

Hill 'N Hollow Newsletter

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Hill 'N Hollow Quilters Guild

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Greetings from your President!

Hello guild members,

Well it's that time of the year again when you can smell the smoke of the yule logs burning, the sweet aroma of cookies and candy being made and the faint sound of Christmas music. It's a joyful time of the year.

I hope and pray that you all have a wonderful Christmas and great New Year.

I hope you are looking forward to 2017 with a retreat in Branson, followed by a workshop and then our grand quilt show. We are also continuing the UFO's . So if you did not finish your UFO last year, you can reenter it in 2017.

There will be other projects as well. The guild is still in need of an Education Chairman, Raffle quilt chairman, raffle ticket chairman and library chairman. These chairman seats are very important to the function of the guild.

So please think about how you can help by taking one of these chairs. You can call me at my home phone 870 424 0156.

A big thank you to those that have stepped up to the plate and taken a chair.

Also the Quilt Show Committees are busy as bees working to make a class act show.

To all, a very Merry Christmas and wonderful New Year.

Connie Randall, President



Thank you!!

Just a small thank-you to those who gave such beautiful blocks for my president's quilt. They are just lovely, and I look forward to finishing it, and putting it on my wall. Thank you so much for taking the time, and creating such wonderful trees.

Have a very Merry Christmas, and an even better 2017! Keep stitching!

Arlene Myslinski, Past President

2017 BUDGET

Incoming Committees, don't forget that your budgets are due at the January Board meeting. Connie has paperwork for you to help if you need it, or she or I can email it to you.

Linda Williams, Treasurer

Day Meeting

The method for cutting Hawaiian applique motifs will be presented at the January meeting by Peggy Moody. "January Snowflakes in Hawaii". Members will have an opportunity to try this method in the interactive program, so bring a pair of scissors for cutting paper to the January day meeting.

Darlene Landrum

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Hill 'N Hollow Quilters Guild Treasurer's Report is Posted on the website.

What to know:

Day Meeting: (9:30) January 13

Night Meeting: (6:00 pm) January 10

Don't Forget: No Pins, Needles or Gum are allowed in the Family Life Center.

Be courteous-turn off your cell phones during the meeting.

Night Meeting

Hoping everyone has been healthy and enjoying the beginning of winter in the Ozarks! My wish for the New Year is that we can have our guild meetingsno cancellations due to inclement weather!

The January program will be: "Are There Any Bag Ladies in the House?" Hope to see you at the January Night Meeting.

Joyce Linhoff

MEMBERSHIP

I would first like to thank everyone for your support in our guild.

As we welcome in the New Year, we want to remind everyone that it is time to renew

your membership in Hill N' Hollow Quilters Guild. Dues are \$25.00 per year and must be paid by January 15th to be included on the active membership roster.

The updated membership form is online on the homepage.

Please mail completed membership form along with your check payable to:

Hill ' N Hollow Quilters Guild
P.O. Box 1005
Mountain Home, AR. 72654

Thank you
Sue Herron
Diana Arikan
Membership Chairs

COMMUNICATIONS

Welcome back members and new members to 2017! I take care of photos for the website and if you would like to have an updated photo, please see me or Carolyn Seigal at the January day meeting.

Use the following link to visit Member Photos: <http://hillnhollowquilters.com/members-entrance-page/member-photos/> You will have to use the current password to access Member Photos. Email me if you forgot it. pmoody53@gmail.com

The 2017 password for Members Only portion of the website will be changed as of mid March.
Peggy Moody

STORAGE SHED

Re-organization of the Guild's storage shed is in progress to help eliminate the possibility of injury from tripping or falling objects. An inventory of the stored items is also in progress so it will be easier for transporting quilt show fixtures and supplies next October.

If you have any Guild items in your possession which should be in the storage shed, it would be appreciated if you could return them to the shed as soon as possible. Thanks for your cooperation.

Carol Lewis

REMINDER — Quilt Retreat

There's still time to register for the HNH Spring Retreat. We have 3 spots available and will accept registration up to January 13. For more information visit our website, or call Joyce Linhoff at 870-580-0322.

UFO CHALLENGE

We are starting a new year and I know from my records many of you had entered one or more items in the UFO contest that you did not get finished in 2016.

