

# MAY 2008

## Message from the President

As I write this, I do believe that spring is finally springing! I saw my first daffodils sprouting along my driveway on March 16 - of course the tips are yellowed from freezing so many times since then - but I look forward to seeing them in bloom before I next write in May.

Happily we do have a nominating committee. Pat Slack, Ellie Murphy and Andrea Blaisdell agreed without any arm-twisting. And I hope if they contact you to serve in one way or another that you will take the time to consider it before automatically saying no. Some new thoughts from new people are always good.

I thank everyone who is paperpiecing some blocks for the raffle quilt. A few people have called me with questions which I hope I answered clearly. Remember - please DO NOT sew the 6 inch squares into 12 inch blocks. We will mix everybody's squares up and do that at the workshop at Sterling View Community Center on April 30, 900 - 300. If you are unable to be there, please give your blocks to someone who will be, so that we can see how many 12 inch blocks we end up with and how many more we will need.

This month as I walk out my driveway I will be looking for the spring beauties and addertongues poking through the dead leaves; maybe a hepatica or two also. But I won't count them like I do my daffodils!

Until next month -

Sally



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Common Threads  
Quilt Guild  
meets the first Thursday  
of every month  
at 6:30 PM at the  
Sterling View Club House  
in Hyde Park  
Dues are \$15 annually

# Secretary's Report

April 7, 2015

Call to order at 6:40pm

Fabric and some notions available, it all came from Madeline Hooper

1 guest- Lucy Calender, 1 new member- Joanne Tallman, 4 birthdays

Drawings for Just for coming- Lila Fisher

Food Shelf- Sheila Cross

**Secretary's report-** motion to accept by Andrea, seconded by Donna, passed

**Treasurer's report-**Rita gave an update, motion to accept by Donna, seconded by Hilda, passed

**Newsletter-**Two people had trouble receiving the newsletter, Julie will correct the issue

**Sunshine cards-**Anita Morris was sent one as she was in the hospital and Phyllis Fletcher received one as her husband passed away; we also will send a \$25 contribution to Home Health- Pat made the motion and Carol Moulton seconded it.

**Membership-** updated membership list is on the website.

## Recurring Business

Charity Quilt Workshops- We will have had a workshop on April 16 9am to 3pm at The Community Center at Sterling View

Sunshine Quilts- Marion was not at the meeting, Andrea took care of the kits and returns for her

Quilt Show Committee- an update later

Helpful hints- if you have an interesting hint, please bring in and share

The Library Cabinet- Jan and Sally have the key and can get it to you if you would like to peruse the library or know of a book you would like to borrow

## Old Business

Cookbooks are still available on sale for \$5.

Raffle Quilt- We will be having a workshop for the raffle quilt April 30 at Sterling View Community Center 9am-3pm. We will need 25- 32 12 inch squares. Sally has brought in the fabric and the patterns for the squares. When you make the squares leave them at the 6 inch square and at the workshop the blocks will be rearranged and sewn together.

The Quilt show- Cindy has the show book with information on the tickets information.

## New Business

It is time again for a nominating committee to be appointed, look for a call from Sally.

Marion has a design board for sale, we may borrow for the raffle quilt workshop.

A discussion began about the companions to the raffle quilt, do we make a lap quilt and a table runner or not. In the first years, there was only a quilt.

We discussed the fabric and notions brought by Donna from Madeline. Any leftovers will be taken to Second Chance and leftovers from there will be sent to the Philippines.

Sew and Tell

(7:15pm)Program- Andrea showed how to paper piece. If you have ideas for a program let Andrea know. She did ask tonight and was given some ideas.

Adjourned at 7:40pm

Submitted by Rhonda Griswold

## Calendar

April 30<sup>th</sup> Raffle Quilt Workshop  
9AM - 3PM  
Sterling View Clubhouse  
Bring your squares & lunch!

May 5<sup>th</sup> Regular Business Meeting  
6:30 PM  
Sterling View Clubhouse

## Raffle Quilt

Sally Cabell picked a lovely pattern for our new raffle quilt. Members attending the April meeting picked up paper-piecing foundations and background fabric to add to their own scraps for 6" squares.

For those helping by making these squares:

Sew the 6" blocks using 12-18 stitches per inch

Do Not remove the paper

Do Not sew the 6" blocks into 12" blocks  
(The various blocks will be randomized at the workshop)

Bring your squares to the workshop April 30th or give them to someone who is attending.

Everyone is welcome at the workshop on April 30th to help put the quilt top together.



### Happy Birthday to:

Julie Rohleder  
Ginny Moody  
Kay Courson

May 7th  
May 18th  
May 20th

### Food Shelf Wish List

(Straight from the Food Shelf)

Canned Spaghetti Sauce	Toothpaste
Canned Fruit	Toothbrushes
Canned Vegetables	(for children, too!)
Macaroni & Cheese	Soap
Canned Pasta	Shampoo
Soup	Coffee
Cereal	Healthy Snacks
Tuna	Laundry Detergent
Personal Items for Women	Dish Detergent

## Treasurer's Report

Cash forward March 17, 2016			<b>\$4,809.74</b>
Deposits:			
4/9/16	Deposit - Membership \$45.00, cook book \$5.00		\$ 50.00
	<b>Total Revenue</b>		<b>\$4,859.74</b>
Expenses			
	Ck. #		
4/5/16	376	Town of Craftsbury (Antiques & Uniques fee)	\$ 50.00
"	377	Acadia Insurance (liability Ins. Annual fee)	\$ 496.00
4/7/16	378	Julie Rohleder (newsletter)	\$ 12.66
4/11/16	379	Lamoille Home Health (in memory Phyllis Fletcher's husband)	\$ 25.00
	<b>Total Expenses</b> .....		<b>\$ 583.66</b>
		<b>Cash Balance April 12, 2016</b>	<b>\$4,276.08</b>

Rita Lehouillier



*Next Meeting: May 5, 2016*

*Two things to remember:*

- 1. Show and Tell*
- 2. Food for the Food Shelf*

*April 30th - Raffle Quilt Squares to Sterling View for  
the Workshop*