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President's Message

A life of beauty! It's one of the feelings I wanted when I became a woman. Now I know that beauty includes quilting and using color to my advantage. Thank you all for helping me explore quilting and producing beauty for myself, my home, and my friends and relatives. There's nothing to compare to a wonderfully written thank you note for a well intended quilt.



Elaine S. Brouillard
2015 TC Quilt Guild
President

Personally, my doctor has kept me up to date on taking care of myself. Yes, I just had a colonoscopy, passed the test and don't need to go back for 10 years, had an immunization, physical therapy is on the list, and that oh so fun breast screening. While this is too much information, I wanted to use the column to remind us all to take the time to take care of you. That may just mean reading a book on porch or patio or calling up a friend and making a date to take in or learn something new. Remember those important words of "first put on your own oxygen mask and then assist those around you". My wish and blessing is that you are able to take care of yourself in order to be the best you can be to the world.

Oh and, the Board is looking for volunteers for officers and chairs for the upcoming year. We're a fun group.

Please consider attending Fall Retreat in our traditional Cove, Oregon location. Four--or five!--days of peace, serenity, good friends and quilting make for a mighty renewal.

Thank you all for your generosity in providing community quilts. I did start another new quilt with at least 20 on the UFO list. But honestly, if you knew my wonderful 8 year old neighbor, you would understand.

Keep sewing.

Elaine

2016 MFA Nominees

Quilters' Press congratulates the 2016 TCQG Quilt Show Member Featured Artist nominees:

Jean Zoet

Laurel Sutton

Ethel Ferger

2015 Quilt Show Awards

Ribbons! Ribbons! Ribbons!

For several years we have given our members, friendship groups and vendors the opportunity to award a ribbon to the quilt of their choice. This has been very popular - especially with the ribbon winners!

Read the lovely comments below and plan next year to award a ribbon to the quilt that "tickle's your fancy!"

Here are the winners and the reasons why...

Carol Auld - "*Morning Coffee*"

Fabric 108 - "Meticulous quilt work"
Monday Strippers - The Chocolate Delight Award for sewing, design, fabric and color coordination.

Karen Brun - "*You CAN Come Home Again*"

Pieceful Expressions - "Beautiful composition!
Great creative techniques and precision."

Tanya Bunch/Linda Worley - "*A Special Rose*"

Maggie Bevers - "Color is exquisite, quilting is beautiful, piecing is precise - love it!"

Phyllis Burnham - "*Sunshine & Shadow*"

For Heaven's Sake Teas - "Reminds me of spring-time in a magical forest."

Geneva Foote Carroll - "*The Doors*"

Phyllis Burnham - "I really like this quilt. The color combination is great and I loved the off shape."

Patty Cecil - "*The Lost Ship*"

Wendi Ball - "I like high contrast quilts and this one stood out to me (in a good way!)"

Ellen Cornely - "*Butterflies are Free*"

Stuart and Ginny Hildreth - "Beautiful embroidery and colors make this quilt stand out! We expect you to keep stitching till you're 100!"

Shelley Coykendall - "*Feather Dance*"

Grammy G's Quilt Shop - "The simple design, the added motifs, and the fantastic quilting! The quilting really completes the story this quilt tells."

Debbie Dietrich - "*Party 'till the Cows Come Home*"

Quiltmaniacs - "The Millie Volkman Memorial Award, given for color and humor. Millie made a neutral quilt - black, brown, beige, gray - and she would have laughed out loud at your "udderly" appropriate embellishments."

Jerrine Gjerdevig - "*Christmas Skirt*"

Threadmongers/Judy Johnson - "A great use of thread and fabric. A lovely family heirloom."

Velva Harris - "*Asian's Teal*"

Nan Seidel - "Love the use of the blues and I'm a fan of Snail Trail design."

Miken Higham - "*Feels like Spring*"

Ardith Eakin - "The piecing. Piecing and colors are my favorite part of a quilt. Quilting is secondary for me. A wonderful quilt."

Ann Jenson - "*Medallion Star*"

Katie Harris - "Hand quilting excellence."

