



Fat Quarter News

Editor's Note: Since volunteering to take on the position of Newsletter Editor, I have been getting an education about publishing software that has put me on a steep learning curve. What's more, the programs I have invested in have

turned out to be incompatible with each other and OCQG website. I am "down to the wire" timewise this month and so I am sending this edition to you so you will have it expediently; next month I should have the Publisher 2013 soft-

ware in place and can finally present a Newsletter worthy of this talented Guild. Thank you for your patience in this matter. And a special thanks to Nan Scott for her patience and support.

~Kathleen

May Guild Meeting

Be sure to attend the Guild's annual May Potluck meeting on May 9 at Noon. **Please** bring your own plate and utensils and a dish to share. As part of the activities we will be honoring guild Members who are 80 years old and older by asking them

to bring a quilt to display. Dorothea Schneider and the Documentation group will be hanging these as a salute to our group history

Also, any donation you care to share (either non-perishable or financial) will enter you in the drawing for the

lovely table centerpieces.

Finally, the **S.A.B.L.E** for May is **PINK**. Bring 1-3 fat quarters in this color for our drawing. Of course we will have our other usual drawings and our Blocks of the Month to pick up and share.



May 2013



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			1 Quilters Safari Shop	2 Hop Hop Continues	3 http://www.quilterssafari.com/	4 Stitch in Time Quilt Show (Eugene)
5	6	7 Quilt Registration 10AM Lincoln City	8	9 Guild Potluck ALC Newport 12:00 Noon Table walk	10	11 Quilt Quest and Documentation (Toledo)
12 Quilt Quest (Toledo)	13	14	15 Quilt Registration 10AM Newport	16 Meetings 10 Board :115 Quilt Show Maritime Museum Newport	17	18
19 Newsletter Deadline	20	21	22	23 Projects Anonymous 10-4 Carriage House Newport	24	25
26	27	28	My Lazy Daisy Open House Mo's Annex Newport May 23rd 6:00 PM Contact Jennifer Reinhart		31 Quilt Registration 10AM Waldport	

Executive Board Meeting Notes April 18, 2013

Call to order: the meeting was called to order by President Jane Szabo at 10:03 AM.

Minutes: A correction was noted: Challenge quilts are due in June, not May. Nan made a motion, seconded by Becky to accept the minutes as corrected.

Treasurer's Report was accepted as submitted. Treasurer was absent due to a family emergency.

OLD BUSINESS:

Advertising Rates: Jean made a motion that the new rate equal ½ of the present advertising rate, with no discount for pre-payment. Motion was seconded by Joan. Unanimous.

Outreach Fund: The fund is \$500.00. Twy suggested a donation to the Waldport High School sewing program with involves about 50 kids. They will continue for one more year and are in need of supplies such as scissors, and also maintenance on the machines. Jean suggested we donate \$300 to the Waldport High School group, \$100 to the Coffee Creek Quilters, and \$100 to the Latimer Quilt Center. Virginia seconded the motion. It will be presented to the general membership at the May meeting for approval.

Thank you. Twy thanked the Guild members for their assistance with the Waldport High School sewing group. Volunteers were MaryLynn Kleeman, Liz Ritchie, Becky Mer-shon, Norma Horn and Ann Stuart. These classes were held 4 days a week for two months.

NEW BUSINESS: NONE **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

BOM: There are still available packets for the June Block of the Month. The last appliqué tip session will possibly be postponed to June.

Challenge: We have 19 participants

for the "Name that Tune" challenge. The quilts are due at the June meeting. Tina McCann has had a quilt juried into the Paducah Quilt Show.

Community Service: Norma has been given 133 "blank" dolls to donate where needed. Kathleen will check with CASA. Joan reported that the pillows for dialysis need to be covers over pillow forms so they can be washed.

Documentation. The next Documentation will be during Quilt Quest in Toledo on Mother's Day weekend. They still need quilts for this documentation. Dorothea reported the Log Cabin Museum will be changed over into a history research area. They are unsure of the future needs of the museum for quilts on loan.

Finance: The Raffle Quilt is at Joann's in Lincoln City until May; it will then go to Quilter's Cottage in Toledo. Heidi will be there both days of Quilt Quest selling raffle tickets. The quilt is then scheduled at other locations until after July in the Newport area.

Hostess: May meeting is a potluck with Table Walk at noon. There will also be an opportunity to donate food and/or money for Food Share. Our members who are 80 years old and older will be honored during the potluck in various ways.

Library: There are many new books donated by Kathleen, some of them of great value.

