

Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild

NEWSLETTER October 2018

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The Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild (TVQG) meets the third Tuesday of the month January thru November at 7:00pm the King City Clubhouse located at 15245 SW 116th Avenue, King City, OR 97224. Guests are welcome and are asked to pay \$5 at the door.

Reminder: Please bring the following to our next meeting.
-- BOM and FQ
-- Name Tag
-- Show and Tell items
--GNC Donations



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October Speaker

Terry Grant



Our speaker this month is Terry Grant. Terry lives in Washington County, Oregon, with her husband Ray, and says she is so lucky that her daughter, son-in-law and two wonderful grandchildren live close by. Her fabric art has appeared in several books and magazines and has been exhibited all over the United States and in several other countries. She tell us that she started writing her blog in 2005 and it has been a joyful experience, bringing her friendships, opportunities and a sense of satisfaction that she never imagined. To take a look at Terry's blog or to find out more about her quilting here's a link to her blog site: http://andsewitgoes.blogspot.com/.

Winter Bazaar

The November 9^{th} and 10^{th} dates for



the 2018 Winter Bazaar are fast approaching. Our upcoming October General Meeting is the last meeting before the sale to bring in your

handcrafted items.

This year's Winter Bazaar chairpersons are Judy Orlandini and Cathy Harper. If you have made items to sell at the bazaar but are unable to get them to us by the next General Meeting, please send Judy an email at judyraeorlan@hotmail.com. She will try to assist you with picking up the items.

It would be helpful if you priced your items before bringing them in. We suggest using a small safety pin to attach your pricing information. Speaking of pricing, our President, Cindy Calderwood wants to remind each and every one of us to please not undervalue our work.

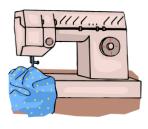
We are also going to need help with setup, takedown and to work the sales tables during the event. A signup sheet will be available at the October meeting, or if you would like, you can contact Judy to let her know you are willing to help.

Items that have sold well in the past are table runners, placemats, totes small bags, all sizes of quilts, and other hand-crafted items that might be appropriate for shoppers to give as a holiday gift.

This is TVQG's only yearly fundraising event, so your participation in this happening is very important to our auild.

Sit and Sew Day - Oct 13th

Our Fall Sit and Sew Day is October 13th, starting at 9:30am in the Banquet Room of the King City



Clubhouse. Guests are welcome to attend.

Sit and Sew Days offer fellow quilters a great social experience to gather together for a day of sewing or quilting on projects of thier choice.

The Guild is supplying lunch for all of us and we'll have ironing boards, irons, and a cutting station set up for you to use. All you'll need to bring, (other than your lovely self), is your sewing machine, tools, and projects to work on.

UFO Challenge

Our UFO challenge concludes
October 16th when the winning
names of three participating
quilters will be chosen in a
random drawing. Please make sure

before the drawing starts that you have a collected a ticket for each UFO Quilt you've completed during this contest's timeframe. Sherry Little has the ticket jar.

We'll be doing this exact same challenge again for the upcoming year. Same rules, same \$5 fee, and of course, another chance for you to finish up a few more of your outstanding projects. If you would like to join this challenge, you'll find a copy of the UFO Contest form at the end of this newsletter.

Membership

Antoinette Gratteri reports as of September, TVQG has



55 paid members for the 2018-2019 membership year. TVQG would like to thank everybody who has already renewed their membership for the upcoming year. If you are interested in joining TVQG or renewing your

membership, application forms are available at the Welcome table at General Meetings or at TVQG's website, https://tvqg.wordpress.com/.

Stay tuned for exciting information about TVQG's next Quilt Challenge!

Retreat Information

The Oregon Garden's Retreat will take place March 15th through 17th, 2019. Your Oregon Gardens Retreat Coordinator is Sue Brim. The Tilikum Retreat will take place April 25th through 28th, 2019. Your Tilikum Retreat Coordinators are Judi Derry, Sue Capell, Cathy Harper.

Quilts of Valor

TVQG maintains an active Quilts of Valor sewing group. Our group strives to complete two quilts a year. The next monthly QOV sewing group will meet Saturday, November 3rd starting at 10:30am at Ace Sew and Vac in Newberg.



If you are interested in joining this group, please let LoisMarie Mayer know, her email is lov2kwilt@aol.com.

Treasury Update



Treasurer, Michelle Faber reports TVQG's bank balance as of October 2nd was Balance is \$5,658.40. She also noted the 2017-2018 Final

Budget Balanced with an actual excess of \$131.36 versus budget.

