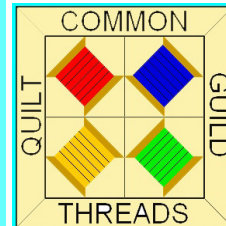


# Common Threads Quilt Guild

## August 2013



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Guild meetings are the 1st  
Thursday of the month at  
Sterling View Clubhouse  
at 6:30 PM

## From the President

.Hello Ladies,

It was great to see so many new faces at the last meeting. My Niece was so excited to be there and she decided she wants to join us and learn how to make quilts. She came home with me after and picked out fabric and designed a small quilt for her teddy bear. She really liked all the bags that everyone brought. There were a lot of great patterns represented. Thank you Sheila and Hilda.

The annual Antiques and Uniques festival was this past Saturday and it was a great day. We sold a lot of tickets and we also got a lot of compliments on the quilts. Thank you to Mom, Pat and Cormetia, Lois and Edna, and Robin Wright for your help selling tickets and breaking down. I think we all did a great job and hopefully found some neat "uniques".

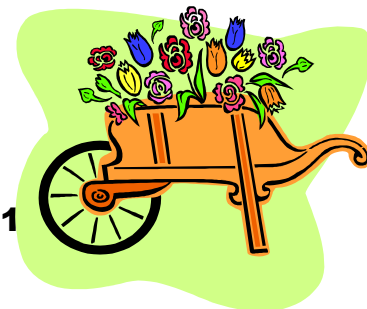
I hope to see you all at the pot luck August 1 @ 6:30 and don't forget to bring your recipes for the cookbook.

Stay cool everyone,

*Andrea Blaisdell*

## Treasurer's Report

June 15, 2013 - July 15, 2013



## Income

**Cash Forward 6/15/13**

**\$1825.19**

## Deposits:

**6/20/13 Quilt Raffle**

**\$200.00**

**7/15/13 Quilt Raffle**

**\$50.00**

**Total Income**

**\$2075.19**

## Expenses

**7/11/13 Ck #239 Mary Dick (newsletter)**

**\$9.54**

**7/11/13 Ck #240 Sharon Perry (4 library bks**

**\$36.90**

**\$19.92 PHD \$16.98)**

**Total Expenses**

**\$46.44**

**Cash Balance July 15, 2013**

**\$2028.75**

*Rita Lehouillier* Treasurer

## Secretary's Report

July 11, 2013



There were 40 people in attendance, 5 of which were guests.

There were 7 birthdays in July

Drawings - Just for Coming: Carol Moulton Food Shelf: Mary Dick

Secretary's report read by Rhonda Griswold. Motion to accept Sharon Perry and seconded by Annie Morgan. All in favor.

Treasurer's report - one correction of a check number. Second ck # 237 should have been # 238. Since the last report we gained \$200 in raffle money and raffle so far \$1164 will have been deposited. Accept the treasurer's report - Annie Morgan and seconded by Sharon Perry. All in favor to accept.

Newsletter - Mary Dick reported no new news and no questions were asked. Some hard copies are available tonight.

Sunshine cards: 1 to Janet Thinking of you; Birthday card to Helen Scanlon and a get well card to Flo.

Martha Corey will be collecting any raffle ticket money and quilt tops for Marion.

No new memberships.

Old business:

PhD Challenge won by Rhonda Griswold

Sunshine Quilt: no news.

Quilt Show: committee members will meet July 24 at Johnson Town Clerk's Office. by August 1 meeting the registration forms will be needed. Photos (in case of a lost quilt) will be needed for the quilts by show time.

Boutique forms can be requested from Martha Corey and are needed by August 1 meeting as well.

Cancer Walk update: Rita reported we made \$210 in quilt money (4 quilts). \$1,483 was collected and donated to LACiNg UP.

Antiques and Uniques is on Sat July 13 in Craftsbury. Andrea will set up the tent and bring a few quilts to sell.

She passed a sign-up sheet for coverage. We will show the raffle quilt, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd prize as well.

Historical Committee was passed onto Rhonda Griswold once it has been caught up.

New Business:

Pot Luck will be at our next meeting August 1 at 6:30. Bring a dish to share and provide the recipe to Mary Dick for the cookbook. Pot Luck committee please be at the Club House by 5:45.

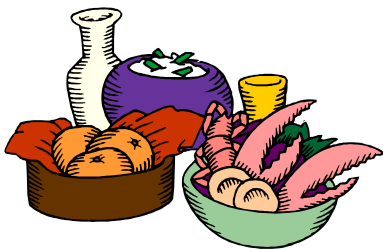
Cookbook: Mary Dick is coordinating. We still need more recipes. We have 146. Morris Press will be publishing the book. If we get all the recipes to them by August 15, we can have the books by the Quilt Show.

