Meeting

*Kathy Lee-Smith*





## SEW & TELL

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## FUTURE MEETINGS/PROGRAMS and WORKSHOPS

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- November 14 – Quilt Grab for the Home Tour
  - December 12 – Annual Christmas Party and return of quits
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Halloween