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NEXT MEETING:

January 10th, 2009

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church

26 W. Commerce Street

Chambersburg, Pennsylvania

12:00 P.M. Social Gathering

1:00 P.M. Business Meeting & Program

WEB PAGE

www.chambersburgquiltguild.org

January Program

WIP, WHIMM, PIG, and UFO

Be honest..... do you have fabric you can't remember why you bought it?

Do you have a project that you remember starting but got bored with?

Our January program is your chance to borrow some brain cells from other guild members and think of things you never thought of before. Everyone is asked to bring one project that you haven't finished yet and a fabric that you are not quite sure what to do with. You may find out that that WIP, WHIMM, PIG, or UFO will get made after all.

Speaker: Nancy Bender

Chambersburg Quilt Guild, Inc.
Meeting Minutes

December 13, 2008

Our Christmas Tea was enjoyed by all with plenty of goodies.

President Lani Brechbill called the meeting to order. The general and documentation treasurers' reports were reported and filed for audit.

Judy Vulgamott reported that she had received 65 doll quilts to date plus what she received today. Mystery Sisters need to remember to pick up their bags each meeting. Mystery quilt – no directions this month. Elizabeth Basiliko reported the turn out of members for the Quilts of Valor and has scheduled another workshop on January 14, 2009. She also hopes to have a Baby Bee in January.

Dottie Moreland showed the 2009 raffle quilt. Sunshine chairperson, Lee Hively, shared a thank you from Carol Wirth, and also expressed concerns for Lucy Simmons, Jean Koch, and Judi Svoboda's husband,

Lani Brechbill apologized to the membership for not knowing that it should have been presented to the membership before we extended a loan to our documentation committee.

The Lancaster Quilt Show trip is now being organized by Maria King. Buddy quilters program was discussed by Janet Hartman, who urged all new members to take advantage of this opportunity to get to know our guild better. We are still looking for ideas for National Quilt Day upcoming in March.

Remember the AQS book to order those books you always wanted. Recipes are still being accepted for our upcoming Guild Cookbook.

Sharon Schamber's workshop will be Friday February 20, 2009, from 9am-6pm. Class limit is 22 people; requirement pre-registration with payment of \$40.00. Nancy Bender will be our guest speaker in January with a program called WHIMS, WHIPS, PIGS and UFO's.

Ninety (90) Christmas blocks were returned and divided into 10 groups. The winners of the groups were Chris Mieczkowski, Carol Smith, Wanda Gore, Judi Svoboda, Betty Berkebile, Ruby Deitrich, Lani Brechbill, Mary Ellen Fairbairn, Linda Walter, and Marie Cochran.

The documentation committee received a check from Franklin County Foundation for the publication of our quilt book. Darlene and her committee were thanked for the beautiful setup and decorations for our Tea. Darlene also asked for help to clean up after the meeting.

New members and guests were introduced. Show and Tell followed. After no further business or objections, the meeting was adjourned.

Grace Pace, Secretary, Pro-Temp



President's Corner Block

Hope you all had a wonderful holiday season and that your New Year is off to a great start with your projects on the way to completion for the Quilt Show this summer.

Our program committee has some nice things lined up for this year including a Friday workshop in Feb. with Sharon Schamber. Maria King is working on our bus trip to the Lancaster Quilt Show.

See you at the January meeting. Please wear your name tag so we can all get to know one another.

Leilani

January Birthdays

Regina Parson	1/1
Susan Hadley	1/1
Darlene Dixon	1/3
Peggy Armstrong	1/11
Nellie Fulton	1/13
Linda Schwalm	1/13
Kathryn Ott	1/16
Mary Barnhart	1/17
Janice Gross	1/20
Becca George	1/24
Dottie Moreland	1/25
Karen Manderson	1/26
Tom Dopp	1/27
Judith McLean	1/30

Sunshine

Please keep in your thoughts and prayers:
Sandy Effland is going through medical testing.

Jean Koch's husband is seriously ill
Judy Svoboda's husband is dealing with back problems

Lucy Simmons mother passed away and one week later her mother in law died.

Barb Taylor's mother in law died.

We celebrate and congratulate: Cindy Bender completed training and certification testing for a nurse practitioner. All this was accomplished while Director of Nursing for a nursing care facility dealing with all the daily problems and inspections!! Way to go Cindy!

COOKBOOK DEADLINE

The deadline for recipes will be
February 14th, 2009.

