



Westerville Quilt Guild NEWS

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March 23, 2021 Let's ZOOM Again!

We will continue our Zoom meetings on March 23rd at 6:30 pm, with the usual sit & chat and show and tell. Please send pictures to Janice for show and tell.

The link to join the meeting will be emailed to you on Friday, February 19th.

The APRIL 27th presentation will be Deb Strain and the POM is Barbara Vance. Deb is from Yellow Springs, Ohio and designs fabric for Moda. See her bio (and others) on the Moda site <https://my.modafabrics.com/designers>.

HAVE A ZOOM MEETING IDEA?

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

ZOOM MEETING



Taken from: Shoreline Area News: Cartoon by Whitney Potter: Zoom meeting, Sunday, July 12, 2020, <https://www.shorelineareanews.com/2020/07/cartoon-by-whitney-potter-zoom-meeting.html>



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

Cindy Walton Judy Theil
Abby Miller Janice Baer

Hospitality:

Barbara Vance 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



March 23 — Zoom Meeting — Sit and Chat, then Show & Tell.

April 27 — Zoom Meeting — Deb Strain, fabric designer for Moda. Barbara Vance, POM.

May 25 — Zoom Meeting — Sit and Chat, then Show & Tell.

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 lately there should be a lot of things for Show & Tell!

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.



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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.

Fun with Fabric (FWF)

Throwback Challenge — Due April 27th



This challenge limits you to only things you have on hand. Using only materials/fabrics you have at home (or where you are quarantined), make a quilt or quilted object. The only rule is you can't purchase anything new. So dust off your kits, orphaned quilt

blocks, scraps, or tattered textiles and "make do".

QUEEN BEE BLOCK PARTY 2021



The 2021 Queen Bee Block Party will start this month. If you signed up you should receive an email with all the information.



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.

Bus Trip to Original Sewing and Quilt Expo Update



Attempting to get our deposit refunded from the bus company.

Sue Meek
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Near Miss Day — March 23rd



Near Miss Day commemorates the day a huge Asteroid nearly missed hitting the earth.

On March 23, 1989, an asteroid the size of a mountain, came within 500,000 miles of a collision with Earth. In interstellar terms, it was a near miss. Had it collided with the Earth, it would have left a devastating crater the size of Washington, D.C. Its affect on the planet would have been catastrophic. Since then, there have been other near misses.....Whew!!

Near misses with large, potentially life threatening galactic objects happens on an infrequent basis. It is believed a large asteroid collided with the earth and caused the extinction of dinosaurs. Scientists believe it is only a matter of time before another catastrophic collision with Earth. But, don't worry. The odds are it will not happen for a long, long time.

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Newsletter Information

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