



## NEWSLETTER

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### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

Our first in person meeting in about 2 years went well. We had about 35 people there and 18 on zoom. Many thanks to Willow and Mary for running the devices that were borrowed to make it all work. Sorry to say that we will not be doing in person and zoomed meetings at the same time in the future because we cannot afford the equipment AND we do not have enough people to run the systems.

The Board did come up with a plan regarding when we would do in-person vs zoom meetings. September, December and June meetings will be in person and the rest of the months will be thru Zoom.

The Board also decided to eliminate hard copies of the newsletter. Stamps are going up to SIXTY cents soon and printing costs are up too. People will need to go to our website to see minutes. All decisions made were unanimous.

As you can see finances are questionable these days and more changes may be necessary for our guild to stay viable. We are working on the budget now.

I am sorry to present such news, but this is the state we re in currently.

On the positive side, the presenters quilts were outstanding.

See you in June for the trading event.

Theresa

### **JUNE ELECTION**

We will be voting for the positions of  
President and Treasurer at the June meeting.

**Donna Johnson** - President

**Katherine Truitt** - Treasurer

## QUILT SHOW NEWS

### Quilts in the Valley 2022 Show

Plans for the October 8th & 9th 2022 quilt show are happening. The forms for entering a quilt or wearable in the show are available online at <http://www.wiltwyckquilters.org>, and at the June meeting. Guild members may enter one quilt and the number of large quilts will be limited. If space is available after July 1, 2022 members will be able to enter a second quilt. After July 15, 2022 entry of non-member quilts will open if space is available.

Raffle tickets and bookmarks are available. Please do your part to make the show a success.

We are still looking for committee co-chairs for the magazine and book sale, and the show booklet. For the show booklet we are looking for someone with design experience. Many, many people will be needed to make the show happen, everything from set up to take down will only happen with your assistance.

If you have any questions or concerns about the show you can contact Peggy Smith at [peggyjdp mama@yahoo.com](mailto:peggyjdp mama@yahoo.com)

## ODDS AND ENDS *(from Mary Tyler)*

Now that spring is in full swing you might enjoy a ride thru the country. The New Milford Barn Quilt Trail in Connecticut offers 19 barn quilts to see while riding thru the Connecticut countryside. If you prefer to view from home you can google the New Milford Barn Quilt Trail and enjoy it that way.

The Friends of the Rosendale Library are offering a self guided garden tour on Saturday June 18th from 10 AM – 4 PM. Tickets are \$25.00 each and maps will be provided the day of your viewing pleasure.

My non fiction choices for this month are “Eye of My Heart” – 27 writers reveal the hidden pleasures and perils of being a grandmother - edited by Barbara Graham. My other non fiction choice is “The Beauty of Dusk - vision lost and found by Frank Bruni; an interesting read by a writer who suddenly suffers compromised vision, how it changes both his life and his perspective.. My fiction choices are “A girl during the War” by Anita Abriel and “Woman on Fire” by Lisa Barr.

Stanley Tucci and Searching for Italy is back on CNN for a new season. This well done show highlights the cuisine, history and passion of the Italian people for good food and family. Mangia!

Showtime is featuring a series about the amazing first ladies this country has had. It is created by (and one episode stars) the amazing Viola Davis as Michelle Obama. Mohonk is currently offering FREE six week passes to Ulster County residents. Don't be the last one on your block to hike this magnificent area.

Reminder – please sell your raffle tickets and also return them if you are unable to sell them. We are watching costs carefully and need all unsold tickets to use for the show. Also please donate one half yard of fabric for our fabric basket raffle prize.

Help make this show a comeback from Covid. The quilt show chairpeople have plenty of jobs that will fit any talent or ability you may have.

## Miniature Historical Quilt Group

The next meeting of the Miniature Historical Quilt Group is Saturday, June 4th at 10:00am on Zoom. We will be discussing interesting facts about First Ladies from Martha to Mamie. The miniature quilt is the Signature Quilt.

In September, we will meet Saturday, September 10th at 10:00am on Zoom. We will be discussing an amazing and courageous woman. The quilt is the Crazy Quilt in American Doll Quilts. I just completed mine in oriental fabrics and it was so much fun to do!

We are going to continue meeting on Zoom, as we have a members who go to Florida for the winter months, have moved out of state, or just find meeting at 8:30 before the guild meeting difficult to do. This way you can meet in your pj's with coffee in hand and not care if it is snowing or raining out! We welcome all new members who have an interest in women from history and miniature quilts.

If anyone would care to give a talk about a woman of interest they have heard about, please let me know. Also, I would like to know if there is someone or a particular topic you would like me to discuss next year. Just email me.

See you all in June!

