MAY 2013 NEWSLETTER

THE STITCH LINE Evening Star Quilter's Guild, Belvidere NJ

Dear ESQG Ladies:

As my three years as your President come to a close, I would like to thank each of you for all your support, understanding and friendship!

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We accomplished many things:

- A large increase in membership that shows just how many of us quilters are out there!
- Our gifts to our Quilts of Love program have grown in numbers!
- The hands-on, monthly meeting skills learned let us share our knowledge and love of the art of quilting as well as our friendships!
- Most of all, we got back to the basics of our mission – the tradition and the art of quilting!

I have enjoyed all of our time together, meeting each new member as well as learning more about our veteran members. I hope the efforts of the past three years continue as we grow in membership and pursue new ventures.

> Yours In Quilting for the last time, Nancy Caryl Geiger

> > ESQG President

ESQG 2013/2014 Nominees for Office

President: Rosemary McGuinness Vice-President: Barbara Campbell Secretary: Lois Casadevall Treasurer: Peggy Chiniewicz Historian: Nancy Murphy



ESQG Officers

President Nancy Caryl Geiger 908-963-9675

Vice-President

Rosemary McGuinness 908-319-4436

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610-588-8957

Treasurer Cindy Smith 908-362-8598

<u>Historian</u> Nancy Murphy 973-527-3307



Mission Statement

Promote interest and knowledge in the art of quilt-making, promote appreciation of the art form, educate people in all aspects of quilting and engage in charitable projects through quilt-making.

EVENING STAR QUILTER'S GUILD CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2012 - 2013

Now and

		forever
September 4, 2012	Board Meeting	Belvidere NJ
September 8-9, 2012	VictorianDays	Belvidere NJ
September 11, 2012	Guild Meeting	25th Anniversary Celebration!
September 22, 2012	Stitching in Hope	Jelly Roll Races-Irene Compton
October 9, 2012	Guild Meeting	Quilt Historian-Judy Grow
October 13, 2012	Stitching in Hope	Holiday Placemats for Charity-Marlene Marlowe
October 27, 2012	Workshop	Appliqué Irises-Linda Hall
November 10, 2012	Stitching in Hope	Holiday Placemats for Charity-Audrey Planer
November 13, 2012	Guild Meeting	Sewing Machine Accessories-Peggy Baird
December 4, 2012	Board Meeting	Belvidere NJ
December 8, 2012	Stitching in Hope	Personalized bags and pillowcases for homeless
December 11, 2012	Guild Meeting	Christmas Party
January 8, 2013	Guild Meeting	Appliqué Techniques-Lorraine Hare
January 12, 2013	Stitching in Hope	The Veterans Place-Quilts of Love-Judy Zeitler
		and Carol Marks
February 2, 2013	Mystery Quilt	Hope- Lucy Kise - \$15.00
February 12, 2013	Guild Meeting	Wool Appliqué-Nancy Murphy
March 5, 2013	Board Meeting	Belvidere NJ
March 9, 2013	Stitching in Hope	Eleanor Burns Day
March 12, 2013	Guild Meeting	Red Work Intro-Jane Bodolsky & Irene Compton
April 6, 2013	Quirky Quilter	Bello Giorno, Belvidere NJ
April 9, 2013	Guild Meeting	Crazy Quilts-Jacqui Clarkson
April 13, 2013	Stitching in Hope	Patty Burke's Crazy Quilt/Personal Stitching
April 24-27, 2013	Paducah, Kentucky	
May 11, 2013	Stitching in Hope	
May 14, 2013	Guild Meeting	Barn Quilt Project-Audrey Planer
June 4, 2013	Board Meeting	
June 8, 2013	Stitching in Hope	Bamboo Quilt-Pam Kosa
June 11, 2013	Guild Meeting	Two Challenges due and Guild Tea-Angie LeMasters

Guild Meeting are held at:

Belvidere High School Cafeteria 806 Oxford St., Belvidere NJ 07823 Doors open at 6:30 pm Two Challenges due and Guild Tea-Angie LeMasters and Fran Viscicaro and the *2013 Election of Officers*

Workshops & Stitching in hope are held at:

St. John's UMC Church354 High St., Hope NJ 07844Hours: 9 am to 4 pm



Board Meetings are held in the Belvidere High School Library

How did you enjoy this Guild year?

Was your favorite the challenges, the meeting workshops or Stitching in Hope, the special workshops & presentations, the Paducah bus trip or "Quirky Quilter" luncheon, Quilt's of Love or working at Victorian Days, the Warren County Fair and 2013 Quilt Show planning?

How did the Evening Star enjoy YOU this year? Make the most of your membership year!

