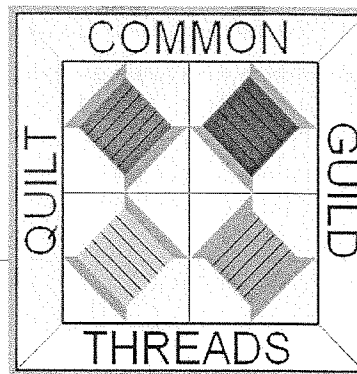


Common Threads Quilt Guild



A Message From our President

Hello everyone,

*Well the heat has finally given way, thank goodness!
It has been beautiful the last few days.*

We will not be having a quilt show meeting before the regular meeting in September because we will be talking about the show anyway. I would like to have at least one representative from each committee to attend the Sept. meeting to give an update. This will be the last chance for all of us to talk about everything and have time to get things done as the October meeting is the day before show setup. So it is very important to have a full representation at the meeting. I will also have a sign up sheet for the volunteers that we will need at the show so be prepared. By the looks of the registrations we are going to have a great show with some beautiful quilts!

Well, I hope to see everyone in September.

Your friendly President,

Andrea Blaisdell

Who We are and Where We Meet

Common Threads Quilt Guilds meets the first Thursday of Every Month at 7:00 PM at the Sterling Club House in Hyde Park.
Memberships dues are \$15. Annually

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**Www.commonthreads
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September 1, 2011

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635—8389

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Membership Chairman—
Robin Genetti—644-2795

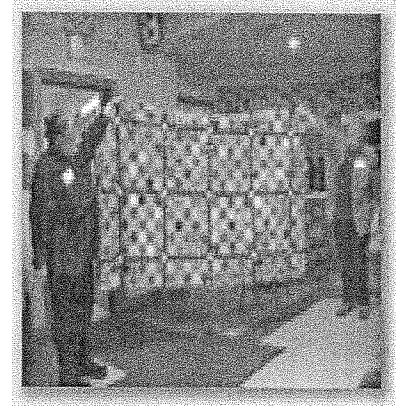
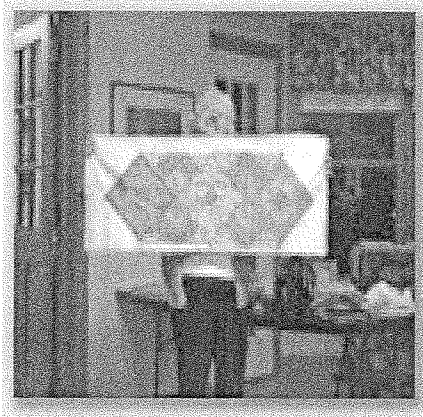
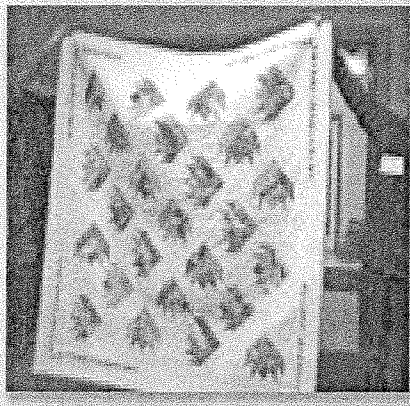
Charity Quilts—
Anita Roberts—888-7622,

Joyce Larow—888-4868,

Barb Scribner—253-7741

Block of the Month -
Barbara Otoole

Treasurer's Report—no report this month.



Secretary's Report

On August 4, 2011 the Common Threads Quilt Guild met at Sterling View with 45 members present.

Rhoda Reed won "Just for Coming" and Martha Duffy won for "Canned Goods".

Sunshine sent out two cards.

Robin Genetti reported that we now have 88 members.

Quilt show business: Annie Morgan has forms for the boutique. Volunteers will have free admission to the show but in order to win a Door Prize you must pay the admission fee. To exhibit

a quilt the form was due August 4. Carolyn has requested that the Challenge quilt's title and description should be brought to the next meeting.

Ginny Moody needs 1 or 2 volunteers for Green Mountain meeting in October for Show and Tell.

The cookbook could not be finished by August 17 because they do not have enough recipes. They would like Vermont theme and Vermont flavor. Bring in your favorites and by next year it should be completed.

The guild needs a storage area. If you have a suggestion let us know.

Sharon Perry looked into Guild pins and the best price is \$630.00 for 300 pins. Barb made a motion to proceed. Seconded by Julie. So moved.

Do we want to do folded Oriental theme ornaments for the Helen Day Christmas Tree? Trees go up end of November.

Donna Phelps has donated quilt books to the guild library and also a quilt frame. The frame will be sold and proceeds to go to the guild.