Jean Keaveney - "*Lost on the McKenzie*"

Home Grown Quilts/Jody Hoegland - "I chose this piece for my vendor choice ribbon because it reminds me of my dear father-in-law who passed away 7 years ago. He was an avid fisherman with lots of funny fishing stories, as well as my "co-quilter in crime." Thank you for the memories and for sharing your beautiful McKenna Ryan piece!"



Mona King – “*Peacock and Apple Blossoms*”

Suzy Q Quilter - “Beauty of the hand embroidery combined with the quilting.”

Patty Morehouse – “*Glacier Star*”

Rather-Be’s - “Your color choices, the intricate pattern and overall design of your quilt. I appreciate all of your time and effort! Great job!”

Deanne Majarian – “*Samantha Claire*”

Scrap Happens - “The scrappiness, delicacy, and beautiful design layout. Just lovely!”

Dana Pearson – “*Tunnel Vision*”

Jo Matthias - “Beautiful quilting. Spot on!”

Kathy Petty – “*Double Wedding Ring*”

Oregon Quilt Woman/”precise” Pantograph System - “The colors chosen really highlight the design. The Double Wedding Ring is a labor intensive design and she executed very well. The quilting design was well chosen!”

Kathy Petty – “*Amish Dahlia*”

Quiltmaniacs, Dea Memorial - “Purpleness! It was Dea’s favorite color.”

Carol Shoaf – “*Chili Peppers*”

Mission Lake Design - “Feathered Stars are my favorites! Piecing very well done; lovely quilting.”

Carol Shoaf – “*Resurrection*”

Zizzlyzaza Beads - “Love the machine embroidery and of course the beads!”

Ellen Sly – “*Whose Girls are you?*”

Farmhouse Creations - “We were thrilled to see the beautiful quilt from vintage blocks – good job of making old new again.”

Margo Steffen – “*Sprigs and Twigs*”

Sherry Linhoff - “The beautiful work and precision of work. Beautiful quilt job.”

Floreine Turlington – *Paint Chip Exhibit*

Jean Keaveney - “The beading! This incredible piece stood out among so many creative pieces in this challenge – way to go Floreine!”

Sue White – “*Desert Gold*”

The Quilted Trillium/Dee Brown - “The fact that I do landscape quilts so that’s what I’m drawn to... lovely soft, peaceful design.”

Tina Witherall – “*American Made*”

Then and Now Friendship Group - “It was our “Favorite Traditional Quilt.” The decision was based on the antique look of the pattern, quilting and colors in the quilt.”



2016 Quilt Show Challenge: Cow-Moose Challenge

Challenge 2016 has been inspired by the marvelous Cow Quilts* displayed at our 2015 Quilt Show. Our challenge will be to make either a cow or a moose quilt using Mary Lou Weidman’s patterns and have a title involving a pun.

Mary Lou has provided some puns with her patterns but feel free to invent your own. A pun is a “joke exploiting the different possible meanings of a word or the fact that there are words that sound alike but have different meanings.”

- Size: Finished quilt shall be no smaller than 26”wide X 36”tall. You can make it as large as you want.
- Must use one of Mary Lou Weidman’s patterns, either from her book, (Out of the Box with Easy Blocks) or the patterns provided by the guild for \$12.50.
- Quilt must be turned in for judging by Tuesday March 15th. – Details to be provided later.

Judging will be in 3 categories:

1. Quilt that best interprets the show theme of “Quilts for All Seasons”
2. Best quilt with the worst, (i.e. funniest) pun (Mary Lou has provided some ideas)
3. Most outrageously funny quilt

* If you didn’t see the Cow Quilts at our 2015 show, there are pictures on the internet, including some at <http://suegarman.blogspot.com/2014/09/cows-and-quilts.html>

Think outrageous and seasonal!

Patterns will be available for sale at meetings or contact Barbara Minton at 509-588-3392 or by e-mail mintonba@hotmail.com

Salaried Work Prompts Resignation of Workshop Chair: Volunteer Needed!

Floreine Turlington volunteers with her heart and soul – and with entrepreneurial talent and charming persuasive power.

Over the past year, she has pulled together the Buffet and Bed Turning fundraiser for White Bluffs Quilt Museum, our “Story Begins at Home” quilt show with its record-setting number of exhibits, and an ambitious schedule of guild workshops. What a dynamo!

