

The Piece N' Times
January 2015
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Board Members & Committee Chairpersons

President	Cindy Walton	
Vice President	Janet Sly	
Secretary	Lorna Johnson	
Treasurer	Joyce Boekenoogen	
Historian	Sara Sly	
Newsletter Editor	Renee Layden	
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Membership Chair	Deena Johnston	
Hospitality Chair	Linda Roberts	
By-laws Chair	Mary Davis	
Raffle/Prospector Chair	KathyHarcourt	
Special Events Chair	Jayquetta (+helpers)	
Program Chair	Marlene Oddie	

January Calendar

01/10 Gloria Mae Butler's Birthday
 01/13 Pam McAuliffe's Birthday



01/01/15 **Happy New Year!!**

The Bulletin Board

December Minutes

Lorna Johnson, Secretary

Opening and Introductions:

The meeting was opened by President Cindy at 7:00pm following Christmas Dinner at 6pm. Present were Vice President Janet, Treasurer Joyce, Secretary Lorna and news editor Renee along with 30 members. The Christmas dinner buffet potluck was very delicious with more than enough food.

Minutes of the November meeting were discussed and Kathy H. made the correction of the treasurer's report showing that \$3.57 was for 4H dues and \$10.00 was for the guild license for the 501c3. Motion was made by Nancy to accept the minutes as amended, second made and motion passed.

Treasurer's Report:

Joyce B. presented the deposits made as \$60.00 for dues and checks written for \$17.00 to Kathy H. for guild supplies, \$28.00 to Kathy H. for an iron for 4H, and \$8.13 to the Outfitters for 4H.

Old Business:

President Cindy asked to keep the meeting short, but informed the group that there had been a special meeting that was casual and it was an information gathering meeting to come up with ideas that could be activities of the guild. Attending the meeting, which met at Eich's Mercantile, were Cindy, Joyce B., Joyce G., Lorna, Bonnie, and Deena. Cindy then read a list of ideas that were expressed at the meeting and received by her over the email from other guild members.

New Business: None at this meeting.

Drawing for Charm: Won by Dianne Bremner.

Committee Reports: None at this meeting.

Good of the Order:

An upcoming May trip to Ireland was brought to the attention of the guild.

Show & Tell

Marlene brought 2 quilts, the first is the design "Hugs & Kisses" of random stripes in scrappy she made for a lifelong friend. The second is a kit called "Draw Near" for another lifelong friend with a panel that had scriptures in the squares.

Program:

After the meeting Sara led the white elephant style gift exchange and everyone had a great time!!!

December Meeting Show & Tell and Party







Scraps of Wisdom

by Nancy Morris

The first day of the New Year, 2015. I spent the whole day quilting a top that has been sitting around for a whole year. It used to be that I would spend the day somewhere on a ski slope swooshing down a mountain. Since my early twenties I have really disliked waking up on the New Year with a hangover. Whatever year I learned to ski, I traded the New Year's Eve Party for a good night's sleep and a new tradition. We would rise early, pack a lunch and head out to the nearest open ski slope where we would totally exhaust ourselves with a full day of downhill skiing and then find a good place for dinner on the way home. My girls were in high school when we first started this. I gave up downhill when I had my hip replaced a few years ago. My doctor's description of a dislocated artificial hip was vivid. I expect my girls have gone on to other traditions by now, too.

I am not sure if this will become a new tradition. I seldom, if ever, quilt all day long. I got into it and it was going so well and before I knew it I had all of the straight seams done. I rewound the bobbin and put the free motion foot on and away I went on the blocks. For the first time ever, I felt really relaxed with the free motion quilting, just sewing along quietly. Not perfect, by any means, but good enough. I didn't need a massage at the end of it to work out the kinks in my neck from stress. I'm putting this quilt back to give to some friend who is going through a rough patch. It should have good vibes.

What may become a tradition is a Christmas to New Year's Day out to Omak. I gave daughter, Georgia, a Christmas gift consisting of an empty box with a set of D rings, and a pattern for the Mini Professional Tote and a gift certificate for the fabric and the rest of the notions and the help to get it together. Vickie came with us and she is going to do the bag also. Since Karlene and I were also hoping to get our French Braid fabrics together, the Monday after Christmas seemed ideal to make a quick run to Needelyn Time.



We arrived only to find out that they were having their big 30% off sale. Our lucky day! Not only were we able to get our French Braid runs figured out, but we all now have a mini tote project in the wings as well.

Just as well. Winters here are long and when you don't ski, there is not much to do outside. There should be lots of days for sewing. I hope your 2015 is everything you want it to be.

Quilt Stores:

City	Store Name	Address	Phone	E-Mail/Website/Fax
Chewelah	Akers United Drug	406 N Park St	509-935-8441	509-935-8406 (20% off fab w/PnP membership)
Colville	E-Z Knit Fabrics	Main Street	509-684-2644	ezknit.com
Deer Park	Ed & Jean's Quilt Shop	837 S Main, Ste K	509-276-6678	edandjeansquiltshop@gmail.com
Grand Coulee	KISSed Quilts	301 Main St	509-386-5715	kissedquilts.com
Grand Forks	Heart N' Sole Quilts	325 75 th Ave	250-442-0661	heartnsole@telus.net
Greenacres	The Quilting Heart	20419 E First Ave	509-926-1425	
Moses Lake	Columbia Basin Quiltworks	122 W 3 rd Ave	509-764-2238	cbquiltworks.com
Newport	Cottage Quilting	52 Wakefield Rd	509-447-0208	cottage_quilting@hotmail.com
Odessa	Quiet Crossing	4 W 1 st /PO Box 206	509-982-2194	
Omak	Needlelyn Time	9 N Main	509-826-1198	needlelyntime.com
Oroville	Buena Vista Quilting	1326 Hwy 7 N	509-486-2341	buenavistaquilting.com
Spokane	Sew E-Z Too	603 W Garland	509-325-6644	ezknit.com
Spokane	The Quilting Bee	12117 E Mission	509-928-6037	quiltingbeespokane.com
Spokane	The Cozy Quilt	8108 N Division	509-464-2425	thecozyquiltspokane.com
Spokane Val	Hattie's Quilt Shop	13817 E Sprague # 4	509-279-2150	
Spokane Val	A Heart Like Yours	9212 E Montgomery, #202	509-924-1020	
Spokane Val	Heartbeat Quilting	16909 E Sprague	509-465-0344	heartbeatquilting.com
Spokane Val	A Quilt Cottage	17 N Bowdish	509-891-6624	aquiltcottage.com
Waterville	Yesteryear Quilting	107 W Locust	509-745-9306	

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Next Guild Meeting January 19, 2015