

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

REMINDER: Remember to bring to the next meeting:

BOM & FQs

Name Tag

Show and Tell

Charity Donations



November Speaker

TVQG is very excited to have the well-known Sam Hunter as a guest speaker at their November 19th guild meeting. Here is what she has to say about herself.

"I'm Sam Hunter, a fiber artist, and quilt pattern designer. I started sewing when I was 7 and haven't really stopped since. I started quilting in my 20's, and teaching quilting shortly thereafter. I hold an MFA in Fiber Art and blend this classic training with my sense of play in all that I do. I believe that everyone has innate artistic talent, and I love helping people find theirs. I'm a relaxed, encouraging, and generous teacher, and I love to share the joy of making beautiful things.

Holiday Bazaar

Judy Orlandini and Carol Springer are this year's Coordinators.

Bazaar Dates

The Bazaar is taking place as I write this newsletter. Things were going very well when I left this morning.

How Are Bazaar Funds Used?

Just a reminder - this is the only fundraiser our guild holds.

Funds made from the Winter Bazaar help our guild help to provide a fantastic array of speakers throughout the year. They offset our operating costs, are used to buy quilting supplies for our charity groups, and allow us to provide cash donations to other non-profit organizations.

As you know, TVQG is a non-profit organization which means we support multiple charities both locally and nationwide. Our quilts go to homeless shelters, hospitals, seniors, children in foster care, and to families affected by disasters like fire and floods. We support our veterans through our Quilts of Valor efforts and donate checks to organizations like Days for Girls, Good Neighbor Center, and the Red Cross, just to name a few.

Volunteers

Thanks to all who volunteered to help at the Bazaar table this year. Your assistance is very much appreciated.

What Can I Make

It is likely we will take part in next year's Bazaar. If you want to get a head start for that, here are suggestions: Of course, quilts, because we are a quilt guild, aren't we? Any size quilt is great, but lap, twin, baby, and children-sizes seem to be the best sellers. Table runners, especially holiday or seasonal, placemats, napkins, mug rugs, coasters, fabric bowls, potholders, oven mitts, decorated towels, pillowcases, pin cushions, aprons, children's bibs, wall hangings, decorated bed or sofa pillows, shawls, totes or shopping bags. Other suggestions would be purses, zippered cosmetic or travel bags, shoe covers for packing shoes in a suitcase, storage cases, stuffed children or pet toys, Christmas ornaments, table covers----OK, by now I think you get

the picture. Google "Easy to make craft fair items" and you'll get a whole list of suggestions.

Unsold Items

Any unsold items will be brought to the November meeting. Before the meeting starts at 7:00pm the maker of any unsold items will have an opportunity to take their creations home. Then during the break, we'll sell any leftover items at a discounted price. Our goal is to not have any items to store from year to year.

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. They also are quite fun and include prizes.

Cares NW Book & Quilt Challenge

Betty Murphy is heading up a cooperative program between King City Senior Village and TVQG to create a book-themed child quilt to benefit the Cares Northwest organization. Details of this Challenge are posted to our website <https://tvqg.wordpress.com/> and have been included at the end of this newsletter. We will be displaying these quilts at the Senior Village. You may also bring any quilts you want to display, also display and sell. The date for this show hasn't yet been determined.



UFO Challenge

This challenge is over. At this month's meeting, three winning names will be drawn and prizes will be awarded.

Round Robin Challenge Quilt

Starting in July 2019 and concluding in February 2020. TVQG will offer the opportunity for our quilters to take part in a Round Robin Quilt Challenge. LoisMarie Mayer is the moderator of this popular quilting challenge. The information has been posted on our website <https://tvqg.wordpress.com/>.



Wait until you see what is up for next year's challenges...

Membership

2019-2020 Membership Year



Membership forms for this year became available as of the May 2019 General Meeting. Yearly dues will remain at \$35. Members should have renewed their membership by now.

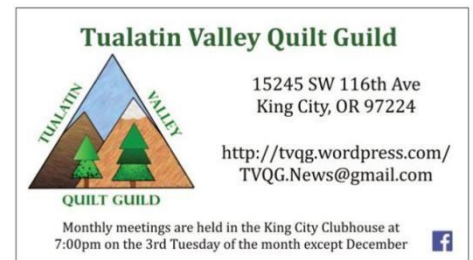
Membership forms are available at the Meeting Check-In desk, at our website <https://tvqg.wordpress.com/>. Please feel free to pass these on to friends or relatives that might enjoy our guild.

