

# WILTWYCK QUILTERS' GUILD NEWSLETTER

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## NEXT GUILD MEETING

**SATURDAY, MAY 18, 2013**

**GRACE COMMUNITY CHURCH**

**160 SEREMMA CT., LAKE KATRINE NY**

**9:30 A.M. - 10 A.M. for coffee,  
tea and snacks**



### **Items to bring for the May meeting:**

- ❖ **Name Tag (wear it and get a raffle ticket)**
- ❖ **Show and Tell items**
- ❖ **Completed Community Service items**

## **TREATS ❖ TREATS**

**All members are asked to bring a snack to the monthly meeting. The Hospitality Schedule is as follows according to the first letter of your last name.**

**May - E F K R**

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**Anita is on vacation. Hope she is having a good time.**



BOARD MEETINGS	QUILT SHOW MEETINGS	REGULAR MEETINGS	COMMUNITY SEW
**May 5, 2013	*****	May 18, 2013	May 22, 2013
*****	June 9, 2013	June 15, 2013	June 19, 2013

**\*\*The May 12th board meeting was changed to the 5th as the 12th is Mother's Day.**

**\*\*\* April Community Service changed to May 1, 2013.**

## UP-COMING EVENTS

**May 18, 2013 – Elections, budget vote and Quilts Roadshow**

**June 15, 2013 – Pot luck, year end events and community service sewing at the church**

**Plans for Fall 2013 and Spring 2014 are in process**

**WILTWYCK QUILTERS' GUILD  
NEWSLETTER**

The Wiltwyck Quilters' Guild is a non-profit organization. The purpose of this organization shall be to preserve the tradition and the history of quilting, as well as to foster awareness and receptivity to create innovation in the art, to promote and sponsor interest and appreciation in all areas of quilting among our members and the general public, and to promulgate friendship and the exchange of ideas.

The newsletter is published monthly, except for July & August. The subscription fee is included in the annual \$25 Guild membership dues. Articles are due the following Friday after the Guild meeting, and may be e-mailed. In an emergency, phoned in to the editor. All contributions are welcome. If you submit an article be sure you let me know when to change it or remove it.

Thanks, Sharon Conlon

**MEMBERSHIP NOTES**

Our membership is now 169. Please make welcome our new members:

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Remember to renew your 2013-2014 membership on or before May 18th to be entered in a lottery to win a free 2013-2014 membership.

Gloria Frenza

**WELCOME**

PRESIDENT	ANITA ROWELL
VICE PRESIDENT	
RECORDING SEC.	DAGMAR YADDOW
CORRESPONDING SEC.	CAROL BELL
TREASURER	SARAH KESSENICH
PARLIAMENTARIAN	JOAN POLAKOFF

**COMMITTEE HEADS**

*PAST PRESIDENT	LESLEY GRAY
COMMUNITY SERVICE	ANITA ROWELL
HISTORIAN	LEONA WILLIS
HOSPITALITY	THERESA PABON/PEGGY SMITH
LIBRARIAN	MARY McLAUGHLIN
*MEMBERSHIP	GLORIA FRENZA
*NEWSLETTER	SHARON CONLON
*PROGRAM	SHIRLEY SWENSON/KIM WARREN
PUBLICITY	JACKIE SITTNER
*QUILT SHOW	ANGEE OPDYKE
RAFFLE TABLE	REGINA PACKARD
WEB MASTER	LYNNE DAVIDSON
*VOTING COMMITTEE MEMBERS	

## CIVIL WAR SWAP

**NOTE: The Double Four Patch Swap will end with the May meeting.**

**Group 1 - Anita Rowell, Jackie Brooks, Vija Clark, Barbara Repko, Sharon Conlon, Diane Weaver, Carolyn Rider (Make 7)**

**Group 2 - Chris Egan, Betty Bader, Corinne Planthaler, Anna Wang, Mary Pletkiewicz, May Mikesh (Make 6)**

## **HEADLINES**

### **CHIEF OF DETECTIVES RETIRES**

**I have had a wonderful time researching and seeing the end results of the Mystery Quilts. The variety of color choices each individual made was absolutely beautiful. Thank you to all who have participated over the years. Now it is time for someone else to take over this very popular Guild activity.**

**Please let Shirley, Kim or me know if you would like to plan the Mystery Quilt for 2013/14.**

**Thank you,  
Lesley**

### **QUILT BLOCKS WON BY**

**Peg Cahill**



### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**Don't forget that Guild members meet at the Elks Lodge on Hurley Avenue in Kingston, NY, the Wednesday after a Guild meeting at 9:00 A.M. Check for date changes.**

## **SLATE OF OFFICERS**

**The following is the list of candidates for the executive board of the Wiltwyck Quilters' Guild.**

**We will vote on the slate at the May business meeting of our Guild.**

**President...Anita Rowell**

**Vice President...Dagmar Yaddow**

**Recording Secretary...Alice Maceyak**

**Treasurer...Pat Williams**

**Corresponding Secretary...Deirdre**

**Thorpe-Clark**

**Parliamentarian...Joyce Luby**

### **PLACEMATS FOR MEALS ON WHEELS**

**As a community project we are asking members to make placemats that will be given to Meals on Wheels for folks who are homebound.**

