



The Stitch Line

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Note from the President

Well, our Quilt Show is over and what a show. It could not have gone any better well, maybe some things. We hung 168 quilts and had 90% participation from our guild members. Nothing speaks better for our guild. A big **THANK YOU** to Margaret Grande and Vicky Stankevicz for co-chairing the show. Once again, we could not have done it without them. And weren't the ribbons great that Lucy Idler made? Thank you to everyone that worked so hard. It truly was a great show. I think now is the time to decide if we stay at Knowlton School and on the dates for the 2009 show.

Preliminary numbers we have at this time are:

Attendance: 339

Admissions: \$1695.00

Small raffles - sewing machine and baskets: \$565.00

Guild Raffle Quilt: \$228.00

Quilt for the Cure: \$356.00

A full report on income and expenses for the show will be given at our November meeting.

Winners of Viewers Choice

Large Quilt Category

1st Place – Theresa Schoonover, Bargello in the Fall

2nd Place – Margaret Grande, Stained Glass

3rd Place – Cindy Smith, Smith Family Christmas

Small Quilt Category

1st Place – Maryellen Krivanek, My Prairie Flowers

2nd Place – Patty Kristoff, Butterfly

3rd Place – Theresa Schoonover, Never Again

Financial Report

Beginning balance: \$7758.10 from September 10, 2007

Ending balance: \$ 8906.54 at October 1, 2007

If you are not able to attend meetings and would like to see more financial details than are presented in the newsletter contact Cindy Smith at 9008-362-8598 or cascpa@nac.net.

Board Members

President - Sharon Kubich

V-President – Judy Zeitler

Secretary – Irene Compton

Treasurer – Cindy Smith

Historian-Theresa
Schoonover

Meeting information

Evening Star Quilt Guild

809 Oxford Street
Belvidere, NJ

Belvidere High School
Cafeteria

Second Tuesday of the
Month

Doors open at 6:30,
Meetings start promptly at
7:00!

Guests and New Members

There were no new members or guests at our meeting in October. The members that joined in September were there to support and work at our show. Thank you for jumping in and helping out.

Happy Birthday

Audrey	Planer	11/7
Theresa	Schoonover	11/17
Vicky	Stankevicz	11/22

List of Committees

APQ Workshop – Sharon Kubich and Sharon Rehrig

BOM – Margaret Grande and Debbie Symonds

Challenge – Cindy Smith, Susan Duryea and Theresa Schoonover

Charity Quilts – Rosemarie Greg, Judy Tharp, Solvai Sanchez, Trudy Frey,
Susan Duryea, Peggy Schaedel, Miriam Dilts

Fat Quarter Exchange - Carolyn Smith, Alberta Bellis, Judy Tharp,
Denise Willever

Hospitality – Sharon Roehrig, Trina Hobbie, Joanne Davie

I Spy Exchange – Kimberly Clark

Mystery Quilt – Lucy Kise

New Member Liaison – Patty Kristoff

Newsletter – Sharon Kubich, Sharon Rehrig

Programs/Workshops – Judy Zeitler

Quilter's Saturday's Out – Patty Kristoff (Patty is deciding on a new name)

Raffle Quilt – Theresa Schoonover

Sunshine Girl – Sharon Roehrig

Victorian Days – Sharon Kubich

Victorian Tea – Fran Visicaro, Carol Smith and Marlene Marlow

Warren County Fair – Sharon Kubich

Ways and Means – Tammy Grover

Web Site – Lisa Intili

Thank you, ladies, for serving on these committees.

Block of the Month

Congratulations to Vicky Stankevicz for winning the blocks at the October meeting.

Remember; make whichever block you chose out of the packet. Just be sure to use the correct fabric theme from the list below.

November- Thimbleberries and ow/ow

December - Holiday Floral and ow/ow

January - Novelties and w/w

February- Batik and ow/ow

March - Civil War and ow/ow

April- Polka Dot and w/w

May - Floral and w/w

June- Pastels and w/w

Newsletter Information Contact Us

If you would like to have something published in the newsletter send it to

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Phillipsburg, NJ 08865
908-859-1629

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If you receive a call on your cell phone, please be courteous of others and step outside or in the hall.

Challenge

Theresa Schoonover and Susan Duryea had members sign up at the October meeting, so they will have an idea of the amount of fabric they will need to purchase. It is not too late to sign up, but please do so as soon as possible. We do not have the details yet, but hang in there and they will be coming soon.

Charity Quilts

Things are happening and the committee is getting closer to deciding on the pattern we will be using this year. Our quilts will be going to military veterans, but at this point, that is all that is known.

Fat Quarter Exchange

The fat quarter exchange will coincide with the BOM this year.

November theme is **Holiday Floral/Holly**.

I am sorry I do not have the winners for you from the October meeting.

