



Cotton Patch Quilt Guild Newsletter

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EDITOR

ALLEN DAY

President's Letter

We all know what wonderful cooks we have in the guild. The food is always perfection. I know that you are all so proud of your cooking skills. I understand that even those who don't cook have peanut butter recipes. If you submit a recipe for the guild cook book, your name will appear and generations of people will be in awe at your skill. It will be like adding a bit of history and leaving something for future generations.

See you at guild,
Betty

October Program

October 25

Sue Benner will be traveling from Dallas to talk the Guild about "Using New Color in Traditional Quilts." Working as a studio artist since 1980 in the field of textile and quilt art, Sue Benner continues to push the structure and content of her work. Her academic background in science and art lays the groundwork for her experimentation and development. Her work is shown internationally and is in many private, corporate and institutional collections, appearing in seven *Quilt National* exhibitions

***Please bring any fabric that you are willing to donate to the November Fun and Games Night. We will take ugly or beautiful, whatever you are willing to contribute – any the size of fat quarters or more will be appreciated. This is an opportunity to reduce your stash, get rid of unneeded pieces, and provide you with an excuse to purchase more!**

Submitted by Gwen Schroth

The Cotton Belles met October 1st at Kavanaugh Methodist church. Sherry Worley presided at the meeting.

KAVANAUGH'S FALL FESTIVAL sale is October 20th. Donations to be turned in to LaNell by the 15th. The FISH auction will be November 17th. There was group discussion about donations for both events.

LaNell showed a hot cocoa mix layered in a clear cake decorating cone. A decoration added to the top made it look very festive. Other members told about their donation projects.

The COOKBOOK is under way. Recipes are to be sent to Sherry. A new twist this time. Anyone with a PC will be able to purchase a cookbook on a disc. Some books will be available in hard copy. The book may be available by the end of the year.

SCRAPBOOKS; Nora Whitehead has assembled the scrapbooks for several years. Since she is deceased, the group discussed what to do about storage and continuing the books.

Bernice offered to scan the current scrapbooks and put them on computer disc for circle members. The scrap books will then be donated to the guild.

NEXT MEETING is November 5th, 10:00 AM. at Kavanaugh church. This will be a work day to sew Christmas stockings for the Salvation Army. Everyone is encouraged to bring sewing machines and the appropriate supplies.

PROGRAM: The group filled quart jars with mixes for the above mentioned events.

FISH DONATION: \$81.00 was collected. Jeanne will deliver the n to The FISH office.

Submitted by [Bernice Tipton](#)

Happy Birthday

Lou Devenport	10/6	Debbie George	10/16
Norlyn Quinn	10/7	Beth Winn	10/17
Kathy Vestal	10/8		

If your birthday is this month and your name is not listed, please forgive your editor. Please notify Phyllis before the drawing for the birthday door prize.

Refreshments for October

Beth Winn – captain, B Wood, Sherry Worley, Carolyn Wright, Jan Ainsworth, Laurie Anderson, Jane Asberry, Joan Biggs, Sara Bobbitt, Dorothy Boettcher, LaNell Bundick, Carolyn Burt, Connie Cawthon & Susan Childers.

Refreshments for November

Lisa Coker, captain, Kay Colcleasure, JoAnn Cross, Allen Day, Betty Day, Lou Devenport, Linda Franklin, Debbie George, Joy Gregory, Gladys Guthrie & Debra Hager.

If you will not be able to attend when it is your turn to bring food, please trade with someone or send your dish.

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Jo Ann Weatherly

September Door Prizes

Quilts on the Square – Commerce
Quilt Kottage - Greenville
Suzy's Quilt Shop- Garland

Quilt Mercantile - Celeste
Carriage House Quilt Shoppe - Plano
Lisa Coker



Strippers Meeting October 17, 2007

Hello Fellow Strippers,

LeeAnn has asked for an assistant to help get information out to the Group and I graciously accepted the invitation.

We really had a great meeting last month. After enjoying plenty of food and conversation, Donna Moon gave us a presentation on Fusible Appliqué. Thanks, Donna.

At a previous meeting, the members of the group had expressed an interest in doing something for the Bonham Veterans Center. Kathy Vestal, contacted them to see what they might be in need of this Christmas. We will be collecting items for the veterans at the October and November meeting and a group of strippers will deliver the items to the VA after our December meeting. Here is the list of items the VA has suggested for donation.

Snacks - individually wrapped - crackers, etc

(Think of the items you like and I'm sure they will like them also)

Socks

T-Shirts

Flannel Shirts

Sweats (L, XL, XXL)

I want to thank you all in advance for you donations.

Our next meeting will be November 8th. I will be sending out the reminder prior to the meeting.

If you volunteered to present a demonstration at one of our meetings, Please let me know what you signed up for (if you can remember) so I can include it in our next newsletter.

Thanks,

Phyllis Moynihan

Strippers Food List for November

Maejean Nixson
Kay Colcleasure
Donna Moon
Jane Martyn
Sue Childers
Linda Neal

Sara Bobbitt
LeeAnn Miller
Connie Cawthon
Huey Nobles
Monica Denney

News from the Cotton Blossoms

The Cotton Blossoms are going to Boles Home on October 16 to present our Quillows to one of the boy's cottages. This is one of the Cotton Blossoms favorite annual donations and trips. The youngsters always are so proud of their Quillows. It brightens up the Blossoms day to see the happy faces of the boys and girls. At Boles Home, the Blossoms do a girls cottage one year and then a boys cottage the next year.

At the last meeting, we cut out 100 Christmas stockings for the Food Pantry children participants. Next meeting, we will sew up the stockings. The food Pantry is for the Commerce area and is done by the churches of the town. The stockings will be filled with goodies by the Food Pantry committee.

The Blossoms are starting to collect 5 ½ inch Christmas theme squares to use in a quilt for the "Harvest of Plenty" auction of 2008. This year's quilt will be auctioned off on November 3, 2007. It is done in Christmas Trees with stars on top of the trees. It is truly lovely and should go for a nice price.

On one of our new projects by Carolyn Burt, is to show the group how to make a pocket designed to put on a wheel chair for Veterans. It will keep their cell phones etc. all together. This will be shown next time.

In a sad note, the Cotton Blossoms lost one of their members this last week. Marie Huffman died of a massive stroke. The funeral was Sunday at 2 PM on October the 14th. We will always miss her and our hearts go out to her family in their sorrow.

Madeline Sullivan, Reporter

SEPTEMBER GUILD MINUTES

President, Betty Day, opened the meeting by thanking the members for the delicious food. New members were introduced and guests were welcomed.

Community Service chairman, Sherry Worley, encouraged members to take a community service kit to complete. She also announced Joy Michelle Watts will be the speaker at the 2008 TAQG meeting.

Members were reminded to send in recipes for the upcoming Guild Cook Book. The deadline is the end of October. Sue Childers commended Sara Bobbitt for being the first to send in her recipes.

Virginia Johnson announced the November meeting will be game night. Members will play Quilt Trivia and Quilter's Craps.

Betty Day also announced the guild meeting dates for November and December are the third Thursday instead of the fourth Thursday, due to the holidays.

Following a wonderful Show and Tell, guild members had the opportunity to learn several new skills taught by fellow members.

Submitted by Anita Gaudreau



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