

Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild

TVQG NEWSLETTER May 2019

May Meeting Venue Change

The May 21st TVQG Meeting will be held at the King City Crown Center located at 16880 SW 126th Ave, King City.

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The Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild (TVQG) meets at 7:00pm the third Tuesday of the month January thru November at 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's
- * Name Tag
- * Show and Tell Quilts
- * Charity Donation items



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May Program

Please welcome TVQG's May speaker, Michael McCormick of Quiltfolk Magazine. Following is a little information about both Michael and Quiltfolk.



Quiltfolk is a new quarterly magazine for quilters. Each issue focuses on quilters in a particular part of the United States and includes over a dozen human-interest stories accompanied by luscious photography. The pages are off-set print on high-quality paper with no ads. It's a beautiful publication and an inspiring read for anyone interested in the craft of quilting.

The project was founded by Michael McCormick, a former baseball play for the Tampa Bay Rays. He's not a quilter and at first glance seems like an unlikely founder for a quilt magazine.

2019-2020 Elections

Nominations

With the end of TVQG's current business year fast approaching, nominations for TVQG President, Vice-President, Treasurer and Secretary positions are being accepted until May 21st General Meeting.

Elections

Elections of TVQG officers will be held during the May 21st Meeting. Committee Chairpersons are appointed by President.



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Many of the officer and committee positions only need a minimal time commitment and we've found volunteering be an officer, committee chairperson or committee member is a great way to get to know your fellow quilters better and really are a lot of fun.

To find more information about any position, contact the current officer or chairperson or take a look at the Position Descriptions posted in the member's only portion of our website, https://tvqg.wordpress.com/

Winter Bazaar



Just a quick reminder - although November seems like a long way away, it's

never too early to start making items for the Winter Bazaar. This is the only fundraising event TVQG participates in. Income generated from the Winter Bazaar sales allow us to give back to our community through charitable donations and benefit all our members by allowing us to continue to present high-quality speakers or programs at our monthly meetings.

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Quilting Challenges

Throughout the year TVQG offers several quilting challenges. These challenges are intended to help increase member's quilting skills and may include making quilts to benefit local charities.

Cares NW Book & Quilt Challenge

At our last board meeting, Betty Murphy announced a cooperative program between King City Senior Village and TVQG to create a bookthemed child quilt to benefit the Cares Northwest organization. Details of this Challenge will be handed out at the May 2019 Meeting.



UFO Challenge



In November 2018 Quilters participating in this challenge documented their UFO's and paid a \$5 fee to join the challenge. For every

finished UFO (or picture) that they share during the Show and Tell segment at any General Meeting between now and October 2019, they'll earn a drawing ticket. At the conclusion of the challenge, three winning names will be drawn and prizes will be rewarded.

Round Robin Challenge Quilt

Starting in July 2019 and concluding in February 2020. TVQG will offer members the opportunity to take part in a Round Robin Quilt Challenge. LoisMarie



Mayer will be the moderator of this popular quilting challenge. Information to participate in this challenge will be distributed to members at an upcoming General Meeting.

Membership



As of the beginning of May, TVQG had grown to 69 members. An updated Membership Roster is available in Members Only Area of TVQG's Website.

2019-2020 Membership Year

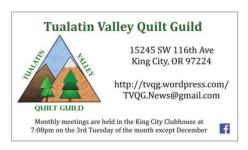
Membership forms for next year will be available as of the June 18th General Meeting. Yearly dues will remain at \$35. We're looking forward to having you renew or join TVQG, and are excited to see our membership grow as quilters from our local community join our guild.

2020 Retreat Dates Finalized

Dates for the TVQG-sponsored retreats have been finalized and deposits have been sent to both venues. Next year's three-day Oregon Garden Retreat will be held March 13th through March 15, 2020 and our four-day Tilikum Retreat dates are April 23rd through April 26, 2020.

TVQG Business Cards

Because you are a wonderful resource in promoting our guild, a supply of TVQG business cards have been printed and are



available at the Sign-In Desk during our General Meetings. We encourage to pick up a few to pass out to individuals or business that may want to know more about us.

