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The guild meets each 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday at the Bowling Green Parks & Recreation Building at 1291 Conneaut Street, Bowling Green, OH. Doors open at 6 pm. The December meeting is a brunch at the B.G. Country Club. NQA #OH478

# OCTOBER, 2012

# Next Meeting: FRIDAY, October 12

Remember to mark your calendars for October 12 and 13 for Vikki Pignatelli. She will be lecturing and presenting a trunk show entitled "Nurturing Your Creative Spirit: Personal Traits That Inspire Great Quilts" at 7:00 Friday night instead of our regular Thursday meeting. Please invite your friends to attend as we still have tickets left for the lecture. Saturday Vikki will be teaching "Crazy about Curves." She has some wonderful techniques that will have all of us sewing curves. For those taking her class on Saturday, you will need to bring one to two yards of Pelon sew-in regular lightweight or mid-weight stabilizer. Do not bring fusible or tear-away stabilizer. If you have any questions about tickets or the supply list please contact Dale Burnett for more information (419)841-2649 or daleburnett44@msn.com Batik for the fat quarter raffle.

**November 8:** Trunk show from Keepsake Quilting—top two winners from their challenge for the last ten years. <u>Clothes drying racks and clips</u> <u>are needed for displaying the quilts</u>. <u>Let Jacquie</u> <u>Sharrer know if you can provide either or both</u>. <u>Bearpaw6565@gmail.com</u> <u>Christmas prints for fat quarter raffle</u>.

**December 8:** Christmas Brunch. Optional ten dollar purchased or homemade gift for exchange. No fat quarter exchange for December.

### **Donation Quilts**

Fifteen quilts were donated in September—two for veterans, one for CRC youth, three for the Cocoon, and nine for CRC babies.

#### From Gretchen Schultz

All Saints Lutheran Church, 5445 Heatherdowns Blvd., Toledo, is having a quilt show. It will be Friday and Saturday, November 2 and 3 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. both days. There will be a large display of quilts, arts and crafts sale, quilt drawing, and bake sale. Lunch will be available and admission is free.

#### Mini Groups

**St. V's Palliative Care Quilt Group** – October 19 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the BG Church of the Nazarene, 15341 Gorrill Road in BG.

**Fabric Art Group** – Wednesday, October 17 at Grounds for Thought, 7 p.m.

**<u>Daytime</u>** – Daytime quilting will be at Betty Jefferis', Monday, October 8, from 10 to 3.

**Bowling Green Community Quilters** – BG Parks and Recreation Dept., October 25 at the Scout Bldg. in the BG City Park (near Conneaut Ave. and N. Maple St.) 7:00 p.m. For more information call Barb Lemon, 419-353-3647.

### AQS Lancaster

If you would like to enter a quilt in the AQS Lancaster show, you have until November 19 to do so. There will be over \$44,000 in prize money awarded. The link to view and print the rules: <u>http://aqsshows.com/AQSLancaster/contests</u> The show will be March 13-16 at the Lancaster (PA) County Convention Center.

#### Pumpkin Patch Shop Hop

The Pumpkin Patch Shop Hop will be held Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, October 18-20. Seven shops in Michigan are participating— Berkley, Dearborn, Wyandotte, Tecumseh, Pinckney, Howell, Brighton. Besides visiting the shops you will see the beautiful Michigan fall colors.

www.pumpkinpatchshophop.wordpress.com

# **Book**

Masters Art Quilts, Vol. 2. Major Works by Leading Artists. The book was curated by Martha Sielman and is available at the Wood County Public Library. This book is great. It is full of wonderful pictures of all varieties of art quilts.

# **Reinvented Sewing Machine**

Diane Giveins sent a link she found in Threads Magazine. It is a new concept sewing machine. The name of the machine is "Sue." Very interesting! The part I liked best was that the foot pedal can make the machine go forward or backward. No button to hold in. www.studiowood.co.uk/54675/625331/gallery/sue

# Pictures from September's program



Lace made on an embroidery sewing machine.



Quilt made with embroidered flower blocks.

# <u>Thanks</u>

Anita Kopp would like to thank everyone who came and helped at workday. She says it was a success and a lot of fun.

# Looking Ahead – More Upcoming Events

<u>September 29-October 7</u> – The Quilt Patch in Tecumseh, Michigan. They are celebrating their fifteenth anniversary with a quilt show of projects made during classes or as a member of a club during the fifteen years.

<u>October 12-14</u> - Harvest Quilters Retreat. Sauder Heritage Inn in Archbold, Ohio. Car pooling will be available to the Vikki Pignatelli lecture and classes. For information call Sauder's at 419-445-6408. Questions: Call or email Rosanna Williams. <u>October 26, 27, and 28</u> – "Birds of a Feather Quilt Together" retreat at Our Lady of Consolation Retreat House in Carey, Ohio.

October 31; November 1-3 – Ohio Amish Country Quilt Shop Hop. Over 1300 prizes were awarded last year. There will be ten shops participating. www.amishquiltshophop.com

January 2, 2013 – Deadline for entering a quilt at Paducah. <u>www.americanquilter.com</u>

<u>July 19 & 20, 2013</u> – Kaleidoscope of Quilts XVI Exhibition Center at Sylvania Tam-O-Shanter www.gcqc.org</u>

### **Contests**

Do you like to enter contests and drawings? If so, check out Fons and Porter. They are asking for your answer to a question (entry by October 15) and the winner will be drawn from all entries received. Another question is to be answered by December 31 and winners will be drawn from entries. If you have designed a scrap quilt you could enter it and possibly win \$500. The deadline is November 1. There is no charge to enter any of the contests. For all of the details: www.fonsandporter.com/contests

I wondered why the baseball kept getting bigger. Then it hit me.

No matter how much you push the envelope, it'll still be stationery.

A dog gave birth to puppies near the road...and was cited for littering.