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AQS Book Orders

When we order 6 items or more, we get a 30% discount. This is a great way to augment your personal quilt library. Look for the bright yellow folder on the back table at the meetings. It is as simple as filling out the order blank, attaching your payment (checks to Cindy Bender), and collecting your order the next guild meeting.

Scraps of Info

Guild Show meeting before the February Meeting.

Spring Retreat April 17-19, 2009

Strict deadline for Quilt Show entry- May 2009 meeting

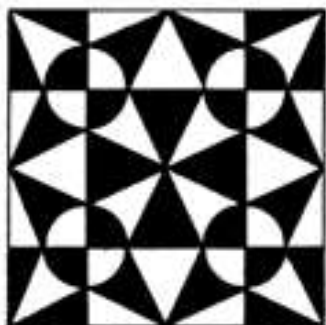
Quilt Guild Logo Shirts—Peg Buck

Remember to wear your name tags to the guild meeting. This helps us to put a face to the quilter!

Those interested in the Ricky Tims seminar; please send your registration and check to Lani Brechbill. We must send the registrations in together to get the reduced rate.

For Sale: Men's Ties 43 in good condition, 25 cents each. All different designs. Call Elizabeth @ 369-9981

From Judie Svoboda : this website has a listing of nationwide quilt shows coming up in 2009. They have included our show. www.quiltqua.com



Quilts of Valor Quilt Bee
January 14th. 9:00 ~ 4:00. (WED)
Elizabeth Basiliko's studio.
717-369-9981

Baby Quilt Bee
January 21st. 9:00 ~ 4:00 (WED)
Elizabeth Basiliko's studio.
Come and cut & sew baby quilts for some precious little ones to snuggle under. These quilts are to be donated to Pregnancy Ministries in Chambersburg, Pa.

**Please call before attending the "Baby Bee" on January 21!
Gradmom might be visiting grand-baby!!!

Thanks.
Elizabeth
369-9981

The BeeLine
Deadline - the 20th of the month for the next issue.

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Shows and Tours

Cumberland Valley Relief Center
February 5-7, 2009 Chambersburg, PA
cvrv@pa.net

Mid Atlantic Quilt Festival XX February
26-March 1, 2009, Hampton VA
mancuso@quiltfest.com

Quilters' Heritage Celebration
April 2-5, 2009, Lancaster, PA
www.qhconline.com

PA Relief Auction
April 3-4, 2009 Harrisburg, PA
Farm Show Complex

Machine Quilter' Exposition LLC
April 16-18, 2009 Manchester, NH
www.MQXShow@comcast.com

International Quilt Festival
April 17-19, 2009 Chicago, IL
wwwquilts.com

AQS Quilt Show
April 22-25, 2009 Paducah, KY
www.AmericanQuilter.com

Muncy historical Society Show
July 17-19, 2009 Muncy, PA
www.MuncyHistoricalSociety.org

Ladies of the Lakes Quilters' Guild
July 31-August 2, 2009 Wolfeboro, NH

TLC Tours is planning a Bermuda Quilt
Cruise, October 24 thru 29, 2009,
800.624.4216, extensions 334, 345

Bus Trip to Paducah Quilt Show

Would you like to travel to one of the most prestigious quilt shows in the world located in the quaint town of Paducah, Kentucky? Would you like to see the prior Best of Show Quilts at the National Quilt Museum on special **display as part of the show's 25th** anniversary celebrations? There is a bus that will pick you up in this area on April 20 and drop you off in Chambersburg on April 25, 2009. The **Stitch 'N Craft Shop of Manheim, PA is organizing their 3rd annual bus trip to the American Quilting Society's Show in Paducah, Kentucky.** The cost will be \$861 double occupancy. This price will include:

All transportation to Paducah and back plus transportation during the show

6 nights of hotels with continental breakfasts

6 dinners, lunch on your own

Admission to the Quilt Show for 3 days

Hancock's of Paducah and
Quilt shops along the way

If you interested you can contact the **owner of Stitch 'N Craft or Toni at (717) 664-4230.** They will be able to answer your questions and send you an application form. Several members of our quilt guild went on the trip last year and enjoyed the show.

SPRING RETREAT

April 17-19, 2009

Again you can go extra nights such as Wednesday, April 15, and/or Thursday, April 16, at an additional fee. This time you can also go on Tuesday, April 14, if you wish. The retreat is held at the Byers Conference Center at the Roxbury Camp in Roxbury, PA. It is a weekend to “eat, sleep, & quilt”. You bring whatever projects you want to work on along with your sewing machine if you want and spend the weekend quilting while the Roxbury staff feed us and take care of everything for us.

