

The Postage Stamp

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Tracy's Scraps

Hey quilters! Thanks so much for your fabulous work on the snowman applique & pieced blocks. We are working on setting them, and then it's off to be quilted.

I look forward to seeing you at the Sew Inn for our August meeting! Have fun & keep quilting!

Happy Quilting,
Tracy

Country Roads Quilt Guild Minutes July 2013

The July meeting was brought to order by President, Tracy E. Several members and one guest was present.

The minutes were approved with no corrections. It was noted that the treasurer's report was posted on the guild website for review.

Old Business:

1. The Snowmen quilt blocks are due in now. If you have not turned yours in yet, mail them to Tracy or Michelle, or call them to make arrangements for getting them turned in. We discussed ideas on how to set the quilt up and it was noted that we hope to turn

it over to the quilter by August. We are also planning a work evening to assemble the quilt top. Tracy will choose several available dates and let the membership know which dates are available.

2. Hosting the State Guild - Terry noted that Cathy Miller would be coming in from Vancouver to do a concert after the state guild meeting on March 29th. We also discussed options for the luncheon, if we plan to do so, which would be before the actual meeting, around noon. The state guild has money to reimburse for this if we choose to do a luncheon. Terry noted that we need a location with good

What's up with Betty?

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I attended the Schoolhouse Quilters Quilt show in Cumberland MD on June 23, 2012. Found some nice Civil War Fabrics. Hopefully can get a Civil War-type wall hanging done by quilt show time. While there, I picked up a brochure about two quilt shows in Lancaster, PA next year. However, the Lancaster Spring Quilt Show has been cancelled. The Lancaster Quilt show is still happening and is scheduled for March 12-15, 2014 at the Continental Inn, 2285 Lincoln Highway (Route 30), Lancaster, PA (next to Dutch Wonderland). The AQS Quilt show is being held at the Convention Center downtown. There is no other information about it on the website.

Finished piecing three projects in by early July (this is a wonder for me--it's the most I've been able to do in a year.); Christine & Leona are quilting them.

Betty C.

acoustics, especially in light of the concert afterward. Suncrest United Methodist, Chestnut Ridge Church, and St. Thomas A'Beckett were all mentioned as options we may be able to pursue. It was noted that we are also open to other ideas on a good location.

New Business:

1. There was an e-mail from Thomasene E. regarding a Bernina Quilt Machine that is used for a quilting frame, long arm style. Tracy passed around the e-mail for those who are interested to review.

Announcements:

1. Millenium Quilt Show is August 2-3rd at the Bridgeport Conference Center.

2. Terry's Grim Ripper pattern is to be featured in Fon's & Porter's magazine.

3. Classic Quilt Shop has a new location and will be open in its new location on 7/15/13.

In Other News...

For a little fun at an upcoming meeting, I'm asking all members to please send me a picture of their sewing area. I would also like to remind everyone that the Brown Bag gift exchange will be held at our September

meeting. Hope everyone has been busy getting ready to present their gifts.

Thanks in advance,
Michelle

Preview of Upcoming Attractions...



Monthly mini extras from
Rae Lynn.

Please send items for
the September
newsletter to LuAnn
B. W. by August 30th.

August refreshments
will be by Laura S.
and Karen S.

CRQG Treasurer's Report

By Lesley

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Beginning Balance \$2075.12

WITHDRAWALS

Linda F \$ 2.57

Terry C \$23.83

Total \$26.40

DEPOSITS

NEW BALANCE \$2048.72