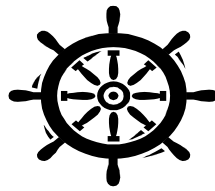




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## President's Message

July has been a busy fun month but August will be a little slower before everyone returns full force in September. Donna Rissman has joined our group and Jody Wyman has withdrawn to pursue other activities. There will be no planned car trip for August At the business meeting we will be voting on the proposed bylaws changes that were sent for you to ponder. The QGOTV now has 824 members. The newest chapters are all filled. Pres. Alice Nicholas has requested a morning and afternoon chapter space at Eisenhower Rec Center when it opens. Chapter space for an afternoon group is also being requested at the Big Cypress Center. Growing too fast!

We have October as a target date for the charity quilts for the group home. If you have signed up to make one and will not be back till later, please send me an email.

Joyce Doig

President- Joyce Doig

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Nancy Wildzunas Bev Jahn

Webster

Nancy Wildzunas

## **Demo for July 23rd. Joint meeting with Mulberry**

At our July 23rd meeting we invited the Mulberry Chapter to be our guests for the morning. Demos were presented by both chapters. Dale Angione from Mulberry showed us how to make a sewing kit carry-all from a placemat and freezer bags. She also showed us portfolio folders and baskets made from strips of fabric and clothesline. Barbara Morse from Mulberry gave a presentation on the benefits of using various internet websites to locate patterns and how to find instructions on various quilting techniques on the internet. The presenters from our Chapter were Ann Boudrot and Marlene Sera. Ann showed us a technique for making multiple half square triangle blocks from just two squares. Marlene showed us how to make a very cute 3-D butterfly block from prairie points. Patterns will be included in the newsletter. We had some beautiful show-and-tell quilts and projects followed by wonderful refreshments provided by our committee. Thanks to everyone who participated in making this a fun, informative meeting.

### **Out and About Committee News:**

#### **Paducah Bus Trip April 2014 -**

Good news - we have 21 people signed up and deposits paid so we will be going ahead with this trip. Seats are still available; we have room for a total of 50.

For detailed information please contact Ann Boudrot at [aboudrot@comcast.net](mailto:aboudrot@comcast.net).

Basic information:

Tour company: Sew Great Tours

4 nights/5 days - Final price is set for double room \$875.

Included in price: Hotels, bus, 7 meals, entrance to Rotary Club Antique Quilt show, Eleanor Burns shop, National Quilt Museum, city tour. Not included: entrance to the AQS Quilt Show - a/c prices vary for members and non-members and those choosing to take classes. Also not included are tips for bus driver and escort and all meals not included as stated above. Travel insurance is available and recommended - contact Ann Boudrot for information. Thank you,

Ann Boudrot

Out & About Committee

#### **Showcase: Carol Goldman and Sue Krieck**

Thanks to Beth Dombek and Bonnie Harshaw for filling the showcase for July. The items will remain in the showcase for the month of August.

Mary Loux and Cathy Bluemling have signed up to fill the showcase for September.

Thanks to everyone for the beautiful displays.

Sue

#### **August Business meeting 50/50 give and take.**

Bring items you no longer can use I am sure someone one else would love it.

**August 6** Think about Christmas start now . Do you own thing . Remember 139 *days*, 0 hours, 51 minutes, 56 seconds till Christmas . Look for that special fabric for a loved one .

**August 13** Do your own thing. Think about Christmas. It is only a few months away

**August 20** Another week to work on your own project

**August 27** Do your own thing

## **Guild meetings for CALENDAR year 2013**

**Guild Meetings.** The Program Committee, chaired by the Guild's Vice President, arranges presentations by guest lecturers, trunk shows and/or special events, such as the annual 'garage sale' of sewing-related articles, and wonderful holiday parties.

*1st Tuesday of every month / Usually starting at 7:00 p.m. / Lincoln Room  
Laurel Manor Regional Recreation Center, 1985 Laurel Manor Drive*

### ***NEWSLETTER ITEM***

**From Beverly Riley, Chapter Program Rep Beth Dombeck for the summer months**

#### **WORKSHOPS – Savannah Center**

The Aug. Guild Meeting will feature "Sew Mini Things" Quilt Shop of Mt Dora. They will do some demos, & show some of their new Fabrics. The 'Lighted Xmas Tree' class price has been reduced to \$48, and there are still openings. Anyone who has already pd \$60 will get a refund of \$12.

#### **The Sept. Guild Meeting.**

One hour before the Meeting our "IN HOUSE TEACHERS" will be showing their projects for possible classes. The Guild Meeting will have "Last Minute Gift Ideas" Demos. We need at least one from our chapter...more would be nice.

See Beth Dombek, who is filling in for Bev Riley our chapter rep., with any questions, suggestions or willingness to do a demo.

### **The Lake Miona Quilters' Annual Retreat 2014**

Just a note to let you know that the Retreat Committee is currently on vacation! A lot of preliminary work has been done and a teacher has been chosen. We'll be back in action in September with our goal of lining up some fun projects and activities, and making this a great retreat! We still have room for one more person. Contact dee Burns for information.

#### **Demo August 20th**

Dee recently introduced me to Doris Woodward, a lovely lady from Mulberry Chapter. Doris is an experienced teacher, long time quilter and will be our guest instructor on August 20th. She will be teaching 'Ruching My Way'. There is a sign-up sheet and the supply list follows:

- a one inch wide piece of plain colored fabric 22"-44" long (NOT on the bias and not dark in color. Plain fabric is recommended for this lesson.)
- a plain background square about 12" for mounting the ruching
- template plastic about 2" wide by 10" long
- craft scissors to cut the plastic (Doris prefers to make her own tool)
- Sharp lead pencil
- sand paper (optional)
- thread and needle to match the material

Join in to learn this method to create beautiful embellishments for your quilts and wall hangings.

## Blotto

In June, Beth Dombek introduced us to a monthly Blotto and this new activity is producing some very creative quilting. Joan McGuigan won the blocks from the June project which were ice cream bar appliqué blocks. Kathy Bluemling organized the July block and there are some very creative flip-flop blocks being completed. For those of you who have not been able to attend recently, this is how it works. The person in charge of the month will collect \$1 from each participant for supplies. The person in charge selects the block to be done, provides the pattern and some of the fabric to be used. Quilters then have one month to finish the block. At the business meeting, the name of one individual who participated will be drawn and that person gets all the completed blocks for that month. What a great start to a quilt!

We are pleased to report that we have someone in charge of the monthly blottos through December. Thanks ladies for volunteering!

August - Beth Dombek and Joyce McKee

September - Nancy Wildzunas

October - Maryann Caggiano

November - Ann Boudrot

December - Teresa Hatfield

## Sister chapter - Captiva

We had a great meeting with Captiva . 21 ladies and Ed were present. It was a full room with both chapters. The Show and Tell was unbelievable. The room was decorated with Red, White and Blue material and we were given squares to show us where to sit. We met and made new quilting friends. The food was very good, but we know that we have great cooks in the villages. Our next joint meeting will be at Lake Miona in November.

Captiva is having a sew- in on Friday Joyce invite them to our sew-in on Saturday.



# August 2013

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Bring your  
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