

Westerville Quilt Guild

NEWS

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A little Consideration, a little Thought for Others, makes all the difference. ~ Winnie the Pooh

January 26, 2010
Sherry French & Ruthie Hoover
Presidents-of-the-Month
WQG'S 5th Anniversary

We are at our 5 year anniversary as a guild! This is something to celebrate! We have had a lot of fun, learned, gave to the community, and made new friends!

Let's take a look back and a look forward! In our January meeting, we will celebrate and go on a guided review of

- What we like about our guild;
- What we should keep doing;
- What we could do better (and how to get there);
- What we should start doing, (but never thought to!);
- And celebrate!

Face it, quilters are a creative bunch! And quilters like to have fun!

So we will combine those two qualities and in our January meeting use a fun, creative, colorful forum to take a look at our quild!

The planning session will be a stress free format that is fun for everyone! And we will celebrate our 5 years!!

Executive Committee Members

Connie Gelfer (2010-2012)

Irene Habowski (2010-2012)

Marilyn Murray (2010-2012)

Marsha Young (2010-2012)

Julie Lockard (2009-2011)

Ruthie Hoover (2009-2011)

Trish Bishop, Treasurer

2010 Committees*

Workshop Committee (\$50)

Plans, schedules and organizes learning workshops for Guild members.

Chair: Trish Bishop

Sunshine Committee (\$20)

Sends cards and/or flowers when necessary to guild members, and thank you notes to quest speakers.

Chair: Rose Wetherill

Service Project Committee (\$50)

Leads the guild in efforts to make and present guilts to charities.

Chair:

Members: Aggie Peterson

Fun With Fabric Committee (no budget)

Plans and implements a block exchange, round robin

or challenge for guild members.

Chair: Julie Lockard

Members: Jeff Bretthauer, Becky Stains

Special Events Committee (\$250)

Plans a Weekend Retreat or other events such as

National Quilting Day. Chair: Becky Stains

Members: Jayne Godsey, Pat Beeman

Quilt Show Committee (\$0)

Makes suggestions and plans for participation in special festival events and/or plans for a guild guilt show.

Chair:

Members: Barb Horlocker, Susan Edwards

Publicity Committee (\$10)

Promotes public awareness of guild activities in media formats.

Chair:

Members:

Awards/Recognition Committee (\$20)

Attends all meetings and awards pins for show and

tell and also arranges any other special recognition such as presenting guild pins to guest speakers. Chair:

July Guild Picnic Committee (\$120)

Plans events and makes arrangements for the annual

guild picnic.

Chair: Trish Bishop

Members: Debi Blalog, Sherry French

November Holiday Party Committee (\$175)

Plans events and makes arrangements for annual Holi-

day Party. Chair: Lisa Smith

Members: Julie Lockard

Membership Committee (\$15)

Maintains a current record of guild members and co-

ordinates e-mail announcements.

Chair: Judy Theil

Newsletter/Web Site Committee (\$150)

Prepares a monthly newsletter and maintains guild web presence.

Chair: Lisa Smith

Members: Shannon Bartlett, Karen Lesueur

President of the Month (\$225) - \$25 per month

Keeper of the Westerville Guild Quilt Charm Square Monthly

Beck Stains, Jessica Hollins, Susan Edwards

*Please give any corrections/omissions to Lisa Smith so the list can be updated.

Executive Committee Meeting January 26, 2010 - 6:00 pm

The Executive Committee will meet 1/2 hour before the regular guild meeting. In the lounge area outside the meeting room.

Newsletter Information

If you would like to submit an article or "tip" to the newsletter, please send it, either as an attachment or type the text in your email, and send it to me at:

Newsletter@westervillequiltquild.com

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Westerville Quilt Guild



We meet on the 4th Tuesday of each month, 7:00 p.m. at The Westerville Medical Campus of OhioHealth, 300 Polaris Pkwy, Westerville, OH 43082, Web Site: http://www.WestervilleQuiltGuild.com,

E-mail: info@westervillequiltquild.com

Westerville Quilt Guild is a "member run" group. Member volunteers serve as "President-of-the-Month" and present the program for that month's meeting. Our dues are \$12 a year.

2010 Meeting Dates

February 23 - Corinne Vititoe Paw Patch - Free Range Quilting

March 23 - Karen Lesueur
Writing Mystery Books about
Quilts

April 27 - Louise Maloy & Rose Wetherill

Garage Sale

May 25 - Cindy Walton, Karen Gulley,
Ginny Littleton, Marilyn Murphy
"TBD"

June 22 – July Lockard

Beth Schilling Show & Tell

July 27 - Trish Bishop, Debi Balog, & Sherry French Annual Guild Picnic

August 24 - Trish Bishop Carol Doak

September 28 - Amy Korn & "Friends"
"TBD"

October 26 - Joan Lally, Shannon Bartlett, Lisa Smith

"Where the Magic Happens" November 23 - Lisa Smith, Julie Lockard Annual Guild Holiday Party

Quilter's Green Tips



Recommended by Shannon Bartlett:

Use a thin plastic sheet or a piece of Plexiglas (leftovers from an old or broken picture frame would work great!) Instead of sketching with a pencil, use a dry-erase marker. Lay the plastic over your blocks and draw the quilting designs on the plastic. If you don't like them, wipe them off and try something different until you find the one you like. If you want to keep this design for future reference, you can trace it onto tracing paper. Then simply erase the design when you are done and use the plastic sheet again on your next project.

From: Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting, Churn Dash & Pinwheel #1410, Saturday, January 2, 7:30 am on WOSU TV.

Another way to audition quilting designs — that can then be used to create a marking stencil — is to draw the designs on GLAD Press'n Seal® plastic wrap then stick it onto your quilt. If you like the design you can stick it to a piece of paper and sew through it, the needle stitches will act as perforations allowing you to use the GLAD Press'n Seal® as a template to apply chalk marking to your quilt top. Save it for use another time too!

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