Now, however, she has joined the full-time workforce as a trainer with CHPRC. The demands of her job, with a sizable commute to the 200 area on the Hanford site, mean she must step down from her board position.

The volunteer who succeeds her will not have to recruit any more instructors or propose any more topics. Her main duties will be to flesh out Floreine’s arrangements and watch guild members grow their skills and interests. Interested? Contact Elaine Brouillard for information.

Guild Fabric Closet

Need fabric or batting to complete a Guild project? Check out the Closet! (Decluttering the sewing area? Fabric donations are welcome!)

(Kathy Kaser-Nichols’ office)

229 N. Fruitland, Kennewick

*(Between Bennett Rentals and
Pallis Pool & Patio)*

586-7335

Cure Your Summer Blahs with Guild-Sponsored Workshops

- **Ruched Blossom Pillows** taught by Laura Estes
Friday July 17 from 10 to 2; venue TBA; cost \$35
- **Mixed Media Art Journaling** taught by Amber Krupp
Saturday July 18 from 10 to 2; venue TBA; cost \$25
- **Fire and Ice Fabric Dyeing** taught by Jo Matthias
Time TBA; venue Jo’s home; cost \$25
- **Three Colors = 24 Fabric Dyeing** taught by Jo Matthias
Time TBA; venue Jo’s home; cost \$25
- **Aboriginal Dot Painting on Fabric** taught by Marilyn Romatka
Saturday August 22 from 10 to 4; venue TBA;
cost \$55 for you, \$10 for a child age 10-18 you bring
plus materials fee

Ms. Romatka, who lives in Bellevue, has gained a reputation in the Northwest as a teacher and fiber artist; it has spread across the country with the publication of her book, *Creative Crafts of the World*: she will come to the Tri-Cities in August after a gig at the New Image England Weavers’ Seminars.

Her lessons are informed by her background in biochemistry, which is built on sequential steps. And her artistry derives from her awe at “how peoples from all over the world decorated the everyday things around them, how they made the useful things in their lives beautiful.”

She believes that acquiring the traditional techniques that makers have used through the ages “grounds us” – connects us to other people in other times and other places. Folk art makes “opportunities to start discussions on geography, history, sociology, and more.” The process of creating ethnic craft is a perfect antidote to the fast pace and homogeneity of our electronic age.

To register, use the form in this newsletter or print it from the website, www.tcquilters.org. **Please complete one form for each enrollment.** If you are registering for multiple people or multiple classes, you can add the fees into a single check, but please also enclose the relevant forms. Mail to Treasurer, TCQG, Box 215, Richland, WA 99352.



2015 Workshop Registration Form

Class Title	Instructor	Class Fee (Kit Fee is not included)/(additional \$20 fee for Non-members)	Date and Time	Venue
Ruched Blossom Pillows	Laura Estes	\$35.00	July 17, 2015 (Friday), 10:00am – 2:00pm	TBA
Mixed Media Art Journaling	Amber Krupp	\$25.00	July 18, 2015 (Saturday), 10:00-2:00pm	TBA
Fire and Ice (Fabric Dyeing)	Jo Matthias	\$25.00	July and August (TBA because it will depend on the weather)	Jo's Residence, Pasco
Three Colors = Twenty-four (Fabric Dyeing)	Jo Matthias	\$25.00	July and August (TBA because it will depend on the weather)	Jo's Residence, Pasco
Aboriginal Dot Painting on Fabric	Marilyn Romatka	\$55.00 per person and an additional \$10 if you will bring a child (10 years old to 18 years old) This Instructor is an expert on teaching Arts for Kids. This is a creative way to bond with your granddaughters/sons or your child this summer vacation.	August 22, 2015 (Saturday), 10:00am – 4:00pm	TBA
Leaf it to Nature – Free Motion Machine Quilting (This class will be offer twice – weekend/weekday)	Debbi Trevino	\$25	October 1, 2015 (Thursday), 9:00am - 12:00noon/October 3, 2015 (Saturday), 9:00am – 12:00noon	TBA
Thread Painting	Monique Kleinhans	\$60.00 (If you will take both of her classes you will get a \$10 discount)	October 17, 2015 (Saturday), 10:00am – 5:00pm	TBA
Landscape Quilts	Monique Kleinhans	\$60.00	October 18, 2015 (Sunday), 10:00am – 5:00pm	TBA

Name _____

Phone No. _____ Email Address _____

Class Title/s: _____

Venue and supply lists will be provided to those registering prior to the class. Registration and fee should be received by TCQG not later than one week prior to the class. Questions/Inquiries call or email: Floreine Turlington, floreinejohan@yahoo.com/225-572-7188.

