

# L. S. Q. G. NEWSLETTER

Lee's Summit Quilter's Guild, established 1983

## A Message from our President

It's time to start a new year. I am excited to sort out, rearrange, and work with some different ideas. Let the new projects begin!

Like I mentioned last month, I do have a "few" old ones to finish also.

This month at guild we will have the opportunity to learn to make a quilt carry bag. The workshop to make this will be after our January guild meeting. It will be great to use for bringing show and tell projects to the meetings. If you did not sign up for this workshop opportunity we have others planned for different times.

We have many wonderful programs and events planned for 2015. I encourage you to participate in some of the extra events besides the meeting. It is a good way to get to know the other ladies in guild. We have our quilting bee every third Monday, there are several workshops throughout the year, retreats are planned, and a bus trip is coming up. Sounds like a busy year!

Let's hope that we do not have to deal with too much winter weather this year. Remember - If Lee's Summit Schools are closed, then any events for quilt guild are canceled as well.

Hugs and Stitches,

*Cheryl*



January 12, 2015 (Monday)

**Embroidered Quilts with Of One Mind** -- Christy, Eula, and Kaye formed their pattern company Of One Mind a number of years ago to go along with their Eudora, MO, Quilt Shop Quilting Bits & Pieces. They have published 6 books with Kansas City Star Publishing and have a large number of patterns covering pieced, applique, and embroidered quilts. Their program includes some very old embroidered quilts, some they made with old designs, and then some of their quilts and block of the month projects. Their quilts range from the traditional stem stitch quilts to twilling and then on to crazy quilt stitches and Brazilian embroidery. [www.ofonemindquilts.com](http://www.ofonemindquilts.com)

*Guild Workshop-Quilt Carry Bag – information on page 5*

January 19, 2015 (Monday)

BEE – at The Duck Pond at Raintree Lake

February 9, 2015 (Monday)

**The Beauty of Scraps with Vicky Beasley** -- Vicky and her family live on a farm outside of Leavenworth, KS. For Vicky there is more fun in a bag of **scraps** than a whole room of yardage. Check out her farming and quilt life at

<http://www.thescrappyfarmer.blogspot.com/>

February 16, 2015 (Monday)

BEE – at The Duck Pond at Raintree Lake

March 9, 2015 (Monday)

**Everything Old is New Again by Rose Cottage Quilts - Deanna Hodson**

March 9 - ½ Day workshop: Blazing Lemoyne Basket

March 10 - full day workshop: Heirloom Treasures

*(see page 6 for more information about this program and workshops)*



## **LSQG BEE** - The Bee will be held January 19<sup>th</sup>. It is held the third

Monday each month unless there is a holiday. It is held at the Raintree Duck Pond Activity Building, 111 SW Cole Younger Dr., Lee's Summit. Parking is available by the building and on the street. The kitchen is equipped with a refrigerator, ice maker, microwave, coffee and coffee maker. The main room has lots of tables with chairs so that there is adequate space for working. Ironing boards, irons and cutting tables are provided. Pack a lunch or grab something at nearby restaurants. Doors are unlocked at 9 a.m. and we must be out by 4 p.m. Come join us for a fun time with other stitchers.

### **Bad Weather**

If the Lee's Summit Schools are cancelled or delayed due to bad weather, any guild function will be cancelled.



## **Lee's Summit Quilters' Guild**

### **Minutes of the Meeting of the General Membership December 8, 2014**

The meeting was called to order by President Cheryl Gross at 9:01 AM.

The minutes from the previous meeting were approved as published in the newsletter.

The budget report from last month was accepted as published in the newsletter and will be filed for audit.

**Old Business:** Badges: Because of continuing problems with getting Guild name badges delivered, the Board voted to purchase a badge-making machine. Badges which have been ordered will be available at the January meeting.

**New Business:** None

#### **Committee Reports:**

**Membership:** Diane Cox has updates to the Guild membership book ready for pick up. When members replace their directories, they are asked to please shred the old insert since it contains other Guild members' personal information.

**Librarian:** Joy O'Kane- New books this month are: T-Shirt Memories & More by Nancy Scott; Antique to Heirloom Jelly Roll Quilts by Pam & Nicki Lintott; Back-Basting Applique Step by Step by Barbara Eikmeier.

**Ways & Means:** Jan Campbell- There will not be a Guild cookbook in 2015. A new Guild T-Shirt color will be available for order in January. There are three green Guild T-shirts remaining: two M and one L.

