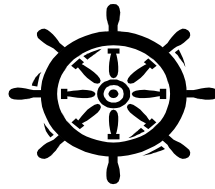




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President's Message

The round robin demo with Chatham was a big success. A big thank you to: Nancy W. for organizing the program, our three members for demonstrating: Bonnie H., Ellen M. and Marlene S. The special events committee, Mary Ann C. and the cookie bakers: Ellen M, Jan C, Lynn O, Mary L and Sandy P. I understand there wasn't a crumb left. Thanks to dee for standing in for me. We have the information on the two children we will be buying Christmas presents for; a girl 7 and a boy 8. Nancy W. and Carol G. volunteered to do the shopping. We will need new committee members for: Out and About, and Demos. We will be setting the tables up around the room for machine sewing and pushing them together in groups of two in the center for hand sewing. Bring projects to the meetings to work on. Please try to attend the social at Chatham on Nov. 9, they will have a nice program and good refreshments for us. Plus our ladies worked hard on the sawtooth square that they will be exchanging with Chatham They need our support. A good attendance on our part lets them KNOW we are interested in getting to know them better. The room will be available for anyone not going to Chatham. On Dec. 7. we will be changing the business meetings to the first Tuesday of the month. Bev

President- Bev Jahn

Vice President-Dee Burns

Secretary /Treasurer-

Teresa Hatfield

Advisors-Cathy Bluemling and

Michele Butson

Committees Chairpersons

Charity Projects - Carol Goldman

Historian- Joyce McKee & Nancy Oberliesen

Newsletter Editor- Nancy Wildzunas

Out and About Committee

Dee Burns, Helen Kumpfmiller

Showcase Committee:

Carol Goldman and Sue Kriek

50/50

Janet Stanley and Marlene Serra

Special Events Committee

**Mary Ann Caggiano, Mary Loux,
Nancy Oberliesen**

Sunshine-Elaine Kent

Nominating Committee

Nancy Wildzunas ,Nancy Oberliesen

Demonstration

**Beth Dombek, Beverly Riley, Mickey
Greco & Mickie Clifford**

Chatham/Lake Miona liaison

Nancy Wildzunas

Guild Representatives

Board meetings Rep

Donna Kudner

Programs-

Joyce Doig

Quilt Show

-Chinese Auction -Rosa Barber,

Boutique- Fran Schieler

Webster

Nancy Wildzunas

November

2010

November 2

Sewing own items
Lunch-Taco Bell
Guild meeting

November 9

At Chatham Social we are to meet there at 9:00 a.m. Our room will be available for ones that do not want to go. Lunch-Steak & Shake

November 16

Voting Vice-President
Grommet Purse Workshop
Lunch-Bob Evans

November 23

Business Meeting
Lunch-Olive Garden

November 30

Christmas tree ornaments using the English Paper Piecing method.
Lunch-TGI Friday's

December 7

Business meeting
Guild Christmas Party
Lunch Too Jay's

November 2010 Events

Guild Meeting November, 2010-7:00 P.M.

Material Girl –Quilt Shop in Apopka, Fl

November 2, 2010-

Do our own projects only 50 days to Christmas

November 9, 2010 – Sister Chapter –Chatham/Lake Miona

Today is the day we go to Chatham to exchange our Sawtooth square.

We will have our Round Robin Patterns available as attachment. Our special event committee did a wonderful job (as usual) for the event. Thanks to Maryann and her committee plus the girls that made homemade cookies.

November 16, 2010 - Demonstration / Workshop

Here are the measurements for the purse: Bag

2 fat quarters

Fabric handles 3/8 yd.

Or ribbon handles :1 3/4 of 1 1/2" to 2 1/2"

Fusible Fleece for fabric handles 1 piece 3" by 41"

Lining 3/8 yd.

Batting 13" x 27"

Bag Bottom = 3 1/2" by 9";cardboard,timtex or PellTex

4 large grommet sets: 1 9/16

Specialty threads and trim for decoration.

Nancy, we can have the pattern copied for 10 cents a page at the front desk; four pages

Using the pattern the purse will measure 10" x 11". Purse pieces are cut 12" square, it can be enlarged if desired.

