

Anderson County Piecemakers Quilt Guild Newsletter



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Happy Sewing!

Can you believe it is August? Where did our summer go? It has been a busy one.

Our Project Day will be <u>August 3 at 10:00 am.</u> We will be working on <u>10-minute table runners</u> Fabric you will need: 12" X width of fabric and 19" X width of fabric. Size of finished product depends on what size you cut your fabric. Bring your sewing machine and your sewing supplies for you can come and be sociable. You can also bring your current projects.

We are trying to make things for the Bazaar that will be held on October 14 at the Senior Center. Stay tuned for more details.

Happy Birthday: Donna Nicolette-August 5, Joan Beard-August 13, Rhonda Barnette-August 24, June Denny-August 18, and Annette Fugal-August 20.

Don't forget your mystery quilt block, show and tell and your house blocks.

Next meeting is August 7, 2023, at 6:00 pm.

See you there!

Joan.

Joke/Riddle:

I am full of keys, but I cannot open any locks. I have space, but there's no room for storage. You can enter, but you can never leave. What am I?

Upcoming Events:

- September 1-2 Quilt Retreat at the Senior Center
- September 22-23 Heartland of Kentucky Quilt Show, Hardin County Extension office, in Elizabethtown. Sep 22, 9-5pm, Sep 23, 9-4pm.
- October 14, Saturday, Homemaker Bazaar at the Senior Center
- October 27-28- Heritage Craft Camp, Boyle County. Theme: Rocking Down Memory Lane (remember the rocking chairs at Jabez!)

7/03/23 at 6:00 pm at the UK Extension Building

Officers Joan Beard and Shelly Winsor were present.

Joan called the meeting to order and shared an inspirational thought by Patrick Henry in honor.

of Independence Day, "Is life so dear, or peace so sweet, as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery? Forbid it, Almighty God! I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty or give me death!"

We learned interesting facts about the 4th of July with a trivia quiz.

Welcome back to Q and Emily who brought their baby, Ellerie Jo.

Treasurer's report: was not available because of Pat's absence but Joan reported the check to the 4-H club has been received with gratitude.

Mary Lowry's mother passed away last week. The funeral was on Saturday. Prayers and thoughts for Mary and all who knew her.

The members decided we don't need to read the minutes of the previous meeting because it is available in the monthly newsletter.

Yearly dues have to be paid <u>by September</u>. The matter of increased county dues was addressed. Mattie commented that because the guild's current account balance is good, there is no need to increase the dues at this time. Shelly Winsor made the motion to not increase this year's dues; and motion was seconded by Linda Marean. The vote carried.

Pat is now walking with a walker and her recovery is going well.

Joan thanked all who attended the yearly meeting and recapped the awards given.

The Home Craft and Garden Fair had 41 exhibitors, and approximately 285 entries. The Patriotic basket made a profit of \$140. Betty Jo won best of show for her quilt and Linda M. for her t-shirt dress and watermelon pillow.

July 24th from 4 to 7 is our Dairy Queen fundraiser. Encourage family and friends to come.

Garnetta gave a report on her 4 H sewing camp. Ten children attended and made throw pillowcases, pillows and thread catchers. Next year the number of attendees will be limited to how many helpers are available. She will also incorporate a teacher day so all adult helpers will know what to expect and how they can help attendees.

July project day is this Thursday, we will be working on travel cases. Material needed are 3 coordinating fat quarters.

July birthdays were recognized.

Please bring in your "house" squares.

The Bazaar was voted on by the council and approved. The date will be October 14th at the Senior Center. Everyone was encouraged to submit items. Having donation baskets at the bazaar was discussed. Possibly having each group of Homemaker's doing a basket with a different theme. (Fall, Halloween, Christmas)

The council also voted to stop baking cookies for Meals on Wheels after August.

Mattie has been asked to be the Chairperson of the Christmas Stocking committee. The stocking project will continue as has been our tradition.

Joan handed out the 2nd clue for the mystery quilt and showed her cutouts for the previous clue. We have been asked to not share the clues outside our group because of infringement rights.

Shelly Winsor did the program showing different sewing projects that were simple and could be done with scrap fabric and might be items that can be used for the bazaar.

Sew and Tell

The program chairpersons for August are Mattie Spaulding, Pat Miller, Shelly Winsor, Jeanne Rollins, and Connie Pigman.

Door prizes

Meeting ended at 7:32

Shelly Winsor, Secretary

Program leaders for 2023-2024. This list is based on members from this year. Any new members will be added to an existing group.

September – Donna Nicolette, Marsha Cole and Annette Fugal

October – Mary Lowery, Marcia Roth, Carol Whitthaus

November – Jeannie Rollins, Faye Green, Judy Howard

December – Christmas Party and showing Stockings for Christmas

January – Joan Beard, Rhonda Barnette and Barbara Bryant

February – Kay Scheffler, Linda Marean, and Mattie Spaulding

March – Wilma Larrabee, Betty Jo Moss, and June Denny

April - Connie Pigman, Roetta Walls and Pat Miller

May – Theresa Mahl, Martha Morris and Betty Ann Sutherland

June – Kay McDaniel, Shelly Winsor and Darleen Terrell

Quilt Retreat!

The Senior Center Quilt Club is sponsoring our 2nd Annual Quilt Retreat on Friday, September 1, 1:00 to 7:00 p.m., and Saturday, September 2, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Lawrenceburg Senior Center. We will have a potluck dinner on Friday with fried chicken being provided by the Club.

Registration will be \$15.00 per person due upon sign up, with the deadline on August 21. Sign-ups will be limited to 26 (with 7 people already signed up!). This will also give us a head count for the fried chicken, and supplies needed for the retreat.

A list of sewing supplies you need will be provided upon registration. Each participant will be asked to bring a wrapped gift which will be used for a drawing throughout the retreat! We will have additional prizes which will be drawn throughout the two days.

This promises to be lots of fun, plenty of sewing, and fellowship time as we share laughs and ideas, exploring quilting adventures! If you have any questions, call Linda Marean at 502 839-5844, or Betty Jo Moss at 502 839-6413.

Answer: a "keyboard."