**Special Events:** Nancy Solsberg for Janie Wagner- Bus Trip: A bus trip to Cameron/Hamilton is being planned in place of the July 13th Guild meeting. The cost will be \$10-15 per person with lunch on your own. There is a sign-up sheet for those interested in going. November Retreat: Plans are being made for a three-night retreat in Brunswick, MO in November. The cost will be

approximately \$200 with no meals provided. There is a sheet for sign-ups, but no money is due at this time.

**Programs:** Nancy Solsberg- January Program: Of One Mind from Eudora, MO will present the program "Embroidered Quilts." February Program: Vicky Beasley will present the program "The Beauty of Scraps." March Program: Deanna Hodson of Rose Cottage Quilts will present a program and 2 workshops: 1/2 day Blazing Lemoyne baskets using Deb Tucker rulers for \$20 + \$10 pattern and a full day Heirloom Treasures crazy quilt class for \$40 + \$10 pattern.

**Projects:** Sharon Neuer- July Meeting: Stand by for an alternate activity for those who do not go on the bus trip. Quilt Carry Bag Workshop: 44 have signed up for the workshop after the January meeting. Be sure to bring your lunch and a power strip with a long cord. The exchange strips are ready to pick up. Be sure to have your lining and batting basted and pressed together. UFO: It is not too late to sign up online and send or bring in your form to the January meeting. There are 4 spots for items to be listed in the first round. They can be completed in any order. Items can be quilts, vests, bags, wall hangings, etc. Mystery Quilt: Fabric requirements, cutting, and the first step will be announced at the January meeting.

**Community Outreach:** Vickie Gordon- Thank you for the kits that have been completed and the items that have been quilted. Patterns are available for the "We Care About You" bags. There was no Free Table this month, but there will be one again in January. Outreach committee meets once a month for 3-4 hours to cut quilt backs and batting. If you are interested in helping, please contact Vickie.

**Beekeeper:** Peggy Patterson- The next Bee will be Monday, December 15, at the Duck Pond at Raintree. The building will be open from 9-4. Cutting mats, irons, and ironing boards are provided. You will need to bring your own cutters and rulers. There is a link on the Blog to a map.

**Attendance:** There were 110 members in attendance. There were two guests: Sandy Schulz- Lee's Summit, MO; Judi VanDwyn- Liberty, MO.

**Show and Tell:** Mary Eubank- Garden Delight Quilt; Georgene Jurgensen- Charity Kids Bags; Elaine Boten- Beatle bag, Itty Bitty bag; Vickie Gordon- Beatle bag, Round Peg in a Square Hole; Jo Ann Hudson- Christmas Tree skirt; Judy Sewell- Tote, billfold; Kathy Russell- Crown Royal Jiggle, Rudolf; Terri Budzinski- Christmas table runner; Donna Bland- Peg quilt; Racene Bolin- Spencer's Tiger; Mary Ann Lanoue- Spiderman quilt, Lattice quilt, jelly roll quilt (all tops, not finished).

The meeting was adjourned at 9:35 to begin the gift exchange and the Christmas party.

Respectfully submitted,  
Terri Budzinski, Recording Secretary



## Membership Directories

If you did not pick up your membership directory at the December meeting, please do so at the January meeting. They are at the membership table.



November 2014 Treasurers Report				
Receipts:				
	Membership	\$		510.00
	Programs - 2014/2015	\$		225.00
	Badges	\$		50.00
	2014 Quilt Show - Boutique	\$		102.25
	2014 Quilt Show - Silent Auction	\$		145.00
	2014 Quilt Show - Misc.	\$		25.00
	2015 Quilt Show - Vendors	\$		1,070.00
	2014 Quilt Show - Hospitality	\$		39.64
		\$		2,166.89
Disbursements:				
	Woods Chapel - November rent	\$		150.00
	Woods Chapel - rent for workshop	\$		25.00
	Program - November	\$		150.00
	Library	\$		25.13
	Programs	\$		232.85
	2015 Tall Oaks Retreat door prizes	\$		1,025.80
	Community Outreach - fabric for prizes	\$		110.91
	General Fund - durable goods - pvc pipe	\$		14.96
	General Fund - durable goods - cart	\$		34.12
	Guild Projects	\$		154.02
	Newsletter/stamps	\$		11.27
	General Fund - Copy Account @ UPS	\$		323.18
	2015 Tall Oaks Retreat Refund	\$		350.00
	Ways & Means	\$		177.75
	2015 Tall Oaks Retreat contract payment	\$		2,473.20
	2014 Quilt Show	\$		
	- Misc. - paper products	\$		21.97
	- Vendors	\$		19.36
	- Boutique	\$		51.74
		\$		5,351.26
Net Receipts & Disbursements:		\$		(3,184.37)
Balance in Check Book		\$		42,803.59
Balance for Tall Oaks 2015		\$		6,011.94
LSQG Balance		\$		36,791.65

# GUILD PROJECTS

co-chairs - Sharon Neuer email [quiltgranny@gmail.com](mailto:quiltgranny@gmail.com)  
and Georgene Jurgensen email [gjurgensen@gmail.com](mailto:gjurgensen@gmail.com)

January after the meeting, we will start the class for our quilt carry bags. Be sure to bring your supplies and a lunch. (also a long extension cord) We will use the meeting room upstairs. The supply list and the pre-class prep is attached here and also this will be on the blog site on the left under guild projects.

