

No Meetings Until Further Notice

President's Message



Suzanne Martin

Finally summer! And then it was too hot! Somehow as I get older, I'm not as tolerant of heat as I remember being.

But the mornings outside are lovely for a walk or just moseying around the yard. And then I'm seeking the cool of my sewing room and happily making something! We had another Zoom board meeting in July, and from that a couple things. I'm sending a call-out for two committees which we normally appoint at the September meeting. We need a budget committee (three people) to work with the treasurer and non-profit chair. And we also will need a nominating committee of five people. If you could work on either of these teams, please email me and you could be my new best friend!

We also passed a motion giving the board sort of an umbrella permission to deal with whatever comes up during these unusual times. Here it is in full....."Given the 2019Covid pandemic wherein the Governor of Oregon has restricted many aspects of meeting together, yet essential business must continue, the MBQG board will be making a number of decisions on behalf of the Guild. These decisions may concern dues, meetings, programs, education, and bylaws-specified committees or processes. Such Board decisions will be communicated to the full membership through the monthly newsletter and by email when necessary. This Action shall remain in place until the Covid19 pandemic is concluded; it is taken in an effort to continue Guild functions while protecting the health and safety of all of its members."

Please stay safe, even though we are tired of the restrictions, the virus isn't tired yet. If there is anything that you need, give a call. We need to keep checking on each other.

Suzanne

Hospitality

Jean Bissell

Nothing for August

July Door Prize Winners

Ruth Ott

No meeting in July

Sunshine/Community Bulletin Board

Vickie Rooks

The Sunshine Committee exists to be a central point where members of the Mount Bachelor Quilters' Guild can share news about other members that might need some extra cheer because life has touched them with a loss in their family, a medical situation has occurred or something very positive has happened. Do you know someone in the guild that could use a card sent to them letting them know that all of the guild members are thinking about them? If so, please contact Vickie Rooks at vrkaba@aol.com and share your news.

This month, the guild sent a card to Judy Harbin who was having back surgery. Judy, everyone is wishing you a full recovery.

Guild Library

MaryElla Strelchun

Nothing for August



Membership Committee

Judy Woodfill, Catherine Anderson, Carol Luther, Kathe Sabine, Kathleen Garton, and Sonja Jager

Nothing new for August

Birthdays for August



8/11 Beverly Piper
8/19 Jody Faraci.
8/30 Ruth Ott.

8/17 Karen Kimbell
8/22 Pris Brubaker
8/31 Jill Strickod

Treasurer

Deborah Hall

The balance as of 7-22-20 is \$11,623.39.

If you need reimbursements please send your requests to my home address--60805 Willow Creek Loop, Bend, 97702

Community Quilts

Joyce Andrew, Lizbeth Cattle, Cathy Cholick, Jane Davis, Diana Lawlis

CALL FOR COMMUNITY QUILTS!

Community Quilts will be making a full distribution of quilts the end of August. If you have completed a CQ quilt and it's still at your home, we are requesting that you please bring it to Diana Lawlis' house by August 22nd. (During this pandemic, we are not meeting at the church and quilts cannot be dropped off there.) Call or text Diana at 253-686-1546 for address and time you will deliver. She lives near Mt View High School in NE Bend, and quilts can be left on her porch.

Please note that quilts need to have the **paper label** with your name, size, etc. These labels can be printed from the Mt. Bachelor Quilters Guild website. Look under "Downloadable Forms". Also note that quilts need to have a **fabric label** sewn onto the back. You can get these from Diana—come by the house or call her and she will mail to you.

Thank you for your understanding that the CQ committee needs help in getting all the quilts together in one place. We appreciate the quilts you make during the year to help out the Central Oregon community.

PARTNERS IN CARE NEEDS WHEELCHAIR QUILTS: PIC is currently in need of 36 wheelchair quilts. The size required is 36x36" to a maximum of 42x42". If you make a wheelchair quilt, please put a label that states "Partners In Care Wheelchair Quilt". Diana Lawlis has a few kits for wheelchair quilts. **SUPPLIES:** Remember that if you need supplies (fabric and/or batting) to complete the PIC quilts or other Community Quilts at home, please contact Diana Lawlis at 253-686-1546.

