

September 2014

Message from the President

Hi ladies,

Well summer is fast coming to a close. I already see a red tree on the mountain. I hope you have accomplished more quilting than I have. Would not take much to do that. I am looking forward to our September Trunk show and classes. Always fun to learn new techniques. Thanks to Andrea for getting things all set up and to Marion for hosting our guest. It looks to be a really fun couple of days. See you all in September.

Happily quilting,

Pat Slack, President



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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

Treasurer's Report

July 12, 2014 - August 17,
2014

Cash forward	July 12, 2014	\$4,967.08
Deposits:		
7/7/2014	Workshop classes	\$ 72.00
8/1/14	From Antiques & Uniques Cookbooks	\$ 60.00
"	" " " " Sale of Charity Quilts	\$ 330.00
"	T-shirts	\$ 50.25
08/08/14	Membership \$15.00; Tea-cup Auction \$83.00	<u>\$ 98.00</u>
Total Revenue		\$5,577.33
Expenses		
	Ck. #	
8/7/14	#297 Mary Dick (Newsletter)	\$ 25.41
"	#298 Sharon Perry (Library books)	<u>\$ 24.40</u>
Total Expenses		
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Cash Balance Aug. 17, 2014		\$5,527.52

Submitted by *Rita Lehoullier*

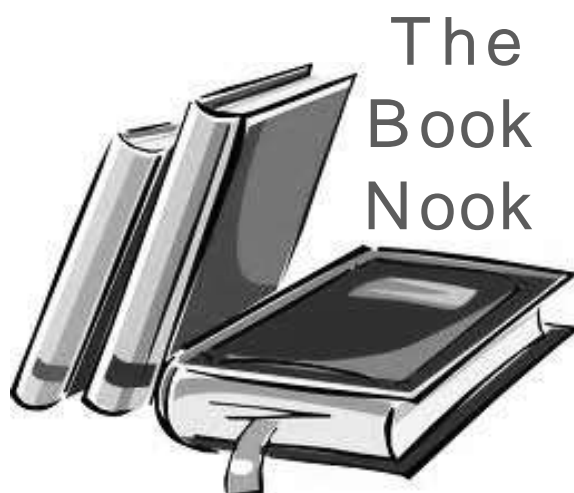
Secretary's Report

August 7, 2014: Call to order at 6:30pm Andrea standing in for Pat
 No guests, new member- Peggy Newfield from Hardwick, 8 birthdays
 Drawings for Just for coming- Lois Keith; Food Shelf- Rita Lehoullier
 Secretary's report- motion to accept by Sharon Perry, seconded by Lois Keith, passed
 We receive a letter of appreciation from the Johnson Food Shelf for all the donations we have given in the last year. We donated 578 pounds of food.
 Treasurer's report (with a few additional deposit of \$440 from Antiques and Uniques sales)- motion to accept by Sharon , seconded by Annie, passed
 Newsletter-Mary Dick will turn over the reins to Julie. A round of applause and thanks was given to Mary for her work.
 Sunshine cards two sent- Lois and Mary
 Membership- a correction to Molly Carmody's name, she was listed as Mary. A reminder to pay dues beginning in September, all due by November's meeting
 Recurring Business:
 Hints for the month All the members who were to share their hints forgot so they were asked to share next month.
 The Library has 242 books. Three returned were Save the Scraps, Three Times the Charm, and Black and White/Bright and Bold. Sharon reported the Franklin County Quilt Guild has displayed 150 Barn Quilts throughout Franklin County and you can go to their website to find coordinates and/or directions to see each one. This was in preparation for the reenactment of the St. Albans Raid.
 Block of the Month-Sally was not able to come to the meeting tonight, so saw your blocks to hand in next month. Sally will try to post the next block in the newsletter and the website.
 Program Committee- Next meeting will be Jane Frenke's Trunk Show and classes will occur on Friday and Saturday. There are still slots available if anyone is interested. Three volunteered for the refreshments and Jan, Rita and Rhonda will get the refreshments and set up the space for the meeting.
 Andrea asked for some help to manage the program committee with her. Molly and Peggy will help as they can. Andrea will also ask for additional volunteers.
 Charity Quilts- Martha brought the box and there are plenty of charity quilt tops to make.
 Old Business:
 The Antiques and Uniques was successful- we sold three quilts and 6 cookbooks for a profit of \$340. There were many questions about the quilt show raffle and we will make sure to bring them to the next Antiques and Uniques show.
 Julie asked the status of the raffle quilt because of the upcoming Hyde Park Home Days in September.
 New Business: Flo was not present but asked Andrea to remind the guild of Countryside's sale through Saturday.
 In the past there were bookmarks to hand out at events. The guild would like to make some business cards to hand out with our information. Andrea will look into either the bookmarks and/ or the business cards.
 The meeting ended at 7:07 for Show and Tell and Teacup Auction.