Treasurer's Report



TVQG's Treasurer, Michelle Faber reports after paying retreat-related and other operating expenses as of May 7, 2019, TVQG has a Treasury Balance of \$6,726.47

TVQG Website

TVQG maintains an active web presence. Our website, https://tvqg.wordpress.com/ contains information for prospective and active members and includes General Meeting minutes, the membership roster,

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

Instructional and Sewing Events

TVQG has booked the multi-purpose room at the King



City Clubhouse for July 20th for a hands-on instructional quilting workshop. There will be a \$5 fee to attend this TVQG-sponsored community event. Details and a sign-up sheet for this workshop will be available at the upcoming May

21st General Meeting. Then on Saturday, October 19th we will be presenting a class in a sew day-type setting.

TVQG events are always open for everyone in the community to attend.

TVQG Charity Efforts

At our May 18th meeting, the Charity Quilters will announce a new quilting challenge. This challenge is being done in cooperation with the King City Senior Village and will benefit the Cares NorthWest charity quilt program.

Charity Quilters Sew Days

TVQG Charity Sew Days are open to everyone with no fee to participate. Charity Sew Days take place on the first Monday of every month at the Sherwood Senior Center. Just bring your own sewing machine and project to work on or select a project from their well-stocked Charity Quilting Closet. TVQG's next Charity Quilt Sew Day will take place Monday, May 6, 2019.

Days for Girls

TVQG has adopted Days for Girls as an ongoing charity to support. Their organization provides lasting hygiene solutions, health education, and income-generation opportunity to girls in Sub-Saharan Africa, India, and the rural areas of Brazil. For more information about Days for Girls, contact their Portland Chapter at portlandor@daysforgirls.org or call 503-550-0516.

Good Neighbor Center

The Good Neighbor Center always needs food, personal grooming supplies, and cleaning products. If you have any of these items to donate, please bring them to any General Meeting. Our Charity Quilters team will deliver your donations for you. Also if you have completed a quilt, or even a quilt top, that you would to donate to GNC, please give it to Betty Murphy or Vergie Karlson at the next general meeting.

CARES Northwest

CARES NW helps children who are abused or neglected by providing them with a quilt. Their mission is to stop child abuse and neglect through multidisciplinary prevention, medical evaluation, and ongoing treatment in partnership with the community. If interested in helping, their website at http://www.caresnw.org/.

Quilts of Valor



TVQG maintains an active Quilts of Valor sewing group. Our group strives to complete two quilts a year. QOV Sew Our next QOV Sew Day will take place Saturday, May 11th starting at 10:30 am, and are

held at Ace Sew and Vacuum in Newberg. If you are interested in joining please let LoisMarie Mayer know, her email is lov2kwilt@aol.com.

Block of the Month

May Block of the Month



TVQG members are invited to make the Little Birdie block as the 2019 Block-of-the-Month. Instructions to make this block are available in the member's only area of TVQG's webpage or at the end of this newsletter. It's suggested this block be made using white or white on white as the background fabric with coordinated print fabrics in your choice color for the bird. We'll hold a drawing for the blocks at our May 21, 2019, General Meeting.

Fat Quarter of the Month

May 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. For May the theme is Anything Tropical. Any fat quarter that

Tropical. Any fat quarter that makes you think "tropical" would fit this theme perfectly.



Door Prizes

Each month two \$20 gift certificates are awarded to quilters attending the General Meeting. Everyone attending the meeting, guests included, will receive a ticket for the drawing. Members may earn a second ticket for the drawing, just by wearing their nametag.

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Birthday's

TVQG would like to extend Happy Birthday wishes to the following guilters:



Averill Abbott May 3rd
Cindy Calderwood May 5th
Helen Crowell May 11th
Chris Wallbridge May 13th
Cindy Loza May 15th
Judy Orlandini May 28th
Donna Gilbo May 31st



Of Interest to Quilters

<u>REQUEST FROM A MEMBER</u>: Guild Members, My friend JoAnne Bostwick is a Registered Nurse going on a medical mission in mid-June with the Ourganda Ministries organization. <u>ourganda.org</u>. They will be working with remote villages along the Congo border. JoAnn will be teaching hygiene. The need is great for girl's hygiene kits; this would include the "days for girls" shield and pads. The girls and women are shunned and may suffer abuse because of their monthly menstrual cycle. Sherry at one time gave us a pattern, it is also online. If any members could take the time to make some of these items, I will collect them for JoAnn. For additional information regarding this request please contact Paula Cash at <u>paula@thecashs.com</u>

Sew and Quilt Classes



Aloha Sew and Vacuum has assembled a nice list of class offerings. Here is a link to their current class lineup. https://www.alohavacnsew.com/classes-events.htm.