UFO Challenge

June is the final month of the challenge. That means we'll have both the Grand Prize drawing and the drawing for the batik fat quarters. We don't have many fat quarters right now, so please bring yours if you wish to participate. Please also bring the challenge projects vou've worked on during the year. Label them with your name and what your personal challenge was. Next place them on the tables at the very back of the room for everyone to admire. I will bring some index cards in case you need them as labels. We hope you've enjoyed the challenge and have finished up some UFO's. Thank You!

Solvai Sanchez & Sharon Roehrig

Yearly Challenge Participants should bring their completed project to the June meeting. Also bring the sheet with swatches used and place in a plain bag or wrap. Please cover your name label. Marlene Marlowe & Leana **McCutcheon**

Treasurer's Report -5/14/13

by Cindy Smith, Treasurer

Beginning Balance: \$12,832.38

Revenue: \$50.00

Expenses: \$7,107.59

Ending Balance: \$5.774.79*

*Cindy noted the two, \$500 Scholarships were not included in the ending balance



Bring your family to the FAIR! Schedule a few hours presenting take the time to have some fun!

- Asking for help working our booth in the Traditional Arts Building.
- Enter your favorite quilted projects to display in the Quilt Show.
- Win "viewer's choice" awards!
- The ESQG booth will be completely set up, tables will be available for sewing, cutting, etc. Just bring your projects with you. FREE PASSES!
- We'll be highlighting & selling our 2013 Raffle Quilt and tickets.
- Email or telephone Kathy Daniels with questions. Quilt entry forms are available on our website as well as the working schedule list.

SAVE THIS DATE! Friday, June 21, 2013

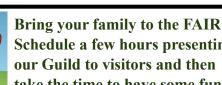
Pat Knoechel will return and present her trunk show for the ESQG on Friday evening, June 21st beginning at 7PM at St. John's United Methodist Church in Hope. Tickets for members are free and will be available at the May and June Guild meetings. Non-members are welcome but the tickets are \$5.00 and will also be available at the door.

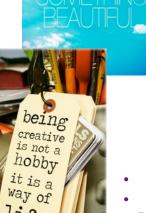
Door prizes will be awarded and members are asked to donate items and give them to Audrey Planer at the Guild meeting. We would also like to display any items made from "Quilt in a Day" patterns. Please bring them to the June meeting.

Thank You! Audrey Planer

2013 Raffle Quilt Update - Penny Smith

- The quilt has been pieced and bordered.
- Pam Kosa is currently (longarm) quilting it.
- Irene Compton volunteered to make and attach the binding.





"Then followed that beautiful season...summer...filled was the air with a dreamy and magical light; and the landscape lay as if new created in all the freshness of childhood." Henry Wadsworth Longfellow



Our sympathies were sent to May Dudding on the loss of her brother.

Our get well wishes were sent to Joanne Kozlowsky and Jayne Bodolsky who both had surgery.

When you hear a guild member needs a note to brighten their day, please contact: Lorraine Hare 570-801-6080 or Email: <u>lorrhare@ptd.net</u>



- One anticipated bus trip to the Paducah Quilt Show.
- 32 traveling quilters on board.
- Weekend purchase totals, \$33,000!

Happy June Birthday to Guild members! Lauren Anello, Marilyn Barnes, Rita Brennan, Kathy Daniels, Sue DeCamp, Edie Ervey, Sian Goh, Greta Kalish, Lucy Kise, Sharon Kubich, Claudia Lupfer, Nancy Murphy, JoAnn Risko and Diane Zdrodowski. Mark your summer calendar for the next

"2013 Quilt Show" meeting!

Monday, August 12

6:30 PM Belvidere High School Library

All members are invited!

Sharon Kubich

The 2013 "Harvest of Quilts" Show committees are working diligently coordinating this year's show. Sign up for a committee at the meeting or on the website. The show is the perfect event for new members to become involved!

COMMITTEES 2012/2013

Challenge:

Marlene Marlowe & Leana McCutcheon <u>UFO Challenge:</u>

Solvai Sanchez & Sharon Roehrig Quilts of Love: Judy Zeitler & Carol Marks Hospitality: Mary Lou Nichols, Edie Ervey & Donna Koenig New Membership: Bonnie Eamigh & Mary Lou MacGregor Newsletter: Kathy Daniels Programs: Rosemary McGuinness 2013 Raffle Quilt: Penny Smith Scholarship Committee: May Dudding & **Cindy Bradford** Sunshine Girl: Lorraine Hare Victorian Days: Jane Schreffler, Lorraine Cline, Minerva Kennedy, Barbara Contini Ways and Means: Irene Compton Warren Co. Fair: Kathy Daniels, Bern Yates

Evening Star School Scholarships Being Awarded!

Cindy Bradford and May Dudding, Scholarship Committee, announced two scholarships were awarded to Belvidere High School Seniors. One young gentleman will be attending Delaware Valley College majoring in Landscape and Design Management and a young woman will be attending Centenary College majoring in Fashion Merchandising.



Feel free to advertise your crafting business and items for sale here!

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