Martha Duffy proposed that some go to Lamoille High School and show some

Common Threads Quilt Show News

No Quilt Show meeting before our September Guild meeting as we will be spending the meeting talking about the show. It would be wonderful if we could all be there.

SILENT AUCTIONS ITEMS NEEDED BY SEPTEMBER GUILD MEETING

If any guild members still plan to donate an item or two for the silent auction, please give them to Sharon Perry at the September meeting. This will allow enough time to take pictures and prepare all the necessary documentation before the quilt show.

We'd like to extend a B-I-G thank you to everyone who has already

donated items for the auction. We have a wide variety of items for the quilter and non-quilter alike from fabric to quilting books to quilted items to collectible dolls. Be sure to stop by the silent auction table during the quilt show to place a bid on your favorite item.

Membership Form

Common Threads Quilt Guild
Membership Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State: _____

Zip Code: _____ Phone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Date of Birth: Month _____ Day _____ (ex. May 7)

Dues: \$15 renewals, new members joining Sept – Jan
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Please complete this form and bring it to the September meeting with your dues.

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XTRA NEWS

Xtra News:

~ Carolyn Babcock needs your info about the Civil War challenge quilts. Your name and significance.

~ Donna Phelps was very generous in donating a quilt frame and it was decided to offer it to guild members first and if no one wants it we will put it in the Boutique at the show. The price is \$40 if anyone is interested.

~ We will need a place to store our quilt show racks, fabric and all our other stuff. If anyone has any ideas please let me know. Andrea 635-8389

~ Don't forget to bring items for the Food Shelf!

Sewin' Love Fabric Shoppe

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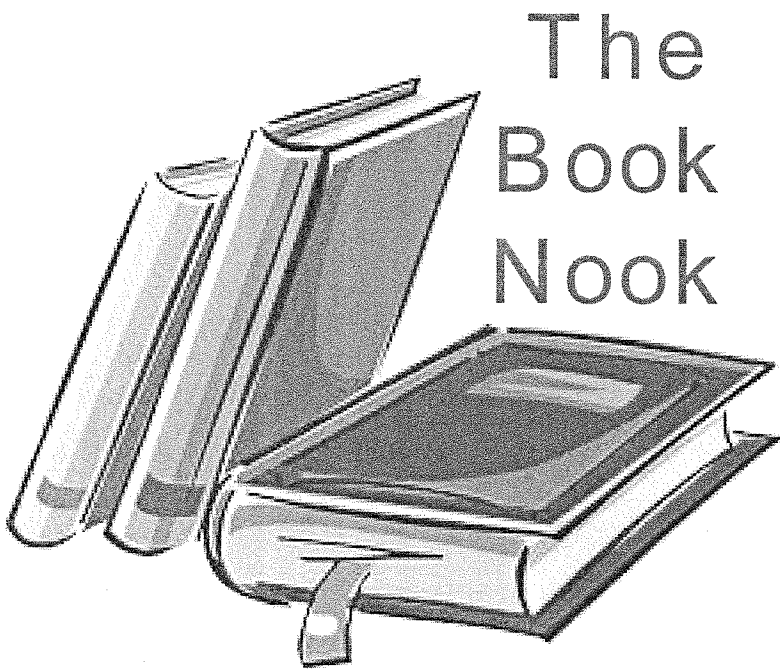
Sewin' Love Fabric Shoppe
29 Depot Street
Lyndonville VT.
9:00- 5:30

I wanted to introduce myself to Kathy's old customers.

I brought the store from her and have reopened in Lyndonville VT. I have the same wonderful fabrics Kathy had plus new ones coming weekly.

My hours are Mon-Sat 9:00 a.m – 5:30 p.m and I am located at 29 Depot Street, Lyndonville (just down from subway). Visit me at Sewin' Love Fabric Shoppe on Facebook for all the latest updates. Please reply to be added to my e-mail list for updates, specials and classes.

Thank You —Karen greenwood—(802) 427-3070



The Book Nook

CTQG LIBRARY: ACQUIRES 22 MORE BOOKS

Thanks to a very generous donation of 22 books by Donna Phelps, the library has grown to 216 books. Some of the books Donna donated are classics, like Quilt It! Quilting Ideas and Inspiration for Patchwork and Appliqué by Barbara Chainey and Petal Play by Joan Shay. Other books donated by Donna include: A Celtic Garden by Philomena Durcan; Fantastic Fabric Folding by Rebecca Wat; Sashiko for Machine Sewing – Japanese-Style Quilting by Summa Design; and Scraps by Judy Martin.

If you'd like to "check out" one of the newest additions to the library or any of the guild's library books, please call Sharon Perry at 326-3135 or email vtquilter@gmail.com to let her know which book(s) you'd like. She'll bring them to the next guild meeting.