WEEKLY MEETINGS: Weekly meetings are postponed until further notice. When our weekly meetings resume at the church, all guild members and non-members are welcome to join us every Wednesday for a fun day of sewing. Bring a lunch! Once your top is finished, we provide batting and backing to complete your project for donation to our eight community charities. Wednesday meetings will be at Nativity Lutheran Church from 11:00 AM to 2:30 PM at 60850 Brosterhouse Rd.



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Community Food Drive

Karen Kimball

The Food Pantry is still going strong at Nativity Lutheran Church. Thank you to those who have donated; the church is so grateful for your support. Their address is: 60850 Brosterhous Rd, Bend, Oregon 97702. Just put a note on your check as a donation for the Food Pantry. It is so nice to be out and about a little more. Looking forward to seeing everyone again... whenever that will be.

Newsletter

Pat Wilson

Please submit your September newsletter articles to me no later than August 30th. Remember you can send your articles any time during the previous month. You do not have to wait until the end of the month to send them.

To All Members: Please feel free to contribute any article or news to the newsletter.



Programs

Eileen Heber

Since we are entertaining ourselves, I have been cleaning my files in my computer. I save every idea and it leads to a mess. I don't get anywhere because I have to look at everything. Well, I went to www.pieceocake.com and found Becky Goldsmith designed six blocks based on the Covid 19 virus. She

named the quilt 'Searching for Beauty', it's a free digital pattern that you can download. DO NOT print because it's 50 pages. So just wanted to share this. Have fun quilting .

Eileen Heber

Workshops

Diana Knight

Nothing to report at this time.

Virtual Show & Tell

Kristin Shields

Virtual Show & Tell for Guild Members

While we are all going through this difficult social distancing time I would like to offer a little bit of fun and a way for us to keep in touch. We will do a virtual show and tell on the blog. The frequency of posting will depend on how many submissions I get. I anticipate posting once a week perhaps, but I really don't know how many submissions I'll get.

If you'd like to participate please send a photo of your current project (in progress or finished). Please state how you would like your name to be posted (full name or first name with last initial), and just one sentence of explanation if needed.

Photography tips: Try to take your photo with your camera perpendicular to the quilt (i.e.- put the quilt on a design wall, or have someone hold it up). If you lay it on the floor, do your best to get the camera centered over it. The sides of the quilt will be parallel to the sides of the photo. I will not have time to edit the photos, so I would prefer that you do any editing yourself. A phone photo is fine, just be sure to take your photo in natural light and



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get close enough to your project so that you don't need to crop the photo too much. We want the resolution to be as high as possible. Send your photo to me with largest size possible.

I was thinking it would be fun to see people's sewing rooms in whole or just a favorite part, so that can be added to the show & tell of quilts. Or quilting with pets photos.

If you want to keep up with the posts from your guild friends, be sure you are signed up to receive the blog posts by email. To do this, see the right side bar for the subscribe by email button.

IMPORTANT: Only send these submissions to the blog email address: mbgginfo@gmail.com.

Thank you, Kristin Shields, e-MBQG coordinator

2020 Quilt Challenge

Catherine Anderson

"The Colors of Nature MBQG 2020 Challenge"

All voting details are in the blog post. <https://mtbachelorquiltersguild.typepad.com/home/2020/08/mbqg-quilt-challenge-2020-colors-of-nature.html>

Voting ends August 5th

Quilts are in and time to vote!
Voting will start on August 2nd until August 5th, 6 p.m.
You get 3 votes. Vote 1 your absolute fav., then second, and finally 3rd fav.
I will tally votes and get ready to award prizes.
Thanks for all who participated!

Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show & Quilters' Affair

Martha Sanders

I know a few of you ventured to Sisters on quilt show day. It was eerily quiet first thing, compared to the activity we're used to. There were exhibits to be seen live and quilts hanging in a few places in town. I hope you'll visit the www.sogs.org site to see the virtual show. They did an awesome job collecting and presenting the special exhibits and you'll see some MBQG friends in the video too.

I am a diehard Red Sox fan, so I'm used to saying 'there's always next year' while growing up near Boston. It wasn't until recently that the team produced a World Series. So, for the quilt show, there *will* be a next year and many more. Thank you for your support and help during the filming of the video.

I might also suggest that you visit the Quilters Affair site to see any changes. If you were registered in class for 2020, you had an option to roll this over to 2021.