TVQG Website

TVQG maintains an active website presence at https://tvqg.wordpress.com/. Our website contains information for prospective and active member including meeting minutes, the latest available membership roster, current and past



Block-of-the-Month patterns, and a newsletter archive.

Charity News

The TVQG Charity Sewing Group meets the first Monday of the month at Sherwood Senior Center, 21907 SW Sherwood Blvd. Their next Charity Sew Day will be Monday, November 1st starting at 10:00 am. Charity Sew Days are open to everyone with no fee to participate, just bring your own sewing machine and tools. If attending you may bring your own charity project to work on or use fabrics from their quilting supply closet.

Good Neighbor Center (GNC) of Tigard welcomes donations other than quilts. At this time of the year, they really need school supplies, especially 1" binders, and ink pens. Also, they are always in need of trash bags, paper

towels, personal grooming supplies or pantry-sustainable food items such as cereal, coffee, rice, pasta or snacks for the kid's lunches. To make it easier for you, Vergie & Betty invite you to bring your donation items to any of our General Meeting and they will deliver them to the Good Neighbor Center for you, along with any quilts you would like to have donated specifically to them.

THANK YOU - It doesn't matter if the cause you support is local or a world away, or if it benefits kids, adults, seniors, animals, or our planet, they're all deserving of our help. So on behalf of TVQG, we would simply like say "thank you" for donating your time, effort, or money to support a cause that is near and dear to your heart.



October Birthdays

Sue Capell - October 1st

Ila Peters - October 24th

LoisMarie Mayer - October 27th

Sharon Orella - October 27th

Doreen Kemp - October 29th



Block of the Month

October Block of the Month



TVQG members are invited to make the Bento Box block as the October Block of the Month. Instructions to make this block are available at the end of this newsletter or our web page's members-only section. It's your fabric suggested choices be reds, with

white, white-on-white or off-white. For each completed block brought in you will receive a raffle ticket. We'll hold a drawing for these blocks at our October 16th meeting.

Greeters

Each month we have a greeter to assist welcoming attendees to our monthly meetings. Donna Gilbo will be our greeter for October and for November it will be Judi Derry.

Our lives are like quilts bits and pieces, joy and sorrow, stitched with love.

Fat Quarter of the Month October Fat Quarter Theme

At each general meeting, our quilters bring in various themed fat quarters. For each Fat Quarter brought in the quilter receives a raffle ticket. The October theme is "Fireplace"



or Hearth". Brick reds, burnt orange, blazing yellows, or fabrics that resembles fire, flames or a fireplace would be within the realm of this theme.

Door Prizes

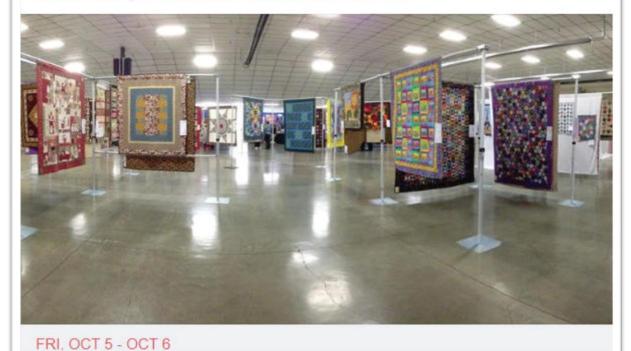
Past President, Erin Davis informed everyone attending the August General Meeting that TVQG's board has been discussing making changes to our door prize awards. She solicited comments and suggestions as well as answered questions about TVQG's Door Prizes. Our members responded by saying they would abide by whatever decision the board makes regarding adding cash to the door prize envelopes. So, at our October board meeting the board members approved a motion to award only gift certificates and **not** to include cash. However, Door Prize amounts are being increased to from \$10 to \$20 per envelope, and we'll continue to choose two door prize winners at each General Meeting.

Of Interest to Quilters

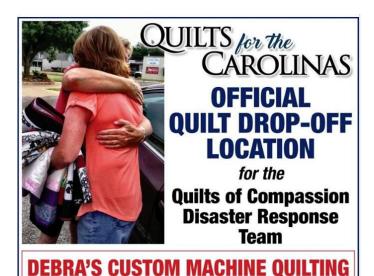
Here is a great resource for locating quilt shops within Oregon, and while you're at it you might just want to take a second or two to browse around Quilting Hub's entire website because it contains a lot of information relevant to quilters throughout the United States. To view this directory, please select this link: Quilting Hub's Oregon Quilt Shop Directory.



