



Westerville Quilt Guild NEWS

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Let's ZOOM!

The guild is going to have a ZOOM meeting on January 26th at 6:30 pm. The link to join the meeting will be emailed to you on Friday, January 22nd.

Here are some helpful hints....

It helps if you have a little knowledge on how zoom works. This is the link for the instructions on joining a test meeting. You are the only one in the "meeting" but you can see how it works. You can find where the buttons are to: mute/unmute mic, start/stop video (camera), participant list, chat, leave meeting. Depending on if you are using a phone, laptop or PC, the buttons are in different locations on the screen.

<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/115002262083-Joining-a-test-meeting>

The instructions to test the mic and speakers and camera are here

<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362283>

Or you can visit <http://zoom.us/test> to join a test meeting, then follow the instructions to test your video or audio.

You will be prompted to download ZOOM app the first time that you start ZOOM on your device.

You will go to a "waiting room" and be admitted into the meeting once the host has started the meeting. You will see a picture of a flower while you are in the "waiting room".

Once you are in the meeting you will see yourself and several others depending on how many are in the meeting and what you "view" settings are. To change your view read these instructions, instructions for Android or iPad are at the bottom of this page:

<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362323-Changing-the-video-layout-Active-Speaker-View-and-Gallery-View->



SOCIAL TIME - Meet and Greet - Arrive Early When You Can...

Start gathering around 6:30. Greet friends & MEET new members. **Members:** This month make sure you find someone you would like to know better, a new member or guest, and introduce yourself. **New Members/Guests:** If you are a new member/guest, approach someone you don't know and introduce yourself. Learn a little about the other person and share a bit about yourself! We are a friendly bunch!

We meet on the 4th Tuesday of each month, 6:30 pm Social Time, 7:00 p.m. Meeting, at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 4686 East Walnut Street, Westerville, OH 43081, Web Site: <http://www.WestervilleQuiltGuild.com>, E-mail: info@westervillequiltguild.com

2020-2021 Committees

Do you want to remain on any committee from 2020, if not please let me know. Thank you.

Executive Committee

Ginny Littleton	Linda Linard
Cindy Walton	Judy Theil
Abby Miller	Janice Baer

Hospitality:

Barbara Vance	Linda Linard
Sue Meek	Patty Callahan
Leslie Ressa	Debbie Leanza
Carol Cleaves	

Fun with Fabric:

Karen Lesuer	Shannon Bartlett
Lisa Smith	Sue Meek

Keeper of the WQG Quilts & Scrapbooks:

Susan Edwards

Membership:

Janice Baer and Judy Theil

Newsletter:

Lisa Smith (also on Executive Committee)

Publicity:

Sue Meek

Monthly Opportunity Basket:

Shannon Bartlett

Service Committee:

Gayle Seeman	Jeff Bretthauer
Leslie Ressa	Patty Callahan
Beth Duvernay	Cathy Widner
Pam Ayler	Exie Lundquist

Sunshine Committee:

Christina Sidebottom

Website and Facebook:

Lisa Smith, Website (also on Exec. Com)
Melissa Grawe, Facebook (also on Exec. Com)

Workshops/Retreats/Trips:

Workshops: Ruthie Hoover and Judy Theil
Retreats: Abby Miller and Pay Ayler
Trips: Sue Meek

Fat Quarter Raffle

Jeff Bretthauer

Take Down or Put Away Things

Christina Sidebottom

2021 Program Sneak Peek



January 26 — Zoom Meeting — There will be a short business meeting and Show & Tell. Janice Baer will host.

Please send photos of any items you want in the Show & Tell to Janice. She will create a slide presentation for the meeting. You will be called on to describe your items as they appear in the presentation. Since we've all been home so much in 2020 there should be a lot of things for Show & Tell!

ZOOM MEETING IDEAS?

Any suggestions for ZOOM meeting presentations or questions for the board, please email one of the board members or the newsletter editor.

Membership 2021 Dues



If you paid dues for 2020, your dues will be considered "paid" for 2021. Please send any updates to email, phone, address, names to Janice. A new roster will be sent in a few months, once everyone has had a chance to update their information.



Westerville Quilt Guild Sunshine Committee

If you know of a member who is sick, has had surgery, or has had a death in the family, please contact **Christina Sidebottom** who will send a card.

Bus Trip to Original Sewing and Quilt Expo Update



I've lost track of all the changes and delays for this bus trip! As of today, the bus trip has been rescheduled for July 15-17, 2021 in Akron. Here's a link: [Original Sewing and Quilt Expo](#).

The bus company has our deposit and I assume business has been slow. I'd like to see us try to attend if possible. That is, assuming the virus is under control and we've been vaccinated.

So, keep the date in mind. I'll provide updates as I get them.

Sue Meek
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Whole Grain of the Month — Oats



Oatmeal and porridges - though loved by many - have long been portrayed as simple, scrappy, 'stick to your ribs' food. As a food source, oats have long played second fiddle to more prominent crops, such as wheat, and media darlings, like quinoa. But recently, the growing focus on plant-based alternatives has given oats a new lease on life. Not just for porridge anymore, oats are being used as a key ingredient in the fancy oat milk lattes popping up all over Instagram these days. And overnight oat recipes have taken the blogger sphere by storm. Even though they have not always been so in vogue, oats have long played an important role in the human diet.

Fun with Fabric (FWF)

Rock Solid Mystery - Due January 26, 2021



If you completed your Rock Solid Mystery Quilt please send a photo to Janice Baer and she will add it to the Show & Tell slide presentation. You will be asked to describe your quilt when

the photo is shown online.

QUEEN BEE BLOCK PARTY 2020



The 2020 Queen Bee Block Party was a success...we emailed, snail mailed, and dropped off blocks over the balance of 2020! Thanks to everyone that participated!

If you are interested in doing Queen Bee the same way in 2021, please let [Shannon Bartlett](#) know. Thanks.



Are you on Facebook?

Check out our UFO Page: "Finish 21 Projects in 2021 Challenge"

For the 6th year, we're running a Facebook Group that encourages everyone to finish those UFOs. Your projects may involve quilting, knitting, embroidery, or even writing. Post any completed project and watch our cheerleaders do their thing! It's fun to see what everyone is making, especially when we're feeling so isolated.

You'll need to make a request to join. Any member may approve requests. We do our best to keep out the "trolls" and salespeople.

Newsletter Information

Newsletter submissions should be sent as an attachment or typed in the body of an email to the following email address: Newsletter@westervillequiltguild.com. The "publication" date for the Newsletter will be the 3rd Tuesday of the month. All items submitted to the Newsletter need to be in by the 2nd Tuesday of the month. If you have any questions or suggestions, contact [Lisa Smith](#), WQG Newsletter Editor.