Retreat Dates

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 coordinators are Sue Brim, Cindy Calderwood, and Cathy Chase. This retreat will be held March 13th through March 15, 2020. Our four-day Tilikum Retreat dates are Thursday, April 23rd through Sunday, April 26, 2020. Our Tilikum Retreat Coordinators are Sue Capell, Cathy Harper, and Judi Derry. The registration form for the Oregon Garden Retreat is attached.

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 you to pick up a few to pass out to individuals or businesses that may want to know more.

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

Our next Sit and Sew Day will be Saturday, April 4, 2020. For this Sew Day, we've secured the large Banquet Room at the King City Clubhouse, so we'll have plenty of space to spread out. If you're interested in joining us for the April Sit and Sew we'll have a sign-up sheet at our General Meeting Check-In table. or you can contact us at tvqg.news@gmail.com to sign up, but hurry spots fill up fast. There is a \$5 reservation fee to hold your spot to attend this Sew Day. We'll have a cutting and ironing stations set up for you to use. Lunch will be provided.

TVQG Charity Efforts

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. You don't have to be a guild member to take part, so invite your friends, neighbors or relatives. TVQG's next two Charity Quilt Sew Days will take place on December 2, 2019, and January 6, 2020.

Good Neighbor Center

The Good Neighbor Center (GNC) always needs food, personal grooming supplies, and cleaning products. Our quilters are encouraged to bring in items that GNC may need. Suggested items include personal grooming supplies, non-perishable food items (canned or boxed items, pasta, rice, etc.), paper towels, toilet tissue, cleaning supplies, trash or storage bags, and bedding items (used is OK as long as it's clean and in good shape). If you have any of these items to donate, please bring them to a General Meeting and our Charity Quilters team will deliver the 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.

We'll have the Good Neighbor Center donation box available by the check-in table at our upcoming November 19th Meeting. They have a great need currently for socks and underwear.

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/>.

Reminder: TVQG's Challenge to make a book-themed children's quilt is currently underway. If you would like to review the details of this challenge, they are attached at the end of the newsletter.

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, or reach out to Sherry Little.

Following is an email regarding other ways to help Days for Girls.

Hello DFG Friends!

As our hearts turn toward giving, blessings, and gratitude, here are some easy ways to support Days For Girls this season!

1-Organize a hotel-size soap and/or washcloth drive! This can be with a few friends, school, work, book groups, neighbors, church and community organizations, etc. Washcloths should be bright or dark-colored, 100% cotton. No white, microfiber or dishcloths, please. Washcloths do not need to be top of the line or luxury— just basics are perfect.

You can drop off donated items behind the gate on the west side of the driveway here:

15378 SW 82nd Place Tigard, OR 97224

Or if you'd like to just bulk order on Amazon, you can have items sent to: Days For Girls

15378 SW 82nd Place Tigard, OR 97224

2-Attend a DFG workday or contact us about working at home: Thursday, December 12th, 10 am-2 pm—drop in any time and we'll put you to work! Jessica Lancaster's home 5355 SW Lee St. Tualatin, 97062

3-If you would like to learn the basics of art composition and design, 10% of your tuition for a six-week class will be donated to Days For Girls. Demonstrations will be with watercolor, but other mediums are welcome. Class Dates: Thursdays, 12-2:30 pm. 11/20, 12/11, 12/18, 1/8, 1/22, 2/5. For more information, contact Leslie Boyce at ljboyce@gmail.com.

Quilts of Valor



TVQG maintains an active Quilts of Valor sewing group. Our group strives to complete two quilts a year. When announced, QOV Sew Days take place on a Saturday,

starting at 10:30 am, and are usually 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

November Block of the Month



TVQG members are invited to make the State Fair Block as the November 2019 Block-of-the-Month. Instructions to make this block are available in the [Block-of-the-Month Section](#) of our website or at the end of this newsletter. It's suggested this block be made using Light Beige as the background fabric, brown fabric for the center, gold or yellow fabric for the flower petals and green fabric for the leaves. We'll hold a drawing for the blocks at our November 19, 2019, General Meeting.