Hospitality

Trina Hobbie's daughter Krissy has provided us with a delicious cake at our last two meetings. She has also been sharing her recipes with us. A big thanks you to Krissy, let's see what she has in store for us going forward. Thank you to all our members for supplying us with refreshments. The hospitality committee will be contacting those members who signed up for the November meeting shortly.

I SPY

For those participating in the **I SPY Exchange**, the fabric is due at the November meeting. Please bring **thirty-five 6/12 inch squares** these squares may consist of the **same fabric**. Kimberly has also conveyed you may provide **thirty-five 6/12 inch squares** consisting of different fabrics to be exchanged if you would like to. There are still packets available consisting of directions for a Snowball Quilt, a perfect pattern to use for an **I SPY** quilt.

Mystery Quilt

Nothing has changed - it is still a mystery! Lucy is looking at a date in February to hold our **Mysterious Day**. If you would like to participate, sign up with Lucy Kise.

Newsletter

This is your newsletter. If there is something you want published, please let Sharon Kubich know. Deadline for November newsletter is November 16.

Programs and Workshops

November - Betty Pillsbury is will be doing a lecture on Crazy Quilts.

After Betty's lecture, we will be having a short meeting. Margaret and Vicky would like to go over the show. Please take a minute to write down the things that you felt were successful about our show and the things you feel should be

Please remember to
sign in and
WEAR YOUR NAMETAG.

changed to make it better.

December - holiday celebration. There will be a brief business meeting followed by food, food, more food and the spirit of the holiday season. Once again we will be donating placemats to home bond people. If you are interested in helping to organize the party piece of the December meeting, please let Sharon or a board member know.

Balance of the year - Judy Zeitler will be announcing our speakers as she confirms them.

Raffle Quilt

Don't forget to sell your raffle tickets for our 2007 Blue and Yellow Nickel Quilt. The drawing will take place at the December meeting. So get out there and sell, sell, sell your tickets. Return your money and stubs to Lelane Hoose at the start of the December meeting, if not before.

Once again Theresa Schoonover will be organizing our next raffle quilt for 2008.

Sunshine

Sharon Roehrig needs your help. If you know of a member that needs a little sunshine from the guild, please inform Sharon 908-454-5804 or katznquiltz@earthlink.net, so she can send a card.

Victorian Tea

Fran Visicaro has been loosing sleep over our Victorian Day Tea. She is very excited. She is looking at April as the month. Carol Smith and Marlene Marlow (aka Marilyn Monroe) will be working with Fran. I would suggest you start working on your fancy hat and dress for the tea. If hats and dressing is not your thing, please consider at least bringing a special tea cup and maybe some scones or tea sandwiches. Whatever you decide, we are looking forward to an enjoyable evening.

Ways and Means

I have to apologies to you again; I did not get the names of the winners at the October meeting. I get so excited about what is going on I forget what I am doing. Congratulations to the winners who ever you are!

Warren County Fair & Victorian Days

Sharon Kubich, Marilyn Barnes and Lucy Kise will be attending a meeting for the fair on October 23rd. It is too early for us to worry about these events, but as soon as we have dates for next year we will be asking you to mark them on your calendar and help at our booths. If you should have an extra block or two during the year, please make up as a mini raffle quilt for the fair.

Web Site

www.esqg.com is where you can find all the information you need about our guild. Take a minute and check it out. Look for newsletters, BOM, coming events and plenty more. Lisa Intili is our web master. If there is something you would like posted or would like to share with our members, send it to Lisa and she will be happy to post it for you.

Harmony Presbyterian Church Quilt Show

Don't forget to stop by and support the Harmony Presbyterian Quilt Show. Saturday October 27 from 10 till 2:30.

Quilt Show and Luncheon (tickets - \$10.00)

Boutique/Mini Bazaar

For more information call Ruth 908-689-4186 or Barbara 908-859-1073

Or email Ruth Skirbst at smileyonebjc@yahoo.com

Couturiere Bus Trip

Couturiere Bus Trip-Easton Couturiere Workshop is running a bus trip to NYC and wishes to open it to Quilt Guild members. The date is 11/1 and the cost is \$68. This includes bus fare, a tour of the Metropolitan Art Museum and a Backstage Tour of the Metropolitan Opera House at Lincoln Center. Lunch, probably at the Art Museum, is on your own. Please contact Sharon Roehrig, 908-454-5804, ASAP for more info or to make reservations.

Donate your Fabric to "Critter Quilts"

Priscilla Harvey is part of a group call "Critter Quilts". The group is looking for donations of cotton fabrics. They make quilts for animals and deliver them to animal shelters in both NJ and PA.

If you have fabric that you are just tired of looking at, call Priscilla Harvey at 610-250-5658. She will be happy to pick up the fabric.

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Winter Weather

If the Belvidere School is closed the day of our meeting night, the meeting will be canceled. <http://www.belvideresd.org/>