

Westerville Quilt Guild



Sow courtesy and reap friendship; plant kindness and gather love. ~ Author Unknown

April 27, 2010 Cindy Walton, Karen Gulley, Ginny Littleton, Marilyn Murphy, Presidents-of-the-Month Good Wives Co, Marion, Ohio



<u>The Good Wives Co.</u> will be giving two demonstrations tonight making an apple core quilt using stamps and ink; and making flying geese using the "no math" ruler. There will be items for show and for sale. The Good Wives is a quilt shop located north of Marion, Ohio. They carry fabric that is a sampling of Civil War prints, homespun, paisley and patriotic nature. They boast that they do not carry white fabric. They also feature primitive wares for the home as well as wool projects and rug-hooking

Service Project Sew-Ins

Ay Very Own

This year one of our service project efforts will be monthly sew-ins at <u>My Very Own Blanket</u> where Jessica Hollins will host us. She has sewing machines, cutting tables, irons, batting and lots of fabric. You can just bring your nimble fingers if you wish. Each month we plan to

make a different kind of project, so we hope you'll not only feel good about doing something for someone else, but you might also learn something new.

At the April 25th and May 23rd sew-ins we'll be working with string blocks. You can bring your own scrappy strings if you wish + 2 extra fabrics for sashing, or you can use My Very Own Blanket fabrics. Those using their own fabrics may either donate the finished quilt to My Very Own Blanket or to any other charity of their choice. You can bring your own machine or use one of the one's at My Very Own Blanket. If you don't want to sew, we can also use people to rotary cut strips & square up blocks or do ironing.

We hope to see you at My Very Own Blanket, 260 East Broadway, Westerville - that's just 1/2 block off of Otterbein Ave. on the north side of the street, a gray building with red trim. We'll be there from 1:00p-5:00p. Come the entire time or just for as long as you can.

Becky Dickson & Aggie Peterson — Service Project Committee

P.S.: We have an idea for another fun, fast charity project for a different group, so stay tuned for more news from us!

2010 Committees*

Workshop Committee (\$)

Plans, schedules and organizes learning workshops for Guild members. Chair: Trish Bishop

Sunshine Committee (\$)

Sends cards and/or flowers when necessary to guild members, and thank you notes to guest speakers. Chair: Rose Wetherill

Service Project Committee (\$)

Leads the guild in efforts to make and present quilts to charities. Chair: Becky Dickson

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 (\$)

Plans a Weekend Retreat or other events such as National Quilting Day. Chair: Becky Stains Members: Jayne Godsey, Pat Beeman

Quilt Show Committee (\$)

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

Members: Barb Horlocker, Susan Edwards

Publicity Committee (\$)

Promotes public awareness of guild activities in media formats.

Chair:

Members:

Awards/Recognition Committee (\$)

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: Debi Balog

July Guild Picnic Committee (\$)

Plans events and makes arrangements for the annual guild picnic. Chair: Trish Bishop Members: Debi Blalog, Sherry French

November Holiday Party Committee (\$)

Plans events and makes arrangements for annual Holiday Party. Chair: Lisa Smith Members: Julie Lockard, Karen Lesuer

Membership Committee (\$)

Maintains a current record of guild members and coordinates e-mail announcements. Chair: Judy Theil

Newsletter/Web Site Committee (\$)

Prepares a monthly newsletter and maintains guild web presence. Chair: Lisa Smith Members: Shannon Bartlett, Karen Lesueur

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

Keeper of the Westerville Guild Quilt

Charm Square Monthly Beck Stains, Jessica Hollins, Susan Edwards

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



Wear Your Name Tags or Pay the Penalty!

Sewing Surplus Sale



It's time to clean out the sewing supplies, declutter, and bring them to the Sewing Surplus Sale being held Tuesday, May 25 at the

Westerville Quilt Guild meeting. Your sewing supplies can include items related to quilting, embroidery, knitting, scrapbooking, beading, etc. But please no pots or pans, dishes, etc!

