

November 10, 2009

7:00 P.M.

Fairborn Senior Center

325 North Third Street

Fairborn, Ohio

Visitors Welcome

Speaker Fee: \$5.00

Artist Shares Photo to Fabric Technique

Julianne Bateman Kravetz was born and raised in Mesa, Arizona. She started sewing at an early age and took sewing classes throughout junior high and high school. When all of her five children were in school, she began to work at a family-owned quilt shop where she was exposed to fine cotton fabrics, fine quilts and the artists who made them. She became interested in fabric portraits and read up on techniques used to create these works of art. Over time Julianne developed her own style and technique.

Julianne has taught classes and workshops in Indiana, Montana, Arizona, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee and Ontario, Canada, and has continued to expand her business by creating custom portrait patterns for others. She has been commissioned by numerous people to customize fabric portraits, some of which can be seen on her website www.photofabrique.biz. The December meeting is our usual pot luck with a fabric exchange.

Shari Brindley

Vice President

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Additional Notes:

- Look for Miami Valley Quilters' Guild on Facebook and become a fan. Post what you are working on for the 2010 show and any other helpful tips or new finds.
- I will have sign up sheets available for all of the 2010 classes that are listed in the 2010 calendar. Please note that Maria has added an extra day so please come sign up again for which day suits your schedule.

Thanks, Shari

A Note from the President

The October Challenge meeting is one of my favorite meetings. I love seeing what everyone creates. Thanks to Sue DeSantis for all her work in putting this together. Great job. I also want to thank those who volunteered for the Nominating Committee.

Congratulations to Maria Elkins on her entries in the Houston Quilt Show. She received an Honorable Mention in the category Art-Miniature with her wallhanging "Violinist". She also received 2nd place in the category Art-People, Portraits and Figures with her wallhanging "Broken Dishes".

Don't forget to watch the Extreme Makeover: Home Edition program on Sunday, November 8 at 7:30 p.m., Channel 22 featuring the Terpenning family of Beavercreek.

All are invited to the Executive Board Meeting on November 4 at the Beavercreek Library on Dayton Xenia Rd at 6 p.m.

Susan Hill

President, 9374264740
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Welcome New Members

There were 76 members and guests at the October meeting with five new members joining the Guild.

Membership renewals 2010 are being taken at each meeting. There have been 21 renewals thus far. Remember, 2010 dues must be paid to register Retreat.

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Nominating Committee for 2010

At the October meeting, Susan announced the Nominating Committee for 2010 officers. The Committee includes:

Jean Brittingham	jbrittingham002(at)woh.rr.com	9377680237
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Nancy Smith	no e-mail	9374268823

The committee will present a slate of officers at the November meeting for voting by all members present.

Currently, The Vice President and Corresponding Secretary positions are open. If you would like to volunteer or to nominate another member for a position, please contact any member of the committee at your earliest convenience. If you are nominating someone, it would be appropriate to contact that individual to determine their availability and to let them know that you will support them in the position.



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November Stitch-In

The 3rd Monday evening stitch-in will be held 7 p.m. on November 16th at Marlo Sigler's home. The address is 5071 Strathaven Dr., Dayton. Her telephone number is 9378903383. Please call Marlo for directions and to let her know you'll be coming.

Enjoy an evening with friends and get some of your quilting and piecing done!

Quilts: Traditional, Challenging and Innovative

Quilt Show — May 7, 8, 2010 Set Up — May 6, 2010

The Challenge is over but I hope those who haven't finished theirs will continue. It would be neat to have a section of the quilt show with our 2009 Challenge. So you now have about five more months to finish your projects.

I want to say a big thanks to Pam Bohnke and Billie Ferguson for finishing the Quilt Show raffle quilt (Shadow of the Bear). It's gorgeous!!

Susan Hill

Quilt Show Chairman

Quilt Show 2010 Reminders

If you weren't at the last guild meeting you missed seeing our raffle quilt. It is amazing! I plan on buying many tickets for myself. We should have lots of interest in buying tickets, so get ready.



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After the meeting, there were more show-and-tell items to add to the growing list for our show. Where are yours?

Now some information on the boutique: This time we are not getting a bedding license from the state and therefore the list of quilted things we can sell is a little shorter. Just placemats, table runners, wallhangings, purses and small things. I will have more information at the next meeting.

Keep those machines busy.

Linda Adams

Bus Trip to Amish Country

Ann Clutter is considering a bus trip to Holmes County in the spring (possibly April; more details to follow). For more information, contact Ann at 9374334354 or email clutter.10(at)osu.edu.

Sunshine News

If you hear of a member who could use our support, please call Diane McLane at 9379644142 or e-mail dmclane(at)woh.rr.com.