Fat Quarter of the Month

November 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 November, the theme is **Fall**. Suggestions are woods, leaves, trees, and solids.

Here's a list of future Fat Quarter themes:

January 2020: Blizzards - snow

February 2020: Hearts galore

March 2020: Garden delights - vegetables

April 2020: Mother Goose May 2020: Spring flowers

June 2020: Barnyard critters

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.

Ticket Colors:

Blue = Fat Quarter

Red = Block of the Month

Single Ticket (color varies)= UFO

Dark Blue = Meeting Attendees Gift Certificates

Birthdays

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



Bonnie Schweizer	Nov 1 st
Bonnie Hastrich	Nov 14 th
Judi Derry	Nov 23 rd
Carol Springer	Nov 23 rd
Bonnie Holt	Nov 24 th
Sarah Ely	Dec 7 th
Christine Sheridan	Dec 23 rd

Quilt Sizes

BED SIZE	MATTRESS SIZE	QUILT SIZE	BATTING SIZE
CRIB	27" X 52"	36" X 54"	45 X 60"
TWIN	39" X 75"	54" X 90"	81" X 96"
FULL	54" X 75"	72" X 90"	90" X 108"
QUEEN	60" X 80"	90" X 108"	120" X 120"
KING	76" X 80"	108" X 108"	120" X 120"

Pre cut fabrics - sizes

FABRIC TYPE	INCHES	CENTIMETER
MINI CHARM SQUARES	2.5" X 2.5"	6.36 cm X 6.36 cm
CHARM SQUARES	5" X 5"	12.7 cm X 12.7 cm
JELLY ROLLS	2.5" X 42"	6.35 cm X 106.6 cm
LAYER CAKE SQUARES	10" X 10"	25.4 cm X 25.4 cm
HONEY BUN	1.5" X 42"	5.35 cm X 106.6 cm
DESSERT ROLL	5" X 42"	12.7 cm X 106.6 cm
TURNOVER TRIANGLES	6"	15.24 cm
HONEYCOMB HEXAGONS	6"	15.24 cm
FAT EIGHTH	9" X 21"	22.86 cm X 53.3 cm
FAT EIGHTH	11" X 18"	28 cm X 45.7 cm
FAT QUARTER	18" X 21"	45.7 cm X 53.3 cm
QUARTER YARD	9" X 44"	22.86 cm X 112 cm
HALF YARD	18" X 44"	45.7 cm X 112 cm
ONE YARD	36" X 44"	91.4 cm X 112 cm

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A Quilter's Oath

All quilters start out as beginners.
No one is born knowing how.
But all who would be good quilters
Should make this solemn vow:



I will buy only quality fabrics.
I will keep clean my sewing machine.
I will help my fellow quilters
Be they eighty or seventeen.

I will carefully follow directions
That I am given in class
So that what I'm trying to make
Will truly come to pass.



I will try never to feel guilty
About my stash or my UFOs:
These are part of the quilting mystique
As every quilter knows.



Above all, I will embrace
The joys that quilting imparts
Of friendship, fun and sharing
That cheers and fills our hearts.

And when I'm no more a beginner
I won't hold in disdain
Those who know less than I do--
Who knows what heights they may attain?



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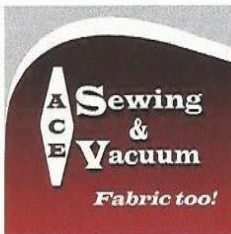
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A Note from Sherry Little

Would you like a t-shirt (or other clothing items) with the Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild logo printed on it? The TVQG Board has been looking into what it would take to have t-shirts (or jackets, or travel mugs, or other items with our logo) available for purchase by our members. A company called Custom Ink can print our logo on a huge collection of clothing items, drinkware, tote bags, etc. (Most of these other items have a 'minimum order' number ranging from 12 to 60 items.) TVQG could make a "group order" of one specific item, such as a t-shirt or sweatshirt. The minimum number of items for a "group order" is six.