**Please, no holiday or children prints. You can make them reversible also. Please keep them in a rectangle shape and no larger than 14" x 20." They can have binding or you can envelope them. Machine quilt them any way you like. There will be a laundry basket where you can place your placemats. Also, if you wish to have a chance at winning "The Most Placemats Made by One Member Contest", make sure you sign in the number made and your name. You have until November.**

**Any questions contact Angee.**

### **FAT QUARTER RAFFLE**

**Let's add to our stash again this year by participating in the Fat Quarter Raffle. It's a good way to find that "just right print or color."**

**May**

**Stripes/Plaids or  
Geometrics**

**June**

**Black and white**

**Thanks,**

**Susan Gray**

## QUILT SHOW INFORMAYION

Plans are well under way for our 2014 Quilt Show!

I am still looking for a publicity chair person. Lesley did a great job of organizing all the publications, etc. of our area and beyond, so a lot of the foot work is already done. You would send out bookmarks and flyers of our show to quilt shops within a 2 hour drive of the show. And write a short article or two for newspapers. Please let me know asap if you are interested.

Also, this show we will be collecting half yard pieces of fabric for the raffle basket. Sometimes ya just have to spice things up to keep things from being ho hum!!

If there are any questions about the show please give me a call or send an e-mail. If you took any raffle quilt blocks to make please return them by the May Guild meeting.

Angee Opdyke

## QUILT SHOW COMMITTEE

Quilt Show Chair- Angee Opdyke  
Co-Chairs - Vicki Lienau, Jackie Sittner  
Admission/Lobby - Anita Rowell  
Art Doll Exhibit - Denise Giardullo  
Challenge - Peggy Cahill, Mary McLaughlin  
Demonstrations - Darlene Breitenstein  
Dream Basket Raffle - Regina Packard  
Fabric basket - Liz Edgar  
Food - Silvia Perez - Debra Steup  
Groups/tours - Gloria Frenza  
Guild Boutique - Sam Conlon, Pat Williams  
Insurance/Show Ribbons - Pat Clark  
Judging - Dagmar Yadow  
Membership Show Badges - Gloria Frenza  
Program - Janet Iatridis  
Publicity -

Raffle Quilt Creation-Sam Conlon, Leona Willis, Anita Rowell

Raffle Quilt Ticket Sales - Judy Turco, Doreen Sangaline

Registration - Shirley Swenson, Joan Polakoff

Road Signage - Vicki Lienau

Quilt Description Labels - Debbie Martin

Quilt Show Hanging/Dismantle -

Mary Mc Laughlin, Joyce Luby, Connie Brewer

Quilt Take Down - Carol Kocis

Treasure - Pat Cohen

Vendors - Sarah Kessenich

Wearable's - Mary McLaughlin

White Glove - Vesta Lawless

## QUILTS ROADSHOW

### WITH DIANA LOUIE

Every quilt has a story, and finding out what that story is can take all your sleuthing skills. Diana will share a small trunk show of her current conservation and research projects as she explains how dates are established and conservation decisions made for any given quilt or top.

Then it's your turn. Diana will examine your quilts on the spot and share her insights and suggestions for conservation if needed. Bring your quilts, your questions, and, yes, your cameras. You never know what masterpieces may show up.

To estimate how many quilts might be brought to the meeting for evaluation, please sign up ahead of time by contacting Shirley Swenson at [skswenson@frontiernet.net](mailto:skswenson@frontiernet.net) or 845-876-2556 or at the May meeting. Diana will examine the quilts in the order on the list. Please no more than two quilts per person.

## OLD QUILTS, NEW STORIES

A show opened at the Brooklyn Museum on March 15, 2013. It will run to September 15, 2013. The title, "WORKT BY HAND: HIDDEN LABOR AND HISTORICAL QUILTS," is part of a resurgence of interest in quilts and quilting, especially in the context of the study of "women's work."

The Bennington Museum in Vermont will open a show that will run from August 31 to October 14. This show is all about Jane Stickle's quilt from 1863.

The Katonah Museum of Art, in Katonah, NY, is having yet another quilt show. This one, however, goes from the traditional quilt to those that might not be considered to even be quilts. This museum show investigates quilts that go beyond the quilt's flat plane, to those that are made of wood. On view will be 6 of the "Top 100 Quilts of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century." These three shows offer us a rare opportunity to see quilts that are never or rarely seen by the quilting public. There will be more info about these shows at our April meeting. Perhaps we will be able to do bus trips to them if enough of you are interested in seeing these exhibits.

Joan Polakoff

## FROM SARAH

Any report on the Kim Diehl visit would have to cite the obvious interest in her trunk show and the excitement experienced by those who stayed after, responding to the invitation to touch the quilts, expressing their admiration with

oohs and aahs. I thought you might like to know the expense the Guild incurs when it brings a renowned quilter from Idaho to share her expertise.

