



Foothills Quilters Guild



Newsletter

September, 2008



September Meeting
Thurs., September 25th
Ascension Lutheran
Church
7:00 PM

Program
Pam Bono Designs Trunk Show
by
Lynne Mott
Bright Star Quilts & Creations

Lynne Mott, a certified Pam Bono Designs educator, will bring the Pam Bono Designs Trunk show to share at our meeting. Ginny Huntley met Lynne at Paducah and thought she would be a wonderful guest for a quilt.

Don't miss this exciting program!

A Note From Holly

Hope that you have been working on a quilt for the "Kozy Kwilts" or a South Mountain quilt, and have it ready for the September meeting!! If you need more time, you'll have until the November meeting--just don't put it off too long!

For those of you that came to the workshop last month, I thank you so very much for taking the time and effort to do so! It was a great chance to work together and get to know each other better! I thank you all for bringing your supplies and tools and sharing so much! I believe that Eula Crews brought her entire sewing room, now that is one energetic woman!!! ... and Karon Bishop came to help cut, press and bind.

We have lots of pretty things to share with the rest of you, and hope that there are many more at the meeting!

Holly Greene
Program Chairman

Deadline for October Newsletter is
October 6, 2008

Please send all info to Sally Norman
223 General Griffith Circle, Rutherfordton 28139 or
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A Note from your President . . .



Hello everyone,

We had a wonderful and productive time at the August workshop/meeting - and missed you if you couldn't make it! Seventeen members arrived rarin' to go, and Holly has nine Kozy Kwilts and one South Mountain quilt already turned in. We had three drawings for door prizes throughout the evening, culminating in a final drawing for the Pink Ribbon Quilt book, won by Eleanor Morgan. (Eleanor and Kay have already picked out two designs to work on!)

Paula Barringer and Dee Batayte worked on bindings, finishing one each with two more to come. Suzy Bridges brought lots of wonderful, kid-friendly fabric which she cut and ironed for workers before rushing off to another obligation. Eula Crews showed up with props to raise the tables to a comfortable working height, a gigantic cutting mat, and two quilts ready to bind. Leah Day showed Sara Hall how to complete a sewn/quilted/bound Kozy Kwilt on the serger, as well as cutting and sewing blocks for several Halloween and Christmas print tops. Kathy Earls brought three finished Kozy Kwilts and one South Mountain, sewed blocks for three more during the workshop, and shared her wonderful "Wicked Easy" top pattern. Judy Ferguson layered, basted and quilted a Kozy Kwilt in soft pastels while Holly Greene finished all but the binding on a bright, vibrant one. Eleanor Morgan and Kay Young worked on binding one quilt and piecing four others, choosing backing from the stash Carolyn Ross donated, cut and ironed. Molly Savage quilted one of two tops she brought in, while Paulette Towery quilted and bound a second Kozy Kwilt to turn in with the finished one she arrived with at 5:00. Ellen Warlick pieced and layered a luscious fruity design and I quilted a Christmas top which someone else had pieced.

All in all, we had a fun and successful evening, and hopefully we can plan this event again with even more participation. If we have twice as many quilters working, we'll complete twice as many quilts, and we can all be proud of the Guild's contribution to our communities. Thanks again to all who came, cut, and sewed - I can't wait to see the finished results on September 25!

Ellen

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Foothills Quilters Guild Minutes

The Foothills Quilters Guild met on 28 August 2008 at the Ascension Lutheran Church in Shelby, North Carolina.

This August meeting was a meeting – workshop for Kozy Kwilts. Members had been asked to bring any Kozy Kwilt they had in progress or to bring materials to make a quilt. The workshop began at 5:00 p.m.

President Ellen Yunker welcomed members to the workshop and made several announcements.

Sue Rash has a quilt exhibit at Gardner Webb College. The opening reception is tonight.

Leah Day is collecting items for the Cleveland County Library window.

Lake Norman Quilters in Mooresville, NC would like to know if any of our members would provide programs and/or teach workshops for their club in 2009. If interested, please see Ellen.

One of the benefits of attending our August meeting was the opportunity of winning a door prize. Door prizes were given out each hour. Karon Bishop, Molly Savage, Carolyn Ross, Leah Day, Paula Barringer, Eula Crews, Cathy Earls, Eleanor Morgan, Ellen Yunker, Holly Greene, Paulette Towney, Kay Young, Ellen Warlick, Judy Ferguson, and Dee Batayte won door prizes.