Mary asked for a committee to collect and type up the recipes. Rita Lehouillier, Aline Sweet, Anne Harmon, and Julie Rholeder volunteered. They will meet at Mary Dick's on Tuesday, July 16 at 11:30. If you have recipes for drinks, punch, appetizers, dips, bread, rolls, desserts (there are plenty of cakes) and vegetable side dishes, sent the recipes to Mary Dick POBox 937 Morrisville, VT 05661 or call 888.4250 or email at marydick3@yahoo.com.

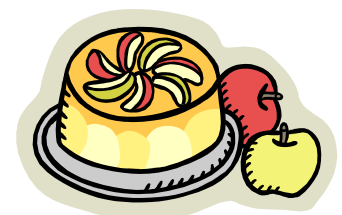
It was noted that Mary Ellen Hopkins has passed away.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:55.

*Rhonda Griswold Secretary*



# August is our

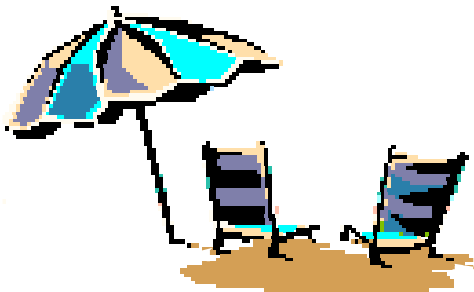


# POTLUCK

## Quilt Show News

Because of another big meeting at the Johnson Town Hall on Wednesday, July 24th, it has been decided to change our monthly quilt show meeting to **Wednesday, August 7th at 6:30 at the Johnson Town Hall.**

We will have all the registrations in by then and we hope as many of you as possible will be able to come.

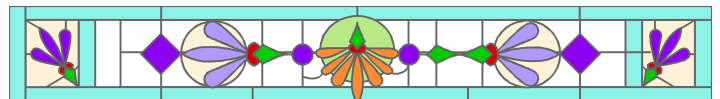


## ITEMS NEEDED FOR SILENT AUCTION

Time is flying by, and there are only 2 months left before this year's quilt show. Sharon Perry is once again coordinating the Silent Auction for the 2013 quilt show, and she's looking for donations of quilted items to make the auction another success this year. After seeing all the beautiful bags and totes which members have made, maybe a few of those bags or similar ones could be donated to the silent auction.

Sharon needs a variety of items ranging in size and value such as wall-hangings, quilted placemats and matching napkins, quilted tote bags, quilted pillows, table toppers, tree skirts and other similar items. Seasonal items are always winners...think of all those leaf peepers looking for beautiful and unique souvenirs to take back home from Vermont. What could be more beautiful and unique than a "quilt" made by a Vermont quilter!

If you'd like to donate an item or two, please bring your donation(s) to the August or September meeting. If you have any questions, please contact Sharon at [vtquilter@gmail.com](mailto:vtquilter@gmail.com) or 802-326-3135.



## Happy Birthday to these August Babies

Cindy Smorgans	August 2
Ruth Wesolow	August 7
Linda McGraw	August 9
Janet Vaupel	August 11
Caroline Hitchcock	August 30
Robin Wright	August 30
Barb Scribner	August 31





Please bring your  
sold ticket stubs and \$  
to the next meeting.

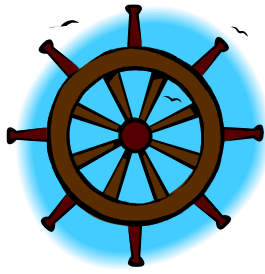
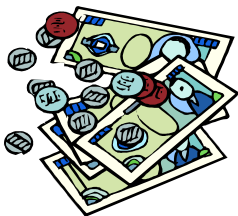
There are many more  
available to sell!

Contact Marion at  
645-2731 or

marion@windsedgestudio.com

if you need more tickets.

There will be tickets  
available at the meeting.



## QUILT SHOW CHALLENGE

### STARS AT SEA

This years Challenge - to commemorate the 101st anniversary of the sinking of the Titanic on a cold, clear, star-studded April night in 1912 - has a marine and/or nautical theme.

The Requirements are the following:

1, The piece shall be between 10 and 20 inches square, rectangular, [or round, Sally!].

2, It shall have a marine and/or nautical theme: This includes everything beneath the sea to what rises upon the sea and anything related.

