



West Suburban Quilters Guild

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- **Auction - November meeting. Please be making items for the Auction.**
- **Looking for a person to chair the 2016 Quilt show**
- **Need 2 more people to present at Schoolhouse. See program committee**

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From the President— Betty

This year is off to a great start!!!

We had a fantastic lecture with Pat Sloan and had our first meeting in our wonderful new location. It was great to have everything in the same room, a mike that works, and enough room to be comfortable.

I think we are going to have fun this year.

The Quilt Show

We need to start thinking about the 2016 Quilt Show. It sounds like it's so very far into the future, but time flies by. The sooner we start working on it, the more successful it will be. The Show is

very important to the Guild. Without the Quilt Show, we would have no programs. We are still looking for a Chairperson (or persons). It's a great job. You get to name the show.

Many of the volunteers have worked on the Show many times before, so all you need to do is make sure everyone is doing what they are supposed to do. It's a fun job for you and a friend. You can work on it together. Maryjo (who chaired 2 Shows) and I (who chaired 3 Shows in New York State) will help you with everything. We have most of the other sup-

port positions in place already. I know all of you want to help.

Please think about it.

Don't Forget...

If you were not at the last meeting, you missed the President's Challenge. Not to worry. You can pick up your inspiration at the October meeting (or I will mail it to you).

We still need you to bring an item or two for the auction in November. And a friend.

Our Charity needs baby quilts, bibs, etc. We will also continue to accept quilts for Quilts for Kids.

I am collecting hats, gloves, scarves and mittens for MPTV's Mittens and More drove for those in need.

Lots to do. Lots to think about.

See you at the meeting!.. **Betty**

October Program

Aprons..

The Apron - Forever a Timeless Classic!

Before aprons became the symbol of the 1950s housewife, they played tremendously important roles in many professions for

centuries, even millennia. From a simple garment to an essential protective layer, from the staid to the designer fashions, aprons have come a long way – and they are currently at the

center of a renaissance as a chic and practical accessory



New Location for WSQG Meetings

Brookfield Lutheran Church
18500 W. Burleigh
Brookfield, WI 53045
Office: (262) 783-420
Meetings begin at 7 pm,
social time begins at 6:30

The newsletter is put together by Linda Valiga. All items must be submitted by the 25th of the month at- lindaquiltcook@yahoo.com



Board Member's 2014-15

President: Betty Lerner
Vice President: Renee Henning
Secretary: Leslie Thorkelson
Treasurer: Carole Kobach_
Committees: Program:
1. Judy Valentino
2. Judy Hensley
3. Lynne Thomas
4. Terri Kirchner Sankovitz
Block of the Month: Terri Thomas, Johanna Fritz
Charity Quilts: Therese Bergholz & Kelli Effinger
Hospitality: Sandy Wisler, Joy Zuerner, Holle Kelley, Jan Heintz, Rie Grimm
Newsletter: Linda Valiga
Directory: Judy Valentino
Photographer: Cathy Helgeson / Vicky Krause

Pattern Library: Lisa Garms & Mary Hartwig
Door Prizes: ---Barb Minnich & Judy Hensley---
Sunshine: Susan Johnson
Show and Tell: 1) Gerri Diedrich
2) Karen Lorenz
Telephone: Ruth Ann Hall
Web Page: Kay Batta
Nominating : Patty Martin
Quilt Show 2016 : ??????????

Sunshine

Sunshine – The beautiful orange, red and yellow leaves are appearing on many trees. Enjoy them while you can. We'd like to wish the ladies of October a very Happy Birthday!

October
6 Lolita Lukach
6 Lynda Soderstrom
13 Terri Thomas

17 Pat Barger
31 Judi Hensley

Just a reminder, please give any events needs special attention to Susan Johnson (Esther53188@gmail.com or 262-349-4334)

Celebrate
Good
Times Offer
Support



Block of the Month



BOM

A great collection of the August "String Scrap" blocks were brought to the September meeting for a drawing. Also, 31 guild members participated in the September BOM: Square Shuffle. We look forward to seeing your blocks at the October meeting. You will receive 1 drawing ticket for each block you complete. The block that will be available at the October meeting is Christmas Cathedral Window. When paying the \$2.00 for the pattern and fabric, \$1 bill are greatly appreciated. Thanks.