Thank You

I really appreciate all of the cards and support that I've received during this difficult time. Thanks,
Barb Schimer

Classified Ad

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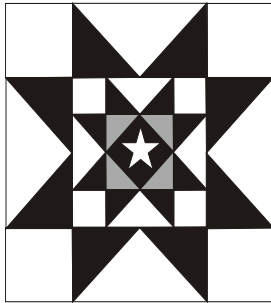
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2010 Calendar of Events

- Tues 01/13 Community Quilts
Tues 02/09 Maria Elkins lecture
Wed 02/10 Maria Making Faces Workshop
Sat 02/13 Maria Making Faces Workshop
\$25.00/student plus \$5.00 kit fee
Tues 03/09 Library Program
Nancy Prince
Sun 04/11 Seasons In My Garden
Mon 04/12 Thread Painting 1,2,3
Tue 04/13 Simple Flowers/Alpine Rose
Tue 04/13 Lecture
\$45.00/class plus appropriate kit fee
Tues 05/11 Quilt Show
Tues 06/08 G. and V. Siciliano Lecture
Wed 06/09 G. and V. Siciliano Workshop
Cost to be determined, students purchase kit
Tues 07/09 Programs' Fundraiser
Tues 08/09 Demo Night
Tues 09/14 Purposeful Roots; bylaws sec. 2
Tues 10/13 Our own Award Winners
Tues 11/09 Shari Brindley/Kim Gros
Sat 11/13 Cross-stitch to Quilt Workshop
\$15.00 plus supplies if needed
Tues 12/08 Christmas Potluck

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE ABOVE CALENDAR MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. THANK YOU.



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Janet Stohr

Retreat Chairman

**(Retreat Forms are at the end of this
Newsletter and are available on line.
Additional retreat information will be
available on the website.)**

Pointers & Tips For Quilting

See Dark Edges: Place a white
or colored piece of paper under dark
fabrics when rotary cutting on a dark
mat so you can see the fabric edges
more clearly.

Paint Chip Tip: Create your own color
library with complementary paint chips

available at home decorating stores. Paint chips are easy to take along when shopping for fabric.

Flannel Carriers: Cut out large pieces from a flannel-backed tablecloth and roll it up to store quilt blocks and unroll it when you're ready to work on it

Trading Card Holders: Buy trading card dividers for needle storage and place them in a binder. Insert needles into felt or muslin squares that have been cut to the size of the dividers. The holders can also be used to store swatches of your fabric stash.

Stop Fabric Diving: Buy a single stitch plate for your sewing machine instead of using a slotted zigzag plate. It will be easier to begin new seams without the fabric sinking into the notch. In a pinch, use transparent tape to create a smaller hole.

Breaking Thread: To moisturize old, dry thread and reduce breaking, place the spool in a plastic bag, spray lightly with water and refrigerate overnight

Backing Material: Remember to purchase backing material that is similar weight and color to the top of the quilt. It is always a good idea to try and use the same types of material for the top of the quilt as it will be difficult to sew through uneven levels.

Locating Thread Grains: Sometimes it's hard to see the position of threads in printed fabric, making it difficult to locate the straight grain to mark or cut patches. To

locate the thread grains, flip the fabric over. The print should appear somewhat faded on the fabric's reverse side, making it easier to see the threads

Storing Supplies: Purchase a plastic, six drawer filing cabinet on wheels at an office supply store to store supplies. The drawers will help keep projects organized.

Quilt Pins

Quilt pins are available at each meeting from Kim Gros. Each pin is \$3, up to 2 pins. After that they are \$5 apiece.

Deadline for the December 2009 Issue: Monday, November 26

All articles are subject to editing and approval by the editor. Materials received after the deadline date will be considered for publication only if space and time permit.

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2009 Board Meetings

February

May

August

November 4

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Minutes of Board meetings are posted in the News section of the website.

Quilting stories, ideas, news?

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February 19, 20 & 21, 2010

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Meals: Friday: lunch, dinner, Saturday: breakfast, lunch, dinner; Sunday: breakfast, lunch

Feel free to bring snacks to share

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Total \$ _____

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Contributions toward the Sally Kerr Memorial Retreat Fund may be included with your retreat payment or confidentially mailed to Kathy Bean, 5410 Oakbrooke Dr., Kettering, OH 45440.

Retreat registration form and payment can be sent to:

Chris Landis, 2110 Germantown-Liberty Rd, New Lebanon, OH 45345

Sally Kerr Scholarship Fund Application

Miami Valley Quilt Guild 2009 Quilt Retreat

* Scholarship created for a Quilter in need of funds in order to have the opportunity to attend the Winter retreat. Please apply between the September and November guild meetings.

Notification will be made by the December meeting.

* Contact Kathy Bean, Heidi Young or Lesa Bame.

Name _____ Phone _____

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1. Are you a guild member? Yes _____ No _____ Returning Member _____

2. How many years have you been a member? _____

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