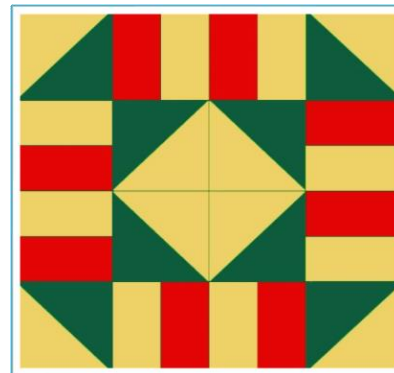


MUDSOCK MESSENGER

Meetings: 2nd Monday of each month
Cornerstone Lutheran Church
13450 East 116th Street, Fishers, Indiana
[Website] mudsockquiltersguild.org



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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Happy Birthday to Mudsocks! It has been 7 years since the Mudsock Quilt Guild was established. There were 8 original members, and look how we've grown! Thank you to those ladies who had a great idea and took the time, effort and resources to start our group. Hopefully we will make them proud and we will continue to flourish.

We finalized the nominations for the Mudsock board at the August meeting. Elections will be at the September meeting. Please check the website for the list of nominees for each office. We will have an opportunity at the meeting for anyone who is interested to sign up to participate in a committee. We welcome new ideas, and the best way to share them is to participate in committees and planning for our activities.

Our inaugural retreat is coming up!!! I can't wait to see everyone there. It will be lots of fun, and we should get some projects done while we are there. Be sure to bring your projects and supplies, but remember if you forget something or need additional items, there will always be the opportunity to go SHOPPING!

The meeting this month will be at Cornerstone Lutheran Church. Please remember to bring food pantry items as a thank you for allowing us to use their facility. We have a workshop in the afternoon, so many of us will be going to that. The crying room at Cornerstone will be open for anyone who wants to stay to sew after the meeting. The outer doors to the church are locked at 1 PM, so you need to be inside by then.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Happy B-Day to:

07 Judy Purgason
09 Judy Hamilton
09 Lynn Hupp
11 Donna Reimer
16 Diane Esslinger
20 Becky Moore
23 Marion Newell
23 Alice Whitaker
26 Amy Klodzen
29 Wanda Feder
30 Lavonne Mitchell

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS!

Peggy Fowler
Donna Hess
Sarah Potts

We had 62 members 2 new members and 7 guests attend our August meeting.

Happy sewing and see you all at the next meeting!

Sandy Metzger

SEPTEMBER 10th -- Mudsock Quilters Guild Meeting (9:30–11:30+)

The September Mudsock meeting will be held at the Cornerstone Lutheran Church, 13450 E. 116 St., Fishers, at 9:30. Please bring non-perishable food items to donate to their food pantry. We will be electing officers for the 2018-19 year.

“Quilters Seeking Blue Ribbons” will be presented by Doris Goins, a certified quilt judge. There will be an afternoon workshop at the Community Room at Community Health Pavilion, 9699 E. 146th Street, Fishers IN,

We will also be celebrating Mudsock’s 7th birthday and honoring our founders. And there will be a Sew-In after the meeting for those who are not participating in the workshop.

This year’s nominations are:

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| President: | Alice Whitaker |
| Vice President: | Diane Lockman |
| Secretary: | Donna Reimer |
| Treasurer: | Tameria O’Dell |
| Program Chair: | April Sterling |
| Program Co-Chair | Chris Behme |

Mark Your Calendars!! Upcoming Mudsock Events

- Sep 17** Community North Quilting Bee, 9:30 – 3:00, Community Room at Community Health Pavilion, 9699 E. 146th St., Noblesville, Diane Dimpfl, (317) 550-9080, contact
- Sep 18** Piecers Group, 1:00 – 4:00, Always in Stitches, Marsha Baer, (317) 407-9711, contact
- Sep 28** Handwork Group, 1:00 – 4:00, Always in Stitches, Marion Newell, (317) 336-3567, contact
- Oct 08** Guild Meeting, 9:30 – 11:30, Cornerstone Lutheran Church,

Program Committee Updates

Friday–Sunday, September 7–9, 2018, Farmstead Inn & Conference Center, Shipshewana

Farmstead Inn, phone; (260) 768-4595. Questions? Contact any member of the 2018 Fall Retreat Committee: April Sterling, Alice Whitaker, Laura Frieden, and Amy Anderson.

September Workshop: Applique, Circles, Stems and More! This workshop is presented by Doris Goins, our September speaker, at 1:00 on Sept 10th. The sign-up, two months ago, was a success and the workshop is full.

November Workshop: Heather Givans of Crimson Tate will be presenting a 3-hour workshop on November 12th. Registration for this workshop will start at the August meeting.

Children's Charities Needs

After speaking with the coordinators of our Children's Charities, here are some more specifics on their needs. Labeled tubs will be at our meetings for your donations. Questions: Sally (317) 747-4104 or Max (608) 692-2020. Thanks for all you create and donate!

DAMAR: Mostly boys ages 6 through 18 with autism. Standard size colorful pillowcases.

BIRTHRIGHT, INT'L.: Support for teens and women with unplanned pregnancies. Larger (36"x 40" up to 36"x 50") baby quilts and blankets. Rag quilts are fine, but not knit or crocheted blankets.

HANDS of HOPE: Blankets or quilts for foster care children in Hamilton Co. No restriction on type or size. Greatest need for babies, toddlers, and preschool age. Some need for older children.

RIVERVIEW HOSPITAL: "Touch of Love" and Noblesville County Hospital. Give 1200 blankets to newborns each year. Prefer size to be between 30" and 36" square. Double flannel is great. Quilts are fine, too. If tied, use embroidery floss not yarn. Can also use burp cloths and new 3 to 6 month sleepers for layettes, fleece blankets for older babies and toddlers (prefer 36" to 45" square.) Can have self-fabric fringed edges. (Hole punched and crocheted edges are fine but nothing with skinny fringe or large holes.) They also have needs for older children: blankets given through the hospital, schools and to homeless families. Fleece blankets for toddlers and preschoolers. (Prefer 45" square or 45" by 54")

Sally Young

Other Upcoming Quilting Events

- Sept. 6-9 "Quilts in the Park," Pendleton Historical Museum, Falls Park, Pendleton, IN (\$5.00 donation). For more information contact: Spring Valley Quilt Guild, 675-778-1818.
- Oct. 5-6 "Quilt Along the Wildcat Quilt Show" presented by Kokomo Piecemakers Quilt Guild, Kokomo Event & Conference Center, Kokomo, IN, 9:00-5:00, \$8 admission.
- Mar. 7-9, 2019 2019 Indiana Heritage Quilt Show, at the Monroe Convention Center. Bloomington, IN. IHQS.org for more information

1950 Singer Featherweight Silent Auction

For sale to the highest bidder! This mint condition 1950 Singer featherweight sewing machine is up for bid at the next Mudsock quilt guild meeting on September 10, 2018. **Bids start at \$300.** Please submit your bid in a sealed envelope with your name and phone number and give them to Sandy Metzger. If you are unable to attend the meeting and would like to place a bid, please email Sandy at quilts05@aol.com. Bids will be accepted through the first half of the meeting on September 10, and the lucky new owner will be announced at the end of the meeting.

Block of the Month NEWS

For information and directions for the September Block, Disappearing Hourglass 2, go to the Mudsock website at www.mudsockquiltersguild.org for the details

REMINDERS

Bring your donations for the Tag Sale. Please put prices on them.
Please bring items for the Church's food pantry. (We do this in lieu of rent.)
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



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