

# September 2010

## Message from the President

Hi there,

It is early on Sunday morning and I am sitting on the porch of my daughter's log cabin enjoying a cup of coffee and the peace and quiet. Joining me are: Pete and Lyle, Belgian Draft Horses, Tommy, a Clydesdale mix, Levi and Emma, Whiteface steer, Hazel, a 16 year old,(plus or minus), sheep and Lucky, the chicken who loves beer and carrots! I guess this is my version of Sunday worship!

There have been many bumps in the road but I think Frank is showing improvement. We are not able to come home yet and that is difficult for both of us. We miss Vermont and I miss all of you.

Andrea keeps me posted on the Quild news and I can't thank her enough for all her help.

Take care, *Kathy Krypel*

Hello everyone,

I hope you all enjoyed the program last month about pincushions. I have always been interested in the different forms and functions of old fashioned tools. I am working out the details of having Sandra Palmer visit our Oct. meeting and giving us some tips on how an appraiser values quilts. So get those quilts out of the cedar chests and attics and see what they are worth. I will have all the info at the next mtg. Well, I hope everyone has been enjoying the great summer weather we have had.

Stay well, *Andrea Blaisdell*



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Block of the Month  
**Barbara O'Toole**

Common Threads  
Quilt Guild  
meets the first Thursday of  
every month  
at 7:00 PM at the  
Sterling View Club House  
in Hyde Park  
Dues are \$15 annually

# Treasurer's Report

July 14, 2010 to August 13, 2010

## INCOME

<b>Income:</b>	Cash Forward		\$ 4,584.74
	Quilt Raffle		280.00
	<b>Total Income</b>		<b>\$ 4,864.74</b>
<b>Expenses:</b>			
	8/5/10 Ck. #445	Julie Rohleder (newsletter)	\$ 37.26
	8/5/10 Ck. #446	Carol Moulton (winner Charity Quilt drawing)	\$ 10.00
		<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$ 47.26</b>
		Cash Balance August 13, 2010	\$ 4,817.48
		<b>Update 8/5/10: Funds Raised from Cancer Walk</b>	<b>\$1,770.</b>

Respectfully Submitted, *Rita Lehouillier*

# Secretary's Report

On August 5, 2010 the Common Threads Quilt Guild met at Sterling View with 43 members present. Motion was made by Phyllis Fletcher to accept the Secretaries report seconded by Annie Morgan. Carm Williams won "Just for Coming" and Robin Genetti for "Canned Goods"

Connie Page will be showing her quilts Tuesday from 10-12 noon at the Hyde Park Library.

Anita reported that Elizabeth Dowl of Hardwick donated fabric for Sunshine quilts. Also that 2 quilts were given to Lamoille Food Share and 8 quilts are hanging at the Berlin Convalescent Center. A family of three from Lowell will be getting quilts

Drawing for the \$10.00 prize was won by Carol Moulton.

Membership to date is 88

Purchasing a pop-up canopy was discussed. We are looking for a 10'X10' with sides. Marion Seasholtz will get information for us.

The raffle quilt has been to the Fourth of July festivities and Antique and Uniques. Barb O'Toole has the quilt and rack so if you can take it to sell tickets somewhere please contact her.

Phyllis presented a "Round Robin" as the next "Block of the Month" but most were interested in doing it in January so in September we will do a Bow Tie Block 8 ½ " To finish 8" with off white background.

Andrea has suggested that for October Sandra Palmer from Woodstock, Vermont who is a Certified Appraiser of quilts is available for a Thursday evening lecture and on Friday will make appointments to appraise your quilt. The cost is \$40.00. per quilt.

The Christmas Challenge is going to be a table runner. A motion was made by Annie that the guild purchase fat quarters, seconded by Phyllis

Respectfully Submitted, *Ruth Weselov*, Secretary

# Calendar

Sep 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Regular Guild Meeting, 7PM Sterling View Clubhouse Civil War Quilts & Fabrics Net Tie Purse Demonstration
Oct 7 <sup>th</sup>	Regular Guild Meeting, 7PM Sterling View Clubhouse
Oct 15 <sup>th</sup>	Sunshine Quilts Workday Sterling View Clubhouse Sandra Palmer - Having Your Quilt Appraised

## SEPTEMBER PROGRAM

### CIVIL WAR QUILTS PLUS HANDBAGS

Carolyn Babcock will give a presentation on Civil War era quilts and fabrics.  
In addition, Sue Gilbert will give a mini-demonstration of the Net Tie handbag she brought to the July Show & Tell.

### OCTOBER – QUILT APPRAISALS

Sandra Palmer will be coming to explain quilt appraisals and how to prepare your quilt to be appraised. If enough members would like to have quilts appraised, she will do them on Friday on an appointment basis. See information on the center page for more about this.

## SUNSHINE QUILT WORK DAY PLANNED FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15<sup>TH</sup>

The Sunshine Quilt Committee will have a big pile of quilts layered, pinned, and ready to be sewn together on Fri., Oct. 15<sup>th</sup>, at the Sterling View Community Center, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Bring your sewing machines and lunch, and we will see if we can complete a good number of quilts for nursing homes, Out and About, Home Health and Hospice, Meals on Wheels, fire victims and others who might need our attention. In addition to the sewing, people are needed to tie the quilts, sew on labels, to turn quilts and pin for top stitching around the edges.