Mail checks (PAYABLE TO "TCQG") together with this registration paper to Tri-City Quilters' Guild Attn: Treasurer, Andrea Melius PO Box 215, Richland, WA 99352

COMMUNITY SERVICE BLOCK JULY-AUGUST 2015

Fox Face- 9.5" X 10.5" UNfinished

Funny fox faces in many colors. Background fabrics to be furnished or use your own.

Cutting Instructions:

- Face: any bright color, from your own fabrics
- One square at 2.5" for the nose
- One rectangle at 2.5" x 6.5" for the forehead
- Background: tans, creams, taupes, off-whites from the kits or your own
- One rec. at 2.5" x 6.5" for between the ears
- Two squares at 3.5" for outside the muzzle
- Two rec. at 2" x 6.5" for the top & bottom frames
- Two rec. at 2" x 10.5 for the side frames
- Cheeks: browns, from kits or your own
- Two squares at 2.5"
- Nose tip: black
- One rec. at 1.5" x 6.5" USE TRIMMINGS FOR EYES

Fold or mark the ear squares and muzzle-background squares diagonally.

Lay out all cut pieces as shown in Pic1.

Sewing Instructions:

Add the 2.5" ear squares RST to the ends of the 2.5 x 6.5" background rec, sew on the diagonal, flip and trim away the back pieces.

Add the two brown cheek pieces to both sides of the face nose.

Add the black nose strip to the bottom of the face nose.

Add the muzzle-background 3.5" squares to the nose section with the same sew diagonal, flip and trim procedure (see Pic 2)

Sew all 6.5"-wide pieces together, pressing seams up. Top frame to ear section, add forehead, then nose section, then bottom frame.

Add the 2"x 10.5" background outside side pieces.

Use your scraps from the black nose tip to make $\frac{3}{4}$ " eyes, appliquéd as you wish. Place just above and outside the seams for the nose/cheeks.



*For more information, contact Kathy Kaser at
586-7335 or kkaserco@amerion.net.*

BOARD BRIEFS

May 2015

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Elaine Brouillard. Board Secretary Laurel Sutton took the minutes.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Andrea Melius was absent. The Board was advised that the check to Three Rivers Convention Center has not yet been received; Laurel and Andrea will respond.

Retreat: Elaine reported four "sewists" had a productive and relaxing time at Spring Retreat.

Membership: Ginny Hildreth reported that 256 members have renewed memberships for 2015.

Sisters Bus Trip: While the Sisters Bus Trip has been cancelled due to insufficient turnout, members may attend on their own and reserve their own hotel rooms through the block claimed by the Guild.

Newsletter: Cynthia reported that recent processing changes at the USPS are delaying snail mail newsletters.

Quilt Show: 2016 Guest artists will be Dee Brown and Robin Halliday from The Quilted Trillium. The Committee needs to find volunteers to handle publicity, frame set-up and take-down. The Board approved payment for invoices for quilt pin design services and publicity expenses.

Community Service: After discussion, SIGN has been added to the Community Service list as an approved recipient for donation quilts.

AM/PM Programs: May program will be Prepping Your Quilt for a Longarmer, while June will cover Four Corners/curved piecing. August will be a Community Service program.

Workshops: Floreine Turlington reported low turnout for spring workshops. The Board discussed timing and breadth of workshop offerings; Floreine announced that, due to a new job, she will have less time to volunteer.

Liaisons to Other Groups: The Board approved the Guild's participation in Uncommon Threads, a new fiber arts show held in Prosser.

June 2015

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Elaine Brouillard. Board Secretary Laurel Sutton took the minutes.

Treasurer's Report: Andrea Melius, Treasurer, reported that ending balances for the month of January are:

- Checking \$14,058.03
- Savings \$4997.96
- Money Market \$20,005.72

Andrea reported the sale of quilt show pins recouped a little over half the investment; two recent workshops have also run in the red. Workshop enrollments have been difficult, as the workshop registration form is not clear. Cynthia Ewer volunteered to create a new form template.