Martha Sanders

Boutique

Fern James

Keep on sewing.....

2021 Quilt Retreat

Retreat Committee

The MBQG's 2021 retreat committee met last week and has decided to postpone the retreat for 2021 due to COVID-19. The pandemic is unpredictable and therefore unplannable. We will hold the retreat at Mount Bachelor Village and are tentatively looking at the 5th, 6th, and 7th of November 2022



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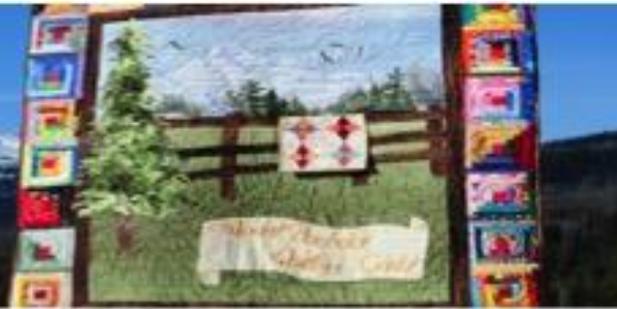
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Hi Everyone,

Thank you to all of you that helped us to celebrate Quilter's Affair and Quilt Show, with photos posted of quilts hanging in your

home. I hope you also enjoyed Val's daily postings with employee quilts outside the store every day, and her commentary on quilt show history. Thank you to those of you that ventured out to The Stitchin' Post for demos that week. Val filmed all of them so if you did not make it in person, you can see them on Stitchin Post's YouTube Channel (you can find the link on the home page of the website). Our ad this month features Tonye Phillips' two new patterns. I have made the runner, and it is on my table as we speak. I enjoyed the hand stitching the layers together.

I see that lots more of you have signed up for our newsletters. Thank you! Val and her team are doing such a bang up job presenting new ideas and possibilities for all of you creatives. July has brought new fabrics and quilts and our reorders are finally trickling in. Things have certainly changed since COVID appeared. I find myself feeling more creative lately and beginning some new projects. We hope the best for all of you, stay

well, and enjoy our glorious summer.

Jean & Val

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Hello, Lovely Ladies--

I literally can't think of anything to say! My brain is mush! So here goes...

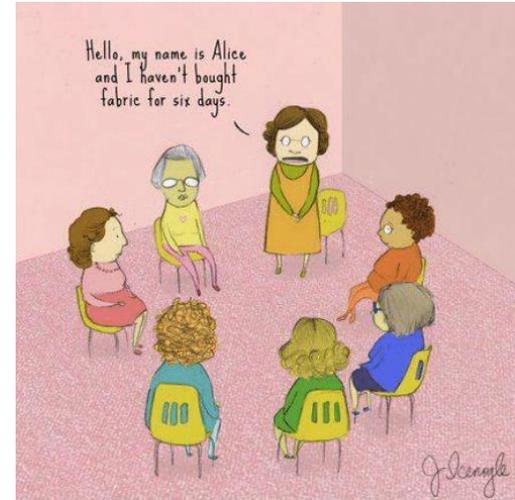
Hello, Beloved Quilt Friends!

I think this has been the strangest July ever! Not having the hordes of quilt show visitors has been so different. "Quilt Show" week I actually got home at a normal time and wasn't exhausted. We normally don't see most of you for a week before and after the show, so of course it was a treat to see you when you didn't have to fight the crowds! We sure appreciate your willingness to sanitize your hands, wear your mask and maintain your distance in the shop. We will continue to do our best to keep everything in the shop as safe for you as we can, and we will continue to provide curbside service for any of you who prefer that.

Our Halloween and Christmas fabric orders are trickling in. All the fabric companies are working

with limited staff in the warehouses, and there have been delays getting goods into the country and shipped out again. But I have some great yum yum yum for you, so I hope you will stop in soon. I also have a new line of contemporary blenders for you -- a fun modern palette and different designs (check out Figo Elements on our website!). I know it is hard to think about fall when it is hot out, but flannel season will be upon us soon. We restocked our best sellers and have lots of new woven flannels, including some great brights and juvenile colors. And it wouldn't be The Quilt Basket without some great new batiks...

Wishing you all the best. Please stay safe!





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