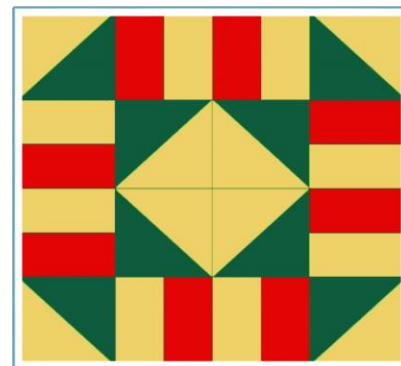


Mudsock Messenger

Meetings: 2nd Monday of each month

Fishers United Methodist Church

[Website] mudsockquiltersguild.org



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From the President's Pen

I have never been known for my athletic ability or “outdoorsy-ness”. Enjoying the great outdoors usually means, opening my screened windows and doors to enjoy the great outdoors from the greater indoors!

On these beautiful days, I have been tempted to haul my sewing machine or hand work out to the patio and play but I really don't like bugs! In addition, I do not enjoy moving my equipment when I have almost everything that I need upstairs. Notice that I said “almost everything”. My sewing “palace” has one serious flaw. During the warm days of summer, it becomes an oven! I've adjusted the thermostat downstairs to freezing and the upstairs gets one degree cooler! Therefore, I use fans, five droning fans placed in various locations and at different angles to make the room tolerable. That works for a while, and then I have to go cool off downstairs.

So you can see why having this gorgeous weather is perfect. Enjoying my sewing room with the windows open and the breezes blowing is the best. Instead of the steady humming of the fans, I can actually hear children playing, lawnmowers mowing, dogs barking, sirens blaring, oh well, at least it is not a “sweat shop” today!

I think I'll go take a walk!

Happy quilting!

Pat

SEPT. BIRTHDAYS

Happy, Happy B-Day to:

09 Judy Hamilton
09 Lynn Hupp
11 Donna Reimer
20 Becky Moore
23 Marion Newell
23 Alice Whitaker
29 Wanda Feder

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS!

Anita Abernathy
Anne Hart
Vicki Palmore-Hale
Denise Stites
Linda Westbrook
Alice Whitaker

September 12--Mudsock Quilters Guild Meeting (9:30–11:30+ a.m.)

Location Change for September Guild Meeting!!!

The September 12th meeting will be held at the Community Health Pavilion (146th Street and Cumberland Road). Our program will be “hands on” creating “Fractures” with Chris Moore. You can participate or observe. We have this room for the day so bring your sewing projects.

If you want to create a Fracture you will need the following:

Sewing machine, cutting board, rotary cutter, at least a 24” ruler and normal sewing supplies. Then choose and bring one of these two, you wish to make.

Two identical panels with a single flower or animal. Fabric which can be used to finish your picture. **OR**

Two fat quarters which are coordinated plus fabric which is dark in color to finish off your picture (about a yard).

If you have questions, contact Chris Moore at: chrisat80@gmail.com

Mark Your Calendars!! Upcoming Mudsock Events

- Sep. 15** Quilting 101, 12:30 – 3:30, Always in Stitches, Joanne Fishburn, contact.
- Sep. 19** Piecers Group, 1:00 – 4:00, Always in Stitches, Marsha Baer, 407-9711, contact.
- Sep. 26** Community North Quilting Bee, 9:30 – 3:00, Community Room at Community Health Pavilion, 13121 Olio Rd., Fishers; Diane Peterson, contact.
- Sep. 27** Handwork Group, 1:00 – 4:00, Always in Stitches, Pat Adams, 490-1155, contact
- Oct. 10** This will be a sharing time. Everyone is invited to share quick and easy gift ideas. If you have a gift idea you would like to show/share with your fellow quilters, please bring it. As we approach the Holiday Season, we thought you would like some new items to create. And if there are instructions, web site, and pattern information bring that as well. We will then have 75 days to complete our gift items.
- We will be meeting at the Fishers United Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall and in the afternoon meet at the Fishers Library for our “sew-in”.
- Nov. 14** Guild meeting: Our panel will present different methods of Applique.
- Dec. 12** Guild Meeting: We will have our annual Christmas Party.

Block of the Month NEWS

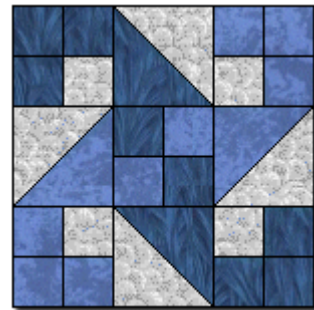
September 2016

Val Angove was the winner of the July 4th blocks last month. What a great variety of reds, whites and blues we had.

In August, Ellen presented a Water Wheel quilt block pattern. The free pattern is located at <http://www.quilterscache.com/W/WaterwheelVariationBlock.html>. Please use two shades of one color in your block and a neutral for the background. Prints and solids are welcome.