First the pluses: Admission for 7 guests (who might feel inclined to join) yielded \$42. Workshop and pattern fees amounted to \$1,885. Kim's bill for 3 workshops and our share of the airfare was \$2,338.20. The Friday and Sunday venue donations totaled \$40.

Food, transport back to the airport, and lodging during our part of the stay was \$302.60.

Hospitality provided by Carol Natoli kept that figure at a minimum.

The bottom line (expenses minus income) was \$753.80. Approximately 2/5 of that amount would have been covered if the Sunday workshop were full. In my opinion, this is the way most of us want our dues to be spent..... bringing the best teachers with accessible techniques to the Wiltwyck Quilters' Guild.

Sarah Kessenich, Treasurer

## WASN'T KIM DIEHL WONDERFUL

A lovely lady, a great teacher, and stunning quilts...

Fabrics designed by Kim can be found at [www.thecountryspool.com](http://www.thecountryspool.com) (which also offers kits of many of her quilt designs) and [www.fatquartershop.com](http://www.fatquartershop.com).

Kim mentioned that she uses Fairfield Soft Touch Cotton batting. One Web site where this can be purchased is [www.createforless.com](http://www.createforless.com). A queen size batting is \$38.49.

## SEWING MACHINE FOR SALE

It's a pre-1992 Singer. He took it to Altomari for an evaluation and was told it was worth about \$150. Anyone who is interested can call Sean at (845) 339-0403.

Thanks! - Sue Stepp



## POT LUCK LUNCH

On June 15 there will be a Pot Luck Luncheon. You are asked to bring your place setting and beverage, also a dish to pass or dessert. There will be a sign-up sheet to let other Guild members know what dish you will be bringing to share.

## COMMUNITY QUILT SIZE INFORMATION

If you would like to work on a Community Service quilt at home, the sizes are as follows:

Shelter quilts – 40” x 48” or larger with batting. Quilted or tied.

Nursing home quilts – 36” x 48” and no batting. Flannel backing is good for these because they do not slide off easily. Quilted or tied. Directions for the walker pockets and wheel chair pockets are on the Guild web page.



## **QUILTERS' YARD SALE**

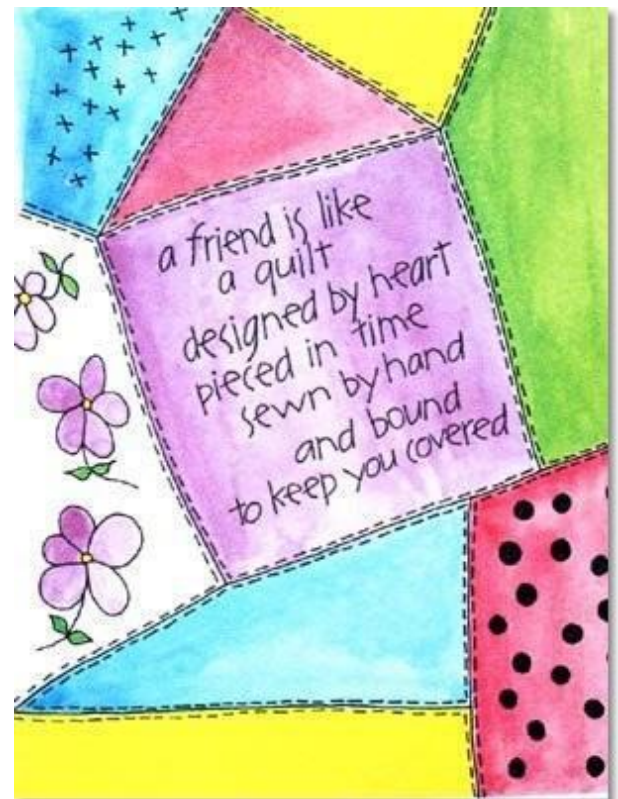
**June 21 & 22 (Rain date June 28 & 29)**

**Time 9 AM TO 5 PM**

**Quilts tops, blocks, cotton fabric, crazy quilt fabric, 1970's-80's calico, floor hoop, miscellaneous quilting items**

**Marie Reed**

**145 Gristmill Rd. Tillson NY**



**EARLY MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL**

**Renew on or before the May 18, 2013, meeting and you will be eligible to win a free membership for the year.**

**Send your dues (\$25.00), check made payable to Wiltwyck Quilters' Guild, to Gloria Frenza, 156 Krum Rd., Kerhonkson, NY, 12446.**

**Enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope if you would like to have your membership card mailed, or you can pick up your 2013-2014 membership card at the Guild meeting on September 21<sup>st</sup>.**

**\* Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**\* Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**\* City** \_\_\_\_\_ **\* State/Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**\* Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

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

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**Are you a member of the National Quilting Association?**

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**What is your ID#** \_\_\_\_\_ **Expiration Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Membership News**

**\*\*\* Starting in the 2013-2014 Wiltwyck Quilters' Guild fiscal year, members who are over 75 years of age will have to pay membership dues to cover the operating costs of the Guild.**

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