Membership: Ginny reported current membership is approximately 260, explained that the drop of about 100 is due to the fact that, in the past, nonpaid names were not purged from the list. Ellen proposed dropping the requirement that Guild name tags be made from the current fan pattern. The Board discussed alternatives, but no action was taken.

Newsletter/Webmaster: Cynthia Ewer reported ongoing issues with the Web site have prevented updates; she is working with Velocity Webworks to resolve the issue.

Quilt Show: The Guild Challenge will use Mary Lou Weidman's patterns for a cow or a moose (\$12.50) to create a quilt with a punning title.

Community Service: Cyndy Underwood reported that 75 quilts have gone out; 1/3rd of our goal. Royal Quilters will donate 40 additional quilts to Royal Family Camp shortly. August meeting will be a Mile-A-Minute Social.

Retreat: Elaine has booked Fall Retreat to Ascension Center in Cover for October 7-11; Spring Retreat will be held in Ephrata..

Workshops: Floreine resigned her position as Workshop Chair due to the demands of a new job. Laurel will fill in for August workshops. A new Workshops Chair is needed!

EXECUTIVE BOARD 2015

OFFICERS

Each officer has 1 vote; President only votes to break a tie.

President	Elaine Brouillard	551-2355
VP AM	Candace Crandall	588-6543
VP PM	Jean Keaveney	947-5353
Guild Secretary	Laurel Sutton	396-0119
Treasurer	Andrea Melius	783-7521
Secretary AM	Ellen Sly	619-1866
Secretary PM	Nan Seidel	375-3036

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

One vote per committee

Community Service	Cyndy Underwood	528-9281
Membership	Ginny Hildreth	531-6729
Newsletter	Cynthia Ewer	554-1868
Programs AM	Barb Minton	547-0677
Programs PM	Jo Matthias	588-3392
Publicity	VACANT	
Quilt Show 2016	Rena Christensen	947-5353
Co-Chair	VACANT	
Workshops	VACANT	

OTHER CHAIRPERSONS

Non-Voting

Guild Closet	Kathy Kaser-Nichols	586-7335
Friendship	Tina Foley	554-2588
Historian	Jo Matthias	547-0677
Retreats	Elaine Brouillard	551-2355
AM Hospitality	Laura Sawyer	
PM Hospitality	Tanya Bunch	
AM Library	Laverne Johnson	
PM Library	Karen Brun	628-0826
Properties	Andrea Melius	783-7521
Sunshine	Tina Foley	554-2588
Webmaster	Cynthia Ewer	628-1848
E-Mail Coordinator	Michele Boston	531-4511
White Bluffs Liaison	Jo Matthias	547-0677

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Next Newsletter Deadline is August 15



July

Linda Worley	4
Bev Mey	5
Jan Greenwell	9
Sue Cornell	10
Claire Jacks	10
Rhonda Rothrock	10
Charlotte Coleman	12
Genny Schiffler	14
Aicha Bourouh	17
Karen Michaels	17
Janelle Domarotsky	19
Donna Freeman	20
Susan Havre	20
La Donna Sterling	20
Dana Pearson	21
Donna Tulberg	23
Connie Achord	24
Beverly Lien	25
Pat Dalpiaz	26
Sarah Orr	26
LuElla Morrison	31

August

Pam Tritt	3
Barbara Phillip	5
Nan Seidel	6
Linda Porter	8
Joanne Savely	11
Aimee Griffin	12
Linda Ruskaufl	13
Rena Christensen	17
Donna Zeeley	18
Jean Zoet	18
Lois Pederson	22
Karen Brun	28
Michele Nains Boston	29
Patricia Evens	30

Don't Forget!

If it's your Birthday month, please bring treats to share at meetings. Yum!



Fall In ... For Fall Retreat

Mark your calendars! The TCQG Fall Retreat has been scheduled for October 7-11 at the Ascension School Camp and Conference Center in Cove, Oregon.

Once again held at this favorite location, the Fall Retreat will feature great food, great company, great surroundings ... and quilting!