Terri Thomas & Johanna Fritz

Hospitality for October

Bag of Ice or Bottled water
Caren Zimmerman
3 bottles of different Soda
Elrid Johnson

Snacks

Lisa Garms
Lynda Soderstrom
Cindy Vick
Deb Merritt
Sally Ringenoldus
Jean Casey
Mary Damico
Mary Markert
Darlene Savatski
Jan Heintz



Quilt Tips — Any member can send me a quilt tip. Information on a new shop, cool patterns whatever. Please make sure you say for the newsletter!!

Sewing Machine Cleaner-Use a pipe cleaner to clean out the nooks. They get in easy and can be tossed when you are done using them

Template

Floor tiles make the best templates. Press paper pattern onto the adhesive side of a self-stick floor tile. Cut the template out on the line with a..

Minutes from WSQG September 9th meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:00PM by the president, Betty Lerner. She introduced three new members and 3 guests. Betty shared that she had made a CD of least years quilt show and they can be purchased for \$2.00. Discussed the envelopes that were labeled for each member and explained that we were to open them and use them in our challenge quilt. The challenge is from an art pieces; use as an inspiration to create anything quilted. They will be due at the last meeting in May.

People singed up for treats.

Show and Tell—two volunteers will be asked to help with displaying the pieces. There will always be a sign up in the lobby—beginning in the October meeting.

Summer wall-hanging

Quilt—(inspired by Patchwork's)

Baby quilt

4 quilt for kids

4 table runners

Wendy's new block of the month

King size quilt—Zipit

Childs quilt

Batiks from Africa

Quilt—Donna Bilda

Sections form Pat Sloan's Calendar quilt

Carolina Patchwork quilt

Painted scarf

Business

Auction—Gloria Vollard will run the auction. She would like items that are higher priced that we typically use at the boutique

Program members of the committee were introduced . Next month is the Apron ladies; November is the auction; December is Schoolhouse, but two sessions are still needed. January is a color presentation by Mary Jo Busch, February is Mosaic quilts. Block of the month—52 people participated in the online survey. The summer scrap quilt was displayed. You get a ticket for each block turned in. The cost is \$2.00 per month which gives you additional patterns with different sizes and color combinations. There will be a link to the Missouri Star Quilt Company.

Charity Quilts—Women's Care Center will be the guilds focus. We will be making baby quilts for the clients, as well as other baby items. A baby shower us planned for the May meeting. Other baby items will be accepted.

Hospitality—be sure to sign up to bring treats 2 x during the year.
Newsletter—get articles to Linda Valiga by th 25th of the month
Directory—available at the October meeting
Sunshine—please stay in touch with committee members with events affect the lives of our member's
Communication— Committee will send out email for any cancellations, phone calls will be made to those without emails
Web Page—will be updated
Nominating Committee see Patty if you are interested in a board position
Quilt show—Chair person still needed
Contact Betty if you are not getting program information
Block of the Month winner—Mary D’amico and Jane Glodinski
Door prizes—Judy Dannebrink, Marianne Kayne, Monica Hestikin, May Clare Schuler, Mitzi Horning, Laura Krasinski
Treasurer— Payment details; balance \$7,958.70. Moved and seconded.
Library—Most books have been transported to the new location. Books are going to be re-numbered. New titles will be mentioned in the newsletter.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Mitzi Horning for Leslie Thorkelson, Secretary

AUCTION NOVEMBER 12

It's auction time and I have my donation project planned and started. I hope you do , too. If not, here are some things to think about....weddings, showers, autumn, Thanksgiving, Christmas, winter, birthdays, friends, neighbors, children and grandchildren. Lots of occasions and people to make gifts for that will also work as auction donations. Now it's up to you to make our November 12 auction a success. Keep working on those items. ALSO, keep cleaning out your sewing room and bring your no-longer used, gently used items to the Buy-It-Now table with a reasonable price on as a donation to the guild. Then you can make room for new items you might purchase or receive as gifts. Now that our gardens are rapped up for the winter, you have lots to do for the auction. If you are looking for specific items to make, refer to the September newsletter supplement that Linda sent to you. Keep in stitches, your auctioneer, Gloria V.

Newsletter Comment: I am sorry for any errors I might make in advance. I get so many emails sometimes I do not catch them in a timely fashion. Please do not share our email list with any outside groups or people. I made an error in sending out last months so all emails could be cut and copied. This will NEVER happen again. I am sorry. Please kindly correct me when I make a mistake.

