

Next Meeting

October 8

Friendship Center

1322 Anderson Rd.
Petoskey

Social	6:00
Meeting	6:30

Program

Shaded Four Patch

Carol Keith
Shirley Mauch

Upcoming Event

Oct. 2-3 Autumn Splendor Quilt Show
Trinity Episcopal Church
Lexington, Mi.

Oct. 9-10 Kalamazoo Log Cabin Quilters
Kalamazoo County Expo Center and
Fairgrounds

Oct. 16-17 Thumb Shop Hop

Oct. 22 -23 Western Wayne County
Quilting Guild Show
Wayne County Community College
Belleville, Mi.

Oct. 31 Annual Hospice of Helping
Hands Quilt Walk
West Branch, Mi.

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

President's News

WELCOME TO FALL!!

The September Tea was enjoyed by all. We were packed to the gills but I think all the delectable delights contributed by many, made up for the tight quarters. A BIG THANK-YOU to Shirley, Shannon and Wayne for hosting this event.

The trunk show put on by Karen Phillips Shwallon was amazing, entertaining and enjoyable. It was almost as fun watching the two male holders and folders! But kidding aside, I'd also like to thank Tresa and Skip Keys for providing lodging for Karen and her husband while they were in our area. It's a cost savings for the guild.

At the October meeting there will be an opportunity to volunteer for a variety of things for 2016. There will be plenty of months that need to be filled for refreshments and a chairperson/s for four different events: July picnic, September Membership Tea, October Quilt Walk and a December Christmas Party.

Look for Kay Geuder's Membership Report in this newsletter to find out how many members we have and who's new to the guild.

Have a great October! Linda

NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS 2016

President - Tresa Keys
Vice President - Lynn Parrish
Corresponding Secretary - Sue Thompson
Recording Secretary - Helene Kleymeer
Treasurer - Johanna Kutcher

Ballots will be in the November newsletter.



September Meeting Minutes (91 members attended)

Brought to order: 6:28pm

Linda Fry opened the meeting with a hearty thank you to Shirley, Shannon and their team for providing the yummy treats, centerpieces, and little map bags! It made the evening great fun.

She wished all the September birthday celebrants well. You know who you are.

Guild had 91 members in attendance, making it a chummy evening at the Friendship center! ...Your dues are needed ASAP. You will find an application in the newsletter. It must be completed and sent with your check.

New members are: Pam Fiones, Stephanie Oliver, Beth Szabo, Lynn Rollman, and Suzie Kuhl. WELCOME TO OUR GUILD!

Ken Thompson's treasurer's report carried. Moved by Jessica Haslock and seconded by Lois Hart.

Linda read a nice thank you note from Mickey Dupre. She mentioned the possibility of Mickey returning to teach a mystery quilt class.

Tresa Keys, as nominations chair, told us that the board will have some vacancies in January. Programs being one, was filled by Jeannette Kling, with support from Shelley Stallard and Linda Schofield. Now that is how it is done! Without help we won't have much of a guild.

The slate of officers will be announced in October and then in November... WE VOTE!!!

Quilts of Valor: Quilts larger than 60"x80" and smaller than 72"x 90" are made by a group (and others) at the Hearts to Holly Quilt Shop in Charlevoix on the 1st Wednesday of the month. Want to join in? Please call Tresa (231.758.6530) for details.

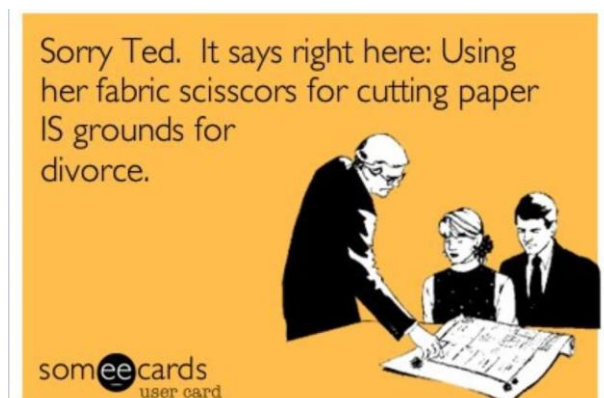
November's program includes antique quilts and tops sign up to bring yours with Phyllis Hosier (231.582.9768)

The Jellyroll quilt class will be hosted by Jan Gray and Linda Fry again, due to popular demand! They have cooked up a different design than last year. It will be held at the Boyne City Library Conference room on Saturday November 14th. You will need to bring your sewing stuff, a jellyroll, and 2 5/8 yards of matching plain fabric. It's \$10.00 for a day of fun!

The Friendship center needs more placemats approx. 12"x 18"

Linda Schofield and Shelley Stallard will be hosting a string quilt class at Cousins on November 21st. Please call for details (Shelley: 231.536.3461 Linda: 231.237.0456)

Respectfully submitted, Betsy Koss



September Treasurer's Report

BEGINNING BALANCE	\$9051.53
INCOME	
Education Raffle	107.50
Bank interest	.38
Membership	2312.00
Program	905.00
Tickets Quilt Show	
Quilt of Valor	150.00
Challenge Fabric	
Transfer from Savings	
Quilt Show	
	3474.88
TOTAL	\$12526.41
EXPENSES	
Administration	\$ 1014.00
Quilt of Valor	
Program	2249.12
Membership	55.00
Quilt Show	
Challenge Fabric	
Transfer to Dedicated Savings	520.00
	\$ 3838.12
ENDING BALANCE	\$ 8688.29
DEDICATED SAVINGS	\$ 8935.31
Submitted by Kenneth Thompson Treasurer, LTBQG 2015	

Placemats

Thanks to all those who brought placemats to the September tea. Unfortunately we are almost 20 short for this year. October's meeting will be the last chance to collect the needed amount. Please help us make this goal. The Wednesday Night Bee group members will then roll and tie each placemat with ribbon in time to present to the Friendship Center in November.