West Sound Quilters present "Coming Up Roses!", our 2018 show featuring 275+ quilts, demonstrations, vendors, raffles and a cafe'! Our featured artist is Susan Hondros. Next door at the Kitsap Sun Pavilion will be Kitsap's Fall Home Show. Admission \$5.







A worldwide collaborative art project commemorating the lives of the



physically and mentally disabled people lost in the atrocities of WWII. **Get involved: the70273project.org**





Columbia River Gorge Quilters' Guild

Quilt Show

October 19-20, 2018

Friday - Saturday, 10am-5pm

Quilting Demos Quilter's Market

Admission: \$6

Hood River Armory 1590 - 12th Street, Hood River, OR

For more information, visit: www.gorgequiltersguild.org

STASH BAZAAR FALL 2018



Saturday October 6, 2018 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

- Fabric Books Patterns •
- Sewing & Quilting Supplies
- Quilts & Handmade Gifts

FREE Admission and FREE Parking

Salmon Creek United Methodist Church 12217 NE Highway 99 Vancouver, WA 98686

Sponsored by Clark County Quilters www.clarkcountyquilters.org



2018 Columbia River Gorge Quilt Show

October 19-20, 2018 Hood River Armory

NEW this year: No Judging fees! All Quilts are Eligible to Win Awards!

Attendees will vote for their three faborite quilts (money awards):

Best of Show (First Place)

2 Runners-Up

New Ribbon Award Categories: It Makes Me Laugh Sew Colorful

Can you Believe All These Pieces Best Quilting by Maker

Best Quilting by \$\$\$ (Professional)

Most Humorous Quilt Most Colorful Quilt

Quilt with Most Impressive Handwork

First Time Entries
More to come!!!

ENTRY FORMS FOR QUILTS DUE MONDAY, OCT 1 FINAL QUILT DROP OFF DAY: MONDAY, OCT 8



SEW CREATIVE & COLORFUL! LOTS OF EXCITING NEW BOOTHS!

Northwest Quilt, Craft & Sewing Festival

WA State Fairgrounds/Puyallup (110 9th Ave SW)
(Gold lot & gate / Pavilion Bldg) FREE PARKING!

OCT 18, 19 & 20, 2018

Thurs & Fri 10 am - 5 pm, Sat. 10 am - 4 pm (Come Thursday for Early Buying Privileges)

SEWING . QUILTING . NEEDLE-ARTS . CRAFTS

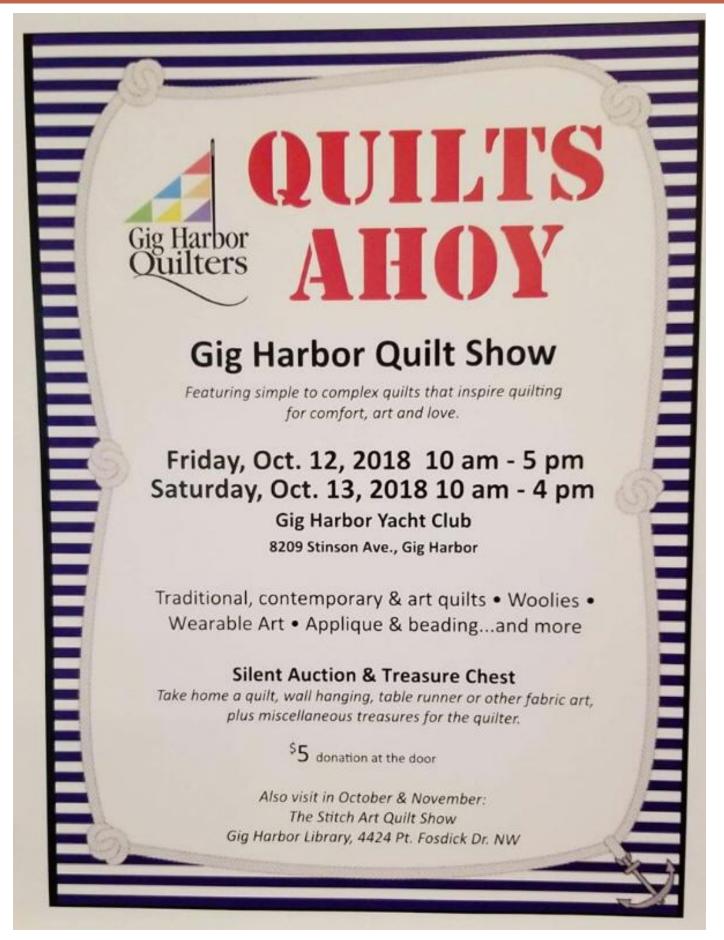
See and buy the latest supplies, fabrics, notions patterns and tools... all under one roof!

