

United Quilt Guild Newsletter

February 2010

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Mystery Quilt

Kathy Strelko announced that the fifth step of the mystery quilt is posted to the website. Kathy also has a few hard copies for those who do not have the internet. Bring finished blocks to the March guild meeting.

Basic Sewing Classes

Kathy reminded everyone about the basic sewing class on February 27 at the Salem Presbyterian Church from 9 AM until 2ish PM. Sixteen people signed up to attend. Those of you who did not come to Tuesday's meeting please contact Kathy Strelko or Beth Gallo if you wish to attend the basic quilting class. This way we can have plenty of instructors.

The Feb 27 will be a flying geese square and a swamp angel square. Two or three techniques for making flying geese and half square triangles will be demonstrated.

March 27 will be an appliqué Ohio rose square.

April 24 will be putting it all together.

President	Debbie Mangas
Vice President	Beth Gallo/Kathy Strelko
Secretary	Margie Hoffmaster
Treasurer	Jennifer Greenleaf
Asst. Secretary/Treasurer	Sandy Stitt

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Patriotic/Charity Quilt Group

The next meeting will be February 20 at the Salem Senior housing clubhouse on W. Perry St. in Salem. Sergers are needed at this meeting. Sue Elze asked for donations of fabrics of any color or print.

Sue called many veteran organizations to donate our quilts. She was able to speak to someone at the VA Clinic in East Liverpool who was happy to accept the quilts. Aaron Van Leeuwen will be presented with the first of the quilts. He was wounded June 8 in Afghanistan. The Salem Hospital oncology department will also be happy to receive the quilts. Wigs can also be donated to the oncology department. Sue will make labels for each quilt. Our guild's website address will be included.

Challenge

Pat Williams showed a bag and wall hanging from Terry Kelly as an example. Use the bag as inspiration. No required size or style. You can make a full size quilt, wallhanging, table runner, garment or accessories. The project needs to be completed entirely by the entrant.

Quilt Show

Winnie Alek announced that the Salem Community Center and the Salem Chamber of Commerce are interested in the possibility of our show moving to Salem. Miriam Good and Winnie Alek along with committee chairpersons will look into this possibility. The guild members present were agreeable to exploring this option.

United Quilt Guild Minutes for the Feb 2, 2010 Submitted by Margie Hoffmaster

President, Debbie Mangas, called the meeting to order. This meeting was held at the Salem First Presbyterian Church.

Five guests were present - Denise Osbourne and Keith Williams, Jr. Also, Sandy Stitt's daughter-in-law, Sherry Fulton, and granddaughter, MaKayla Fulton, visited. Wendel Dunn celebrated his birthday with us. Welcome!

Linda Henderson and Sue Elze made a motion to approve the minutes. The motion carried.

The treasurer's report was presented by Sandy Stitt. Vickie Van Fossan and Dee Hart made a motion to accept the treasurer's report pending audit. The motion carried.

Miriam read an original composition entitled, "I'm Not Afraid of You".

The meeting was adjourned.

Show and Tell followed.

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Spring Tea

The Spring Tea workshop and Tea will be Friday, April 9 and Saturday April 10. The tea will be at Salem Hills Golf and Country Club. The reservation form and menu choices for lunch can be found on our website unitedquiltguild.org. Reservations and money need to be turned into Kathy Strelko or Barb Zwick by March 30. The workshop location will be announced by the March guild meeting. The workshop will be taught by Sue Spargo using her Magnolia book. Sue Spargo stresses using many different kinds of fabric such as wool, silk, cotton, corduroy, etc.

Workshop Education

The meeting will be February 24 at 6:30 PM at Sue Elze's house. Please let Sue know if you will attend.

Appliqué Group

The Applique Group meets on the third Wednesday of each month at 7:00 P.M. at Beth Gallo's house in Lisbon. Contact Beth at 330-424-7024 or bgallo_700@yahoo.com.

Day Group

The Day Group meets at the Greenford Lutheran Church every other Friday around 10:00 – 10:30 A.M. Contact Debbie Mangas at 330-538-2186 if interested.

Book Orders

Anyone wishing to order a book from the AQS book list should contact Winnie Alek, Book Order Chairperson.

