

## President's News

End of Summer Greetings,

WE NEED YOU!!!

All five elected guild officers have to be replaced this fall and Tresa Keys is the Chairperson of the Nominating Comm. She will be looking for members to VOLUNTEER to run for these positions. Remember that you have to have been a guild member for one year before you can run for an elected office so some of you are safe for a bit. Tresa has job description folders so give her a call!

For those of us that have forgotten and all new members, there are five elected positions and many, many other jobs to make the LTBQG run as smoothly as it can. Over the past two years and at our most recent Board meeting, we discussed which of the elected offices could be shared by two members or done by members that are not year round residents of Northern Michigan.

President and Vice President pretty much share this responsibility but would need to be almost year round residents as well as the Treasurer. Two members could share the Recording Secretary job but they would have to make sure the year was covered. The Corresponding Secretary can be done from anywhere as long as there's a way to contact them.

**Next Meeting**  
**September 10**  
**Friendship Center**  
1322 Anderson Rd.  
Petoskey

**Social Meeting 6:00**  
**6:30**

**Program**  
**September Membership Tea**

**A Walk in Time**  
**Karen Phillips Shwaling**

### Upcoming Event

Yoder's Quilt Auction  
Sept. 4-5  
10885 N. Leaton Rd.  
Clare

Amazing Quilt Race Shop Hop  
Sept. 19-26

The Flying Geese Quilt Show  
Sept. 19-20  
Sault Ste. Marie Middle School  
Sault Ste. Marie, MI

North Star Quilt Show  
Sept. 19  
St. Ann's Catholic Church  
800 West 13<sup>th</sup> Street  
Cadillac

3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Quilters' Showcase  
Sept. 25-26  
Birch Run Expo Center

(If you know of upcoming shows or events, please contact Jan Gray.)

Please consider stepping up and volunteering to be the next group of members to lead the guild.

Hope to see you all at the September Tea, hosted by Shirley Nunes and Shannon Notestine.

Linda

## NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS 2016

A search has begun to see who will help lead our terrific guild in 2016. All present offices are ending their terms in Dec. We must have a slate of officers to present to the guild in October, we vote in Nov. and in Dec. all office notebooks are exchanged and the new officers assume duties in Jan. 2015. This is a very exciting time of growth for our guild but we need leadership to continue planning for programs, classes, special events and all quilt related activities that we all enjoy. Previous experience is not required. Every office has a well prepared notebook and former officers who did that job to help you get started. We just need a few good folks to step up to the plate (or is that podium?) Ask not what your "Guild can do for you-----but, what you can do for your Guild"! I can guarantee you will have FUN and that you will meet and work with some great Quilters who will become new friends. Yes, consider this begging from-----Tresa Keys Nominating Committee Chairperson

## August Meeting Minutes

No meeting

## August Treasurer's Report

Beginning Balance		\$9032.78
Income		
Educational Raffle		
Bank Interest		.94
Membership		150.00
Program		
Tickets Quilt Show		
Quilt of Valor		
Challenge Fabric		
Transfer from savings		
Quilt Show		
		150.94
	TOTAL	\$9183.72
Expenses		
Administration		11.20
Quilt of Valor		
Program		120.99
Membership		
Quilt Show		
Challenge Fabric		
Transfer to dedicated savings		
		\$132.19
	TOTAL	\$9051.53
Ending Balance		\$9051.53
Dedicated Savings		\$8935.31
Submitted by		
Kenneth Thompson		
Treasurer, LTBQG 2015		

## Placemats

Thanks to all who have made placemats. We still need several more to have enough for Meals on Wheels. October will be the last month for collecting this year. Please make an effort to make at least one placemat. I really appreciate your help. See you at the September Tea.  
Pat Nolan

## September Birthdays

9-01 Judith Ivan  
 9-01 Sheryl Kashmerick  
 9-06 Cathy McKay  
 9-09 Kay Kepner  
 9-12 Kathi Fuller  
 9-15 John Dyle  
 9-19 Jane Denay  
 9-20 Ken Thompson



*Have a great day...sewing I hope!*

## Quilts of Valor

Quilts of Valor will meet Wed. Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> at Hearts to Holly Quilt Shop from 10:00 to 2:30. Please join in the fun to make quilts that honor our veterans. They gave so much; it seems such a great way to surprise them with a Thank You quilt. To date 46 quilts have been given out; 7 are with long arm quilters and 4 are ready for quilting, making a total of 57 quilts since Nov. 2013! Our request list has eleven recipients waiting for a quilt.

A standing ovation to the 10 members, who sorted, cut, pressed and packaged 10 more kits for tops and 7 kits for pillowcases, plus they completely organized all our scraps and fabrics on hand. Those kits will be distributed to members at the Sept. Tea, please plan to pick one up to help with this very worthwhile project. THANK YOU to Linda Fry, John and Julie Dyle, Pat Shannon, Lois Furness, Lois Hart, Renee Prevo, Kay Geuder, Kay Kepner and Marian Henthorne. We had a good time and much was accomplished.

Any questions call Tresa Keys 231-758-6530

SEPTEMBER MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS

September is membership renewal time. If none of your contact information has changed you may simply put your name and date on the renewal form. If there are changes, please show the new information on the form as well. If you are not sure what information we have, please fill out the entire form to be sure.