New Quilt Shops

The Cotton Cure 133 SE 3rd Avenue Hillsboro, OR 97123



Debs Quilting

Located at 1214- 3rd St Lafayette, OR (971) 267-6096 Deb's Quilting Facebook Link





19045 S Beavercreek Rd. Oregon City, OR 97045

503-908-1398

Hours: 10 to 5 Tuesday - Saturday.

Closed Sunday & Monday Cedar Ridge Quilts Website

Shows and Events



Heart of the Basin Quilt Guild would like to invite your guild members and your friends to our quilt show. It will be July 27 & 28th, 9 - 5 on Saturday and 9 -3 on Sunday, at the Sacred Heart Parish and Gym at the corner of 8th and High streets in downtown Klamath Falls, OR. We will be displaying many traditional, modern and art quilts. There will be Vendors, a Raffle Quilt, Raffle Baskets, Challenge Quilts, and a Bed Turning display by Nell Mathern, Resist Fabric Painting Demonstrations by Colleen Pelfry, a Kid's Treasure Hunt and more! There will be a food vendor on site. The daily admission is \$5, and children 12 and under are free. For more information visit www.heartofthebasin.com.



Coffee Creek Quilters

Annual Fabric Sale & Fundraiser

Saturday, July 27, 2019 8 am - 2 pm

Everything reduced to half price from noon to 2:00 pm

St Francis Episcopal Church, Parish Hall

8818 NE Miley Rd, Wilsonville, OR (From I-5, Charbonneau Exit)

Quilt kits
Notions

₽ Patterns
₽ Books

UFOs
Sewing machines

^{*} Flat folds priced at \$12/lb Fat quarters priced at 25¢/fat quarter



Cash, checks, credit cards accepted

All proceeds from sales will go to support the CCQ program Quilting to change women's lives, in prison and beyond

For more information about Coffee Creek Quilters go to: www.coffeecreekquilters.org



Annual Quilt Show Quilts Annual Quilt Show Quilts for Sale

Welcoming New Members

10 am - 4 pm

Estacada First Baptist Church 29101 SE Eagle Creek Rd. Estacada, OR 97023

Notions, Books forSale



Featured Quilter



Door

70 x 72 "Skip A Week Sampler" **Opportunity Quilt**

Refreshments

Documentation (As Port of the Oregon Quilt

Free Admission **Donations Appreciated**

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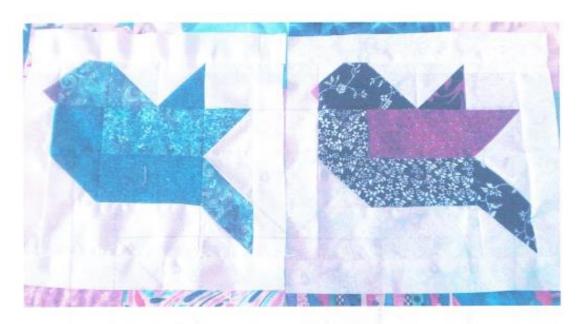
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Our lives are like quilts - bits and pieces, joy and sorrow, stitched with love.

BOM Instructions



Materials Needed:

Beak : $1 - 1 \frac{1}{2}$ square folded in $\frac{1}{2}$ horizontally, then fold upper corners to

the center making a small triangle Head and tail: 1 - 2 1/2 square

2 - 2 1/8" squares (for half square triangles)

Tummy & upper wing: 1 - 2 1/2° square

1 - 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangle

1 - 2 7/8" (for half square triangles)

Wing: 1 - 2/12 x 4 1/2" rectangle

1 - 2 1/2* square (for 1 half square triangle)

Background: 1 - 1 1/2" square

3 - 2 7/8" squares (for half square triangles)

1 - 2 1/2 x 6 1/2" rectangle

2 - 1 1/2 x 8 1/2" rectangles

2 - 1 1/2 x 10 1/2" rectangles

Instructions:

Sew 1 1/2° D diagonally on one corner of A 2 1/2° square (for head)

Pin beak onto the same edge, lining up so the beak lines up with the slant of the head

Using Colors B & D 2 1/8" squares, make 2 half square triangles

Using Colors A & D 2 7/8" squares, make 4 half square triangles, discard 1

Using Colors C & D 2 1/2* squares make one half square triangle unit by sewing once diagonally.