Rhonda Griswold

Calendar

- Sept. 4th Regular Business Meeting, 6:30 PM
Sterling View Clubhouse
Jane Franke Trunk Show
- Sept. 5th & 6th Classes with Jane Franke. Contact Andrea if you want to sign up.
- October 5th Regular Business Meeting, 6:30 PM
Sterling View Clubhouse



NEW BOOKS ADDED TO THE LIBRARY

The guild's library holdings now stand at 374 books. The most recent additions are: Even More Well Connected; and The Double Wedding Ring Book. Both books are by Mary Ellen Hopkins.

With the addition of these 2 titles, the guild library has a copy of every book Mary Ellen Hopkins published except for Hidden Wells. The librarian would be thrilled if any guild member, who might have a copy of Hidden Wells, would be willing to donate it to make the guild's collection of Mary Ellen Hopkins' books complete.

For those with internet access, you can peruse the library list in the comfort of your own home. The list for the CTQG library is at <http://www.commonthreadsvt.org/ctqglibrary.html>. If you have any suggestions for additions to the library, please let Sharon Perry know.

If you'd like to "check out" any of the guild's library books, please contact Sharon at 326-3135 or email 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.



Happy Birthday to:

<i>Melody Chase</i>	<i>September 2</i>
<i>Anne Gallo</i>	<i>September 4</i>
<i>Elaine Foster</i>	<i>September 8</i>
<i>Mary Doonis</i>	<i>September 14</i>
<i>Martha Corey</i>	<i>September 18</i>
<i>Pat Slack</i>	<i>September 26</i>
<i>Jane Langdell</i>	<i>September 27</i>
<i>Peggy Newfield</i>	<i>September 28</i>



Food Shelf Wish List

(Straight from the Food Shelf)

