



Guild meetings & Workshops are held at Union Missionary Baptist Church, 500 S. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Lansing, MI

2013-2014 Officers

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Lonnie Brewer

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November 20, 2014: Karen Duling will give a lecture/trunk show. Karen specializes in Dog quilts and has recently published a book of patterns. She has promised to give equal time to both cats and dogs. Her website is karendulingquilts

December 18, 2014: A time for sharing. Our annual Christmas Party will feature a potluck. A food drive and an auction to benefit the Mid Michigan Food bank will also be part of the program.



January 15, 2015: Our speaker will be Laurie Simpson of Minick and Simpson. Laurie Simpson lives in Ann Arbor and with her sister, Polly Minick of Florida, the team designs fabric and patterns. Their website is Minickand-Simpson.com. Although Laurie will not be able to offer a workshop she will be bringing 7 suitcases of quilts to show us!



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When you sign up for a workshop, you must pay at that time. If you cancel your registration for a workshop, there are no refunds!

If you have questions about workshops, please contact Program Chairperson

Newsletter and Advertising Information

► **As the Needle Turns** is published 6 times a year in the odd-numbered months. Deadline for submissions is the 1st of all even-numbered months (Feb., Apr., June, Aug., Oct., Dec.) Please e-mail advertisements (in .jpg or MS Word format) and articles to editor Liz Cardinal at eacardinal@att.net.

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(Discount for members: Business card—\$10; Quarter-page—\$15; Half-page—\$30; want ad—\$3)

► **Newsletters are now being emailed to all guild members with an email address.** Those who prefer a paper copy should indicated this on their membership form and pick them up at the guild meeting. Any newsletters not picked up will be mailed.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I swear there is a part in all of us that never grows up! With Halloween coming upon us it kind of reminds me of quilters hitting the quilt shops, never knowing what we may find. It could be a notion, a pattern, material or thread that will make our next project easier or help us create something new and exciting. Then we go home and go through our bag to look at what we had just gotten. Just like a kid after Trick or Treating, we go through our new stuff with ooohs and ahhs that leave us smiling!

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Guild News and Notes

From Chis Yelvington: Laurie from the **Salvation Army** says that they have not been able to find dolls at a reasonable price for the Dolls and Bear Christmas program. Therefore, they suggest that CCQG members who would like to dress dolls, provide dolls themselves. Springfield dolls have been available at Joanne's and also at Michaels. With coupons they are not too expensive. Hope this is fun for you and the enjoyment of the children adds to your pleasure!

The **Quilt Show** is coming in only 12 months!

Our Challenge quilts will be due in February. See the web site for details.

President's blocks for Lonnie should be navy blue and cream. See directions on website.

The Boutique Committee thought you might be looking for [Ideas for projects to do for the Boutique](#).

Embroidered items of all kinds (how about a few men's aprons).

For the kids, baby shoes, items for "Grandma's Corner."

Seasonal pillows and wool candle mats.

Sewing machine covers.

Fabric coil baskets.

Quilts of all sizes: Adult-sized, Bed Runners (30x80), Table Runners (70" long)

Christmas stockings

Handmade dolls.

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Fat Chance themes:

October	Orange & Nut Brown
November	Black and white
December	Christmas colors
January	
February	

2014-2015 Fat Chance Winners

May	Bea Brown	12
June	Jean Carlson	15
July	Janet Keesler	12
August	Kay Nichols	5
September	Jan Asmann	15
October		
November		
December		

TREASURER'S REPORT

Current Financial Activity

Cash balance	23,951.03
Income rec'd.	2998.10
Expenses	1258.48
Net Income	1739.64



NOTE THAT COUNTY STITCHES NOW GIVES GUILD MEMBERS 10% DISCOUNT, BUT ALSO WILL MARK YOUR BLUE CARD!!

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ELAINE'S TOO

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MONDAY - SATURDAY 10:00 TIL 5:00
PO BOX 12
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989-834-2538



NEW MEMBERS

- | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Susan Adams | Pam Koppleberger |
| Debbie Day | Deborah Lengkeek |
| Joanne Esper | Sue McConnell |
| Cheryl Hetrick | Terri Moody |
| Brenda Jones | Barbara Obst |
| Debi Kenny | Bert Richberg |
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New Library Items by Susan Stahl, librarian

- Machine Quilts**, by Sue Nichols, a primer of machine quilt basics
- 60 Pieced Quilt Borders**, by Judy Laquidara, quilt borders
- Simple Shape Quilts**, by Kathern Russi & Rose Schutte, modern quilts
- Modern Quilts & More**, by Kimberly Einmo, modern quilts
- Flannel Gatherings**, by Lisa Bongean, Primitive wool quilts
- Vivacious Curvy Quilts**, by Kianne S. Hire, curved pieced quilts

2015 Going to Pieces Quilt Show

Our 2015 Quilt Show is now less than a year away, and we all know how fast time flies! It will be here before we know it! Your show committee has already been meeting, planning and getting the ball rolling. There are a lot of changes for this show and we're excited to try some new things. The biggest changes are the date change to the fall, the day change to Fri/Sat, and the venue back at The Summit.

We will continue with some of the great things we all like from the past - multiple raffle quilts, door prizes, silent auction, boutique, sponsored awards and viewer favorites. We've also added some new things you'll hear more about as the plans come together.

We have a great committee who are all dedicated to make this show fun, entertaining and a great success! We will be asking all of you to participate in some way - we can't do this without you! So save the date, start making those boutique and auction items, and finish those awesome quilts to show!

