

# the Bee Line

NEXT MEETING:

September 12th, 2009

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church

26 W. Commerce Street

Chambersburg, Pennsylvania

12:00 P.M. Social Gathering

1:00 P.M. Business Meeting/Program

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## September Program

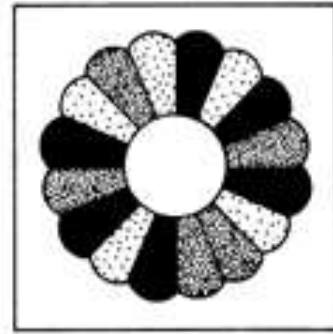
Welcome back everyone!!! Another guild year is upon us and the Program Committee has been busy planning some workshops and lectures that hopefully will stimulate your creativity and get you motivated for new projects and techniques.

As in the past, our September program will be an introduction to what is planned for the coming year. We have a couple of wonderful workshops and lectures right of the bat this fall, and after the holidays we will be given the chance to share in the talents of some of our guild members.

If you have any suggestions for future programs and/or have information regarding teachers or presenters that you have had the experience of learning from recently, please let the Program Committee know. Our files are ever changing with names and ideas and we are always open to suggestions. We do plan a year in advance so please don't be disappointed if a suggested presenter or presentation doesn't show up right away.

Quilty Hugs!!!

Nancy, Darlene, and Elizabeth



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Chambersburg Quilt Guild, Inc.  
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Chambersburg Quilt Guild, Inc.  
Meeting Minutes

May 9, 2009

Before the meal at 12 noon, Lee Hively gave the blessing.

President Lelani Brechbill called the meeting to order at 1:00pm. The secretary minutes were approved as printed. The general & documentation treasurers' reports were reported & filed for audit.

The summer quilting bees are June 22 at Helen Lagasse, July 27 at Joyce Randolph, & August 24 at Sue Frederick.

Sunshine report was given by Lee Hively. A card shower was requested for Mary Ellen Fairbairn, Bernice Somers; Darlene Dixon & Karen Manderson (new grand-baby).

Elizabeth Basiliko is holding summer bees for baby quilts & quilts of valor. Kits will be available to make baby quilts.

Laurel Run ice cream social is being held on June 22, 2009, from 11am to 2 pm. Contact Dottie Moreland or Linda Schwalm.

Marilyn still needs members for several committees. Please see Marilyn to sign up.

June 13 at 10 am is the joint board meeting, new & old board members need to be present.

Documentation, Mim Huffman, expects the book to go to print in September & possibly take orders in October. Next phase of the book due before the September meeting. A motion was made by Mim Huffman & seconded by Nancy McGinnis to pay for the second phase of the book. Motion

passed.

A report was given on the Ricky Tims show that several of our members attended. A big thank you was given to each member that helped with the Grand Feast for our guild. The flower vases were given out by random birthdates called by Marie Cochran.

Nancy Bender gave an update of the July quilt show. A schedule will be published in the July newsletter. June 27 from 12:30 to 2:30 at the Sew'n Place, this is the last meeting before the show will be held. Chris Mieczkowski is in charge of the registering of quilts to be shown at the show.

Challenge Quilts were revealed. The Friendship blocks were presented to Lani Brechbill, the president. The extra blocks were won by the following members: Jean Hammond, Maria King, Fran Organista, Amy Ensley, & Carole Rice.

The installation of officers for the new year was performed. The revealing of the Mystery Sisters followed the installation of officers. Show & Tell followed. After no further business & no objections our meeting was closed at 3:15 pm.

Sandy Effland, Recording Secretary

## PRESIDENT'S CORNER BLOCK

The 2009 Quilt Show is now history and another great success. Thank you to all the hands and hearts that worked so hard to make it happen.

We'll learn more at the September meeting, when our Program Committee unveils their plans for an informative Guild year. Also, Dottie will give us information about this years retreats.

Looking forward to seeing everyone again and hope all had a wonderful summer.

Enjoy Life,

Marilyn

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

Cindy Bender, Editor  
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17222

bendercj@innernet.net  
717-352-3186 (before 9pm please)

## Quilt Treasures of Yesteryear

Deadlines have been met for writing, layout and editing. Printing and binding are scheduled to be completed and books ready for distribution by October 3. If you wish you may pick up your book (s) at the October 10th Guild meeting instead of one of the pick-up locations listed in the brochure. Additional brochures will be available at the September meeting for you to distribute to any interested individuals. Pre-order forms may also be printed from our website. We are very excited about the near completion of this project and hope you will enjoy what has been put together for you in this publication.

The Documentation Committee



### Sunshine

Dottie Mooreland, Sondra Schutz, and Linda Schwalm recently had surgery. Ellie Garris is recovering from a fall any one of us could have.