You may either mail the form to me (address on the form) with your check or bring your form with check or cash to the membership table at the September Membership Tea.  
If you have questions call Kay at 231-487-0750.

LTBQG MEMBERSHIP FORM    NEW \_\_\_\_\_ or RENEWAL \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**New Membership:** \$38.00 for the first year (this includes a membership name badge).

**Renewal:** \$30.00 per year. Membership expires at the September meeting.

Complete this form and turn it in at any meeting or mail to:

Kay Geuder, 1056 Newberry Ave., Petoskey, MI 49770    231-487-0750

Make ALL checks payable to LTBQG

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Address & Time: \_\_\_\_\_

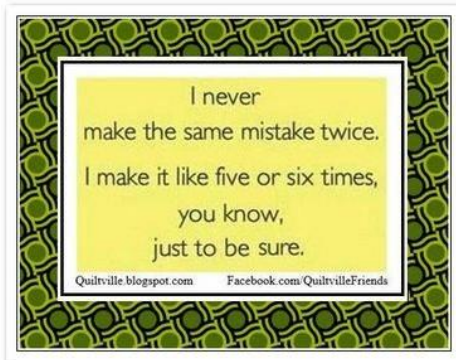
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Month & Day of Birth (not the year): \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of National Quilting Association (NQA)?    \_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_ no



Date	Refreshments	Program/Lecture	Classes
September 10	EVERYONE	September Tea  A Walk in Time Karen Phillips Shwalling	Friday Sept. 11 Crazy Patched Boyne City Library Saturday Sept.12 Roses, Roses Boyne City Library
October 8	Penny Harrison Diane Picotte Patti Bishop	Shaded Four Patch Carol Keith and Shirley Mauch	
November 12	Diane Simancek	3:00 Mini Sessions Members Antique/Vintage Show and Tell	Stripping AGAIN Sat. November 14 10-4 Boyne City Library
December		Holiday Party Barb and John Liddicoat	



## September Tea



*Wow us in the World of Quilting!*

*Share your talents and heritage by bringing a dessert to the September Tea.*

*Is your family favorite English Sponge, Scottish Shortbread or Polish Paczki?*

*Bring your yummys and recipes to share at our September Tea.*

*Questions? Contact [shannonnotestine@yahoo.com](mailto:shannonnotestine@yahoo.com) or Shirley Nunes 231.675.9849*

- Don't forget to bring your shaded four patches for our October program to the September Tea on September 10<sup>th</sup>.
- For all that are having quilts shown at Crooked Tree, the drop off date has been changed to September 8<sup>th</sup> (September 7 is Labor Day and they will be closed).
- Crooked Tree Art Center is looking for someone to volunteer about an hour of time on September 21. They will be training docents for the exhibit and would like someone from the guild to provide information to the docents. Please contact Marian Henthorne 231-330-1014 if you are able to volunteer.

## Guest Speaker - September Tea

Our guest speaker and teacher will be Karen Phillips-Shwallon a nationally recognized needlework teacher, designer, and author. She has won many national awards including Best of Show at the Woodlawn Plantation National Needlework Exhibition taking a first place award over 600 entries from all over the US. She will also be on the faculty at the Applique Academy in Williamsburg VA for the winter of 2016 where Elly Sienkiewicz of Baltimore Album Quilts fame has also been on the faculty. We are fortunate to have such an accomplished needlework artist coming to our guild. Her trunk show/lecture is called A WALK IN TIME which showcases quilt making from the beginning of the last century until today.

Karen will be teaching 2 classes for our guild. at the Boyne District Library in Boyne City  
Friday, September 11 CRAZY PATCHED WORKBASKETS  
Saturday, September 12 ROSES, ROSES A quilted and embroidered pillow featuring stuffed work.

Crazy-Patched Workbasket class  
Friday September 11, 2015  
Boyne District Library Community Room  
10 AM to 4PM  
Class-\$40.00 for Guild Members  
\$50.00 for non-members

This class will focus on embroidery stitches often used on traditional Crazy Patch quilts as well as other embellishment techniques. Students will use one of the Workbasket designs to create a one-of-a-kind wall hanging. More Workbasket patterns are available to make a quilted piece that is larger. Crazy-Patched Workbasket class. There is no kit for this class, but the pattern will be provided. Students may bring in their own threads, ribbons, lace, beads and other embellishment materials as well as a neutral background fabric for the center embroidery basket motif. Karen will have some things available also.

Class registration form for [Crazy Patched Workbasket](#)

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Complete, make out check to LTBQG

Send to:  
Phyllis Hosier  
319 S East St  
Boyne City, MI 49712

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Roses, Roses White-Work Pillow class  
Saturday, September 12, 2015  
Boyne District Library Community Room  
10 AM-4 PM  
Cost-\$40.00 for Guild Members  
\$50.00 for non-members

Kit-\$25.00 includes stenciled design on neutral fabric with voile, batting, backing, threads and pattern.

This class focuses on stuffed work that has a flawless back and beautiful quilting. Perfect for the student who is looking to learn the basic quilting stitch and stuffed work. Students need to bring a hoop (preferably 14"), sharp scissors, thimble and favorite size of quilting needle

Class and kit registration form for [Roses, Roses White-Work Pillow](#)

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Complete, make out check to LTBQG and send to:  
Phyllis Hosier  
319 S East St  
Boyne City, MI 49712