It's a lot of fun and you get to know other members during the weekend. The sleeping rooms are like 5-star hotel rooms. You don't have to bring anything except what you want to work on for the weekend. Sign-up sheets will be available at the January meeting. You can pay ½ or entire retreat fee when you sign up in January. The total fee must be paid by the April meeting.

The new rates are for 2009, plus Roxbury has to add state tax to the fee this year. To help with the bookkeeping, the fees have been rounded off to the nearest dollar per the Retreat committee. If you have any questions about this, please see Dottie.

The rates for the retreat are as follows:

Weekend rate – this includes 2 nights lodging (Friday & Saturday) and 5 meals starting Friday evening

\$119/person – double occupancy

\$127/person – single occupancy

Extra nights – no food service on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday

\$38/ night/.person – double occupancy

\$42/night/person – single occupancy

If you are sharing a room with a room mate for the weekend and you want to come the extra nights and your room mate doesn't, then the extra nights will be at the single occupancy rate for you while the 2 weekend nights will be

at the double occupancy rate for you and your room mate.

If you can't come for the entire weekend you can come on a daily basis at a nominal fee of \$5/ day unless you order a meal on Friday or Saturday, then you will only pay the cost of the meal.

Please contact Dottie Moreland for meal prices and room prices for 3 or 4 people per room. If you have any questions at all, contact Dottie Moreland (263-1476).

Quilt Bee

January 28th, 2009

9:30am to 2:00pm

Hostess: Darlene Dixon
891 Paper Mill Road
Chambersburg, Pa

Come and join us. We share this time together while working on our own projects. Each quilter brings her own brown bag lunch and our hostess provides the dessert & beverage.

Directions;

From Chambersburg follow route 30 west toward St Thomas. Turn left onto Warm Spring Rd (at Sunnyway Grocery), make 1st left onto Paper Mill Rd. Follow to 891, a 2 story colonial on the left. Please feel free to park in the grass.

Tribal Need

Once more, I turn to my quilting friends for assistance.

I received a note from my contact at the Pine Ridge Sioux Reservation in South Dakota requesting blankets or any type of warm clothing (inner- or out-wear, any size) for tribal members. Electrical services seem sporadic, at best, so heating their homes is not always possible, and with the down-turn of the economy, it's a particularly challenging year. If you have anything you would like to donate, but it needs laundered, I will wash it / dry clean it, as necessary. Unless the weather is particularly bad or something unexpected occurs, I am planning on attending the January guild meeting, so I will be able to pick up your gifts then. Alternatively, give me a call, and I can come to your home.

By the by, all Native American nations are considered non-profit organizations by our Federal government, so your donations are tax-deductible. I can provide you with a receipt upon request.

I thank you for your generosity...again.

*Mary Boland
301-733-2544*

Raffle Baskets:

Please consider going through your stash, tools and books to see what you may have duplicates or extras of "stuff" that would be useful for our raffle baskets. We're hoping to have several baskets at the show. We could use batting, fabric, etc. We would love to have a lot of new or nearly new (not really outdated) donations -- or maybe consider using those 40% off coupons to purchase something. Our visitors (and members) would be more tempted to buy a "yard of tickets" if our baskets are full of valuable and attractive items. This is an excellent fundraiser for the show -- helps pay for the expenses. Bring your items to the meeting. Jenny Farkas

Refreshments

(For the January meeting)

Jan Gross
Sue Frederick
Amy Hetz
Linda Schwalm

Imagine this...you meet a new quilter, you are chatting enthusiastically about the guild **and the inevitable questions...**"When are your meetings? Where do you meet? What time are the meetings?" **If you are like me, I** stammer around trying to change gears from the topic of quilting to the topic of where, when, what...

Now your answer is as easy as pulling out a pink (of course), postcard from your bag and handing it over. These cards are available on the back table. They are blank on one side so you can add your personal information, a note of encouragement, or you could even treat it as a postcard, address it, add the appropriate postage, and mail it.

I've already handed out a few and placed some at The Sew'n Place.

The Editor

2 businesses have contacted the guild

J Hittle Sewing "wholesale supplier to the professional sewing and crafting trade"
www.jhittlesewing.com

Treasure Chest Quilts cotton fabrics mail order store (& patterns)
www.treasurechestquilts.com



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*PLACE: Trinity Evangelical Lutheran
Church
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