Please keep in your thoughts and prayers: Jackie Clark whose mother died and shortly after an aunt passed away. Betty Niswander whose father died. Dot Evert and Judy Vulgamott, (sisters), whose mother died and Virginia Turner who recently lost her husband. Please continue to keep Darlene Dixon, Ruth Eckstine, and Mary Ellen Fairbairn in your prayers.

## Quilt Bee September 28th, 2009

9:30am to 2:00pm  
Hostess: Ruth Mollack  
146 Highfield Lane North  
Chambersburg,

All are welcome to attend. 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 to her house:  
Driving along Route 30, Lincoln Way, from the East, turn right onto Walker Road. From the West turn left onto Walker road. (Long John's is on the corner). Follow Walker Road (in back of the Sheraton 4 Points). Make a left onto Limekiln Drive. (the Best Western is on the corner). Go 3 blocks on Limekiln Drive, make a right onto Highfield Lane North. Go to number 146, a red brick with blue siding above the garage door and by the front door.

## September Birthdays

|                   |      |
|-------------------|------|
| Sandy Effland     | 9/2  |
| Dottie Ann Mason  | 9/3  |
| Sharon Ezzo       | 9/7  |
| Ruth Helman       | 9/10 |
| Tracy Forrester   | 9/11 |
| Barbara Buchanan  | 9/12 |
| Lori Gruver       | 9/12 |
| Fran Organista    | 9/13 |
| Linda Walter      | 9/14 |
| Patricia Reese    | 9/15 |
| Barbara Goehle    | 9/16 |
| Amy Ensley        | 9/17 |
| Ruth Kerstetter   | 9/17 |
| Larry Gore        | 9/20 |
| Marilyn Peron     | 9/21 |
| Debbie Brug       | 9/21 |
| Cindy Bender      | 9/22 |
| Betty Berkebile   | 9/23 |
| Lorraine Fields   | 9/23 |
| Diana Umbrell     | 9/24 |
| Pamela Donaldson  | 9/27 |
| Chris Mieczkowski | 9/29 |
| Judie Svoboda     | 9/29 |

## September Trivia;

Birthstone: sapphire

Flower: aster

The familiar Dresden plate pattern is also called Aster (& Friendship Star)

## 2009 FALL RETREAT

The FALL RETREAT is **NOVEMBER 20 - 22, 2009**. Again you can go extra nights such as Tuesday, Wednesday, and/or Thursday, at an additional fee. 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 and/or sewing machine and spend the weekend quilting while the Roxbury staff feed and care 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. There will be registration sheets available at the September meeting to sign up for the retreat. You must submit a deposit when you sign up, with the total fee paid by the November meeting. If you have any questions about the retreat, please see Dottie Moreland, 717-263-1476, or demoreland@hotmail.com.

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 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, Saturday, or Sunday, then you will only pay the cost of the meal.

Please contact Dottie Moreland for meal and room prices for 3 or 4 people per room.

## October and November Workshops

### Sign-ups now being taken

Anyone interested in signing up the October and/or November workshops may do so now by contacting Darlene Dixon.

October: Karen Kay Buckley

Saturday 9 am – noon: Borders by Design  
(cost \$30)

November: Didi Salvatierra

Friday 6-8 pm CONTINUED ON Saturday  
9 am – noon: Purse Full of Pockets (cost \$35)

If you have any questions regarding either of these workshops, please contact Darlene as soon as possible. There is a limit of 20 people per workshop so don't wait to sign-up if you are interested.

## 2009 Christmas Block

Kits for the 2009 Christmas Block will be available at the September meeting. Each kit will include the main print fabric and the background. You will only be asked to provide four small squares of either red or green. The cost per kit is 50 cents. Members may purchase more than one if they choose, however, we encourage everyone to participate.

Members are asked to return the finished block at the October or November meetings. The absolute final date is the December meeting as this is when the blocks are divided up and names will be drawn from the list of those who made blocks to receive a portion of the blocks.

Any questions regarding the Christmas block may be directed to Nancy Bender, Roxanna Isner, Chris Mieczkowski, or Fran Chamberlin.

## REMINDER

All raffle monies and unsold tickets must be returned prior to or at our September Guild meeting on September 12. If you are unable to attend the meeting please return your raffle ticket money and any unsold tickets to- Jan Hirneisen, 770 Joy Drive, Greencastle.Pa. 17225 or you can return them to The Sew'n Place or send them to the meeting with another guild member.

The drawing will be held September 12th. We have 43 members who need to return their money. We've had a great sale and can make it even better if everyone remembers to return their sales money. Proceeds will go towards the printing of the book "Quilt Treasures of Yesteryear" and to support Guild programs.

