

The Piece N' Times

September 2017

HOSTESSES FOR 2017 <i>Call Kathy Harcourt for the Carousel Building key or to confirm that she will be able to open up herself.</i>	
JANUARY	Cindy Walton & Kathryn Bedney
FEBRUARY	Vickie Cooper & Nancy Morris
MARCH	Joyce Bockenooogen & Deena Johnston
APRIL	Cindy Jones., Bobbie May and Leslie Tietsort
MAY	Phyllis Quam & Karlene Harding
JUNE	Canadian Group
JULY	Sara Sly & Janet Sly
AUGUST	Sarah Bradburn & Georgia Thomas
SEPTEMBER	Rachel Siracuse & Dianne Bremner
OCTOBER	Jane Lehmer & Kathy Harcourt
NOVEMBER	Rosalee Burbank & Barbara Honeycutt
DECEMBER	CHRISTMAS PARTY

Board Members & Committee Chairpersons		
Acting President	Dianne Bremner	
Acting Vice President	Leslie Tietsort	
Secretary	Lorna Johnson	
Treasurer	Georgia Thomas	
Historian	Sara Sly	
Newsletter/Website Editor	Rachel Siracuse	
Program Chair	Stephanie Alcock Rae Salkeld	
Membership Chair	Phyllis Quam	
Hospitality Chair	Karlene Harding	
By-laws Chair	Mary Davis	
Raffle/Donation Chair	Phyllis Quam	
Special Events Chair	Lorna Johnson Katie Bedney	

ATTENTION!
New Meeting Date! Every 2nd Thursday of the Month.

NOTEWORTHY INFORMATION

GENERAL INFORMATION

- FERRY COUNTY FAIR:** Katie & Lorna, organizers. Please be sure to sign up to volunteer to help. The sign-up sheet will be available at the August meeting.
- 2017 Raffle Quilt - '**Bears in the Woods**'; the quilt is finished and displayed at the Outfitters . Raffle tickets are ready to be sold; get yours from Kathy Harcourt.
- There are sign-up sheets at the Outfitters for taking the guild's monthly classes.
- SEPTEMBER - Stephanie; Row Block Quilt

SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

- 4th - Labor Day
- 6th - Bobbie May's B-Day
- 14th - Guild Meeting
- 22nd - Stephanie's B-Day
- 22nd - Sally's B-Day
- 29th - Joyce G.'s B-Day

August's Minutes

Secretary Lorna Johnson

Opening:

The meeting was opened at 6pm by President Dianne B. with board members Treasurer Georgia and Secretary Lorna present. There were 16 guild members in attendance and no guests.

Minutes:

The July minutes were approved with no changes.

Treasurer's Report:

Georgia reported a beginning balance of \$2,639.40. Deposits of \$145.00 for quilt tickets sold and \$60.00 for donations from the Sew-In to total \$205.00. Payments were made of \$68.70 to the Outfitters for batting, fabric and notions; \$50.00 to Ferry County Fair for sponsorship of the Westlake and 4H Creativity Awards; and \$70.00 to the Ferry County Fair for the room rental for the "Girlie Bag" class.

Bringing the ending balance to \$2,655.70.

Old Business:

- Lorna put out sign-up sheets for volunteers to help with the Quilt Display for the County Fair.
- Stephanie addressed the Row by Row quilt that will begin in September and fabric bags of scraps were swapped.
- The "Girlie Bags" were shown and a picture was taken of those who brought them. Sarah B., Dianne B., and Sally S. made 2 bags each. Kathy, Nancy and Georgia showed a bag each.

New Business:

- Sunday the 27th was set for the day to move the quilt racks from the Exhibit Hall to the Carousel building. Volunteers signed up and they will be meeting at 10am.
- Nancy gave an introduction to the nominations for the election. President nominee is Lorna, Vice President nominee is Dianne B., Treasurer nominee is Georgia, Secretary nominee is Phyllis and Newsletter Editor nominee is Rachel. Nancy thanked Karlene and Joyce B. for their help on the committee. Anyone else who would like to be nominated for these positions should contact Nancy, Karlene or Joyce B. Elections will be held at the September meeting.
- Discussion was held concerning future Sew-Ins and programs that could be done to inspire members to attend. The item will be discussed again so everybody should think about it.

Charm: Stephanie won the charm this meeting.

Good of the Order:

- Pam Metcalf broke her ankle and she is mending.
- Deena has been ill.
- Phyllis informed the guild members that there will be a quilt tie for charity at the Lutheran Church on Friday the 18th from 10am to 3pm. Bring finger food.
- Molson will be holding their Quilt Show and Sale on Saturday the 26th at the Molson Grange from 9am to 3pm

Show N Tell:

- Stephanie showed the dress that she was wearing that she made out of quilt backing and muslin, the pattern was made by Tina Gibbons. She also showed a Quilty Art Journal and Tea bag quilts made with layered tea bags.
- Dianne B. brought a bag with pockets that was done in teal and multi-colors. Her second item was the Quilt of Stars and Moons that she was working on at Lutherhaven that is done in blacks, golds and



fabrics with moons and stars. It is called “Celestial Happenings”.