The good news is this - we are starting a new UFO contest at the January meeting and you will have 11 months to complete your item and have your name entered in the drawing for the gift certificate at the Quilt shop of your choice. You will pay \$1.00 for each item you register as an unfinished item and when you bring in a finished item, we will put your name in the collected tickets.

We will draw for a winner each time there are 10 completed items checked in.

Marilyn Schaub

QUILT SHOW

It's 2017, Quilt Show year, and not too early to be thinking about the Silent Auction. Plan on donating an item. I'll be checking back periodically to let you know how we are doing. Have a happy quilting New Year.

Maureen Forster



2017 Mystery Quilt

Starting in January there will be a block (or two) every month through December. The quilt is approximately 55" x 70" and there are 20 blocks representing holidays and seasons throughout the year. The patterns will be available on the Guild website. If you do not have access to a computer your patterns will be mailed with your newsletter. There will be a short Powerpoint presentation at the Guild meeting each month! Hoping that members will participate and end the year with a finished quilt. In March of 2018 anyone who brings their finished quilt or top will be entered into a drawing and the winner's quilt will be quilted for free.

Margaret Wilburn

Fabracadabra {fab-ruh-kuh-dab-ruh},

Noun

A mystical word or expression used when fabric magically appears in your stash that you forgot buying, hid under the stairs, or stashed under your bed months ago.

HNH GUILD MEETING MINUTES

December 9, 2016

Respectfully submitted by Joan Woodard, Secretary



Arlene Myslinski opened the meeting at 9:32am with 54 members and 3 guests in attendance.

Community Quilts Procession: There were 2 quilts in the procession.

Sue Schaffler mentioned how much folks at Hospice appreciated the community quilts that were given.

Guests and New Members: Debbie and Christi from Sew Unique are taking chances on quilts and proceeds are for Humane Society. Drawing is Dec 19. Courtney Nelson from Searcy is guest of Judy Jensen. Birthdays and anniversaries were recognized.

Secretary Report: Joan Woodard – Minutes from November’s guild meeting have been read. Hearing no discrepancies the minutes are approved as read.

Treasurer’s Report: Linda Williams advised forms for 2017 are amended and on the website. Chairs please see Joyce Linhoff for budget forms and class forms. Make sure committee chair signs your forms when turned in. Treasurer’s report is on the website and approved subject to audit.

COMMITTEES

Education—Quilting 101: Vicki Kauth showed her Quilting 101 sample table runner and Sharon Crozier’s table runner sample. This pattern will be used in class. If you know anyone that is new to quilting or you need a tune-up come to this class. Cost is \$25. We need people to sign up. Classes will be from 9-3.

Quilt Show 2017--Connie Randall – Everyone who is going to have something in the Country store needs to get started making your items. A committee has gone in at the storage shed and reorganized. Tubs will have lists as to what is inside. Pictures will be taken for record. We will have a storage shed monitor to make sure you sign things out when you visit.

Workshops for 2017-- Scrappy Farmer – Roxine Burch advised if anyone wants to sign up today for a workshop class she can give it to Carolyn McDonald.

Dogwood Quilting is having a one day sale on New Year’s Day 30% off everything in store. 10:00-2:00pm.

UFO: Marilyn Schaub. Last drawing for UFO’s challenge is today. Last month we saved our winner’s certificate for her, Sandy Allenbaugh. If we have a winner not here today we will save a certificate for them. We will do the UFO Challenge again next year. Bring unfinished project in and register it and pay \$1. When you finish it bring it in and your name will be put in for a drawing of a quilt shop certificate. The winners are: Linda Williams, Darlene Landrum, Jenny Rae, Bonnie Landis, Joan Woodard, Arlene Myslinski, Roxine Burch, Annie Wagar, Jodi McCray, Shirley Hamilton, Marjorie Clements, Maureen Forster.

Retreat 2017: Joyce Linhoff – Retreat is still on. We have three openings so if you want to go please sign up. Email will be sent to those signed up to let them know what their balance is.

Membership: Sue Herron – has membership forms for next year. You may pay your 2017 dues today.

Community Quilts: Arlene read note from Jo Ann Moore - 13 quilts delivered to Women’s Center and 10 delivered to Baxter County Health Department. Hope to make a delivery to Marion County Health Department later this week. Hospice House has asked us to wait until after the first of the year for any more donations.