Ellen

**NEW MEMBER:** Janice Whispell rejoined the guild  
131 Rym Rock Rd. Lot 14 Kingston, NY 12401 (845) 633-1853

## COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS

TWIN QUILT PROJECT - After the June guild meeting we will meet in the church parking lot to share. All of the twin quilt project items will be distributed at that time, hopefully to be finished as charity quilts. There are lots of each of the following: twin tops with backs, lap size tops with backs, oversized tops no backs, twin tops no backs, quilt kits ready to cut, quilt kits that need more fabric, and fabric yardage (many large enough for backs). There are also 2 pieces of fabric with preprinted quilt labels. One of them is Christmas, the other is kitchen and cooking. Bring your scissors to cut some labels out for yourself. Bring some bags for the quilts and tops. I'll meet you at the back hatch of my car!

Linda

## **PROGRAM NEWS 2022**

**All programs are offered by Zoom unless stated otherwise.** Email Carolyn Boice at [TiggerTurtle313@msn.com](mailto:TiggerTurtle313@msn.com) with any questions. Workshop information is posted on the website.

**SAT JUNE 18, 2022 – IN PERSON** -- End of the year meeting and “*Share and Trade Tailgate*”. Bring anything you would like to share with the group from patterns you thought you might use and decided against to fabric that you used and still have way too much of. We are going to line the parking lot, weather permitting, with tailgates full of quilting goodies that you no longer want to possess and allow the members to peruse. Members will be able to swap and trade to their hearts desire. Tables are not being supplied, feel free to bring your own if you would like to set up that way. If the weather does not like us we will move this adventure inside.

**SUMMERTIME** – Take a look at the Community Section for our *Seat Belt Pillows* thanks to Willow.

**SAT SEPTEMBER 17, 2022** – No program due to Quilt show preparations!

**SAT OCTOBER 15, 2022** – *Pam Hadfield aka Mama P Quilts*: Zoom Presentation and trunk show followed by a half day workshop “*All Around the Neighborhood*”, a modern take on the Dresden to design a fun circular row of houses. You can design your neighborhood like she did using all those leftover Halloween scraps or you can pick a Christmas, Easter theme. You can even pick your favorite theme of fabrics to match your house, the possibilities are endless.  
[www.mamapquilts.com](http://www.mamapquilts.com)

**SAT NOVEMBER 19, 2022** – *Karen Brow-Meier*: Zoom Presentation “*SMUGGLE Principles*” where Karen will discuss the seven design elements which make a quilt sing and the workshop “*Shell Shelters Turtle Case*”. I have been looking for some projects that aren’t quilts for us to do and this is one adorable looking turtle case, great for children of all ages.  
[www.javahousequilts.com](http://www.javahousequilts.com)

**SAT NOVEMBER 26, 2022** – *Karen Brow-Meier* – for those participating in the workshop, this is the second half where we finish up putting our turtle cases together and having them ready to distribute for Christmas if you choose to or we can just keep them all, they really are adorable.

**SAT DECEMBER 17, 2022** – Holiday brunch

Email Carolyn Boice at [TiggerTurtle313@msn.com](mailto:TiggerTurtle313@msn.com) with any questions.

## CATSKILL MOUNTAIN QUILTERS HALL of FAME

*An Email Blast of the entire May meeting report from Hilda will be sent out*

**CMQHOF Summer Meeting** - Picnic July 11, 10:00 - 2:00

**LOCATION:** CD Lane Park, Big Hollow Road (route 56), Maplecrest.

It would be great to have volunteers to help with our responsibilities as the Guild hosting this meeting. We are required to provide supplies for the bath rooms, table coverings, assistance to those hanging quilts, etc. Please let Hilda Pleva know if you are planning to come (845-481-5544, hpleva@gmail.com)

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## CMQHOF Quilt Show

The Hall of Fame Quilt Show will be held September 17-18 at the Roxbury Art Center. Registration forms available at the Hall of Fame Picnic and on-line at their website. Website Members Only section password is cmqh0fm (Note: What appears as the letter "O" has to be typed as a ZERO). Exhibit space is limited.

\*\*\*\*\*Each Guild is asked to provide a gift basket for this CMQHOF show. Please bring any contribution for this basket to the outdoor meeting of our Guild planned for a Saturday, June 18. Some ideas: fat quarters, jelly rolls, yardage, tools, kits, items you have made, new books or magazines, trims, buttons, beads, collections of precut shapes, sweet treats, liquid soaps for quilts, etc., etc.

Hilda



## MYSTERY QUILT

Because everyone is in various stages of the mystery quilt, we will be showing them in September instead of June. This decision was also made, because many people who have made mystery quilts or may want to view the mystery quilts often can't make meetings due to events such as weddings and graduations. If you have any questions please email me at dfkiii@gmail.com.

Donald



Answers to Scramblefiller: Seam Allowance, Dresden Plate, Work Space

## NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

Please send all articles to be placed in the newsletter by the Friday following the meeting. This will give me time to get the newsletter done before the deadline. Either send your article via email to jf.wiltwyckguildnewsletter@gmail.com or snailmail it to me at **J. Ferrara, 165 Lily Lake Road, Highland, NY 12528. Please use a universal format, or write directly into your email.**