If at least 6 TVQG members want to purchase a shirt, we can proceed with setting up a group order from Custom Ink. We will start an account with them and determine the type, style, and size of shirts that will be on our selection list. You would need to go to their website and work through the selecting, ordering, payment, and shipping process. We will probably have the items all shipped to the same address. Then we would 'place the order.' There will be a certain 'savings' to members of a group order, but it totally depends upon how many shirts are purchased. That means we won't know what the savings will be until we have a definite number of orders.

The Guild Board discussed the Custom Ink's fund-raiser options. It was decided that the Guild will not try to sell t-shirts to make money. The minimum number of required sales is too high a number and TVQG would be responsible for paying for all items that are not sold. Managing such a fund-raiser becomes quite complicated. Items like travel mugs would require minimum orders of 12-60 items and we may not have that many people who want a logo mug.

Custom Ink allows single orders. I made such an order. I chose a white, long-sleeve cotton t-shirt. I paid \$25 for it. It arrived in a couple of weeks, and I think it's a very nice shirt. I'll bring my new shirt to the Guild meeting on November 19th so you can see it.

Sherry Little

For Sale

Angus/Wagyu BEEF

- 100% grass raised & finished. Lean and healthy, no antibiotics or hormones.
- Halves, quarters or hamburger packs available.
- Special Price \$2.50/# hanging weight plus butchering costs.

For more info, call Sue Capell 503-538-3600

1932 Singer machine in original cabinet with attachments and instruction book for \$200. Contact Michelle Faber, cyrus4me@gmail.com.



For Free

I found the file I had for the TVQG logo in an embroidery machine format. Its current stitch-out size is 3.75" x 3.31", contains 10,409 stitches with 11 thread color changes. Right now it is in the .pes format, but I have the ability to edit it to dst, .pcs, .hus, .vip, .jef, or .sew formats. It is deliverable through email. Embroidery machine owners should know which format they need.

Carol Springer
carol.springer@gmail.com
503 598-3505 or 916-216-2111

Request for Donations

We got a flyer from Wings, the organization that helps kids who age out of Foster Care. I copied this part of it for the newsletter.

WE NEED BEDS!!

Hello all - I know it has been a long time since you last heard from me! Well, I have a million excuses, but between fixing up the house to sell and crazy summer, life got away again! We are doing Friendsgiving again this year so I promise a nice long email with amazing stories of success. By the way, the program is doing better than ever, thus the urgency of this request.

BEDS PLEASE!

With the house filled to the brim with moms and kids (5 moms and 8 kids), and two of the moms getting ready to graduate, we really need twin beds, toddler beds, 2 full sized beds and crib mattresses.

DRESSERS and HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

Our grads will also need dressers, small couches, end tables and household items.

Please call me at 541-380-3820 or email me at allvson@getwings.net and we will be right over to pick things up!

Thank you, as always, for your kindness and support!!

—Allyson Pate



TVQG Cooperative Charity Quilt Challenge

TVQG/CARES Northwest Quilt Challenge Details

TVQG's Charity Quilter's group would like to present to our guild members a cooperative quilt challenge program between *King City Senior Village* and TVQG to create a book-themed child quilt to benefit the *CARES Northwest organization*.

Challenge Details

- Quilter picks a book
 - Find a book that you would like to gift to a child.
 - The book may be new or used, as long as it is in good condition.
- Quilter makes a quilt that depicts an element from the book.
 - Your quilt may be as simple or as complex as you choose just as long as it represents even the simplest details from the book, such as a color.
 - The quilt should child-sized (infant through juvenile), with a minimum size of approximately 36" x 40" and a maximum size of 45" x 60".
- Participants will have from May 21, 2019, to the February 18, 2020, General Meetings to complete their project.
- At the February 18, 2020 meeting quilters will be given the opportunity to present their quilt along with the book that inspired it.
- Our Charity Quilter's Team will then take your completed quilt and book set to the King City Senior Village, located at here in King City where it will be included in their onsite Quilt Show.
- Proposed date for King City Senior Village Quilt show has not been finalized but will be sometime in March or April of 2020.
 - We'll keep you updated with the show dates through our newsletter.
 - King City Senior Village will award 1st, 2nd, 3rd place ribbons to quilts presented in this category.
 - Donated quilts will then be forwarded to CARES Northwest

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TVQG Retreat 2020

Friday, March 13, 14 & 15th - 9:00 am Friday to Sunday, March 15th, 3:00 pm
The Garden Resort, Silverton Oregon

839 W. Main Street, Silverton Oregon

Please complete this page and return it with your check made payable to TVQG by November 19th. Please feel free to invite a friend. Mail to Sue Brim, 14300 SW Fair Oaks Drive, Sherwood OR 97140.