- Sarah B. showed her snap bag that matches her ‘Girlie Bag’ and a wall hanging picture of a camp trailer made for a friend.
- Kathryn showed her comfort cover done in browns, purples and greens.

Refreshments were provided by Sarah B. and Georgia.

Program:

Rae gave a program on Reversible Quilts. Showing how each block can be quilted and then with sashing be attached to each other. She referred to the book ‘Reversible Quilts’ by Sharon Pederson.

KICK UP YOUR BOOTS AND SUPPORT YOUR ROOTS



August's Show & Tell...



Girly Gym Bag Class

- Sally
- Sarah
- Kathy H.
- Dianne B.
- Georgia Nancy

Other beautiful projects by guild members.

Rae S. taught the program for the meeting.

CITY	STORE NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE	EMAIL OR WEBSITE
Chewelah	Akers United Drug	406 N Park St.	(509) 935-8441	(20% off fabric w/membership)
Colville	E-Z Knit Fabrics	Main Street	(509) 684-2644	ezknit.com
Deer Park	Ed & Jean's Quilt Shop	22 S Vernon, #4	(509) 276-6678	edandjeansquiltshop@gmail.com
Deer Park	Sew Into Quilts	110 W Crawford St.	(509) 276-2035	
Grand Coulee	KISSed Quilts	301 Main St.	(509) 386-5715	kissedquilts.com
Grand Forks	Heart N' Sole Quilts		(250) 442-0661	heartnsole@telus.net
Greenacres	The Quilting Heart	20419 E. First AVE	(509) 926-1425	
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 AVE	(509) 325-6644	ezknit.com
Spokane	Quilt Patch Lane	413 W Hastings RD	(509) 467-0133	
Spokane	Regal Fabrics	5620 S Regal St., #8	(509) 242-3731	
Spokane Valley	Hattie's Quilt Shop	13817 E Sprague AVE,	(509) 279-2150	
Spokane Valley	Heartbeat Quilting	16909 E Sprague	(509) 465-0344	heartbeatquilting.com
Spokane Valley	The Quilting Bee	16002 E Broadway	(509) 928-6037	quiltingbeespokane.com

SEPTEMBER 2017						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 FERRY COUNTY FAIR	2 FERRY COUNTY FAIR
3 FERRY COUNTY FAIR	4 LABOR DAY	5	6 <i>Bobbie May's B-Day</i>	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 GUILD MEETING	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22 <i>Stephanie's B-Day</i> <i>Sally's B-Day</i>	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 <i>Joyce G.'s B-Day</i>	30

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CRAZY ABOUT QUILTING

**Next Guild Meeting
September 14, 2017**

Scraps of Wisdom

I thought I was done with huckleberries last month. Not so apparently. My daughter Tami, who lives in Phoenix and is staying in Spokane for the summer, came up to spend the last week of July with me. She kept saying that she really wanted to go out to the patch with me. So Sunday morning before she left we got up at 6:00 am and headed for the lakes. She thought it was mighty early and I thought it was prudent because the afternoon temps were hitting in the nineties. So seven o'clock found us setting in the mountains in the middle of a patch. (I forgot to mention that she travels with two small Chihuahuas' who quickly became lost in the bushes that were bigger than they are).

We had picked for an hour or so when I heard her yell and then start cursing. I stood up and looked over. She had tipped the milk box she was sitting on over backwards and spilled her berries. If there is one thing that is worse than picking the berries it is picking them up a second time. We had already made her some jam and pie filling from my stash, so she was more than happy to be able to take a gallon of fresh berries back to Spokane. She confessed later that she has gained a healthy respect for my huckleberry stash and had gone from thinking that I was a bit stingy to thinking that I was very generous.

by Nancy Morris

Now surely I was done. Not to be. The first week of August, Sister Maureen and niece Kelly, (some of you know them) arrived from Gresham, OR to spend the week with me and vacation. They were loaded down with clothes, food, four Kayaks', sewing machines and projects to sew. For the next seven days we picked berries, shopped both local and Canada, swam and kayaked, picked more berries and turned my kitchen into a jam factory. Here again I had to open up my stash so they could make the required amount of jam and still take home some frozen and fresh. In between we had a birthday lunch, attended a blue grass show at the pub and made our pilgrimage to Bonaparte Lake for dinner. I was totally exhausted when they pulled out early on Monday morning.

I do have to say that they got me back to my sewing machine. I have hardly looked at it since the bag class. I have had the blocks from my block of the month that every one made for me up on the quilt wall and there it sat. "Come on, Nan," my sister chided me. "You sew and I'll press and pin and we can knock this top out in less than an hour". Indeed we did.

I really am done with those berries now. Thank God, it was a really, really good year.