Newsletter Info Deadline

Please send newsletter information to Margie Hoffmaster one week after the monthly meeting at margiehoff@yahoo.com.

Nametags

Sharon Walker has name tags for new members.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Change in Time and Place March Meeting

The March meeting will be held at the Salem Presbyterian Church on Second St. in Salem. We will again have an all day UFO day starting at 9 AM. The business meeting will start at 7PM.

OLD BUSINESS

Scholarship quilt construction will be put on hold until Robyn Winn recuperates from eye surgery on February 5.

NEW BUSINESS

Pat Vigder asked if there is any interest in starting a junior guild. Please contact Pat if interested.

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Beth Gallo	March 2
Meta Culler	March 4
Bobbi Brady	March 6
Charlene Henderson	March 10
Lori Ann Delino	March 15
Barbie Zwick	March 15
Barbara Cascioli	March 21
Sandy Stitt	March 23
Pam Sullivan	March 25

NAME TAG DRAWING

Linda Robb won the name tag drawing.

PROGRAMS

Basic Sewing Sessions – February 27, 2010; March 27, 2010 and April 24, 2010.

See Events Calendar for more information.

March – Choosing a quilting pattern and marking quilts. Pat Firestone, Sandy Stitt, Bobbie Brady, Rita Kilpatrick

April – TBA

May TBA

June – Challenge

July – TBA

August – Baby Quilts w/Anita Pittenger

EVENTS CALENDAR

February 20, 2010

Saturday Charity Quilt Group

Clubhouse @ Salem Senior Housing
W. Perry, Salem (take Georgetown Rd. by Dairy Queen to W. Perry and go left – clubhouse on left)
9:30 AM – 4:30 PM
Bring sewing machines/supplies
Coffee/tea available
Cutting/pressing stations available
Info: Sue Elze
slelze@sbcglobalnet.com

February 27, 2010

Basic Quilting Session 2

9 AM – 2 PM approximately
First Presbyterian Church
Second St. Salem
Flying Geese & Swamp Angel Blocks

- Make half-square triangles
- Make quarter-square triangles
- Make flying geese
- Pinning so that corners match
- Machine or hand piecing

Info: Beth Gallo or Kathy Strelko
bgallo_700@yahoo.com
kwstrelko@hotmail.com

March 27, 2010

Basic Quilting Session 3

First Presbyterian Church
9 AM – 2 PM approximately
Second St. Salem
Ohio Rose Block

- Cutting appliqué pieces
- Demonstration of appliqué methods, machine and hand
- Choose an appliqué method you want to try
- Squaring the block

Info: Beth Gallo or Kathy Strelko
bgallo_700@yahoo.com
kwstrelko@hotmail.com

April 9, 2010

Spring Tea Workshop

Magnolia Quilt w/Sue Spargo
Location to be determined
Info: Sue Elze
slelze@sbcglobalnet.com

April 10, 2010

Annual Spring Tea – Members Only

Salem Hills Golf & Country Club
12688 SR 45, Salem
Trunk Show w/Sue Spargo
Info: Barbie Zwick
kwstrelko@hotmail.com

April 24, 2010

Basic Quilting Session 4

9 AM – 2 PM approximately
First Presbyterian Church
Second St. Salem
Putting It Together

- Make sashing
- Make cornerstones
- Sew the top together
- Measure to determine the amount of batting and backing you need.
- Make the quilt sandwich and pin or baste it
- Hand and machine quilting demos

Info: Beth Gallo or Kathy Strelko
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June 17-19, 2010

NQA Quilt Show

Hall C, Greater Columbus
Convention Center, Columbus

Info: www.nqaquilts.com

TREASURER'S REPORT

December

Beginning balance	\$5712.78
K.Stelko poinsettias	- 37.34
G.Liverette	-150.00
Dutch V. Inn	-915.99
New checks	- 20.19
Ch dinner	+40.00
Ending balance	\$4629.26

January

Beginning balance	\$4629.26
Salem Presb.Church	-150.00
Spring tea	+ 58.50
Dues	+ 61.00
Dues refund donated	
To comm. Dinner	- 8.00
Ending balance	\$4590.76