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Ladies of the Lake Quilt Guild Newsletter

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President's Message—Betty Fessler

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Once again another month has passed. Once again our agenda was full, among other things we had a Thank You letter from Operation Tango Mike, a reminder that the Lower Lake Little Schoolhouse Quilt Show has been moved to January 2018 so as not to compete for quilts with our Falling Leaves Quilt Show, and a Thank You was given to all who participated in working at the Lake County Fair, without whom we would not have been able to show our 2017 Opp. Quilt and make \$772. Unfortunately our attempt at a PIQF Bus failed, Adventist Health postponed the appreciation party and we lost a prior member, Anne Barquist.

However, we did get to see the Mystery Quilts Reveal, and the Round Robin Reveal and several of our ladies showed some of their latest projects. We also had a lovely presentation and trunk show from Collen Granger a longtime friend of LLQG. She entertained us with how she started and came to be where she is now. I found her very entertaining, down-to-earth, and genuine, and her quilts were lovely! She also reminded us that if we don't look after our Guild through participation, it will fail just as the Marin guild did. We'll see her again at our upcoming Quilt Show at her Vendor booth and demos! Stop by and say Hi!

We also now have a complete slate of Board Officers to present for voting for 2018! Sandra Redshaw for Treasurer, Kathy Pratt for Secretary, Jane Alameda for Vice-President (Programs), and Terry Phelps for President!

I appreciate all of the returns from the Committee Interest questionnaire and will give those to whomever you elect President for 2018. All current committee chairs should have their binders undated and ready to turn over in December/January to new committee chairs, if they are retiring from their position.

Remember there is NO October Guild meeting, we will all be exhausted and inspired at the same time from both working at the Quilt Show and seeing all the Great Quilts our members do!

IMPORTANT QUILT SHOW REMINDERS:

URGENT NEED: We need volunteers to assist Marj Sweeney to take down quilts following the show on Sunday. Please contact Marj at 707-994-1186 or via email at: patchworkjunction@live.com

THEME BASKETS for the show MUST include a list of the contents within the basket. We suggest two copies, one on the basket, one for beside the basket.

See Pg. 7 for additional information



Sew & Tell News



Membership: Kitty Jones & Valerie Vinzant

Thank you to Lan Ali-Adeeb and Susan Blair for volunteering to take over the Membership Chairs. Lan wanted to do the computer end of things. Susan volunteered to do the front desk while still a first time guest at our meeting. She will be a new member. She comes to us from the Moonlight Quilters in Santa Rosa. What better way to get to know the guild members and for all of us to get to know Susan. Thank you Lan & Susan.

Kitty

SPECIAL THANKS: A BIG THANK YOU, THANK YOU to all the Guild ladies (and a couple of husbands) who answered the call to work at the Lake Co. Fair manning the Textile Building and/or the Opportunity Quilt table. As you may know, unless we manned the building, a “vendor” table would have cost the Guild FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS! In spite of 100 - 113 degree heat & a low turnout at the Fair, we made \$772. Whoo Hoo! We're the BEST.
Sincerely, Dottie Kauffman

Round Robin Kitty Jones



A huge thank you to the ladies that participated in this year's Round Robin. I think you all had fun and ended up with some fun squares on your grids. Thank you to Jane Alameda, Janet Castagnetti, Pat Dandy, Kerry Lopez, Judy Oliver, and Marj Sweeney. It was fun working with you.

Also, if anyone is interested in Chairing the Round Robin next year, please let me know. I will be happy to give you all the pointers I learned - tips for smooth sailing! Kitty Jones

Secret Pals Jean Elsa

Don't forget to pick up /exchange your surprises !



Treasure Chest—Linda Wankel & Kerry Lopez

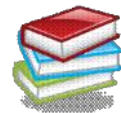
What a fun September meeting we had. Thanks to everyone who donated items for the Quilt Show Silent Auction and Treasure Chest.



Member **Sue Fairchild** has expressed an interest in taking over Treasure Chest, her sidekick will be Kitty Jones selling tickets and making up the fun bundles. There are eight (8) bins of materials that accompany the position.

Thanks to all, Kerry Lopez & Linda Wankel

Library - Suzanne Lee



IMPORTANT: If you have LLQG library books at home, please return them.

Thank you !

PROGRAMS—Kerry Hansing

Saturday NOVEMBER 11th, class Sunday, November 12th:

The November speaker will be Jane Hayworth. Jane is an award winning professional quilter specializing in custom memory quilts made from T-Shirts, neckties, handkerchiefs and other types of clothing collected over the years. In addition to quilts she makes raw edge collage applique wall hangings using her own hand dyed fabrics. She also enjoys the challenge of repurposing materials into useful products like bags. Jane also instructs quilting classes for both kids and adults, encouraging them to go out of their comfort zone and "just create!"

