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February 21-22 in Delta, Utah. Fun to go ...

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Join us for our
 monthly guild meetings,
 7:00 p.m. on the
FIRST THURSDAY
 of each month.



Organization

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- Door Prizes
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Shamrock Quilt

Wear some Green!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Ladies!

Another month has come and gone, hard to believe, but true
 And I can't wait for our next date to go hang out with you!
 Our Feb was packed with fun and fact and love and hearts and food,
 But now it's March and time to start Designin' somethin' new!
 Yes, Design I Say!, but don't dismay: Grab fabric; blues, reds, whites-
 With Bethany May we'll be on our way to more fun sleepless nights!
 First choose a shape-"Luck of the draw"-to piece with whites, blues, reds...
 Then draw and measure cut, sew, press those plans up in your head.
 In honor of this great contest our jammies to guild we'll wear
 Or sport some Green and e'en be seen with really ratty hair!!
 To help us on our "Dreamin' Quest" we'll share ideas a'plenty-
 Shantelle will show us how to make a Bargello row or 'twenty!
 'Tis the month of Irish so our "Shenanigans" we'll show....
 By dressin' up and sharing foods with "greenliness" aglow!
 "That's not a word!" you may think, but what I say of that's
 ...'Tis "Blarney" friend and that's the end so let's get back on track!
 Now I have seen a 'rainbow' with a 'pot of gold' on end-
 Round robin blocks that you have got & worked on for a friend!
 Bring them back! It's time to trade! We're so excited for it!!!
 Don't you worry! Not a bit! They're going to Abhor it!!!
 Ooops! More "Blarney", Meant to say- They're going to Adore it!



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE CONTINUED

Come on out to our March 6th guild meeting from 7-9 PM where we will mix; a little Irish (St. Patrick's) and a little Italian (Bargello) fun. We will have sewing basics, tips & tricks an hour prior for those interested. Bring your own machine and some contrasting fabric to work with from your stash at 6.

We'll have drawings for those who'd like to play along for the start of Bethany's Design Challenge and dress up for an "unslumber" party by wearing your P.J.'s, slippers, 'bad bed head hairdo's', or even just something green!

There will be a drawing for commenting on the blog!

Please bring green food or dessert to share. (optional unless you are on Trish's sign up sheet)

Round Robin blocks are due for exchange so please bring it by my house or send it with a friend if you will be gone Thursday night.

Charity quilts are finished and will be presented by the guild to the leader of our charity for this year. Thanks so much to everyone who sewed them up and to the FFA students who tied them!

I will have pattern folders for you at this meeting to hold the 15th anniversary quilt patterns. If you are interested in designing one of the blocks, please let me know as I have the main layout idea, but not all of the patterns yet. I will then assign you a block to be in charge of for the remaining spaces.

This is your guild, so please let me know if there is anything you would like to implement or even just share your ideas with me and the board.

As always, bring a friend so that we can continue to share the art of quiltmaking with our community!

Our Retreat is getting close, so please bring your money to guild. It is \$30 for both days and includes prizes and delicious meals! You will want to invite your friends and family members that you love best so as to not make them feel "left out". Okay, just invite everybody! The retreat committee is going to need numbers for planning, so they need you to register right away. The registration fee after April guild meeting will go up to \$35.

Retreat Date: Friday, May 2nd & Saturday, May 3rd, 2014

Location: Charleston Town Hall (nice, newer building adjacent to LDS church parking lot)

Time: Setting up @ 8:00 AM Friday and cleaning up around 8-10 PM Saturday (Must lock up by 11)

I look forward to seeing you all there!

Cheers!!!

Amber Sisson



NEWS FROM THE STATE GUILD



NATIONAL QUILT DAY EVENTS

March 21-22 The Davis North, South and Weber area groups are hosting a fun quilting day at the Legacy Village, 1201 North Fairfield Road in Layton. There will be a quilt display, trunk shows, make and takes and silent bidding on baskets and mini quilts.

The Salt Lake North and South area groups will be holding a National Quilting day on Saturday, March 22 from 9-3 at the West Jordan Senior Citizens Center, 8025 South 2200 West, West Jordan. Many short classes and demos, open sew and make and take. Bring a pot luck item if you would like to participate in their luncheon.

Brigham City will also be holding a National Quilting day on Thursday, March 13 from 10-5 at the EMS building in Brigham City. Have heard this is a huge, fun event with classes and a quilt show and other activities.

OTHER INFO

in the Beeline this month is a picture of the past presidents of Heber Valley Quilt Guild, info about being a vendor at Quilt Fest, submitting names for the Silver Thimble award, scholarships for beginning quilters, and much more.

THE UTAH VALLEY QUILT GUILD

will have a quilt show April 11-12 at Jamestown in Provo (more info later)

SMALL TOWN QUILT SHOW AT THE ZERMATT RESORT

June 26-28 with national and local teachers, quilt show and classes. www.highvalleyarts.orgBlackfoot, Idaho Quilt Fest

March 28-29 at the Blackfoot High School. www.blackfootquiltfest.comThe Blackfoot, Idaho Quilt Fest

THE HOME MACHINE QUILTING SHOW

will be held May 8-10 at the South Towne Expo in Sandy. This is a huge quilting show with many vendors, an event you do not want to miss. www.hmqs.org

JAN KRENZ

will be teaching classes in May in Brigham City, Salt Lake City and Provo. Watch for more info if you would like to attend her class.

DON'T FORGET TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP

with the Utah Quilt Guild this month, March, as all membership fees are due. Everyone who renews or joins the Utah Quilt Guild by May 23, 2014 will be entered in a drawing for a Feather Weight Sewing Machine.

SAVE THE BOO BEES

This year the state guild challenge is to buy a package of 8 pink charm squares for \$5.00, then make a 12 inch block with this fabric and turn them in at Quilt Fest. All blocks are then used to make quilts the following year and are auctioned off. All proceeds go to Garfield Memorial Mammography Unit to help women in rural Southern Utah who cannot afford them.

QUILT FEST 2014

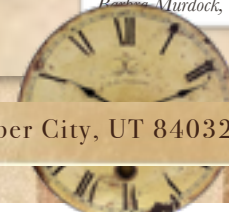
September 16-20 in Layton, Utah. Book your room now.

MYSTERY QUILT

hat is in the Beeline? This is being presented by Shantelle Cox and Cat Beckstead.



Barbara Murdock, State Guild Representative



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Checklist of things to bring this month:

- ✓ Nametag
- ✓ Sew'n'tell Items
- ✓ Sewing Machine
- ✓ Contrasting Fabrics
- ✓ \$30 for Retreat
- ✓ Wear PJ's or Green
- ✓ Round Robin Blocks
- ✓ Green Food or Dessert to Share

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