

# The Postage Stamp

Country Roads Quilt Guild

<http://countryroadsquiltguild.org>

September 2013

**Next Meeting:** Sept 12

**Location:** Harner  
Chapel UMC

**Time:** 6:30 pm

**Program:** Brown Bag  
Exchange (please wrap  
as a gift)

Hope to see you there!

## Comfy Cushion



Try a garden kneeling  
pad when arranging  
blocks or layering your  
quilt top on the floor

## Presidential Notes

Hey Quilters!! I hope all of you enjoyed the Labor Day weekend, with cook-outs and family and football. Go Mountaineers!

Does everyone have their brown bag surprise ready for the next meeting? I am excited to see all the different items that have been made.

I would like to thank everyone who helped with the snowman applique quilt. It is being quilted now and will be handed off for binding soon. Maybe we will get a preview at the Sept meeting.

Hope to see you on September 12<sup>th</sup>.  
Happy Sewing - Tracy

## Save the Dates

March 29, 2014 – WV Quilters Inc Spring Meeting; Morgantown, WV

March 12-15, 2014 – AQS Quilt Week; Lancaster, PA

April 23-26, 2014 – AQS Quilt Week; Paducah, KY

June 26-28, 2014 – NQA Quilt Show; Columbus, OH



## *August 2013 Country Roads Quilt Guild Meeting Minutes*

The August 8 meeting was called to order at the Sew Inn by President Tracy E. There were no guests present. The minutes and treasurer's report (corrected) were accepted.

### Old Business:

- Terry C Gave her committee report on the WV Quilt Guild meeting. Carol S mentioned that her church would be available and that she would send information to Terry. The WV state guild is responsible for the donation to the church.
- Carol S. mentioned that the church had not been given a donation for the Pat Knoechel workshop. It was suggested that we give \$50.00. The workshop will be held in the same place next year.
- The September meeting is the brown bag challenge. The finished project should be wrapped as a gift and the leftover fabric should also be brought back. If the quilt is lap size or larger, it does not have to be quilted.
- By the end of September Michelle would like everyone to email her a picture of their sewing area for an event at the October meeting.

### New Business:

- Franny K shared some info on an artist who will be at the CAC on August 21<sup>st</sup>. More information can be found at: [www.carolhummel.com](http://www.carolhummel.com).



- The Snowman quilt is almost done. Chris and Leona will be quilting it. Kathryn will do the binding. Karen is making a label.
- The project day scheduled for August 17 has been canceled.

Send your items for the October newsletter  
to Monica by September 27<sup>th</sup>

## **September Birthdays**

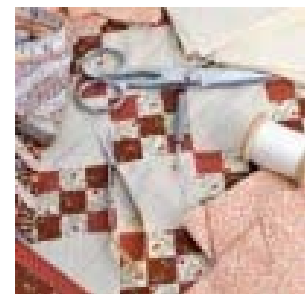


**4 Debra S**  
**10 Michelle D**  
**18 Kristina P**  
**20 Laura S**  
**26 Tracey E**  
**27 Betty C**  
**28 Carol S**

## ***Interesting Quilting Tips***

[www.QuiltersTips.com](http://www.QuiltersTips.com)

- ✓ Foundation piecing using dryer sheets
- ✓ Scrappy bindings
- ✓ Could Never Find My Scissors
- ✓ Quilt Design Auditions
- ✓ Quick Cut Half Square Triangles
- ✓ Tying Quilts



## ***Upcoming Quilt Shows***

### **Applefest Quilt Show**

Sept. 6-8, 2013

Fri 6-9, Sat 10-6, Sun 12-4

#### **Location:**

Cameo Theater  
304 S. West Ave  
Sidney, OH 45365  
Admission: Donation

### **Amish Country Quilt Show**

Sept. 12-14, 2013

Daily 10-5

#### **Location:**

Buckeye Event Center  
624 Henry St.  
Dalton, OH  
Admission: \$7/day

### **Streetsboro Quilt Guild Show**

Oct. 4 & 5, 2013

Fri 10-6 & Sat 10-4

#### **Location:**

Faith Baptist Church  
9890 St. Rte. 43 (at Frost Rd)  
Streetsboro, OH 44241  
Admission: \$5

### **Heart of Ohio Quilters Show**

Oct. 4 & 5, 2013

Friday 10-8, Sat 10-5

#### **Location:**

Bryn Du Mansion Field House  
537 Jones Rd  
Granville, OH 43023  
Admission: \$5

## ***From Laura's Kitchen***

### **Blueberry-Peach Pound Cake**

#### **Ingredients**

- 1/2 cup butter, softened
- 1-1/4 cups sugar
- 3 eggs
- 1/4 cup milk
- 2-1/2 cups cake flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2-1/4 cups chopped peeled fresh peaches (1/2-inch pieces)
- 2 cups fresh *or* frozen blueberries
- Confectioners' sugar (optional)

#### **Directions**

- In a large bowl, cream butter and sugar until light and fluffy
- Beat in eggs, one at a time. Beat in milk.
- Combine the flour, baking powder and salt; add to creamed mixture
- Stir in peaches and blueberries
- Pour into a greased and floured 10-in. fluted tube pan.
- Bake at 350° for 60-70 minutes or until a toothpick inserted near the center comes out clean
- Cool in pan for 15 minutes before removing to a wire rack to cool completely.
- Dust with confectioners' sugar if desired or add a glaze of powdered sugar and peach schnapps.
- Yield: 10-12 servings.

**Nutrition Facts:** 1 serving (1 piece) equals 300 calories, 9 g fat (5 g saturated fat), 74 mg cholesterol, 212 mg sodium, 51 g carbohydrate, 2 g fiber, 5 g protein

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### **Thread Painting by Barbara McKie from Lyme, Conn**