Transforming Neckties into Quilts. Sunday, November 12th In this class you will learn how to make quilts using men's neckties. Jane will teach you how to simply strip down the ties to get the most out of the tie and the fabric. You will learn how to make string pieced blocks and design a simple quilt. You will also learn a couple of other blocks that are great for showing off those old ties.

Kerry Hansing

Saturday, December 9th

Our December meeting is devoted to installing our new officers as well as some fun activity. Stay tuned for details !

Block of the Month Debbie Vivrette

Winner of the September "Back to School" blocks was: Annie Faahs. The October/November's BOM is Pumpkin Patch. Instructions/handouts are available at our meetings or please visit the website LLQG.org if you need the information. Call me at 707-339-0525 if you have problems, I can mail the directions if needed.



October Birthdays

Carol Hill 10/9	Robin Moritz 10/16
Pat Dandy 10/10	Anna Fowler 10/20
Kathy Pratt 10/10	Wilma Taylor 10/23
Vicky Maley 10/11	Cheryn Chips 10/24
Suzen Ingle 10/13	Linda Wankel 10/24
Sandra Redshaw 10/14	Thelma Elliott 10/27
Susan Lozano 10/15	Lynda Jones 10/29
Charlotte Wright 10/16	Annie Faahs 10/31



Hospitality—Robin Moritz & Gail Coyle

The ladies who have signed up for November are:

Mary Ann Riley	Lynda Jones	Carol Corwin Weiss
Judy Oliver	Lan Ali Adeeb	Terry Phelps
Nanette Ettinger	Reva Chavez	Fran Eichler
Annie Faahs	Dottie Kauffman	Claire Grieve
Susan Blair	Kerry Lopez	Lynn Goos



2017 Quilt Show—Linda Morrison, Chairperson



THANK YOU to everyone that entered quilts and or vignettes in this year's show. Looking through the entries we are going to have a beautiful show. Time is getting short so be sure to finish your entries and add the sleeves and labels. If you haven't already done so please sign up to help at the show. Think about where you would like to help and call me.

If you need advanced sale tickets for gifts and or friends you can contact Cheryl Jones-Murray, Linda Morrison or stop by Kerries Quilting. Advance Tickets are \$8.00. It is \$10.00 at the door.

See you at the Show, Linda Morrison

SEE PAGE 7 for tips regarding the Quilt Show.

Country Store: Carolyn Dexter—

It is not too late to put items in the country store. Tags and inventory sheets are on the web. Please drop your items off on Thursday October 5th or Friday October 6th. Place them in the right hand corner of the building where the country store is set up. **Your inventory sheet must be with your items.** If you have items that you want to sell at half price on Sunday, place a red dot on each half of the sale tag. Checks for your sold items will be sent approximately a week after the show. Thanks to everyone who is participating and working in the country store. **Remember to pick up your unsold items after the show!** Questions? Call Gretchen Moore or Carolyn Dexter

Mystery Quilt - Shirley Liskey

The Mystery Quilts were revealed at the September meeting. Special thanks to Linda Morrison for helping me with the project and also to participants Kitty Jones, Colette Reed & Carol Corwin Weiss.



Ways & Means (Lake Works)—Barbara Haddon

Our string quilt is on layaway with \$100 down! Awesome job, ladies.

Call me if you have any Halloween items to donate so I can arrange pick-up. At the November meeting, I'll be pleased to get Thanksgiving and Christmas projects. The Holidays are here

Community Service - Judy Oliver

The Community Service component of our guild guides us to provide a baby quilt to every newborn at St Helena Hospital Clearlake. This has grown to be about 20 quilts per month. As members we are asked to make at least 3 per year. Kits are available at every meeting for your participation.

This is a great chance to try a new technique, be creative, or simple with the envelope method. It is important that the quilting is no more than 4-5 inches apart so the batting does not get lumpy with repeated washings. All submissions must be clean. Please contact me if needed 707-239-2206.



MEETING MINUTES

General Meeting

Ladies of the Lake Quilt Guild Meeting Minutes, September 9th, 2017

The meeting was called to order by President Betty Fessler.

Cell phone reminder by President Betty to avoid disruptions.

Membership:

Total attendance: 65 attendees

Treasurer's Report: Sandra Redshaw was absent, no report given

Announcements:

Chairman Reports:

Block of the Month - Debbie Vivrette: Annie Faahs won the blocks for September. The November block will be Pumpkin Patch

Mystery Quilt—Shirley Liskey had the reveal at the September meeting.