Membership: We have three new members for a total of 171 members.

Newsletter: Discussion included a concern about the cost of postage to mail out the Newsletter. Kathleen will check with Lazerquick to find a better weight of paper which may reduce the cost of mailings.

Programs/Workshops: Barbara Shapel's presentation was very well-received. There is still space in the Nancy Lee Chong Workshop in June which is a two-day workshop. The committee has begun work on the 2014 workshop/Programs line-up.

Projects Anonymous: Ruth will substitute in April

Publicity: Jean requested information when we have members juried into major shows or who receive special honors.

2014 Raffle Quilt: All blocks have been turned in, and the quilt is coming along nicely. There were 74 participants. Lisa has agreed to quilt the quilt, working within the committee budget. The goal is to have the quilt accepted into the "Road to California" 2014 Show.

Retreat: There are now 43 members signed up. Several workshops are available pre-retreat through the "Stitches in Bloom" Quilt show.

S.A.B.L.E. Bring 1-3 Fat Quarters in PINK colorways for May.

There are still 4-5 spaces available for the workshops during the "Special Project" in September.

The meeting adjourned at 11:25 AM.

Respectfully submitted,
Betty Balhorn

NOTICE

Next month's board meeting will be at the
Maritime Museum
rather than the
Carriage House



Block of the Month Spotlight

Give us a chance to get set up, but we should be 'open for business' no later than 12:00.

	Pieced Pinwheel Party
Turn-in Tilt-a-Whirl	

Since May is our spring Potluck, activities at the BOM table will be limited to turning in blocks, picking up packets for the next month, and picking up friendship pins for your flower pot pin cushions. If you turn in a Pinwheel Party block, don't forget to put your name in for the drawing.

So that we can all enjoy the good food and fellowship, there will NOT be a 'Tip Session' in May. We will resume in June with the last of these sessions when Karen Donobedian will demonstrate the Starch Method of turned under appliqué.

HOW DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW?

I hope all of you are reaching out to members of the guild to get to know them a little better. The Potluck is an excellent opportunity to sit with others outside your normal circle or to introduce yourself and make a new friend. Although 'Tip Session' participants were given a pin cushion for collecting the flower pins, ALL guild members are encouraged to be friendly and hospitable. Pick up a flower pin at the BOM table to remind you of that new acquaintance and then watch your garden grow!

Jean Amundson (pieced) and Nan Scott (appliquéd)

Annual Guild Retreat January 26-29, 2014

The Oregon Garden Resort is located in historic Silverton, Oregon just 100 miles from Newport and in the midst of the beautiful Oregon Garden. We will have over 3200 square feet of sewing space in the ballroom, a separate room to accommodate round tables for our catered meals, and comfortable couches and chairs in excellent daylight lighting in the lounge for appliquers or just for visiting. Upscale guest rooms include comfortable queen or king size beds and a gas fireplace plus a private landscaped patio or deck.

The resort is in the middle of 11 acres of beautiful garden grounds with paths for easy strolling. You also have free admission to the Oregon Garden, a spectacular 80 acre botanical garden. A hot tub is available for relaxation and a full-service day spa can provide a place to unwind with a relaxing massage. If fabric shopping is on your mind, Greenbaum's and other Salem stores are only 14 miles away.

The hot breakfast buffet is served every morning until 10:00 so you can make your own schedule. Dinners of Northwest cuisine will be catered in our own private space and afternoon snacks will be served in the ballroom. Still hungry? The full service restaurant is right down the hall or a short drive into Silverton offers dozens of choices.

Your retreat fee includes admission to the Stitches in Bloom Quilt Show! The show has been extended through Sunday, the first day of our retreat, so come early and take in the show. The featured quilter will be textile artist, Lura Schwarz Smith. Check in time to our rooms is at 3:00, but you can leave your things in the ballroom and have plenty of time to enjoy the show if you wish.

This time of year we will practically have the place to ourselves.



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Deposits are due by the August meeting at which time non guild members may sign up to fill a maximum of 60 spaces. So far 43 members have signed up and 5 non-members are on the waiting list.

DON'T DELAY!

Quilt Show News

The deadline for special group displays is approaching. Please notify the Quilt Show committee if you have quilts you wish to have hung as a group. We have, for example, the Bandon Challenge, the Song Title Challenge, and possibly quilts from the Waldport High School Class Quilt show. If there are additional groups, please let the Quilt Show Committee know.

There is a change in the Quilt Registrar: Direct all questions to **Joan Johnson**.

Please bring grab bag items to the meetings. We will be collecting there.