Nominating Committee-Nancy Oberliesen /Nancy Wildzunas

Ballot given out at meeting

[Voting for Vice President](#)

[Maryann Caggiano](#)

[Janice Collom](#)

November 23 2010

Business meeting

November 5, , 2010

Work on your own project

November 30th

Joyce McKee will show us how to make Christmas tree ornaments using the English Paper Piecing method.

This will provide us another opportunity to sit together, hand sew and chat. Many of you enjoyed making the paper pieced bowls earlier this year and found it enjoyable to sit around the table with other quilters and get to know one another better.

Please bring:

- scraps of Christmas fabrics of small to medium prints
- scissors
- pins
- needle and thread to match your fabric
- white thread for basting (OR fabric glue stick which is optional). Some of you have found that the glue stick works fine.
- 8 inch piece of ribbon for each ornament you intend to make

Paper templates will be provided.

December 7, 2010

Business Meeting

change to 1st Tuesday of the month

Charity project– Carol Goldman

Stockings were taken to Operation shoebox and donated 9 quilts to project Linus.

Quilt Retreat at Lake Yale -dee Burns, Mary Ann Caggiano, Beth Dombek

RETREAT - February 8, 9 and 10, 2011

By now, you all will have received an email that covers all that we have ready for the Retreat. We hope that you are as excited as we are that we were able to get Beth Bender for two mini classes.

We are going to work on the "fun" things and be sure that our unexpected guest is really going to make an appearance. He is very elusive.....

Showcase: Carol Goldman and Sue Kriek

Thanks to Teresa Hatfield , Kathy Lofy and Sue Long for the October display. The girls for November are Lucette Fortier and Donna Kudner. We still need to have someone for January.

Quilting Lil

Can you even believe that it is closing in on the holidays and the end of the year? When you are over the hill time really speeds up on that downhill slope. I'm sure gravity is to blame. Now, I do appreciate that gravity keeps us from flying off the planet but couldn't it just stop at that and not turn my thighs into thankles?

Thanksgiving preparations will begin soon. My own, compared to my mother's are relatively relaxed. She would start preparing and shopping weeks ahead. Having the dubious honor of being the best cook among her siblings, the turkey dinner was usually at our house. Everyone had their favorites and would be disappointed if some special dish wasn't part of the meal. Pickled beets for Uncle Fred, jellied cranberry sauce for cousin Kathryn, minced meat pie for Dad and creamed onions for cousin Bonnie. After we were all grown up Bonnie and her family came to my house for the holiday and I made sure that "her" onions were on the menu. It was comical to see her eyes widen and jaw drop when she saw me drain the jarred onions. Seems she had attempted to match the taste of Aunt Mabel's creamed onions several times and could never achieve that je ne sais quoi. She could have saved herself many tearful hours peeling dozens of those tiny boiling onions with just one phone call to me.

Every now and then my mom would get some cooking tip from a ladies magazine or the newspaper. For a couple of years she tried roasting the turkey wrapped in a brown paper bag. This made my father very nervous. He made a point of making sure that the garden hose was unfrozen, patent and close by the back door. Thankfully he never had to play fireman. Unfortunately, it really had no discernable effect on the taste or tenderness of the bird.

One year I took a notion to sew a table centerpiece. It was a stuffed (as in poly fiberfill) calico turkey. It came out as advertised and would have been a really cute gesture had I been nine except that I was about twenty seven years old when I did it. Gob bless, Mama, she used it and professed to love it then let the baby play with it. He eventually puked on it and rendered it useless for any further table gracing. Just as well. I think my skills at that sort of thing have improved.

So, ladies, be thankful as you make your holiday preparations. Remember all of the traditions of your own families and stay away from the stuffed turkey display at the fabric store! Know that I am thankful for all of you and this Lake Miona Quilting Chapter.

Quilting Lil.

Tips By Robin -Here are the tips for October

1. Only buy fabric you love, because you'll save every scrap. The creativity you'll use to use the scraps up will cause you to think outside the box.

2. When making scrappy quilts make two or three extra blocks in case some blocks don't work out. The extra blocks can be used to add interest to the backing or to make pillows so there is no waste.

3. Commonly found with office supplies , a rubber finger tip works better than a thimble because it grips the needle, which helps reduce hand fatigue.

