

Westerville Quilt Guild



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September 23, 1846 the planet Neptune is first discovered by German astronomer Johann Gottfried Golle.

September 23, 2014

Vicki Melvin & Melissa Grawe, President's-of-the-Month **Jelly Roll Stew**

Do you have jelly rolls in your stash or lots of 2 1/2 fabric strips? Join Melissa and Vicki in exploring the popular and fast jelly roll race quilt patterns, but with a few twists.

For an on-line tutorial and to see a jelly roll race quilt constructed, go to http://land.missouriquiltco.com/jelly-roll-race-2/. This Missouri Star Quilt Company video shows

how to make a jelly roll quilt in 45 minutes!

Stone Soup? Jelly Roll Stew?

Remember the old story of stone soup? There was a shortage of food in a country far away, but a traveler convinced the villagers to add what food they could to his bubbling pot with the "magic" stone. Visit http://www.extremelinux.info/stonesoup/stonesoup.html

WQG's modification of the fable is Jelly Roll Stew! About twenty (20) WQG members contributed approximately seventy five (75) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips to our stew pot. Some of those members will "taste" the resulting stew!



Home of the Brave State Coordinator Report

The family of SPC Justin Ryan Helton (died June 9, 2014) has received one of Westerville Quilt Guild's twenty-one Home of the Brave quilts. The quilt (sewn by Ruth Ann Leavell, quilted by Vicki L. Melvin, and bound by Barb Horlocker) was mailed to his parents on August 19, 2014 by Janet Alderman, HOB state coordinator.



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 who you don't know so well, or a new member or guest you haven't met and introduce yourself. New Members/Guests: If you are a new member/guest, approach someone you don't know and introduce yourself. Learn a tad 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 The Westerville American Legion Hall, 393 East College Avenue, Westerville, OH 43081, Web Site: http://www.WestervilleQuiltGuild.com, E-mail: info@westervillequiltguild.com

Tickets for the September Raffle Basket
"Football Frenzy" will be
on sale at the beginning
of the meeting and during
the meeting. The drawing
will be at the end of the
meeting. Tickets are \$1



or 6 for \$5. This month's basket is loaded with fun football themed items!

Donation request for monthly raffle baskets:

Looking for pink fabric scraps (6"x6" or larger) for the October Raffle Basket; theme = Think Pink.

Looking for blue or white fabric scraps (6"x6" or larger) for the December Raffle Basket: theme = Blue Christmas.



A great way to expand your stash!

This year's themes are going revolve around birthstones relating to that month. Squares are 6×6 of quilt shop quality fabric.

September - Sapphire

October - Tourmaline

November - Topaz

December - Turquoise

2014 Program Information

September — Melissa Grawe & Vicki Melvin — Jelly Roll Stew

October — Melissa Grawe & Vicki Melvin — Whimsy Quilts

November — Amy Korn & Friends — Annual Christmas Party

MEETING DATE: DECEMBER 2, 2014

DECEMBER 2 * AMY KORN AND FRIENDS!



Please plan to join us for the Westerville Guild Holiday Party on December 2!! We're planning to have members bring either an appe-

tizer or dessert and we'll be providing hot beverages and tableware. In addition, we'd like to have a "mitten tree" and ask that you donate mittens (gloves, hats and scarves ok too!) and help decorate our designated tree. We'll be donating the mittens to NNEMAP (Near Northside Emergency Materials Assistance Program). More details to follow in the next newsletters!!

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.

E-mail: o-side@att.net, telephone: 614-895-9820 (home) / 614-208-2857 (cell).

Committee Updates



FUN WITH FABRIC

Take the Potholder Challenge!

Submit your pot holder in a brown paper bag. Rules are:

- Finished sizes for potholders shall not be smaller than 6"x6" and be functional.
- Will be composed of three/four layers (front, back, and Insul-bright insulating material and/or at least one layer of cotton batting).
- Pot holder is to be homemade or be a purchased one that has been enhanced by homemade decorations.

Win Viewer's Choice, Most Creative, Most Functional, or Most Humorous!



Volunteers for 2015 President's of the Month!

Thank you to the following members!

Corinne Vititoe

Melissa Grawe

JoAnne Guthrie-Hurst

Spring Sale Team: Marilyn Murray, Cindy Walton,

& Ginny Littleton

Vicki Melvin

Abby Miller

Picnic Team: Jeff Bretthauer & others to be de-

termined

Shannon Bartlett & Lisa Smith

Susan Edwards

Ruthie Hoover

Holiday Team: Pat Beeman, Jayne Godsey, Dee-

Ann Haworth, & Vicki Melvin

More information about 2015 programs will be coming soon! At our October meeting, there will be a sign up for other opportunities including Committee Chairs/Members.

Program and Website Survey

To collect WQG member program/ event input for 2015 and beyond, thirty (30) members completed the survey.

Great input was received and will be shared after the Executive Committee meets.

For members not present in August, the opportunity to complete the survey is being extended through the September meeting.

Treasurer's Report June 1, 2014 - August 31, 2014		
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Balance on Hand		\$5,655.43
Income:		
2014 dues	\$120.00	
2015 dues	\$12.00	
May Raffle basket	\$56.00	
June Raffle basket	\$37.00	
July raffle basket	\$42.00	
August raffle bas-		
ket	\$48.00	
Workshop fees	\$595.00	
August meeting		
entrance fee	\$45.00	
Pins	\$20.00	
Total income		\$975.00
Expenses:		
June speaker	\$50.00	
3rd qtr Hall rent	\$70.00	
Home of the Brave		
donation	\$200.00	
NQA dues	\$45.00	
Picnic	\$107.11	
Cindy Casciato		
Workshop	\$1,049.88	
Total expenses		\$1,521.99
August 31, 2014 Balance on Hand		\$5,108.44

Recipe for Judy's Cake from the Picnic

White Texas Sheet Cake





Rated: ***

Submitted By: Diane Kester Photo By: MrsFisher0729

Servings: 24

"This cake is good to make a day ahead, and is very popular at potlucks."

INGREDIENTS:

1 cup butter 1/2 teaspoon salt

1 cup water 1 teaspoon baking soda

2 cups all-purpose flour 1/2 cup butter

2 cups white sugar 1/4 cup milk

2 eggs 4 1/2 cups confectioners' sugar 1/2 cup sour cream 1/2 teaspoon almond extract

1 teaspoon almond extract 1 cup chopped walnuts

DIRECTIONS:

- In a large saucepan, bring 1 cup butter or margarine and water to a boil. Remove from heat, and stir in flour, sugar, eggs, sour cream, 1 teaspoon almond extract, salt, and baking soda until smooth. Pour batter into a greased 10 x 15 x 1 inch baking pan.
- Bake at 375 degrees F (190 degrees C) for 20 to 22 minutes, or until cake is golden brown and tests done. Cool for 20 minutes.
- Combine 1/2 cup butter or margarine and milk in a saucepan; bring to a boil. Remove from heat. Mix in sugar and 1/2 teaspoon almond extract. Stir in pecans. Spread frosting over warm cake.

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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 know of a member that does not have access to email, please give them a copy of the newsletter.