Community Service - Judy Oliver—

Quilt Show—Linda Morrison: Next Quilt Show meeting is Monday, September 18th at Umpqua Bank, 10:00 a.m.

Ways and Means—Barbara Haddon

Programs—Kerry Hansing:

FULL MINUTES WILL BE PROVIDED IN THE NOVEMBER ISSUE

PROGRAM:

BREAK

SHOW-n-TELL: participants:

Membership Drawing winner:

Treasure Chest: Drawing Winners were:

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at pm

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Alameda, Secretary

BOARD MEETING

Ladies of the Lake Quilt Guild BOARD Meeting September 9th, 2017

Called to order by President Betty Fessler at pm

Present: Betty Fessler, Kerry Hansing, Jane Alameda, Bev Mohr, Dottie Kauffman, Nancy Helldorfer

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at .

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Alameda, Secretary

**.JUST A FEW LAST MINUTE
REMINDERS AND IT'S SHOW TIME!**

LABEL & FOLDING INSTRUCTIONS

- Complete both lines of the label. **MUST HAVE TITLE**– this is how your quilt is identified.
- For Quilts: Facing the back side of the quilt, baste label on lower right corner.
- For other items: Baste label on inside bottom of garment, or on back of pillow, table runner, etc.
- Fold quilt wrong side out so that the label is prominent.

ENTRY DROP-OFF INSTRUCTIONS

- Deliver ALL entries on Thursday, October 5th, 2017, to Lewis Hall, Lake County Fairgrounds, 401 Martin St. Lakeport, CA.
- Judged items: Must arrive between 8:00 and 9:30 am (Judging starts promptly thereafter).
- Exhibit only items: Must arrive between 8:00 and 10:00 am.
- **NO ITEMS ACCEPTED AFTER THEIR CUT-OFF TIME.**
- You will be given a receipt for each entry item. Be sure to verify accuracy. Must have a receipt to pick items after show between 5:00–6:00 pm



2018 Opportunity Quilt Display

Just a reminder members that our 2018 Opportunity Quilt will be on display all days of PIOF. In order to do this we must provide "white glove" ladies to the Mancuso Show Organization. Historically we have made over \$1,000 at the show. Anyone who wants to wander through the quilts for a couple of hours will help us accomplish this fund raising opportunity. You may also volunteer to sit for an hour or two, selling tickets. Contact Jane Alameda at: 707-489-2013

Sew & Tell Info

**Newsletter Deadline:
Due by 18th of the month.**

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Website Info

We're on the Web: www.LLOG.org
Newsletter now online
Christy Bengston, Web Editor



2017 Officers and Chairwomen

Executive Board		
President	Betty Fessler	279-5009
Vice President	Kerry Hansing	925-698-5157
Secretary	Jane Alameda	263-3831
Treasurer	Sandy Redshaw	701-6074
Member-at-Large	Nancy Helldorfer	277-9715
Member-at-Large	Bev Mohr	263-1492
Member-at-Large	Dottie Kauffman	462-7036
Parliamentarian	Shirley Viada	459-9646

Upcoming Events in Northern California

See a list of upcoming shows at quiltinghub.com/Find/Events/Quilt-Shows/In/California



Ladies of the Lake calendar at a glance 2017

Oct 7th & 8th No Meeting: Quilt Show

Nov. 11th Guild general meeting
Program: Jane Hayworth
Class: Men's Ties

Committee Chairs

Affiliate	Terry Phelps	707-274-1855
Block of the Month	Debbi Vivrette	707-339-0525
Community Service	Judy Oliver	707-239-2206
Challenge	Terry Phelps	707-274-1855
Free Bees	Suzanne Hoyt Rachel Heher	707-994-4890 707-995-6050
Historian	Pam Ayle	562-533-1588
Hospitality	Robin Moritz Gail Coyle	530-250-7765 707-263-3219
Library	Ginny Leber Suzanne Lee	707-279-2757 707-245-6007
Membership	Valerie Vinzant Kitty Jones	707-483-6996 707-277-7261
Mystery Quilt	Shirley Liskey	707-277-0973
Newsletter	Sue Schedler	707-900-8265
Newsletter Mailing	Beverly Mohr	707-263-1492
Opportunity Quilt Seamstress	Mary Ann Riley Barbara Dore'	707-500-5023 707-263-3340
Opportunity Quilt Promo		
Post Mistress	Sandy Redshaw	707-701-6074
Programs	Kerry Hansing	925-698-5157
Property & Equipment	Bev Mohr	707-263-1492
Publicity	Nanette Ettinger	408-442-0353
Quilt Show 2017	Linda Morrison	707-263-4504
Round Robin	Kitty Jones	707-277-7261
Secret Pals	Jean Elsa	707-263-1301
Set Up, meetings		
Sharing & Caring		
Show & Tell	Lynda Jones	707-998-3263
Skills Day	Mary Ann Riley	707-500-5023
Treasure Chest	Kerry Lopez Linda Wankel	707-262-1994 707-263-3156
Ways & Means	Barbara Haddon	415-204-3044
Web Editor	Christy Bengston	707-367-4081

