

Silver Threads Quilt Guild Newsletter

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The mission of Silver Threads Quilt Guild shall be to further interest in quilting, promote education, contribute to community charitable causes and encourage the preservation of quilts and the art of quilting.

President's Comments

Hi Quilters,

This summer has been great. In July Marcie Vitopil gave us a great demo on making confetti quilts and these would be great for the boutique at the quilt show. We have a great program for the August meeting with a trunk show from Virginia Robertson from Durango with a Wedding Ring class in Wednesday 8/16. Please let Penny Snyder know if you haven't signed up, but want to come.

Beth Kendall

Silver Thread Quilt Guild Meeting
July 18, 2017

Sherry Paxton visited us.

Sunshine: Rain (and hail) lowers our fire danger. Dawn avoided a wreck and Beth has her grandson for a month. Kathie also has grandson visiting. And Beth has a one woman show of her quilts in the Art Center in Lake City.

Shadows: Le Shepherd, a former member, has died. If anyone has her address, please contact Beth so a card may be sent to her family.

The next meeting will be in Creede at 10:00 am.

The meeting was called to order.

There were no corrections to the minutes as published.

Treasurer's Reports: General fund- \$ [REDACTED]. Quilt show- \$ [REDACTED]

Raffle Quilt Account- \$ [REDACTED]

New Business: The proposed amendments were discussed, voted and passed.

Take Note...

Meeting Location

Creede Baptist Church

Date: August 15

Time: 10:00 a.m.

August Program

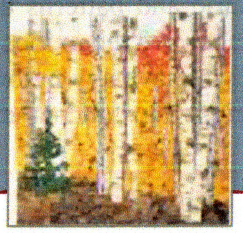
Virginia Robertson

Trunk Show

August Birthdays

Kathy Ellison August 18

Kathy Black August 20



A motion was made that the STQG membership access on the website be restricted to members. The membership list and contact information would be able to be accessed by a password that would be sent to members by a separate email. This was discussed, voted and passed.

There are openings in some of the standing committees, and ALL members are encouraged to consider volunteering to fill these positions.

Standing committee reports: Advertising was not able to give a report as this committee position is open. Community Service: Susan shared a letter of thanks from the Homelake Veteran Center. Continuing Education: Penny Snyder has activities in place until September. A "wish list" was circulated to generate classes and activities that members want to have in Continuing Education. This position is also open. Historian: Joyce Osborn reports that the website is up, and members are encouraged to explore the site (silverthreadsguild.com) The newsletter will be posted there beginning in August. Hospitality: Carolyn Flood circulated the sign up list for hostesses for next year. If you have not signed up, please contact Carolyn. Membership: Shelby Bonner is accepting dues. We have 36 paid members so far. Nominating Committee: no current report as all positions are filled. Newsletter: If you would like your birthday in the newsletter, please let Pat Miller know. Also let her know if you would like the newsletter mailed to you.

Upcoming Classes and Meetings: At the next meeting we will have a trunk show. August 16, 2017 there will be a wedding ring workshop for a fee. The retreat starts August 25. The fee is \$35/night and you will need to bring your own lunches. Kathy's Fabric trunk will have a trunk show at our meeting in South Fork on September 19. There will be a Barn Quilt class, possibly in September. Please contact Penny Snyder for details.

Quilt Show Report: the Quilt Show Director and subcommittees met before our meeting to help plan the show. The vendors will be housed in the cave this show and the members are working on confirming vendors. A judge was secured from Houston. She is a quilter and an editor in the past for Quilter's Newsletter. The judge will also do appraisals along with Donna Skvarla. The Creede Community Center was secured as our location. Audrey is managing the antique quilt program, and is limiting the number of quilts to 20. The quilts of members will take priority in the display, if there is space members can sponsor a friend's quilt. All quilts must belong to a member or be sponsored by a member.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Show and Tell: Sheralyn Humble shared a red and blue Judy Niemeyer project. Kathy Jones had a lion baby quilt. Janice Torres showed projects for the Treasure Trove (an accordion pouch that took about an hour to make, a bowl cozy with fabric and Insulbrite batting and some wall hangings that used Liquid Stitch Permanent Fabric Glue. Marcie Vitopil showed the demo of a maple tree from the workshop she taught using fabric confetti and bridal tulle. Tammy Hamel's Peace Cottage quilt was shared and Beth Kendall had her finished quilt top for the Peace Cottage project. Penny Snyder's Peace Cottage is also finished and was in a show in Kansas. Barbara Komatz showed a Treasure Trove item and a primitive wool appliqué basket.

Anne Strong, secretary

Treasure Trove (Ways & Means) Workshops

A Treasure Trove workday is scheduled for Thursday, August 10, at 10 am at the Baptist Church in Creede. We can make those cute accordion pouches, or the microwave bowls that Janice showed, and many other things. If you have fabric and patterns that you'd like to share, we'd appreciate it. Since the Treasure Trove is the show's biggest money maker, we're anxious to get started.

If you have any nylon zippers to spare, would you please bring them to the workshop. Any length, any color will work. Bring your lunch and we'll see you there.

Sheralyn and Karen

PROGRAMS

Virginia Robertson will be providing a trunk show at our August meeting, August 15, in Creede.

On Wednesday, August 16, Virginia will be having a class at the Baptist Church in Creede beginning at 9:30 am. Her class is \$35 plus pattern and supplies. She will be teaching us how to easily do curved seams. We will be doing a double wedding ring. If you would like to take the class, go to virginiarobertsondesigns.com and choose one of her double wedding ring patterns. You may order it yourself and pay shipping. If you will let me know your choice by August 3, I'm doing a group order and there will be no shipping charges. For class you will need your sewing machine with a 1/4" foot, basic sewing supplies, a bunch of your fabric scraps and your background fabric. We will only be completing a couple of rings during class. Hope you will join us.

In September, Kathy's fabric will be presenting the program.

Penny Snyder

Penny's Request

If you would be willing to have our speaker stay at your home/cabin Tuesday night, August 15, please call me (620-229-4247). Penny

EDITOR'S NOTE

Beginning this month the newsletter will be available on the guild's website. silverthreadsguild.com
A notice will be sent to you each month with a link for the newsletter. A copy will not be sent directly to your mail unless you request that. A copy will be sent to your email this month so that you get this information and we make a trial run with the new plan.

Watch for quilt show information in your email inbox.

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