The workshop was over at 8:00 p.m.

Ellen asked that all the quilts completed be shown at the September meeting.

Respectively Submitted,
Dee Batayte
Recording Secretary

Fat Quarters for the Quilt Show

I have been asked to do the fat quarter baskets for our quilt show. I will begin taking them at our October meeting. Remember for every fat quarter you donate your name will be put in the pot for the drawing at the end of our quilt show.

Put the washed and ironed fat quarters into a ziplock bag with your name on it. Please don't hand them to me and expect me to remember later that you were the one who gave them to me. For you new quilters, a fat quarter is a piece of 100% cotton fabric that measures 22 inches by 18 inches. I hope to have enough fabric to make two very large baskets. Thank you in advance for all your help.

Cathy Earls

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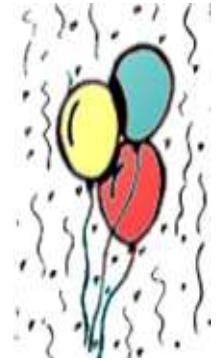
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- 8 Becky Whelan
- 14 Betty Giles
- 15 Carolyn ross
- 17 Jean McRay
- 22 Ellen Warlick
- 24 Susan McCarty
- 30 Ann Hutchins



Happy Birthday Ladies!



Note:

If your name appears in the birthday list please arrive at 6 pm to help set up the meeting room. Please plan to stay a few minutes late to return it to its original arrangement. If you are unable to attend please find a replacement. Your help and cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

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| Sep 25 | Lynne Mott
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Trunk show |
| Oct 23 | Pattiy Torno
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| Nov 20 | Mary Ray
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Sep 25-27, 2008

Boone, NC – “2nd Annual Camp So & Sew”, presented by Sew Original, to be held at Broyhill Inn & Conference Center, 775 Bodenheimer Dr., Boone, NC. Infor: www.seworiginal.org.

Sep 26-28, 2008

Greensboro, NC – “Quilting in the Piedmont”. For more information: www.quiltinginthepiedmont.org.

Oct 17 – 19, 2008

“A Thread Runs Through It”, Durham-Orange Quilters’ Guild at the American Tobacco Campus, 324 Blackwell St., Bay 7, Durham, NC. Fri & Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 10am-5pm. Contact 919-933-1015 or see www.durhamorangequilters.com.

In Our Prayers . . .



Sue Padgett

Hazel Wilson

Miriam Glenn

Wayne Hyder – Carolyn Sipes' son- in-law
Marjorie Busby's granddaughter

Barbara Toney

Jerry Rabb - Hollis's husband

Nancy Horner's husband, Jack

Linda Greene's grandson, Jeremy Wiggins -
deployed to Iraq

Jenny Reed & husband

April Van Dyke

Susan Rose Taylor, daughter of Claudia
Rose

Bob Runyans, Shirley's grandson, back in
Iraq

Ginny Huntley's mother

Elias, son of Sue Alvarez

2008 UFO Days

We will be meeting at SANDY'S COUNTRY CHRISTMAS store on highway 74 west of Shelby. She is moving her store there over the holidays. (If any member can help the week after Christmas with the move, please give her a call or go by the present store)

The room is 20' by 40' and has 10 tables in it. If you are planning to attend and would like to participate in lunch, you will need to bring a food item. We usually have sandwiches, soup(cold months), salads, and desserts. Each member furnishes their own drinks.

We will be meeting on second Saturday of each month from 9:30-until store closes or you need to leave. We encourage you to attend.
The dates are as follows.

Oct 11 Nov 8 Dec 13

If you have any questions please me at 704-487-1960 or email ginnhuntley@bellsouth.net
Ginny Huntley

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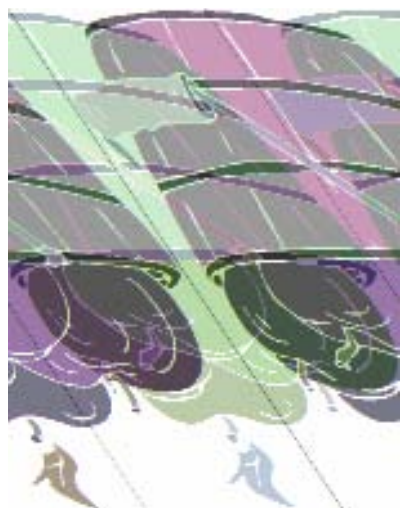
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