



NEWSLETTER

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PUBLICITY

I'm remembering "Prometheus Rising from the Ashes", a quilt made by Jane VanDeBogart and other Wiltwyck members, gifted to Jim and Bob after a fire postponed the opening of their new Woodstock Quilt Shop. Restaurants and other businesses as well as non-profit community institutions are now fighting to rise from the Covid ashes. That's our guild and our show.

How to plan when no one knows what the future holds? Te Pabon and Peggy Smith have had to make some difficult decisions. To think that we could launch a clone to our 2018 show at this time is unreasonable. Just take publicity. We had contracted for a billboard on Route 209 in 2020. Even if we had the money, NoVo took it down. Jackie Ferrara's beautiful artwork graced the screens of three local movie theaters for our last two shows. Who goes to the movies now?

We need you. Come to the show. If you volunteer for set-up, take-down, or to do a shift at the show, you attend the show free. Whether or not you are in the area on Columbus Day Weekends, tell your neighbors and friends to come. Jackie will send an Email that you can forward. Let me know if you need a flyer or bookmarks. There's still time to be involved in making Quilts in the Valley a 2022 success.

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QUILT SHOW NEWS

The show is just weeks away, the excitement is building!!! We are excited to see the beautiful quilts our members have entered in the show. Thank you to all who have volunteered to work. The show is not possible without everyone's assistance.

Please continue to sign up to help at set-up, admissions, raffle table, dream basket table and take down.

Our food vendor is unable to be at the show due to staff shortages. So bring your lunch, snacks for the show.

If you have any questions, contact Peggy at (845)657-8140
Peggy Smith & Theresa Pabon

ODDS AND ENDS (from Mary Tyler)

With the return of cooler days I am drawn to some choices that are different from what I usually enjoy reading. My non-fiction choice is *“Dinners with Ruth”*, a lovely account of Nina Totenburg’s long time friendship with the irrepressible Ruth Bader Ginsburg. As you may remember Nina was one of the founding “mothers” of NPR at a time when it was quite unfashionable for women to hold positions of power.

My fiction choice is *“Rules of Engagement”* by romantic suspense writer Stacy Abrams, novelist and gubernatorial candidate.

If you have a favorite, please share so we can all enjoy it.

If you are in the mood for tv – CNN has two good events on demand. *“Watergate”*, a four part series (apparently I forgot more than I knew), narrated by John Dean, and *“No Ordinary Life”*, a documentary about five courageous women working as photojournalists in war zones.

Since this month’s theme seems to be strong women – I am reminding you to be one yourself and get a mammogram during Breast Cancer Awareness month. So many have missed routine screenings with that devil Covid that cancer numbers are rising. Breast cancer strikes one in 8 women – remember self-care is not selfish.

Till next time

Mary

MYSTERY QUILTS

We showed the mystery quilts at the September in-person meeting, but if you weren’t able to show your mystery quilt, or you only attend Zoom meetings we can show the quilts again.

There was no sign up sheet for the next mystery quilt at the September meeting, but if you would like to participate in this year’s mystery quilt, please email me at dfkiii@gmail.com and let me know so I can send you a requirement list when it is ready.

I’m using EQ 8 for the first time ever to design this Mystery Quilt, so we’ll see how that works out.

Donald

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.**

PROGRAM NEWS 2022

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

ON ANOTHER NOTE – THANKS TO PAT CLARK FOR TAKING AND QUILTING A FEW OF OUR REMAINING TWIN QUILT PROJECT QUILTS. WITH THAT SAID BEFORE BEING ABLE TO DISTRIBUTE THEM I NEED SOME VOLUNTEERS TO BIND THEM. I HAVE A COUPLE WITH BINDING SEWN ON THE FRONT THAT JUST NEED FINISHING AND SOME WITHOUT ANY BINDING AT ALL. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED PLEASE LET ME KNOW AND I WILL MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO GET THEM TO VOLUNTEERS!

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

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

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 - December holiday brunch, details to follow once we get closer.

Carolyn

DREAM BASKETS

Thank you to everyone who signed up to make dream baskets and to sell raffle tickets at the show.

We still have a lot of open time slots to sell tickets and would like to fill more. The open time slots on Saturday include:

10am-11am

12pm-1pm

3pm-5pm

The time slots available on Sunday are:

11am-2pm

3pm-4pm

If you can donate any of your time to **help sell raffle tickets**, even just an hour please email Donald at dfkiii@gmail.com or call Dolly at (845) 255 6877.

Any help will be greatly appreciated

The Dream Basket Committee

As of September 15, we have 57 members for the guild year of 2022-2023. Keep those dues coming in. This year's dues is \$35.

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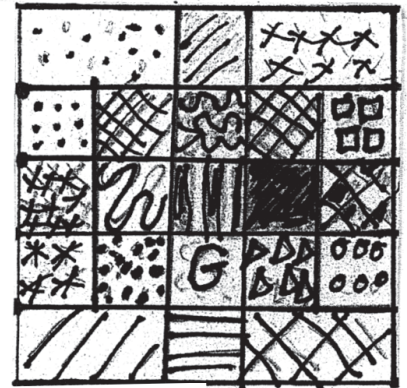
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BLOCK OF THE MONTH

September/October 2022 "Hip To Piece Squares"

We will make a 10 1/2" unfinished block taken from American Patchwork & Quilting, June, 2022 on pp.68-72. It was designed by Kim Schaefer.



READ ALL DIRECTIONS BEFORE BEGINNING AND MAKE A PRACTICE BLOCK FIRST. All seams are 1/4"

FABRICS: Pull out all your blue scraps for all the blocks this year.

- 1) Twelve 2 1/2" square blue scraps and ONE 2 1/2" square of a green print
- 2) Assorted whites with small black dots or any small black "shapes": four 4 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles and four 2 1/2" squares

Piecing the block:

Lay out the pieces as shown. Randomly replace any of the blue squares with the one green square. It can be any of the blue squares!!!

Sew each row across and press rows 1, 3, 5 to the left and rows 2, 4 to the right.

Sew row 1 to row 2; sew 3 to 4; press in the order of the arrows; sew these two units together and press in the direction of the arrows. Sew row 5 to the bottom of this unit and press.

SQUARE UP TO 10 1/2"!!!! Sign your name in the seam allowance and bring to the Sept. 10 meeting or mail it to Mary McLaughlin, at 212 Dogwood Lane, Kingston, NY 12401 Block is due by the October 15 meeting.

W= white print; B = blue print; G = green print