Starting in January bring in your UFO's for showing and surprises. Hopefully we will see some of these quilts in next year's quilt show.

Also, announced in January our mystery quilt challenge. Fabric requirements, strip cutting and first step will be announced. This quilt has no triangles and will be fun for beginners and those with more experience. It is a STASH BUSTER..... All instructions and steps will be posted monthly on the blog site. Click on the left side of the web page, under Guild Projects. All of our events will be listed there all year for your convenience.

<http://www.lsqq.blogspot.com/>



## QUILT CARRY BAG ---- SUPPLY LIST

26 Strips (width of Fabric), 2.5" wide

52" x 33" Fabric for lining (muslin is fine) plus 3 - 2.5 inch strips for strap lining

52" x 33" batting

2 lengths of cord each approximately 60" long

Optional:

3 yds of 2 to 4" wide strapping

Velcro or snaps or buttons and pony tail ties

### **Prior to Class:**

Preparing the quilt lining and batting: Use one of 2 methods to secure together. One – spray baste or Two - pin baste them together. If pin basting be sure and pin on the batting side for easy removal. On the long sides sew a basting seam about ¼ inch from edge. This will hold your edges together and keep the lining and batting square as you add the strips.

If you are not doing the strip exchange prepare your strips by cutting to 35 inches in length after removing salvage. Save the excess you cut off – we will use that for the handles.

Sewing machine in good working order, and other sewing supplies. Walking foot is helpful, any quilting ruler larger than 6" long, Plus a small cutting mat and rotary cutter for trimming strips.



## Everything Old is New Again by Rose Cottage Quilts

**The program for March 2015** is Deanna Hodson, of Rose Cottage Quilts. She will present a lecture/power point on "Everything Old is New Again". On Monday, after our guild meeting and program, Deanna will be doing a ½ day workshop that features Deb Tucker rulers. The Workshop is Blazing Lemoyne Basket. It can be made with Lemoyne Triangles or Wool Applique. We will have pictures at guild. Rose Cottage Quilts will have wool kits available for the applique at \$7.50 for [6] 4" squares. A handout will be given to you when you sign up and pay for the class.

The cost of this ½ day workshop is \$20.00 plus \$10.00 for the pattern. The ruler needed for the workshop is the Rapid Fire Lemoyne Star Ruler and the Tucker Trimmer III is optional. Ways and Means will be working with programs in ordering these rulers. A blast will be sent out before the January meeting with prices.

On Tuesday, March 10 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 [4:00 p.m.] we will have a 6 hour workshop by Rose Cottage Quilts on "Vintage Linen Crazy Quilt". This quilt is designed using your vintage handkerchiefs. This workshop is \$40.00 plus \$10.00 for the pattern. Patterns will be available at sign up. A list of what you need to have prepared will be handed out upon payment. Also available is a small bag of "Vintage Textile Wash" at \$3.75 a bag for washing your vintage hankies.

The Blazing Lemoyne Basket workshop will be limited to 25 and the Vintage Linen Crazy Quilt workshop will be limited to 15 so be sure to sign up and pay for your spot. Nancy took signups this month so be sure to stop by and pay for your workshops at the January meeting.

### *Tall Oaks Retreat 2015 dates*

1<sup>st</sup> session (weekend)

March 20 – 23

F, Sa, Su, M

2<sup>nd</sup> session (weekday)

March 23 – 26 M, Tu, W, Th

The 4<sup>th</sup> deposit is due at the January meeting. One session is 70.00 deposit; Two sessions is 140.00 deposit.

There will be one more final payment due the first day of the March Retreat. It should be no more than 20.00, but we will have an exact amount due at that time.

**Lee's Summit Quilters' Guild**  
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## **First Class**



# **Next Meeting**



**HAPPY NEW YEAR**

## **January 12, 2015 - 9:00 a.m.**

**Remember your show and tell item(s) And your name badge**  
**Woods Chapel United Methodist Church, 4725 NE Lakewood Way, Lee's Summit, MO 64064**  
You can find the Lee's Summit Quilters' Guild website at: <http://lsqg.blogspot.com/>