Here are the guidelines:

- Each person (or group) will have one table to display their items. A chair will be placed at each table.
- You must sign up at the April meeting if you want to reserve a table to sell your wares. This will be the only opportunity to sign up so plans can be made ahead of time for the room set up.
- 3. If you will be selling items at the Sewing Surplus Sale you must have your table set up by 6:45 pm the evening of the May meeting. We are checking on trying to provide carts, etc. for transporting your items to and from the meeting room.
- 4. Please mark your asking price clearly on each item. Each person will be responsible for collecting payment for items and making change for your items - so start saving small bills and change to facilitate this process.

5. The evening of the meeting – a business meeting and show and tell will be conducted before the sale. PLEASE NO SALES BEFORE THE MEETING.

The sale will be concluded at about 8:45 pm to allow time to clear the room by 9 pm.

Thank you and have fun getting rid of those treasures that someone else will treasure. Please contact one of the Sale Committee members if you have any questions.

<u>Louise Maloy</u> and <u>Rose Wetherill</u> Sale Committee

Quilter's Green Tips

Recommended by Susan Edwards:



Visit your local landscaping and garden store and check out white landscaping cloth! It's a sheer, polymesh fabric that could be used as a base in art quilts. Netting used to protect trees from hungry birds can be also be used as a base for weaving and embellishing.

The local home improvement stores have painter's drop cloths, which are actually a very large and inexpensive piece of fabric! It's easy to work with and can be painted, stamped, dyed and embellished in any number of ways. Drop cloths look similar to linen, but need very little ironing after laundering. Add some silver washers, black rubber washers, and misc. other 'parts' from the hardware dept., and you would have a very interesting project!



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: <u>http://www.WestervilleQuiltGuild.com</u>, E-mail: <u>info@westervillequiltguild.com</u>

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

April 27 – Cindy Walton, Karen Gulley,	April 27
Ginny Littleton, Marilyn Murphy	
"Good Wives" from Marion	May 25
May 25 - Louise Maloy & Rose Wetherill	May 25
Garage Sale	
June 22 - Corinne Vititoe	June 22
Paw Patch - Free Motion	
Quilting	T 07
July 27 – Trish Bishop, Debi Balog, &	July 27
Sherry French	August 24
Annual Guild Picnic	5
August 24 - Trish Bishop	
Carol Doak	September 28
September 28 - Amy Korn & "Friends"	
"TBD"	October 26
October 26 - Joan Lally, Shannon Bartlett,	
Lisa Smith	
"Where the Magic Happens"	November 23
November 23 – Lisa Smith, Julie Lockard	
Annual Guild Holiday Party	Arrive at 6.30 Gr

Executive Committee Members

<u>Connie Gelfer</u> (2010-2012) <u>Irene Habowski</u> (2010-2012) <u>Marilyn Murray</u> (2010-2012) <u>Marsha Young</u> (2010-2012) <u>Julie Lockard</u> (2009-2011) <u>Ruthie Hoover</u> (2009-2011) <u>Trish Bishop</u>, Treasurer Arrive at 6:30. Greet people at main door. Accompany new people to the meeting room.

I heard this from two quilt shop owners: 'We've been measuring fabrics as they are coming into the shop and are seeing that A LOT of fabrics are now 42 inches wide; some 41.5 inches! It has been reported that they are going down to 40 inches but of course the price hasn't changed for quilt shop owners!!' So when measuring for a quilt make sure you buy enough fabric! — Susan Edwards

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@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.

2010 Greeters

Mari jo Scott & Irene Habowski

Abby miller & Corinne Vititoe

Marsha Young

Karen Gulley

Picnic

Barb Horlocker &

Jeff Bretthauer &

Rose Wetherill & Lynda Davidson

Sherry French & Norma Brownfield

Jayne Godsey & Becky Dickson