Completed Water Wheel blocks can be entered into a drawing at the September meeting. Please put your name in the basket when you put your block on the wall.

12" square block



SAVE THE DATE!

Friday-Sat., Sept. 23 - 24 – QUILT STASH SALE - 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.,
First Mennonite Church, 4601 Knollton Road, Indianapolis, IN. \$1.00 donation at the door.
All proceeds will go to the The Women's Legacy League and the Sugar Creek Quilt Guild.

Nancy Doemel, of Crawfordsville, IN, died June 18, 2016. She left a large amount of fabric, including Kaffe Fassett, Asian, novelty, and bright colors. Also, selling tools and collections for projects. Fabric sold by the pound at \$0.60 per oz. as-is, no cutting. Total cost rounded to whole dollars. (Targeting a per-yard cost of \$3.00, but weight of fabric varies. Bring your own shopping bag, cash or check. NO PLASTIC.

Directions: Northwest Indianapolis, near Michigan Road and Kessler Blvd. E-W: One street west of Michigan on Kessler Blvd., Go south on Knollton. Watch for the church sign and turn left on 46th Street. From the South: SR65 North to 38th Street exit/Kessler Blvd. N-S, North on Kessler, east on 44th to Knollton, north on Knollton to 46th Street.
Questions? Contact Kay Kingsley 317-255- 3806, kaykingsley214@gmail.com

Other Quilting Events

Mar 4-Jan 8, 2017 The Indianapolis Museum of Art presents ***A Joy Forever: Marie Webster Quilts*** as part of Indiana's Bicentennial Celebration. This exhibition celebrates the legacy of Marie Daugherty Webster (1859-1956), who is considered one of the leading designers in the history of early 20th-century quilt making. Born and raised in Indiana, Webster designed and made her first appliquéd quilt in 1909. In the following years, her quilts were featured in *Ladies' Home Journal*, which brought her international fame and recognition. The exhibition consists of 25 appliquéd quilts designed and made by Marie Webster, which date from 1909-1930, 13 patterns, and original pages from *Ladies' Home Journal*. Marie Daugherty Webster's scrapbook is also displayed.

Jun 24-Sep 24 This is a **regional SAQA exhibit (Studio Art Quilt Associates)** by fiber artists in Indiana and several surrounding Midwestern states. It is a juried show in the Brett Waller Community Gallery on the first level near the museum shop (free access). Images of contemporary quilted/fiber art were submitted to the museum's curator of textile and fashion arts, and about 30 pieces were chosen for this exhibit. **Judy Ireland of Mudsock Guild** has a work in this show.

Contact Judy Ireland for more information on the above exhibits: ArtLadyJ@sbcglobal.net

Sept 16-18 **Brown County Historical Society & Pioneer Women's Quilt Show**
There will be over 100 Quilts, Spinning & Weaving Demonstrations, Exhibits, a Lunch Cafe with Homemade Pies, and entertainment by local musicians. The show hours are:
Friday, Sept. 16 and Saturday, Sept. 17 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 18 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost: \$6 for adults, children 12 and under Free

Sept. 30- Oct. 2 *Always in Stitches* is partnering with [Sew 4 Home](#) and Janome for a retreat at the Hamilton County Fairgrounds. They will provide EVERYTHING you need to sew three fun projects.
More information and registration is through www.sew4home.com/sewing_escape. and is \$199.

A FEW REASONS TO BUY FABRIC (compiled by Frances Tankersley)

- 1, It keeps the economy going: it is our patriotic duty to support cotton farmers, textile mills, and quilt shops.
2. It is less expensive and more fun than psychiatric care.
3. Because it's on sale.
4. Okay, it wasn't on sale, but by the time it was, all the good stuff would be gone!
5. It keeps without refrigeration and you never have to feed it, change it, wipe its nose, or walk it.
6. Because I'm worth it!

REMINDERS:

**Bring your donations for the Tag Sale. Please put prices on them.
Please bring items for the Church's food pantry.
Wear a name tag to every guild meeting.**

Bad Weather Policy

If Hamilton Southeastern Schools are CLOSED due to weather – NO MQG Meeting
If Hamilton Southeastern Schools are DELAYED – Meeting as Scheduled



Quilt Expressions Quilt Shop – “Sew Modern”

Business Hours: NOW OPEN Monday - Friday 10-5, Saturday 10-3 Bring this ad for 20% off 1 non-sale notion, book, fabric (1 yd+). Note: 1 coupon per customer, per day, w/additional purchase please. 12514 Reynolds Drive, Fishers, IN 46038, (317) 913-1816. QuiltExpressionslh@gmail.com

SORRY FOR DELAY!
REOPEN WED SEPTEMBER 14TH
RERENOVATION CONTINUES

Advertisements for \$10 per month, MQG will publish ads for those who desire. Checks can be made out to Lynn Hupp, Treasurer. You can mail or email your ad to me, the Editor, Lissa Shanahan.

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