

# LAKE QUILTERS' NEWS

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### **PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS** BECKY LINKOUS & DENISE PILVERSACK

**2014 PROGRAMMING PLAN** 

### August 26th 1PM Program

Kathy Berinholtz, a local fiber artist, will present a lecture on "Hand Dyed Fabrics". She will explain several ways you can add color and interesting details to your fabric for quilting. Kathy is a multi-talented artist with a shop called "Vermillion" located inside the Artfully Framed shop here at the lake. We look forward to a great program from Kathy with loads of new fun ideas.



### September 22nd - Workshop – 9-2

We are excited to have nationally known quilting teacher and lecturer Paula Golden with us for a full day workshop on Monday 22nd. The project will focus on color and movement in a beautiful project called "Bargello Boogie" with pattern resembling the flame stitch. Paula will also give us tips on "Body Smart Quilting" with an ergonomic and safe work space. Signups will begin at the July meeting. Full day 9-2 workshop class will be \$ 35 and supply list will be provided.

### September 23rd- 1PM Program

Paula Golden, quilting teacher of the year winner, will present a trunk show and talk to us about choosing color and design for our quilts. Paula is from Blacksburg and is a nationally known quilter with loads of experience making beautiful quilt designs.

ONLY A QUILTER would spend more hours sewing several hundred buttons on quilt to embellish it, but wouldn't take five minutes to replace a button on a pair of pants.

**ONLY A QUILTER** would use freezer paper in the production of something to keep someone warm.

**ONLYA QUILTER** invites everyone to see her sewing room, then says, "Don't look at this mess."



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# 2014 BOM

We are still thinking warm weather, many more boat rides, cookouts etc. The family and friends visiting is now slowing down, making more time to sew. The BOM for August will prepare you for fall. We will be making a square table topper of pumpkins. The new technique will be chenilled vines. Come and see what this month's table topper will look like.





Hello Ladies ....

I hope you are all bidding goodbye to your summer guests, and ready to dust off that sewing machine in the corner that is feeling very neglected. At least that is my home, my story . . . and the last hurrah is next week with the last family visit.

In between company, the Kept in Stitches Bee made a trip to the VA Hospital in Salem. We had 17 lap quilts and two bed-size quilts to distribute—15 from the Bee and one each from Janice Hagen and Helen Duffany, thanks to all of you. We met in Building 12 and were escorted to the permanent residents' quarters to begin giving away our quilts. It is the most amazing experience to visit and talk to these ladies and gentlemen, and see the happy faces when they accept the quilts.

We had lunch in Roanoke and then, since we were already near Apperson Drive, we went to Quilting Essentials . . . some went to JoAnn's to use their coupons . . . and always a little more

### WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

Notice of guild meeting cancellations due to bad weather will be posted on the WSLS web site: http://www. wsls.com. Click on "Weather"/"Closings." A link to the WSLS web site can be found at the bottom of the HOME page on our web site.

#### (http://www.lakequilters.org)

For further information or questions, please contact the Guild President or the Program Chair-Person (VP). Their contact information is listed in the newsletter under the current officers. fabric for our stashes.

A wonderful day of bonding with our Bee . . . giving back to our veterans . . . that's just a little of what quilting means to me.

See you all on August 26th!

Susan—



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## Workshop Guidelines

Workshops are special opportunities for a small group of people (usually only 20) to have instruction from a guest teacher. Please follow these guidelines when signing up for a workshop.

• Sign-up will begin at 12:30 p.m. at the guild meeting in the month announced for the workshop sign-up.

Only people who have signed-up AND paid can attend the workshop. You are not considered "signed-up" until you pay your money!
If you are unable to attend the guild meeting at which the sign-up occurs, have a friend sign you up and pay your money. We will NOT be taking phone sign-ups before this time. Please don't ask us to break this rule.

• Once the workshop is filled, a waiting list will be formed. If someone drops out of the class, the next person on the waiting list will be called. Please do not by-pass the waiting list by selling your spot to a friend. It is not fair to those who have been put on the waiting list.

•Once you are on the list, and find you will be unable to attend, you will not get a refund unless someone is found to take your place. Please contact Becky Linkous and Denise Pilversack as soon as you know you can't come and the next person on the waiting list will be called. If there is no one on the waiting list, you may then find your own replacement.

For up-to-date information and photos of Guild happenings . . . Be sure to visit our web site at

http://www.lakequilters.org Email additions or questions to

bonnie@lakequilters.org Bonnie Bull, Webmaster

## **BOONES COUNTRY STORE**

2699 Jubal Early Hwy., Burnt Chimney, VA 24065 (3 miles from Burnt Chimney on Rt. 116) (540) 721-2478 FAX: (540) 721-4831 Tues-Sat, 9:30-5:30

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Look in our freezer for **soups and casseroles**, as well as our baked goods.