Pat Nolan

October Birthdays

10-03 Ann Barfknecht
 10-10 Barbara Liddicoat
 10-10 Anne Kurburski
 10-14 Marian Henthorne
 10-15 Mary Cowan
 10-26 Linda Schofield
 10-22 John Litticoat
 10-27 Jane Baker
 10-28 Laurel Owen
 10-28 Sharon LeBuda
 10-28 Shirley Phillips
 10-28 Marno Lane
 10-31 Patti Bishop



Have a great day!

Quilts of Valor

Quilts of Valor WILL NOT meet on the regular Wed. Oct. 7th!

We will meet on Oct. 14th at my house from 10:00-2:30. If you plan to help that day please e-mail me for directions if you have not been to the new house. We will bring a brown bag for lunch that day. Please bring a sewing machine and usual quilting supplies, (mats, rulers and rotary cutters, not necessary). Skip will be available to help with the heavy ones. Long arm quilters, those who took kits at the last meeting and those doing bindings may bring them to the guild meeting Oct. 8th. I won't be here to pick them up before that. If you are having trouble with your kit, bring it to the October meeting.

19 Veterans are now on our waiting list, so please think about honoring them with a little of your time, we promise a good time of fellowship.

Thanks for all the help and donations,
 Tresa Keys
 Quilts of Valor, Chairperson

At the September Membership Tea (and a few weeks earlier) we had 88 members renew their membership and five new members join us! This brings our total membership to 93.

Please join me in welcoming our new members. Please write their information in the back of your membership books.

Pamela Flonas (2/25)
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 Indian River, MI 49749
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Beth Ann Szabo (6/24)
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 Harbor Springs, MI 49740
 231-838-1807
bethannszabo@mac.com

There is a little time left to renew your membership if you have not already done so. The By-Laws state that dues must be paid by the September general meeting and no later than the October meeting.

I will be at the October meeting to collect dues or you can mail your check, made out to LTBQG, to Kay Geuder, 1056 Newberry Ave., Petoskey, MI 49770. If there is NO change to your information from last year just write your name on the form and write SAME across the form. If there are changes please include what needs to be changed or added.

Kay Geuder
 Membership Chair

<p>LTBQG MEMBERSHIP FORM NEW _____ or RENEWAL _____ DATE _____</p> <p>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</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i><u>Make ALL checks payable to LTBQG</u></i></p> <p>Name: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>City, State, Zip: _____</p> <p>Phone: (_____) _____ E-Mail _____</p> <p>Alternate Address & Time: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>City, State, Zip: _____</p> <p>Phone: (_____) _____ E-Mail _____</p> <p>Month & Day of Birth (not the year): _____</p> <p>Are you a member of National Quilting Association (NQA)? ____ yes ____ no</p>
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Date	Refreshments	Program/Lecture	Classes
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 9:30-4 Boyne City Library
December 12	Mary Ann Wheelock Mary Daniels Beth Gutuskey	Holiday Party Barb and John Liddicoat Stafford's Bay View Inn	

October meeting:

Carol Keith and Sherlee Mauch will show the many ways to design quilts using the shaded four patches. Thanks to all that made shaded four patches. If anyone a quilt made with shaded four patches, please bring them to the meeting. Carol and Sherlee will share them during their presentation.

Our November Program will feature the vintage and antique quilts from our guild members' collections in a show and tell format. Items for our regular show and tell portion of the meeting can still be shown, but the program part of the meeting will feature special quilts from our families, friends or lucky finds that fit the category of antique or vintage. These are quilts that don't make it into our quilt show so they deserve a special time for us to get a chance to see the handy work of the past. If you have quilts that you would like to show, sign up at the Oct. meeting.

Two mini sessions will be available on Nov. 12 from 3-5 PM during the guild open sew time.

They are: Marking, Sandwiching and Basting Your Quilt with Linda Fry

Labels, Sleeves and Binding with Tresa Keys

You can sign up at the Oct. meeting or e-mail the instructors to sign up.

Crooked Tree Art Center

What a beautiful display! Everyone should go and see it. I went to the docent training meeting held in the exhibit and everyone was in awe of the beautiful work. While the exhibit is up, visiting school classrooms will be doing learning lessons on quilts. Maybe the quilts will inspire future quilters.

CTAC is having another training session for docents who will be working hands on with the children on Oct 5th. They are looking for creative hands on ideas, history, color or anything related to quilting. . I am looking for a volunteer to help me with that. It you could give an hour of your time or have items they may use, please contract Marian Henthorne (330-1014 or fredandmarn@gmail.com).

Free Fabric

Hello! We are an interior design studio in Harbor Springs and we have just cleaned out our T bins and have many 1 yard pieces of fabric available to donate to an organization that would use them. Please contact me asap if you are interested and able to pick them up soon. Thank you! Karen

The e-mail address for response is: tresbelleinteriors@yahoo.com