We are also seeking someone to house the Quilt Judge. This is for Tuesday and Wednesday the week of the Quilt show. Please contact Pat Laub if you are able to provide a place for her to stay.

If you have ANY questions about the Quilt Show, Contact Jackie, Wilma, or Julie

Sponsored Ribbons

The Sponsored Ribbons are given in addition to our regular categories. Members can create their own category or theme award and then choose the quilt that wins this award (not your own or a family member). Often these are more highly prized than the ribbons given by the judges!

The cost to create an award is \$10. The sponsors will then select their winners after the quilt

hanging on Thursday, Aug. 1 or Friday, Aug 2 between 9AM and 12PM.

Some ideas for categories include Best Child's Quilt, Best Patriotic, Best Use of Batiks, Pure Joy, Best Border, Finest Quilting (Hand or Machine), Best First Quilt, etc.

The deadline for sponsoring these awards is the June meeting. Please see Paulette Stenberg or Karen Oetjen at the next meeting to create your Special Ribbon.



Wilma and Nan will be at the following locations (10:00 AM) to help with on-line quilt registration and to take pictures of your entries.

May 7—Lincoln City Senior Center

May 15—Newport Senior Center

May 31—Bayshore in Waldport



On-line registration is convenient and easy. You will find the link right on the Guild website home page:
<http://www.oregoncoastalquilters.org>



**Tina McCann
Wins 2nd Place
at Paducah!**

Waldport High School Quilt Show

Waldport High School students (under the direction of Rose Burbee and her faithful assistants, Guild Members, Marylynn Kleeman, Becky Mershon, Norma Horn, Ann Stuart and Liz Richie) held their own Quilt show on Wednesday, April 3, at 4:30 PM. For two months these students worked on their projects made with both purchased and donated fabric. All during that time, OCQG members donated their time and expertise to help.

We have remarkably talented and generous guild members who are helping to create the Future Quilters of our community. You are appreciated for all you do—whether it is at WHS, in the Community Quilts, serving in the various responsibilities that make our Guild “go,” preparing and presenting the annual Quilt Show, or serving as a Board member—as well as for sharing your talents during Show-and-Share and Classes. Here’s a quick **SHOUT OUT** to all our members who make our local Quilting World such a special place to be!

Community Quilts Information

Community Service coordinates all OCQG community service and charity activities for the Guild. The committee chair is Norma Horn. We donate many quilts, pet beds, and pillows during the year.

We now only accept completed quilts as tops create too much of a backlog before we can distribute them. When you complete a quilt top for Community Service, the guild will pay the Wal-mart price for batting used in the quilt. Making these quilts is a great project for friends to complete a quilt together to donate.

April's first Thursday was a very productive day. We made kits to distribute at Guild Meeting, stuffed, pillows for the hospital and made pet beds for the Animal Shelter.

Our next work/play day is **Thursday, May 2 at Quilter's Cottage (333 N. Main St., Toledo) from 10 AM to 3 PM.** Bring your lunch or eat at a local restaurant. Sewing machines are optional as someone can always iron or cut fabric. Give Norma Horn (541-563-7093) a call if you have any questions about the Community Quilts Committee or its activities.

...just a reminder...

The **Nancy Lee Chong Hawaiian Quilt Workshop** is coming up in June. When she came last year, we had such a long waiting list for her class, we invited her to return and she agreed. Now there are only a couple more spaces available in the two-day workshop and we need to fill them. If you have ever thought about trying appliqué and have been frightened by the process, Nancy's class is the one to take. Not only are Hawaiian quilts "friendlier" than

More Upcoming Documentation Dates

If you have quilts to be documented, call Dorothea Schneider at 541-563-3359 or Twy Hoch (541-563-3899). Upcoming dates and places include the following:

MAY 11

9:30 AM – 3:30 PM

Toledo Quilts Quest –
place to be announced

September 28

9:30 AM – 3:30 PM

Newport Museum

October 26

9:30 AM - 3:30 PM

Newport Museum

Be sure you always document your own work by putting your name, city of residence, quilt title, size of quilt and name of quilter on the backs of your quilts!

April Drawing & Prize Winners

SABLE: Twy Hoch, Marilyn Pratt and Joan Johnson

Nifty Notions: Jenny Snyder Sue Clark

Quilt Blocks: Janet Baldwin, Nan Scott



Guild Advertising

Just a reminder: the Executive Board voted at the March meeting to enact a new advertising policy for the Newsletter starting with the June issue of *Fat Quarter News*:

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