# **2014 CHARITY NEWS**

Thanks to everyone who keeps on supplying our charities with items.

Our needs now are pillowcases and small quilts that we need for CASA and Bedford Hospice Care. They both would like a number of them for Christmas. Twin and full sized quilts are always appreciated by the shelters and foster care. Pairs of pillowcases are also good for the shelters. We can always use totes and wheel chair bags as well. We still have enough bears for the rest of the year, but pillow pals are getting scarce, so if toys are your thing, how about making a few more.

Sandra and Marnie are retiring as charity chairpersons at the end of the year. Please think about taking over this job. It is a most rewarding experience for everyone involved. The delivery trips are a lot of fun, and we've found some great places for lunch.

Here is what we received at last meeting:

12 bibs, 82 wheelchair bags, 10 tote bags, 10 bears, 5 pillow cases, 2 small quilts and 3 lap quilts = 124 total

Special thanks to Betty Huffman for her large donation of 12 bibs and 70 wheelchair bags. We still need lap size quilts with a matching pillow case for our CASA Christmas distribution. Fabrics used should be suitable for youngsters or teens. Just a reminder: please leave a slip of paper with your name and donation if items are placed on the charity table before 12:30 PM on meeting day. We hate not knowing who to give credit to for all the wonderful donations we receive.

MARNIE, SANDRA AND BETTY

Marcia Wright has moved New contact info for her: ask the editor

## 2014 GUILD CHALLENGE

The challenge this year is to make a Fashion Statement!! Everyone carries a purse, make yours Fabulous!! Think of all the complements you'll get and how proud to say, "Yes, I did make it!"

http://sharimariecreations.com/attachments/File/Shari%20Maries%20Purse%20Tutorial.pdf

Follow the super easy directions, add your personal flare, and then share it with everyone at the Christmas luncheon. It will be fun!

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## Buzzing from the Bees by Joyce & Dale

**Bag Ladies Bee** (Moneta area) - meets the 1st and 2nd Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. to ???? at Mary Ann Spangler's (297-1335). Bring lunch. Will continue to work on charity items for children. Making bears, wheelchair bags, and lap quilts for charity. Membership is splay in April

open. Will display in April.

**Buzzin' Bees** (Boones Mill) - meets 1st Thursday 9 a.m. to ??? at Velma Meador's home (334-1957). Bring lunch.

**Friendship Bee** (Hardy) - meets 3rd Monday, 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Call Gloria Thar (890-7916) for meeting location. Bring lunch. Bring anything you've started or want to start; there will be help for new quilters. Will display in July. (New members WELCOME).

**Kept in Stitches Bee** meets 1st Thursday at the SML Association meeting room (lower level behind Old Oak Café—Rt. 616 at Westlake) 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Members work on individual projects as well as charity quilts. Call Marilyn Doble (721-5701) or Linda Burke (721-7376). Bring lunch. Will display in May/June. (New members WELCOME).

**Material Girls Bee** (various towns) meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Call Kate Holdgreve (890-2027). Bring lunch. Will display in October. (Full at this time.)

**Piece Makers Bee** (Moneta) meets 4th Tuesday, 9 a.m. to noon at Dot Jackson's home (721-4859). Work on charity quilts and always learning new techniques and projects. Will display in August. (Call Ruth Ann Assaid, (992-6445).

**River Queen Bee** The River Queen Bee meets at the Moneta Library the third Tuesday of the month at 12:30 PM. For questions please call either Sharon Cullen 297-3661 or Linda Pote 201-396-6198. Our Bee welcomes new members.

**Shady Ladies Bee** (Various locations) meets 2nd Thursday of each month from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm or longer. They will rotate meeting sites from home to home. Will display in November. (Full at this time.)

**Southside Bee** (Union Hall) meets 2nd Thursday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Bring lunch. Call Irene Capps (576-5995). Working on scrappy charity quilts. Will display in March. (Full at this time.)

Stitches In Time (Goodview) Appliqué Bee meets 2nd Thursday, 10 a.m. Bring lunch. Call Kinza Pickelsimer (798-5295). Project: Hearts and Flowers blocks by Kathy Delaney. Will display in September.

**Sunshine Bee** (White House Corner/Huddleston) meets 1st Thursday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m, at Cindy Clark's home (297-0043). Bring lunch. (Full at this time.)

IF YOU WISH TO BECOME A MEMBER OF A BEE or IF YOU HAVE ANY UPDATES/CHANGES FOR THE ABOVE BEES, CALL JOYCE DISBROW (297-7262) OR DALE STELLHORN (297-1020) BEFORE THE 3RD OF EACH MONTH.