*Editor's note: the church MAY NOT be used for money making purposes by the guild members.*

## Quilt Book Update

Peggy Armstrong, Carole Rice and I have been meeting with Mercersburg Printing Co. in an attempt to meet the deadlines that are necessary to have the books ready for distribution in October. The projected timeline is:

Spring to July 1 – all pictures and narrative for the book edited and in the hands of the printer

- layout of book complete

July 1 to August 1 – production of dummy book and final edit

August 1 to September 1 – printing of books

September 1 to October 1 – binding of books

Early October – distribution of pre-ordered books  
- ongoing sale of books

The documentation committee met recently and made the following determinations regarding the pricing of the book:

Pre-publication price (prior to October 1) - \$29.95

Price after October 1 - \$34.95

Books that need to be mailed – additional \$5.95 each for shipping and handling.

No tax will be charged since we are a non-profit organization.

We hope to have brochures with pricing information, pre-ordering procedure and pick-up locations available at our quilt show and Quilt Odyssey. A large mailing will also go out this summer to everyone who brought quilts for documentation, Guild members, and anyone who we think may be interested in receiving the information. You can help by submitting names and addresses of possible recipients to me by phone, Email or note by August 15. We think that the mailing and personal distribution will be our most effective marketing approach so do not hesitate to ask for extra brochures at the quilt show or send me the names and addresses for mailing.

If you would like to purchase a book and donate it to a school, library, an organization or make a designation in honor/memory of an individual, we will have bookplates available to be placed on the inside cover of the book that acknowledges your gift. Speak to Mim about it.

It is not too late to join the Galaxy of Stars. We are still short of reaching our financial goal. All gifts are appreciated but many small gifts would put us

over the top! Donations will be accepted at any time in the production process but to be listed under Galaxy of Stars in the book, donations must be in by September 1. Send check to:

Ruth Mollack, 146 Highfield Lane North, Chambersburg, PA 17201.

Mim Huffman, 717-263-3983 or [huff@innernet.net](mailto:huff@innernet.net) or 1412 Spring Side Court, Chambersburg, PA 17202

## MEMBER NOTICES/ADS

### Quilt Show 2009 Thank You

**Thank you!! These two words just don't seem** adequate to all of you who gave of your time and talent for the 2009 Quilt Show. All of you made my job so easy because you all did yours so well. Things went so smoothly and we have had a lot of wonderful feedback from members, friends, and the general public. A more in-depth report will be given at the September guild meeting.

Again, thank you all and good luck to the chairperson(s) for 2011!!!!

### Heart Walk

Sue Frederick and her family will be participating in the American Cancer Society's Heart Walk on Sept. 27, 2009.

This is their 5th year! They walk in memory of Sue's brother Rich Derrick.

If you would like to contribute, and any amount is appreciated, see Sue at the Sept. guild meeting.

Or you can mail a contribution to Sue. Make checks out to the American Cancer Society.

Thank you so much, Sue

### Member in the News

Amy Ensley was recently appointed to the staff at Wilson College as coordinator of **Wilson's Center for Women in Science, Mathematics and Technology**. Amy is the keeper of our guild website. Please offer Amy your congratulations when you see her!

## FOR SALE SEWING MACHINE AND QUILTING FRAME.

I have a Janome Memory Craft 6500 Professional and a Proflex quilting frame for sale. The sewing machine comes with a complete line of accessories. This is the Mercedes of sewing machines which is wonderfully matched up with the Super Quilter Proflex frame. This is a wonderful buy at only \$1399.00. Both are in excellent condition.



For more information please contact me at [roxiser@yahoo.com](mailto:roxiser@yahoo.com), or you can call me at 717-504-8656 and I will be glad to provide more information.

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### COUPON

**TWO (2) FREE fat quarters**  
Upon purchase of \$ 30.00 or more  
Expires October 20, 2009  
Cannot be combined with any other offer

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**Join Us for Mystery Batt &  
Enjoy a Surprise Every Month!**

Mystery Batt is the Guild's version of a Secret Sister Program. Each month from September through May you will bring 3 fat quarters for your Mystery Batt Sister. In May everyone will reveal themselves to their Sisters.

**Complete this short form and give to Donna Jones or Patti Coldsmith no later than Monday, Sept. 28!** We will then assign all participants a Secret Sister and will notify you by e-mail or snail mail your person by Oct. 3. This way we can begin our exchanging at the October meeting rather than having to wait until November!