Retreatants can choose to spend either three or four nights at the Center; accommodations are shared twin rooms with private bathroom. Most meals are provided, and

To register, send the Fall Retreat Application on the facing page (or printed from our Web site at <http://tcquilters.org>), together with a \$50 deposit to treasurer Andrea Melius, P.O. Box 215, Richland, WA 99352.

For more information, contact Retreat Chair Elaine Brouillard at 509-551-2355. See you there!

*Our condolences
to the family
of*

Ann Jensen

*on the
loss of a
son. Our thoughts
are with you.*

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Tri-Cities Quilters' Guild: Fall 2015 Quilt Retreat Application

Dates: **October 7-11, 2015 (Wednesday – Sunday \$350.00)**
 October 8-11, 2015 (Thursday – Sunday \$300.00)
 Retreat begins at 10:00 am; Retreat ends at 3:00 pm on Sunday
 A shared bedroom with twin beds & a private bathroom

Meals: **Thursday night, 3 on Friday, brunch & dinner on Saturday, and**
 brunch on Sunday.

Location: **Ascension School Camp & Conference Center**
 1104 Church Street, Cove, OR 97824 (541) 568-4514
 2 ADA rooms available

Mail Application with \$50.00 Deposit to: Andrea Melius, PO Box 215, Richland, WA 99352

Name_____ Phone_____

Email_____

Address_____

City_____ State_____ ZIP_____

Choose your 2015 retreat Required Deposit with Registration: \$50.00

October 7-11, 2015 (Wednesday – Sunday \$350)

October 8-11, 2015 (Thursday – Sunday \$300.00)

Payment in full: _____ Amount Enclosed:_____

Please indicate any food allergies:_____

All questions to Retreat Chair Elaine Brouillard 509-551-2355. Payment, less deposit, is due at the retreat site. .

Local Shops

AMELIA'S QUILT SHOP

130 Vista Way
 Kennewick, WA 99336
 509-572-2550
 Email: ameliaskiltshop@yahoo.com

AUNTIE IDA'S QUILT SHOP

435 W. Hermiston Ave.
 Hermiston, OR 97838
 541-567-2726
 Monday - Saturday 10 am - 5:30 pm
<http://auntiyida.com>

10% Discount to TCQG members on regularly priced fabric and notions

CRAFT WAREHOUSE

7411 W. Canal Drive
 Kennewick, WA 99336
 509-783-9663

10% Discount on one item per visit - show your card

DISCOUNT VAC, SEW & FABRICS

119 W. 1st Ave.
 Kennewick, WA 99336
 509-586-1680
<http://www.discountvacandsew.com/>

10 % Discount to TCQG members on regularly priced fabric

FABRIC 108

1108 E. 44th Ave.
 Kennewick, WA
 509-586-1741
 Email: fabric108@yahoo.com
<http://www.fabric108.com>

JANEAN'S BERNINA

6303 Burden Blvd.
 Suite C, Pasco, WA 99301
 509-544-7888
<http://www.janeansbernina.com>

10% off to TCQG members on regularly priced merchandise

JOANN FABRICS

751 N. Columbia Center Blvd.
 Kennewick, WA 99336
 509-736-0970

10% Discount with VIP card.

QUILTMANIA

1442 Jadwin Ave., Suite C
 Richland, WA 99352
 509-946-7467 (PINS)
 Email: quiltmania@verizon.net

15% Discount to TCQG members on fabric and notions.

SANDY'S FABRICS AND MACHINES

24 N. Benton
 Kennewick, WA 99336
 509-585-4739 (ISEW)

New owners are Ed and Karen Jarrett. Every month they will donate a \$40 gift certificate to be given away to a lucky Guild member.

THE SEWING BASKET & GIFTS

1108 Wine Country Road
 Prosser, WA 99350
 509-786-7367

10% Discount to TCQG members



Community Service Update

2015 CS Goal: 275
Received: 75

Back by popular demand in the Silent Auction...Potholders! Toni Jones will be organizing this project. Watch for more information in coming months.





Tri-City
Quilters' Guild

Community Service Tracking Tag

Please fill out the top portion as the work is completed, and keep tag with the quilt, Thank you!