Communications: Peggy Moody – Quilt Show is coming up. Website will have new password. Please volunteer to work under the Communication Chair. This is too large a job for one person.

Administrative: Arlene Myslinski thanked her current board with farewell thank you gifts. She passed the gavel to Connie Randal, our new president for 2017. Connie introduced her new board. We need to fill the following positions: library, education chair, raffle quilt chair, raffle ticket sale, audio visual, and historian.

Margaret Wilburn has project for January - Block of the month.

Thank you for the donations for the Food Bank.

Adjourn Business Meeting: Motion to adjourn business meeting made by Joan Woodard & 2nd by Joyce Linhoff. Adjourned at 10:15.

Show and Tell: Mary Spilman, Shirley Hamilton, Arlene Myslinski, Linda Williams, Donna Bohaty, Mary Hazel, Jan Lawson, Darlene Landrum, Ginger Alexander, Barbara Magnuson, Dona Mullaney, Kathleen Sinclair

Presentation of quilt to past president, Arlene Myslinski. Theme is trees.

Quilt Shop News: Celine Kingsland

Program—Darlene Landrum introduced a Christmas game.

GIZMO Drawing: Bonnie Landis won circle cutter.

Door Prize Drawing: Peggy Moody won thangles, American quilts book, tote, wrap paper, patterns, and jelly roll. Carmen Tesch won big block book, patterns, tote, wrap paper, jelly roll.



Serve People and Restore Kindred Souls
S-P-A-R-K-S
Gamma House
P.O. Box 1230
Mountain Home, Arkansas 72654
(870) 425-9286

Dear Hill 'N Hollow Quilt Guild,

Thank you for your recent contribution to Gamma House. Your gift will serve women and children.

• **Homemade Quilt Donations**

The philosophy of Gamma House, its staff and Board of Directors, is to provide homeless women and mothers with children "a hand up rather than a hand out." During the past two years, we have provided housing and supportive services to an average of 104 homeless individuals per year. We currently are housing 14 women and 3 children at Gamma House at this time.

Again thank you for supporting our mission here at Gamma House and allowing us to continue to provide a "hand up" to the women and children in our community.

Sincerely,

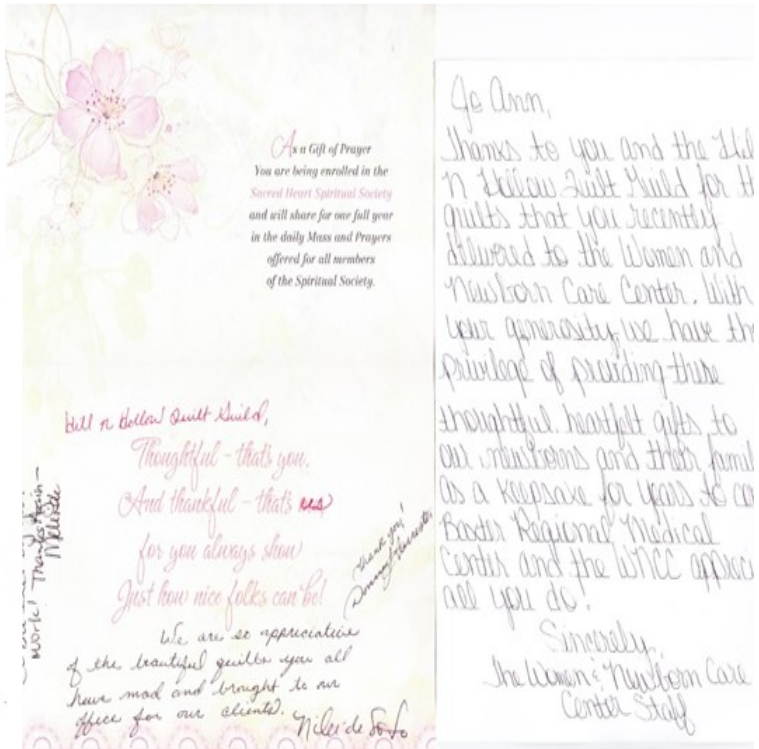
Sandy LaHahn
Executive Director
SPARKS Gamma House

Please consider this as a receipt for tax related purposes.

Here are just a few more thank you notes from recipients of

Hill 'N Hollow Community Quilts.

Thank You!!



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Articles are due on the 19th of the month.
Send articles to the newsletter editor,
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