You will need to bring 6 fat quarters in October for the 1st two months, then 3 fat quarters each month after. Please try to get your packages delivered even if you are going to miss any meetings — don't disappoint your Sister.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Color(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Fabric(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Theme Fabrics \_\_\_\_\_

Colors in Your Home \_\_\_\_\_

Any Helpful Ideas for Your Mystery Batt Sister? \_\_\_\_\_

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Complete and return by **Monday, Sept. 28 to:**

Donna Jones, 222 Grove Dr., Shippensburg, PA 17257; 717-658-1406;  
Jones3327@netscape.net

Or

Patti Coldsmith, 40 Scrafford St., Shippensburg, PA 17257; 717-532-9657;  
cold@pa.net

# **Sew'n Place Fabric SALE!!!**

*Our annual Fabric Fair!*

**When: Thursday, Friday  
and Saturday  
September 24, 25 & 26**

**Where: The Sew'n Place**

**What: Save 30% off non-  
sale Fabrics**

**The Sew'n Place**  
955 Wayne Avenue (down from Giant)  
Chambersburg, PA 17201

**Phone:  
263 - 5606**  
[www.sewnplace.com](http://www.sewnplace.com)

## Shows and Tours

3rd Annual Outdoor Quilt Show & Sale  
The Quilt Sampler, Kennett square, PA  
September 26, 2009 10 am to 6 pm  
610-444-1887 (raindate Sept. 27)

Keystone Quilters of Quakertown  
“Relish the Moment”  
October 16-17, 2009 Quakertown, PA  
www.keystonequilters.org

International Quilt Festival/Houston  
October 15-18, 2009, Houston, TX  
www.quilts.com

Constructed Color - Amish Quilts, thru  
September 6th, 2009, The Textile Mu-  
seum, Washington DC, free,  
www.textilemuseum.org

PA National Quilt Extravaganza XVI  
September 17-20, 2009, Oakes, PA  
www.mancuso@quiltfest.com

World Quilt Show– Florida,  
November 13-15, 2009, Palm Beach  
County Convention Center,  
www.mancuso@quiltfest.com

Kaleidoscope Quilts of Paula Nadelstern  
American Folk Art Museum, NYC, thru  
September 13th, 2009  
www.folkartmuseum.org

## Menno Haven Auxiliary

### Quilt Show & Sale

October 22, 2009 3pm -7pm  
October 23, 2009 10am -7pm  
October 24, 2009 9am -1pm

Chambersburg Mennonite Church  
F.L.C.  
1800 Philadelphia Avenue  
Chambersburg, PA

**Quilted items wanted:**  
Pre-registration required by  
October 15

- For show only
- For sale on consignment
- Donations (all proceeds benefit Menno Haven Auxiliary)

*Quilt Appraisals Available by  
Appointment*

For more details contact Johanna  
at 717-375-4876

### TIP

When selecting fabric for small pattern pieces, choose a SMALL PRINT with no more than two colors. Multi-color fabrics will look muddy at a distance. Very small pieces work best in a solid color.

# CHAMBERSBURG QUILT GUILD

## MEMBERSHIP FORM

Membership dues for the coming year, July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2010 should be paid by the first meeting in September in order for your information to be included in the guild directory. Checks, made out to the Chambersburg Quilt Guild, can be sent to the membership chairperson:

**Rhonda Gore**  
**CHAMBERSBURG QUILT GUILD**  
**2065 Orrstown Road**  
**Shippensburg, PA 17257**

Please fill in the following information:

Name: (MS, MRS, MISS) \_\_\_\_\_ **First** \_\_\_\_\_ **MI** \_\_\_\_\_ **Last** \_\_\_\_\_ **Birthday:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
**MO DAY**

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Street, RR# or Box #: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Select membership type. Each member should complete an application. Forms are available at the meetings.

Make checks payable to: **CHAMBERSBURG QUILT GUILD**

Membership type: Single (\$20.00)\_\_\_\_\_ Family (\$25.00)\_\_\_\_\_ Junior (\$10.00)\_\_\_\_\_ (ages 10-17)  
(Please note that if you choose a family membership, all members must reside at the same address.)

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**Are you willing to print your copy of the monthly newsletter from the guild website?**

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

([www.chambersburgquiltguild.org](http://www.chambersburgquiltguild.org))

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The following information is needed for **NATIONAL QUILTING ASSOCIATION Chapter affiliation:**

Are you currently a member of **NQA**: YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

If yes, please give your **NQA** membership number and expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_

(The guild's chapter number is PA 319.)

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE CHAMBERSBURG QUILT GUILD**

*Chambersburg Quilt Guild, Inc.  
Chambersburg, Pennsylvania*

*MEETINGS: 2nd Saturday of each  
month—September through May*

*TIME: 12:00 noon—Grand Feast  
1:00 pm Business Meeting/Program*

*PLACE: Trinity Evangelical Lutheran  
Church  
26 West Commerce Street  
Chambersburg, PA 17201*



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