Trying our best,
Eileen and Lon

Your committee chairs are:

Show Co-Chairs	Eileen Gioia
	Lonnie Brewer
Awards	Kelly Sattler
Boutique	Sally Middleton
CCQG Booth	Sharon Wexler
	Sharon Neuner
Door Prizes	Liz Cardinal
Hospitality	Rosemary Nester
Hospitality co-chair	Bev Wilkinson
Pre-Hang/Drop Off	Jean Kaufmann
Program	Deb Martens
Publicity	Glenna Segall
Quilt Return	Helen Harrison
Raffle Tickets	Sharon Wexler
	Sharon Neuner
Raffle Quilt	Dorothy Jones
Raffle quilt chair	Cheryl Bliss
Registration	John Putnam
Setup and Take down	Carol Schon
Silent Auction	Danita Brandt
Sponsorships	Sharon Neuner
Story Card Hanging	Cristy Smith
Vendors	Jan Asmann
	Linda Nelson
Volunteers	Deb Feldpausch

CCQG Guild Mission

Capitol City Quilt Guild (CCQG) was organized in March, 1984, to encourage fellowship, cooperation, and learning among area quilters and to promote public appreciation for creativity and high standards for quilting. CCQG is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization giving to the community education, hosting quilt shows to spread the art of quilting. The Guild members make and donate quilts for various charities and as well as provide free education seminars for the public on the art of quilting.

Quilt Show Mission:

Raise money so that we can continue to carry out the "Guild Mission"

While putting on the best show ever, to showcase and recognize member's talents, encourage new quilters, promote our guild, have unique shopping opportunities for attendees and profitable sales for vendors and guild. And provide a fun and enjoyable experience for all!



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New Beginnings Customer Appreciation and Giant Blow Out Sale! August 15th & 16th, Fri. & Sat. with Garage Sale on Saturday only.

We are celebrating our move into our beautiful new space last year. If you haven't come to see us yet, you are missing out! This is a great time to come and see our classroom, design walls, and more than 5,000 bolts of fabric! And don't forget to take advantage of the big discounts, stash clearing, and, of course, our annual famous garage sale. You don't want to miss it!

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NOVEMBER

DECEMBER

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| Peg Stiffler 11/7 | Arlene Telesz 12/6 |
| Ruth Farmer 11/8 | Carol Schon 12/8 |
| Louise Mueller 11/11 | Lorraine Johnson 12/10 |
| Jane Waligorski 11/11 | Ruby Freed 12/14 |
| Barbara Yamanishi 11/17 | Dorothy Rowe 12/14 |
| Geri Smith 11/18 | Bev Wilkinson 12/14 |
| Sally Boron 11/19 | Cindy Mielock 12/16 |
| Sharon Wexler 11/20 | Linda Nelson 12/18 |
| Jan Gagliano 11/26 | Mary Pearson 12/18 |
| Cheryl Bliss 11/27 | Jennifer Beggs 12/23 |
| Sharon Barrett 11/30 | Joheather Grant 12/27 |



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CHARITY

NEEDS

Charity Quilt	Description — please label <u>all</u> quilts	Guild Contact Person
Heartwarmer Quilts	Quilts donated to Lansing area hospitals for chronically or critically ill babies and children (and possibly adults based on need). Can be any size and color, tied, hand or machine quilted.	Cheryl Bliss Cherylsue65@yahoo.com 517-490-5389
Angel Quilts	Small baby quilts, 12-16", given to parents as a keepsake of a premature or newborn child they have lost.	Deb Feldpausch feldpau53@yahoo.com 989-593-3111
Bereavement Quilts	Children's quilts 24x24" with a plain light neutral backing fabric of 100% cotton. These quilts are given to the Emergency Room at Sparrow Hospital. When a child dies in the ER their hand and foot prints are put on the back and given to the family for a keepsake.	Cheryl Bliss Cherylsue65@yahoo.com 517-490-5389
Chemo Lap Quilts	Lap quilts given to chemo patients to help them stay warm during chemo treatments. At least 48x60" and no larger than 60x72". If you provide the quilt top with binding , Bobbie will back with fleece using polyester batting. Masculine or patriotic quilts are needed for men. She will also take donations of finished quilts, fabric, thread, and batting. (If purchasing fleece for backing, please get two yards).	Bobbie Slider thequiltlady@live.com 517-896-3775
Hospice Quilts	Quilts given to the patients in the Palliative Care Unit at Sparrow Hospital. They can be any color or pattern, at least 48x60". The quilts will be given to the families as a keepsake.	Deb Feldpausch feldpau53@yahoo.com 989-593-3111
Patriotic Quilts	Quilts of Valor – http://www.qovf.org/ Miracle Quilts Michigan Project – http://thedesertangel.org/quilts/contact.htm	Various members of the guild.
VFW National Home for Children-Eaton Rapids	Quilts given to children of veterans from small children to teenagers.	Sue Ann Cole sueanncl@yahoo.com 517-627-9565



The Capitol City Quilt Guild meets the third Thursday of each month, 7 pm, at Union Missionary Baptist Church, Lansing, MI

We're on the Web!
<http://capitolcityquiltguild.org>

Capitol City Quilt Guild
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Next Newsletter Deadline: December 1, 2014

≈ AREA QUILTING EVENTS ≈

May 1 - November 30, 2014

Earth Stories: SAQA Exhibit

Michigan State University Museum, E Lansing, MI

www.saqa.com/calendar-detail.php?ID=4149

October 27, 2014 (7pm)

Guest Speaker - Ami Simms with "Living with Quilts - A Survival Guide"
 presented by The Pieces and Patches Quilt Guild

First Church of the Nazarene, 3905 Clinton Rd, Jackson, MI

January 2015

Quilt Show

presented by Armada Area Historical Society

Armada Library

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More area quilting events listed at: <http://museum.msu.edu/glqc/onlinenewsletter.html>