

The Postage Stamp

Country Roads Quilt Guild

July 2017

<http://countryroadsquiltguild.org>



A note from Jane

Summer is in full swing and I hope you're able to travel to some of the wonderful quilt festivals around. Thank you to everyone who worked at our "spotlight" guild display at the WV Quilt Festival. We were given a corner spot with two tables to show our display and handiwork. The festival was well attended and we have one major event completed!

Our opportunity quilt is going to be beautiful this year. If you have not turned in your blocks, **please bring (or have someone deliver) them to the picnic** on Thursday. The committee is hoping to get to work on the assembly so we can start ticket sales early.

Our picnic is always more fun when you take prizes home. If you have things you're willing to donate as a Bingo prize, please bring it with you. I hope to see you at the Westover pavilion for great food and enough fun to keep you in stitches!



Picnic info



Please BRING:

1. A covered dish and your drinks.
2. Bingo prizes (That you no longer need or new)
3. Buttons for bingo game.

Our Guild Will Provide:

- plates, cups, napkins, flatware and table cloths.
- Chicken from Giant Eagle.

Next meeting: July 13, 2017

Location: Westover Pavilion

Time: 6 p.m.

Program: Picnic and BINGO

Please bring some items for BINGO prizes and buttons for your quilters bingo card

2016-2017 Officers

President – Jane L.

Vice President – Debbie S.

Treasurer – Linda F.

Secretary – Kathryn G.

July BIRTHDAYS



15 Jan B.

15 Jane T.

21 Sandy U.

29 Amy C.

Minutes from June 9, 2017 Meeting

By Kathryn G.

The meeting was called to order by guild president Jane L. There were no visitors in attendance.

Vice President Debbie S. announced that next month's program is the picnic followed by bingo.

The meeting minutes from May had no corrections. Pat F. made the motion to accept the minutes as written. Margaret F. seconded and the motion carried.

The May Treasurer report raised no questions. Carol S. made the motion to accept and Frances C. seconded. The report will be filed without any corrections.

Committee Reports

The WV Quilt festival was discussed. Volunteers needed for Thursday and Saturday afternoons June 22 and 24th. Linda F. agreed to pick up samples of guild projects to show at our spotlight guild table.

Picnic Committee reported that members are asked to bring a covered dish and their drink. The guild will provide paper products and chicken.

The 2017 Opportunity quilt was discussed. Tickets will be made available at the June 22-24 quilt festival. All blocks must be in no later than the picnic in July.

Old Business

Sign up sheets were circulated for committees, refreshments and novelties; November 2017 needs more help on refreshments.

Membership forms and dues were mentioned. Even the diamond members are asked to fill out a form to ensure accurate information will be in the guild directory

New Business

Membership Cards will be available at our picnic next month with the directories.

The program was presented by Pat F. demonstrating how to make "continuous" prairie points

Refreshments were provided by Maggie and Pat F., Loretta W., Lois C. and Brenda E.



TREASURER'S REPORT

By: Linda F.

Beginning Balance **\$6,370.40**

Income

No Name tags	\$0.75
Novelty	\$16.00
Interest	<u>\$0.26</u>
Total Revenue	\$17.01

Expenses

Harner Church Rent	\$75.00
Office Depot	
Print Quilt tickets	\$3.82
Spotlight Guild Display	<u>\$39.24</u>
Total Expenses	\$118.06

Ending Balance **\$6,269.35**

Upcoming Events

Stars Over Pittsburgh Quilt Show
(Monroeville) – July 13-15 -

<http://www.quiltcoeast.org/quilt-show.html>

West Virginia Mountain Quilt
Quest – July 17-29 -

www.wvmountainquiltquest.com

Quilt Odyssey (Hershey, PA) – July
20-23

<https://www.quiltodyssey.com/>

Mystery Harvest Quilt Shop Hop –
Oct 4-7

Country Roads Shop Hop (PA) Oct.
18-21

<https://www.facebook.com/CountyRoadsShopHop/>

WVU Mountaineer Quilt Show –
October 20-22

Martha Washington Quilters Guild Quilt
Show – Nov. 3-4

<http://www.marthawashingtonquiltersguild.com>

Western PA Shop Hop June 13-17, 2017

The theme was "Fun and Games". Dian C. and Linda R. enjoyed the games. Each of the 12 shops gave out 2 patterns and one fat quarter based on the game. Several shops came up with their own version of the game. Everyone played for free prizes. Linda won a "purple thang" and a stringed star pattern made with the selvages.

CRQG - The "Spotlight Guild" in Summersville June 22-24, 2017

Two of our members received ribbons! See photos to the right. Terry C. was awarded an Honorable Mention ribbon for her bargello wallhanging. Nancy S. received second place for her French Braid Star with a judge's special accolade for straight edges.

Thank you to Linda F. and Carol S. for making our Spotlight Guild display, seen in the photo below.

A note from Terry C.: The show was fantastic! There were lots of beautiful quilts and vendors. if you missed it, you can see photos at:

<https://wvquilters.org/Gallery.html>

Getting involved with the state guild is something I've really enjoyed. It's allowed me to make good friends from all over the state and it's always a treat to gather with them for a quick visit and lots of hugs. I got an Honorable Mention ribbon for a bargello wall hanging. I started in 1993! Lots of guild members took the same class and mine had been sitting all this time, waiting to be quilted. I'm thrilled.



Nancy's French Braid Star



Terry's Bargello