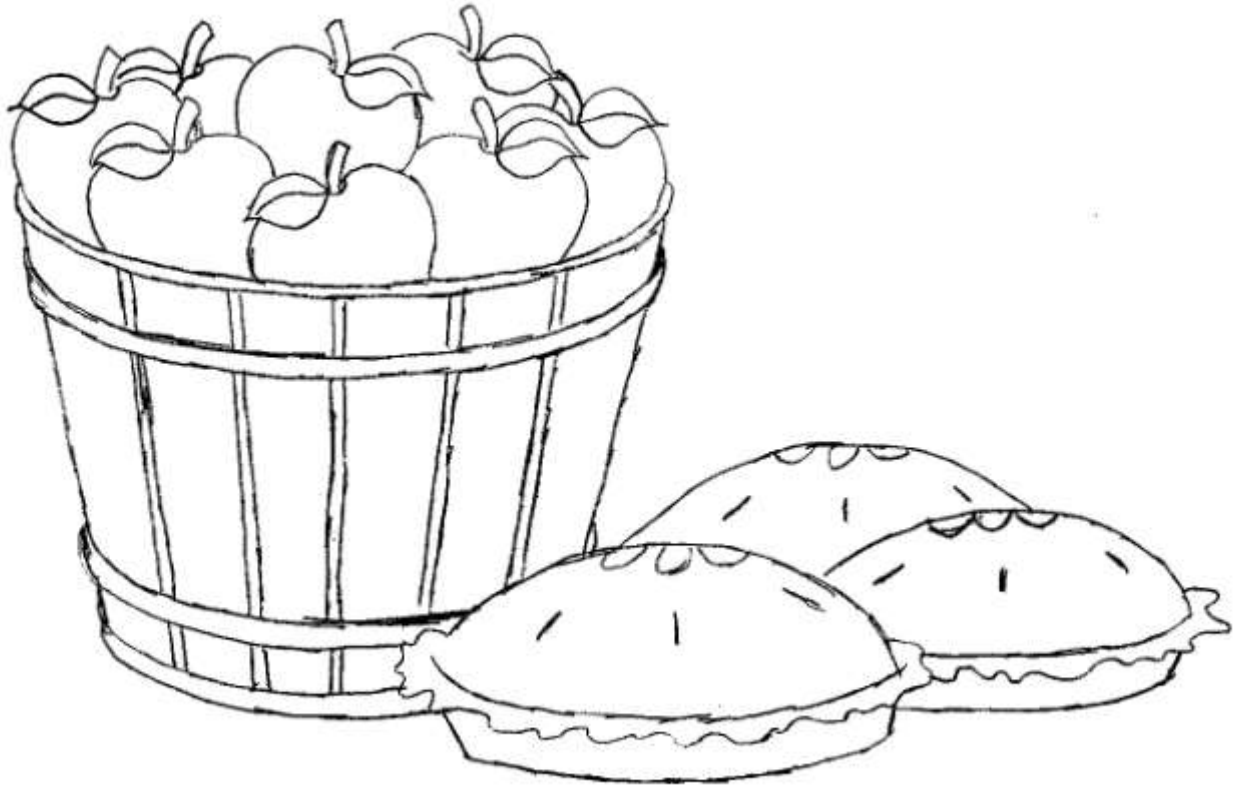
Spaghetti Sauce	Toothpaste
Canned Fruit	Toothbrushes
Canned Vegetables	(for children, too!)
Soup	Soap
Beans	Shampoo
Peanut Butter	Macaroni &
Cereal	Cheese
Toilet Paper (pre-wrapped)	Tuna



Next Meeting: September 4th

Four things to remember:

- 1. Dues are due! \$15*
- 2. Bring Food for the Food Shelf*
- 3. Bring your block of the month*



Message from Green Mountain Quilt Guild

Greetings Green Mountain Quilters Members!

It sure seems like Autumn is on the way with these cool mornings, and our Fall newsletter is right around the corner, too. The mail and email **deadline** for information for the upcoming newsletter will be **Monday, September 1st.**

Have you visited a quilt show, quilting store or fun event? How about a new technique or quilting tool that you enjoyed? Send me a few lines to put in the newsletter. Our newsletter can be better when we have interesting news that is shared by you!

Thanks for taking the time to send me your info. I look forward to mailing and emailing the GMQG Fall Newsletter around September 15th.

Our Fall meeting will be at 10 AM Saturday, October 25th at the Old Labor Hall in Barre. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Enjoy these wonderful last few weeks of summer!

Debie Frohloff, Newsletter

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SEPTEMBER


The first non-9 patch block of the month (but still 9 inches) is DOUBLE PINWHEEL. Easy to cut, easy to piece, and the only thing needed to be careful about is where they meet in the center.


COLORS: brown for the larger pinwheel

maroon/dark red for the inner pinwheel

tan to fill in the outside triangles

CUT: from red - one $5 \frac{3}{4}$ " square cut diagonally twice. 

from brown - two $5 \frac{3}{8}$ " squares cut in half diagonally once. 

from tan - one $5 \frac{3}{4}$ " square cut diagonally twice. 

SEW: one red triangle to one tan triangle 4 times so that they form a larger triangle, hopefully the same size as the brown triangle.

Sew one of these red/tan triangles to the brown triangle, long sides together, to form a square 4 times.

Sew two of these squares together with the red to the brown two times.

Sew these two pieces together forming a red pinwheel in the center.

DONE!

And only 12 pieces in the block! I think they will make a handsome quilt set on point.

Please bring your August Summer Wind blocks to the September meeting and we will do both blocks separately. I had a long jury selection day at the Newport court on August 7 and did not make the guild meeting.