Hope to see you on the 15<sup>th</sup>! Please circle the date on your calendar and come for the day or however much time you can schedule.

Thanks in advance,

Elaine Foster                      Joyce LaRow  
Anita Robert                      Barbara Scribner

*Happy Birthday to:*



*Anne Gallo  
Elaine Foster  
Martha Corey  
Pat Slack  
Jane Langdell  
& Mary Jo Williams  
Robin Genetti  
Pat Shonio*

*September 4<sup>th</sup>  
September 8<sup>th</sup>  
September 18<sup>th</sup>  
September 26<sup>th</sup>  
September 27<sup>th</sup>  
  
September 29<sup>th</sup>  
September 30<sup>th</sup>*

## Common Threads Quilt Guild Membership Form



Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ (ex. May 7)

Dues: \$15 renewals, new members joining Sept – Jan  
 \$8 new members joining Feb – Aug

Please complete this form and bring it to the September meeting with your dues.



*Next Meeting: September 2<sup>nd</sup>*

*Things to remember:*

- 1. Bring your membership form and dues*
- 2. Bring a canned item for the food shelf*
- 3. Bring recipes for the cookbook*
- 4. Bring your Show & Tell!*

## **SEPTEMBER BLOCK OF THE MONTH**

Make an 8" Bow-Tie quilt block, (8 ½" unfinished) using any color for the bow-tie and an off-white background. The blocks will become Sunshine Quilts.

### **ROUND ROBIN**

Phyllis Fletcher has proposed doing a Round Robin for the Block of the Month. After a discussion at the August meeting, January was selected for a starting date. There will be more discussion at future meetings, with information to follow in the newsletter.

## **PROGRAMS**

### **SEPTEMBER – QUILT APPRAISALS**

Sandra Palmer will be coming to talk about appraising quilts. She is an American Quilting Society (AQS) certified appraiser. At the Thursday meeting, she will give information about having quilts appraised. She will also appraise quilts on Friday if we have enough interest from Guild members. The fee will be just \$40, and she'll donate 10% to the Guild. For this you get a written appraisal that can be used for insurance purposes. She will be able to do 16 quilts, taking 30 minutes for each. Appointments will be set up, so no waiting! You can have a new or old quilt, of any size, appraised.

### **NOVEMBER – WORKSHOP FOR HELEN DAY CHRISTMAS TREE**

This year's theme for the Helen Day Art Center Christmas Tree exhibit is "An Old Fashioned Christmas." The November meeting will include a workshop to string popcorn and cranberries for the Guild's tree. We have an 8 foot tree to cover, so bring your thimbles!

### **DECEMBER – POTLUCK, CHRISTMAS CHALLENGE**

This year's Christmas Challenge will be a table runner or table topper. Fabric will be supplied to get you started. Look for more information at the next few meetings and in future newsletters.

## **2011 QUILT SHOW**

The next quilt show will be on Columbus Day weekend, October 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>, 2011. You still have a year to get your entries ready! Gwendy at Notch Above Tours has also indicated a willingness to add our show as a stop on some of the tours they take through the area that weekend!

### **Anagram Answers**

1. Nine Patch 2. Rail Fence 3. Churn Dash 4. Kansas Troubles 5. Broken Dishes 6. Double Wedding Ring 7. Log Cabin 8. Tree of Life 9. Pie Tree 10. Monkeywrench

## Food Shelf Wish List

(Straight from the Food Shelf)

Spaghetti Sauce	Toothpaste
Canned Fruit	Toothbrushes
Soup	(for children, too!)
Canned Vegetables	
Soap	Baked Beans / Bean Soup
Shampoo	Peanut Butter
Tuna	Macaroni & Cheese
Cereal	Brown or White Rice
Noodles	Toilet Paper (pre-wrapped)
Oatmeal	Noodle Soups
Whole-wheat flour	Quick Bread or Muffin Mix
Shredded Wheat	Barley
Cream of Wheat	Mustard / Ketchup
Cornmeal	Granola
Pretzels	Pancake Mix
Dried Milk	Biscuit Mix
Crackers	Rice Pilaf
100% Juices	Raisins or Peanuts
Baby Food	Canned Tomatoes
Tomato Paste	

## QUILT BLOCK ANAGRAMS

1. Then panic
2. Nice flare
3. Crush hand
4. Broken assaults
5. Snob shrieked
6. Wrong building deed
7. Logic ban
8. Fertile foe
9. Enter pie
10. Reckon why men

**C** F O U R P A T C H J N T P  
O R K I R I S H C H A I N A  
U I M A A L R G T L C A P S  
R E A T I H G S H O O F L Y  
T N P S L N S S H G B T Y D  
H D L E F R R T S C S K O P  
O S E L E P L I O A L A L N  
U H L A N A D H P B A N A D  
S I E A C C P I I I D S N N  
E P A I E C H U R N D A S H  
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E A A N A N I N E P A T C H  
P R A T I E T O E G E A E D  
S A W T O O T H S T A R T T

### Quilter's Word Search

Churn Dash  
Courthouse Steps  
Flying Geese  
Fourpatch  
Friendship Star  
Irish Chain  
Jacobs Ladder  
Kansas Star  
Log Cabin  
Maple Leaf  
Nine Patch  
Ohio Star  
Rail Fence  
Sawtooth Star  
Shoofly