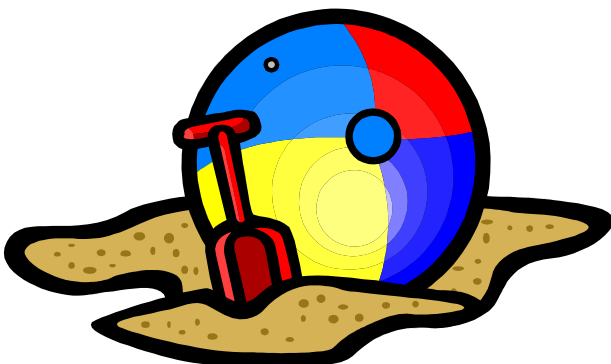
3, A star or stars must appear some place in the piece, even if just in one of the fabrics.

4, And a negative requirement: no pieced sailboats!

If you have any questions, please call me at 326-4013

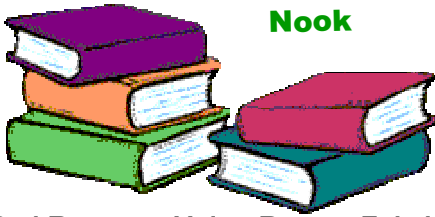
I wish you all "a calm sea and prosperous voyage!"

*Carolyn Babcock*



**REMEMBER  
TO BRING  
ITEMS  
FOR THE  
FOOD  
SHELF**

## The Book Nook



## FEATURED THIS MONTH: BOOKS WITH PATTERNS FOR PRECUTS.

The guild's library holdings stand at 343 books. In reviewing the holdings, there are 9 books with patterns for precut fabric such as charm packs and jelly rolls. Those books are: **Another Can of Worms** by Debbie Caffrey;

**Bed Runners Using Precut Fabrics** and **Strip-Smart Quilts" 16 Designs from One Easy Technique** by Kathy Brown; **Charm School Too!** by Jeree McDade; **Jelly Roll Quilt Magic** by Kimberly Einmo; and **Jelly Roll Sampler Quilts, More Layer Cake, Jelly roll & charm Quilts,** and **Two From One Jelly Roll Quilts** by Pam and Nicky Lintott.

For those with internet access, you can peruse the library list in the comfort of your own home. the list can be found at <http://www.commonthreadsvt.org/ctqglibrary.html>. There are instructions on the web page to use the "find" function if you're looking for a specific book title or a specific author. Each book listing also includes a brief description of the book's contents such as wool appliqué, bags & totes, piecing, reference, etc.

If you'd like to "check out" any of the guild's library books, please contact Sharon Perry at 326-3135 or email [vtquilter@gmail.com](mailto:vtquilter@gmail.com) to let her know which book(s) you'd like. She'll bring them to the next guild meeting or make arrangements to get them to you.



## Program for August Meeting

August is the Pot Luck, Sew and Tell and PhD's.  
Bring your dish with your recipe.

For September Sharon will be demonstrating Jenny  
Doan's method for making a braided table runner.



## FINISH YOUR PHD IN 2013 CHALLENGE

There's only 5 months left in the Finish Your PhD in 2013 Challenge! At the July meeting, 7 guild members completed and showed 9 PhDs bringing the total PhDs completer to 86 for 2013. Of the original 15 members who signed up, 8 guild members remain eligible for the grand prize drawing in December. Keep up the good work! Rhonda Griswold won the July prize.

Remember, this challenge is all about finishing some of your Projects Half Done, having some fun along the way and possibly winning some neat prizes!!!

If you have sold raffle tickets or have Sunshine Quilt kits to return at the August meeting please give them to Martha Corey. I won't be able to attend this meeting. If you would like more raffle tickets please send me an email or give me a call and I will send them to the meetings, or we can meet somewhere. Thank you,

Marion 645-2731

[marion@windsedgestudio.com](mailto:marion@windsedgestudio.com)



## Cookbook

As most of you know, we're planning a  
**cookbook**  
and hope to have it ready to sell at the  
**Quilt Show in October.**

We already have quite a lot of recipes  
but we can use more.

We can use recipes for  
drinks; (punches, alcoholic or non)  
hot or cold.  
appetizers  
rolls and breads  
desserts  
candies  
vegetables  
and side dishes.

Please email your recipes to  
**[marydick3@yahoo.com](mailto:marydick3@yahoo.com)** or snail mail to

**Mary Dick**

**PO Box 937**

**Morrisville, VT 05661**

or bring them to the August meeting.

We need to have everything to the  
publisher by August 9th in order to have  
the books in our hands by September 27th.

**Thanks in advance for your help.**



**NEXT  
MEETING  
AUGUST 1  
AT  
6:30 PM**