A non-refundable deposit of \$50.00 required to reserve your spot at the time of registration. **Registration due by November 19th, 2019 Guild meeting. Balance is due by January 15, 2020.**

[] \$397.00 for Single, Friday-Sunday (2 nights, Friday & Saturday, 2 Breakfast, 2 Lunch & 2 Dinners) []
\$277.00 for Double, Friday-Sunday (2 nights, Friday & Saturday, 2 Breakfast, 2 Lunch & 2 Dinners)

Name:

Address:

Phone:

email:

Emergency Contact Name:

Phone:

Please list any dietary restrictions (vegetarian, wheat, dairy, gluten, etc.)

Are you willing to bring any of the following for general use? (please check)

Other: Cutting Board () Display Wall ()

Single Room () Double Room ()

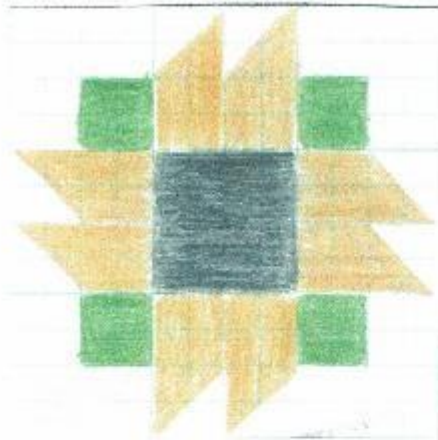
Requested Roommate(s):

If you are interested in a massage or other spa services, the resort offers you can call **Moonstone Spa at 503874-2503** to make an appointment during the retreat? Spa services are not included in the price of the retreat.

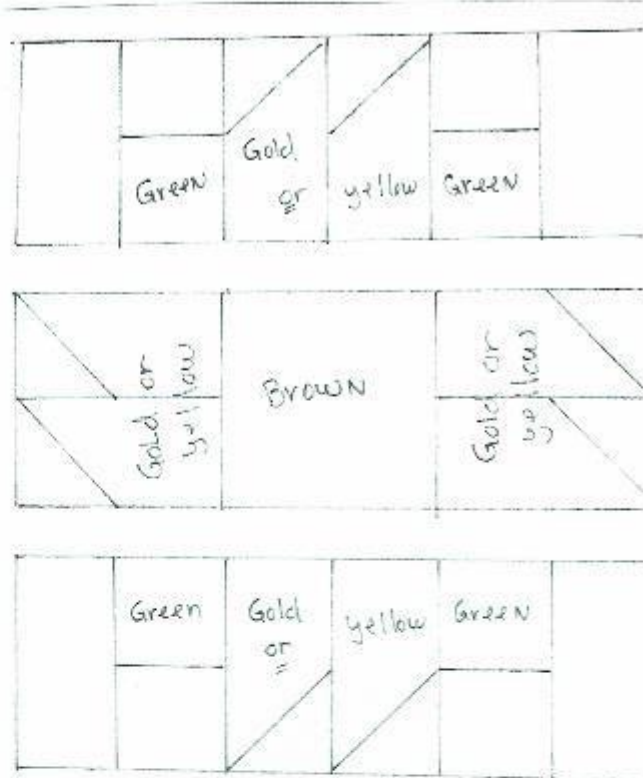
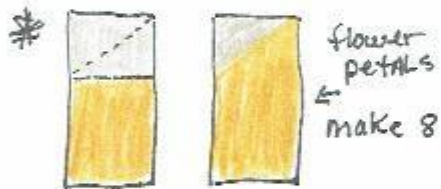
Deposit rcvd:

Balance rcvd:

State Fair
12 1/2" unfinished



use 1/4" SEAM



Background
(Light Beige) >

cut 4 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles
cut 12 2 1/2" squares, (mark diagonal
line on 8 of the squares for Flower
petals). *

Center >

cut 1 4 1/2" sq - BROWN

Flower Petals >

cut 8 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles - Gold
or yellow

Leaves >

cut 4 2 1/2" sqs. - green