\$500 CASH Given daily at 9:30 am!

After winners are announced, everyone in line may proceed upstairs for early shopping & free cocoa / coffee!

\$1 OFF ADMISSION!

Ticket Valid All 3 Days \$10 without coupon / photocopies okay









2018 Quilt Block Contest

Theme - Rhapsody in Blue

Guidelines

Colors
Any color of Blue, Solid or Print and
White or White on White

Size $12\,\%$ " x $12\,\%$ " To finish as a 12" x 12" block

- Use Pre-washed 100% cotton fabric
- Do not set blocks on point
- Block may be pieced and/or appliquéd but appliqué must be trimmed on back
- Please, no fusing of fabrics
 too difficult to hand quilt
- Entries limited to 2 blocks per person

Bring blocks to: Old Aurora Colony Museum 15018 2nd St. NE, Aurora, OR 97002

> or By Mail:

Old Aurora Colony Museum PO Box 202, Aurora, OR 97002

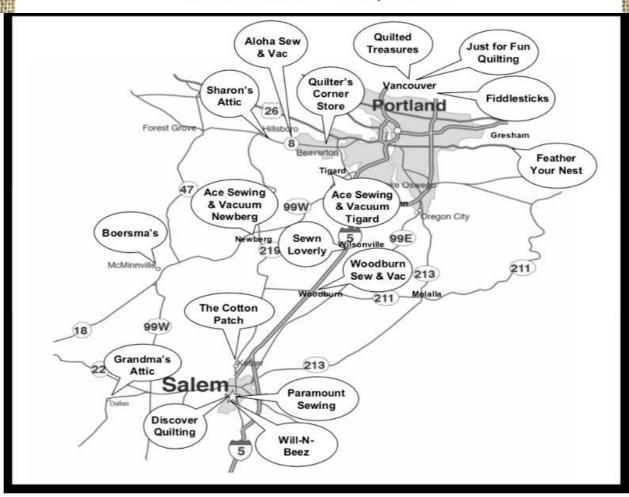
Quilt Blocks due Friday, October 19, 2018

Harvest and Stitches Quilt Shop Hop 2018

Marvest and Stitches™



October 6 - 20, 2018



Quilting-Related Services



Sue Capell
503-538-3600
Capellsue@gmail.com
Hand guided overall and
custom quilting since 2004











Coline's Quilting Service
916-719-4923 or 503-902-0116

Coline Simmons

Handguided Longarm Quilter for 18 years

1160 Orchard Lane. Woodburn, Oregon
97071

user569278@aol.co



BOM Instructions

BENTO BOX QUILT BLOCK Reds and White on white or offwhite

Cutting Instructions: may use 2 1/2 in strips

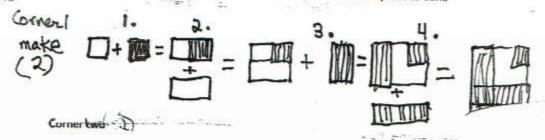
Red: Cut (4) 2 ½ x 2 ½ in sq. Cut (4) 2 ½ in x 4 ½ in. Cut (2) 2 ½ in x 6 ½ in.

Light: Cut (4) 2 ½ in sq. Cut (4) 2 ½ x 4 ½ in. Cut (2) 2 ½ in x 6 ½ in.

ASSEMBLY: There are four corners of the block, two identical pieces of each pattern. Please use diagram to construct corners as it is easy to misplace pieces.

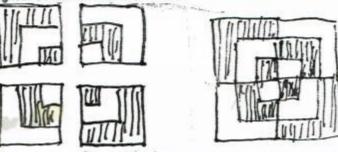


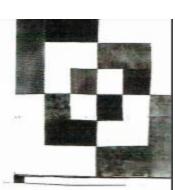
Join light and dark squares.
 Join light 4 ½ to squares 3. Join red 4 ½ in to white side.
 Join red 6 ½ in strip to block as indicated in example. Be sure to press to dark.



Join light and red squares.
 Join dark 4 ½ to squares.
 Join White 4 ½ to red side.
 Join light 6 ½ in strip to block as indicated.

The corners should measure to 6 % in square. Square them by using to 45 degree line to corners of inner blocks. Assemble the corners as indicated in diagram. Be sure to utilize opposing seams to keep seams aligned. Do not trim final 12 % in block.





TUALATIN VALLEY QUILT GUILD UFO CONTEST

NAME:			

Turn this form into the UFO contest Chair. Make sure to keep a copy for yourself! The contest will run on the honor system. If you give your completed quilts away before the reveal meeting bring a photo of the complete project(s) to the reveal meeting.

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