Janice Collom found a neat web site for Blocks <http://www.quilterscache.com/>

Dues for the coming year 2011

Ladies and Gentleman:

It is time for the yearly dues. They are \$22.00 (10.00 will go to Guild for their dues and quilt show raffle tickets). I will be collecting dues from mid-Sept to last week in November. I will pay our dues to the Guild on the first meeting in Dec. Please send your check and completed membership form to Teresa Hatfield For your information: there are afternoon and evening quilting chapters. Allemande meets at 12:30 in the afternoon and Patchwork Garden meets in the evening at Lake Miona.

Teresa Hatfield

1127 McGee Ave

The Villages Fl 32162

Teresa is having knee surgery Monday, Oct. 25. While she is out she will collect the dues.

Quilt Show Entries

Anyone entering a quilt for the up-coming show must belong to a chapter in 2011.

Guild Programs for 2010 and 2011—Joyce Doig

November - Material Girl - Verbal Agreement

December - Christmas Party—Bev needs count of who is going

2011

January - Leigh McDonald - Adventures in Quilting : Circle Four Patch -

Machine Appliqué: Two techniques will be demonstrated

February - Quilt Show Winners

March - Garage Sale

April - David Taylor –A Pictorial Appliqué done by machine. Contract Pending. He will send updated material by end of the year.

Classes at Oxford Methodist Church Classes \$10.00 pp

NOV.2 MARY SHRA-MACHINE APPLIQUE PART

NOV.16 NANCY CHONG CELTIC KNOT(\$25 FOR THIS CLASS) names will be drawn 2 per chapter

DEC. 7 DALE ANGIONE CHRISTMAS TREE SNIPPETS

JAN,-. NO CLASS

FEB.9,16,23 DOREEN HUNTER MYSTERY QUILT(\$10 EACH SESSION)

Upcoming Events

Look for your Lakeland, Florida Original Sewing & Quilt Expo class program online starting January 6, 2011 – we'll see you there! Change in location for 2011! Original Sewing & Quilt Expo moves inland, to **The Lakeland Center in Lakeland, Florida** on March 17, 18 & 19, 2011.

With all classrooms, exhibit booths, stages and refreshments located on one level, The Lakeland Center puts everything you want to do in easy proximity. No long walks, no stairs or escalators. No parking hassles, either, as the Center's lots surround the building – and there are plenty of spots. The Hyatt Place hotel is conveniently located right next to the Center, and we're getting ready for lots of new classes and features just for you. Mark your calendars, and plan to join us.

If you're looking for something to do between now and then, maybe you'd like to check out **Georgia Quilt Show, taking place in the Atlanta area this October 14, 15 & 16, 2010**. With amazing quilts and plenty of "everything quilt" in classrooms, on stage and in retail booths, if quilting is (or is destined to be) in your life, check it out.

Quilt Show 2011 Boutique–Fran Scheitler

I will be representing Lake Miona Quilters for the boutique items. Let's get busy and make some items to be sold, make a little money and show this community we are creative too. As in the past you will price your items and keep in mind we give the Guild 10% and the State 7%. I have all the information and tags for pricing and marking and will take all the items to the boutique at the designated time. All you have to do is get busy and CREATE.

Boutique Guidelines for the Showcase of Quilts 2011

Allowed items

Any sewn or quilted item. (if the pattern is from a quilt shop, it's allowed)

Quilt kits– must have everything to complete it, except backing. Can be partially completed

Quilt patterns– if it's sold at a quilt shop, it's allowed. No copies and must be complete.

Quilt Books

Quilting Magazines– neatly bundled in group of six and wrapped neatly in both direction with fabric strips. (no Strings) Must be quilting magazines. No catalogs or other fillers.

Used quilting supplies. Such as rulers, cutting boards, hangers, quilt rack, stencils, etc **No fabric**

Not allowed

Sewing machines and sergers

Needlework, hand embroidery, cross-stitch

Knitted or crochet items

Fabric

Any item that is not made by a paid member of the Villages Quilting Guild.

Any Questions, call Judy Porter 259-2461 or Jackie Whitehead 750-5946

DEMOS—Round Robin

CHATHAM

Kay Hasson - Paper Piecing

Barbara Hill - Fun and Done

Loren Gruber - Quilt as you Go

Lake Miona

Ellen Miller-scrape piece belt

Marlene Serra -Fuchsia Flower

Bonnie Harshaw– Table Runner

Patterns provided as attachments with the newsletter.