



COTTON PATCH QUILT GUILD



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HALLOWE'EN!

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Carol Dodd, editor

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

I will not be at Guild meeting this month because Vance is having to have a third knee revision. Am sorry I will not be there for skills night.

Important guild business: We need a nominating committee and we need volunteers to be officers in the upcoming year. We have three current officers who are willing to serve another year:

President:

Vice President:

Secretary: I am willing to volunteer to share this position with someone as my work assignments, schedule will be changing in the next year.

Membership: Helen Varner

Librarian: Robby Rather

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Remember this is an opportunity to serve, promote your personal growth in the Guild and get more involved.

One suggestion is for two people to share a position such as President and Vice-President - this works well when both parties split the months to allow each other to travel, etc.

Second suggestion: Maybe three people share the role- each leads for 4 months.

The majority of the hard work occurs in the first couple of months as the budget is developed, programs are lined up.

Please seriously consider volunteering for an office.
--Roberta Vanderburg

October Program

Skills Night

First, "Skills Night", we will have several mini-classes set up for our program to share techniques, patterns and new and old tricks among quilters. Celebrities within our guild have volunteered to share their talents and skills with guild members.

Show and Tell, Again

Second, for "Show and Tell, Again", please bring and an old favorite of yours. Whether it was a block swap, original design or kit you've shown before, MANY of our new members have NEVER seen "That Quilt"!! Please go through your quilt box and select a couple to share.

Thank you for your participation in advance!!!
I look forward to this program every year!

--Debra Hager

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OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Wanda Wilson	October 7
Kathy Vestal	October 8
Brenda Van Sickle	October 22
Donna Blackstock	October 24
Vickie Schumann	October 25
Deidre Shirley	October 26

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Mary Mullins	November 6
Vickie Pierce	November 11
Doris Lemon	November 12
Laurie Anderson	November 15
Debra Hager	November 16
Carol Dodd	November 17
Vance Vanderburg	November 24
Kay Allen	November 26
Barbara Stephens	November 26
Phyllis Buchholz	November 30
Cathy Weatherhead	November 30



OCTOBER REFRESHMENTS

Jan Byrd, Captain

Mary Canada	Jo Ann Cross
Connie Cawthon	Isabel Davis
Sherry Chennault	Jane Davis
Susan Childers	Jo Dieterich
Lynn Cogswell	Carol Dodd
Kay Colcleasure	Leslie Erickson
Mary Lynn Collins	Janice Evans

Please advise your captain if you cannot attend the meeting and **swap** with someone else or offer the captain money to cover your share. Please bring two regular-sized or one large dish.

Captains: Contact each person by the Monday before the guild meeting. Everyone, please remember to help clean up afterward and take care of your dishes.

NOVEMBER REFRESHMENTS

Linda Franklin, Captain

Anita Gaudreau	Shirley Hoffman
Joy Gregory	Carrol Houllis
Kelly Greiner	Carol Keller
Debra Hager	Bud Keller
Gwynne Haussecker	Tina Lancaster
Jeanie Herring	Darla Lane
Pamela Hodapp	Doris Lemon



COTTON STRIPPERS

We had 19 members present.

I heard that the food committee served a delicious fried chicken dinner. The food committee for next month is: Beth Mills, Connie Cawthon, Maejean Nixon, Sara Bobbitt, Linda Olivera and Katharine McCaw.

Anita Gaudreau was the winner of the Fill the Jar lottery blocks. Jane Martyn presented the next lottery block, it will be made with bright colors and either white or white on white fabric. We will draw for these blocks in December since several people will be at the Paris retreat during our Strippers meeting.

Mary Lou Strohm was the winner of the fat quarter drawing increasing her stash of Halloween/black/orange fabrics. Next month's fat quarter drawing will be fall prints/brown/gold fabrics.

There was a good discussion of projects/exchanges we can do next year.

During show and tell there were several quilts shown:

Linda Olivera - jar quilt

Beth Mills - jar quilt

Roberta Vanderburg - binding on a community service quilt and a 9-patch ufo

Jane Martyn - Halloween quilt

Connie Cawthon - tiger quilt

Mary Lou Strohm - 9-patch star quilt

Upcoming events for 2017:

January 12-15 Strippers retreat at Mathews Retreat Center, Lone Oak, TX Contact Connie Cawthon

January 19-22 Cranky Treadlers retreat (vintage sewing machines) at Mathews Retreat Center, Lone Oak, TX. Contact Sue Childers

April 7-8, NETX TOGA (vintage sewing machines) at Mathews Retreat Center, Lone Oak, TX. Contact Sue Childers

June 22-25 Cranky Treadlers retreat at Mathews Retreat Center, Lone Oak, TX. Contact Sue Childers

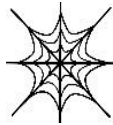
July 13-16 Strippers retreat at Mathews Retreat Center, Lone Oak, TX. Contact Jane Martyn

September 21-24 Cranky Treadlers retreat (vintage sewing machines) at Mathews Retreat Center, Lone Oak, TX. Contact Sue Childers

-- Kay Colcleasure

COTTON BLOSSOMS

The Cotton Blossoms met on October 10 at the Presbyterian Church in Commerce. We showed progress on blocks for the quilt to benefit the Commerce Food Pantry. We welcomed a new member, and had show and tell.



Website!

You may view photos and newsletters at the guild's website:

www.cottonpatchquilt.com

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