Pieced by: _____

Quilting by: _____

Binding by: _____

Did you use Guild fabric or batting? Y / N

**** FOR GUILD & COMMUNITY SERVICE CHAIR USE ONLY ****

Date Received: _____

Description: _____

Date to Agency: _____

Receiving Agency: _____

What's Happening in the Pacific Northwest?

<i>Date / Time</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Cost</i>	<i>Contact</i>
July 9-11 <i>Fri-Sat 10 - 5</i> <i>Sun 10 - 4</i>	Oregon Summer Quilt Expo	Deschutes County Fair & Expo 3800 Airport Way Redmond, OR	\$10	Info: 866-266-3136 oregonsummerquiltexpo.com
July 18-19 <i>Sat 11 - 4</i> <i>Sun 12 - 4</i>	Mukilteo Garden and Quilt Tour	Rosehill Community Center 304 Lincoln Ave. Mukilteo, WA	\$18	Info: mukilteogardenandquilttour.org
July 24-26 <i>Fri-Sat 10 - 5</i> <i>Sun 10 - 4</i>	Covington Quilters Guild Show: Roaring 20s	Cedar Heights Middle School 19640 SE 272nd Covington, WA	\$5	Info: www.covingtonquilters.org

Community Service Team Designs Strip Competition for August Programs

Form a team now or come solo and link up with a mate at the meetings. Use our strips and/or bring your own. Sew like crazy for two hours, then weigh your output. There will be prizes for the teams whose seaming tips the scales.

The trimming and sorting we began at April's meetings is finished. The Kit Cats (Andrea Melius, Sue Muller, and Judy Urrutia) will put together starter packages of print scraps and coordinating solids.

The Mile A Minute directions will be available again along with a variety of strip-friendly patterns and instructions. (If you have a favorite or a want-to-try design, bring it and share.) Finished size and design are up to you; they won't impact the contest.

Since August is a month with little business, the vice-presidents have agreed to maximize sewing time: Candy will conduct the AM meeting at 10:30 as usual, but Jean will delay the PM meeting until 8:30.

Because you can't work without fuel, there will be salad bar potlucks: bring about a cup of fruit/veg/nut to add in; two bases – greens and pasta – and a selection of dressings – will be provided. Lunch will begin about 11:00; supper will start at 5:30. AM competition will run from 11:30 to 1:30; PM competition from 6:00 to 8:00.

In between, there will be more sewing, without time pressure. And with a midafternoon snack – the frozen form of the food du jour – vanilla custard. [Google food holidays ... you'll find something to celebrate every day of the year!]

We hope the tops begun today will be completed and quilted for the Christmas show & tell.

Printing & Advertising Information for Quilter's Press

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Thinking summer fun? Volunteer to staff a raffle quilt sales booth to support TCQG!

JULY

Second Monday Board Meeting: 7/13

6:30 pm

White Bluffs Center - Room 204
294 Torbett, Richland.

(All members are welcome)



Third Monday AM Meeting: 7/20

10:30 am - 2 pm

(10 am Social Time & Refreshments)

Hillspring Church (formerly Cathedral of Joy)
1153 Gage Blvd., Richland

Bring a sack lunch (optional)

Program: Ricky Tims Retreat Report - Jo and Floreine

Third Monday PM Meeting: 7/20

6:30 pm - Social Time

Hillspring Church (formerly Cathedral of Joy)
1153 Gage Blvd., Richland

Program: Ricky Tims Retreat Report - Jo and Floreine

AUGUST

Second Monday Board Meeting: 8/10

6:30 pm

White Bluffs Center - Room 204
294 Torbett, Richland

(All members are welcome)



Third Monday AM Meeting: 8/17

10:30 am - 2 pm

(10 am Social Time & Refreshments)

Hillspring Church (formerly Cathedral of Joy)
1153 Gage Blvd., Richland

Bring a sack lunch (optional)

Program: Community Service: Mile-A-Minute SEWcial

Between AM and PM Meetings: In-Betweens SEWcial

Third Monday PM Meeting: 8/17

6:30 pm - Social Time

Hillspring Church (formerly Cathedral of Joy)
1153 Gage Blvd., Richland

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Please wear name tags to meetings

For a name tag pattern, contact Ginny Hildreth or find it online at www.tcquilters.org