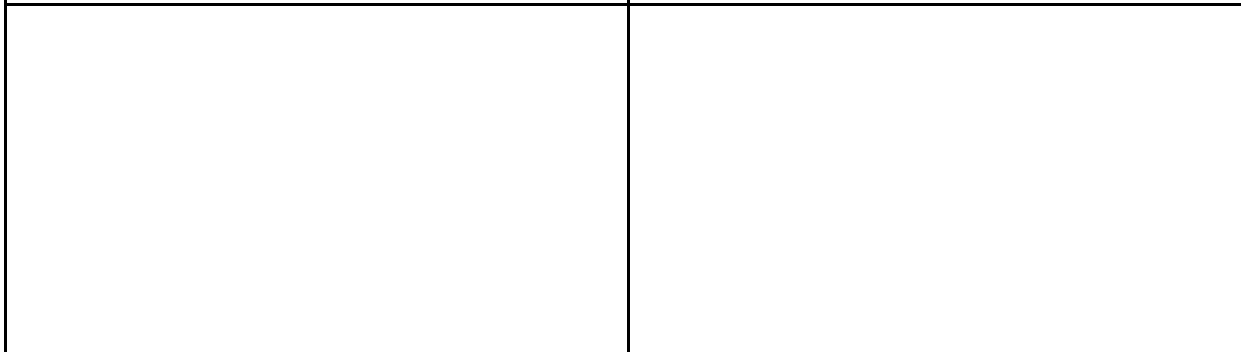
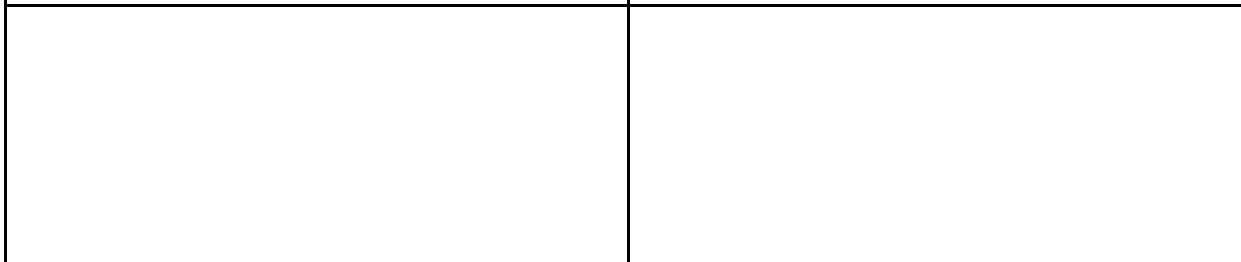
Thank you to our Affiliates! - Terry Phelps

Please patronize our Affiliates. Let them know that you learned of them through the guild.

<p>Bird Brain Designs Fabric, Embroidery Notions, Patterns 3925 Main Street, Kelseyville CA. 95451 707-279-8787 BirdBrainDesigns.net Robin@BirdBrainDesigns.net Robin Kingsley & Tina Kingsley, owners</p>	<p>bolt fabric + home 219 North Cloverdale Blvd. Cloverdale, CA 95425 707-894-2658 boltcloverdale.com info@boltcloverdale.com Kate Barrett, owner</p>
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<p>Broadway Quilts 20525 Broadway. Sonoma CA. 95476 707-938-7312 BroadwayQuilts.com Gery@BroadwayQuilts.com Gery Rosemurgy, owner</p>	<p>Meissener Sewing Center 1250 Mendocino Ave Santa Rosa, Ca 95401 707-575-5253 www.meissnersewing.com</p>
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<p>Sew Little Time Quilting 337 Point San Pedro Road. San Rafael CA. 94901 415-686-6067 SewLittleTimeQuilting.com colleen@SewLittleTimeQuilting.com Colleen Granger, owner</p>	<p>Cindi Jo's Quilting 14023 Point Cabrillo Drive Mendocino, CA 95460 704-357-4774 queenbee@mcn.org</p>
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August 12 Meeting

Don't Forget

Name badge

Secret Pal gifts

**See www.LLQG.org for
up-to-the minute changes.**

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