



Helping Hands Newsletter

<http://www.helpinghandsquiltguild.com/>

February 2017 • Dover, Delaware

President's Message

What a wonderful beginning to a new year! Gail Kessler was our guest in January and spoke on fabric...how is designed and made. It was so interesting along with a trunk show of gorgeous quilts. Very inspiring presentation. Our workshop was a hoot, attended by 24 members. We made new name tags led by Rose Ann Battista, and techniques by Cindy King and Nancy Thomson. Mary Kokoszka led the group with her circle quilts, and a lot of circles being made, too. Thank you ladies for your leadership in sharing with the group. Pot luck lunch was enjoyed by all.

Prelude to our February meeting will be a paper piecing Skills Forum led by Barbara Sansone. Beginning 5:45 p.m.

A new committee has been organized...Show 'n Tell Committee. Thank you to Sharon Noone, Tracey Gilmore, Mary Koehler, and Pam Withrow for serving on this Committee. These gals will be helping us all with our Show 'n Tell, and speaker assistance in displaying their work.

Accompanying this newsletter are the proposed revisions to our Helping Hands By-Laws, as suggested by a By-Laws Committee. Proposed changes to the by-laws were read at the January meeting by Ellie Brocklehurst, and will again be read this meeting. We will vote at this meeting on these proposed changes. Please print a copy of the by-laws to bring to the meeting if you care to follow along.

Sue Hoecker

Also at our February meeting will be the "big reveal" of our new 2017 raffle quilt, a patriotic theme, spearheaded by ML Kaczka. We will have a "Name the Quilt" contest (with a prize)...don't miss your chance to participate in that. A special thank you to ML and her committee for all their hard work on this quilt...it's gorgeous! Barbara Austin and her team will again be leading the ticket sales effort. We ask that each member take at least 12 tickets (\$10) to sell or buy to help your guild!!! Our dues, stash relocation and the raffle quilt sales are our primary sources of income for all our great speakers.

Big announcement! Our Board has approved the organization of Helping Hand's (first annual) Retreat!!! Be sure to look for details and mark your calendar so you don't miss all the fun of sewing with our HH members for a multi-day event! Lots in store for you!

We look forward to Michele Scott's visit in February and learning about free motion quilting...a must see for all of us. Look for the announcements of upcoming events...we have a Service Day of Sewing on April 1, and a member-led workshop on April 22, too. You won't want to miss either.

I look forward to see you all February 27th!

Sue Hoecker

My Soul is Fed by Needle and Thread

Vice President's Message

February Program

Our Helping Hands speaker at our February 27 meeting will be well-known presenter, author, and teacher, Michele Scott from the Pieciful Quilter. Michele will show us her work in her talk, "Quilt as Desire." She is well known for her free motion quilting techniques and has taught many classes at conferences, guilds, and AQS's iquilt. We are fortunate to be able to learn from this popular teacher at a workshop. Michele is willing to travel here on Saturday, March 4 from 9-3 PM to teach us free motion techniques. This workshop will be at Troop 3 State Police Station (3759 S. State St., Magnolia. **PLEASE, DON'T GO TO THE WRONG LOCATION.**) The fee of \$40 is due when you reserve your spot.

A materials list is on our website under the top tab: Programs, then go to February.



Mary Dawn Ditty

Sewing Day of Service

On Saturday, April 1 from 9-2PM, Helping Hands Quilt Guild members will join with sewers and helpers of Wyoming Methodist in a day of sewing service. Projects worked on will be colorful pillow cases for children who are battling cancer, school bags (for school kits), and receiving blankets (for layette kits). The materials will be provided. If you can join us, you will need to bring your sewing machine, long extension cord, thread, and other needed sewing supplies. This will be straight sewing. Last year, we enjoyed the help of people who do not sew, but who ironed for the sewers and who helped in other ways with assembly of these projects. Continued on pg 2

Refreshments

Robin Aschenberg

Hello ladies of Helping Hands. The letters responsible for the Feb. guild meeting are "I-P". With this month being Valentine's Day use red in your dish. Now get your creative "hats" on. It doesn't necessarily have to be all sweets. How about a heart shaped veggie tray with red peppers and cherry tomatoes?

Your refreshment chair, Robin Aschenberg

Any questions? Please feel free to call or e-mail me at:

[302-670-2535](tel:302-670-2535), and robinaschenberg@comcast.net.

**Please join us every 4th Monday of the month at 6:30 pm.
First Baptist Church of Dover, located at 301 Walker Rd.
Our membership fee is \$25.00 per year.**

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Don't forget your bag lunch as well.

If anyone has a serger, it will be helpful to serge the edges of flannel to create receiving blankets.

This is a joint project of the Helping Hands Quilt Guild and Wyoming's Outreach team. We would love to have you! Please, join others in a fun day of service and creating projects that will be of use to others. No charge for this service day.

March Workshop

Our March workshop will be presented by Augusta Cole. Augusta comes to us from Richmond and has been enthusiastically recommended by those who heard her previously. It would be best to sign up for her workshop, Cutting Bee, (Tuesday, March 28 from 9 -3 at Wyoming Methodist Church.) As with most workshops, there is a little preparation to do which might be difficult to do if you wait until the March meeting to decide. The preparation for this one involves bringing dark and light fabrics which you can trade to make a scrappy quilt. You may trade as little or as much as you choose. The nice thing about this workshop is that you will receive instructions to make at least 6 quilts and participants get to choose their favorite one to work on. More information is available through Augusta's website: <https://www.augustacolequilting.com/home.html>
Cost: \$40.



Saturday, April 22

Our member, Carrie Dobos, will lead participants in making Thimbleberries free quilt pattern, "Star of Hope" at Wyoming Methodist 9-3 PM. (See the picture on our website under April programs.) This would be a great time to work on your skills and make an attractive quilt at the same time. Cost: \$15.

Another Workshop to Sign up for!



Thursday, May 4, Philippa Naylor (from England) will lead a workshop for us entitled "Finish Line, Unusual, Creative and Clever Ways to Complete your Quilts." This will be a technique workshop. Philippa will share some of her finishing secrets which help to make her quilts so special. I am expecting new techniques and a different slant to quilting from Philippa. This workshop will be at Wyoming Methodist from 9-3. Cost: \$40.

Workshop Fees

fees for all-day workshops are \$40 payable to the guild when you sign up. Half day is \$25. Member led workshops are \$15 to cover guild costs.

NEEDED:



Pieces of flannel (at least 32 inches' square) to make receiving blankets for layette kits on our Sewing Day of Service on April 1. If you have some to donate, please, bring it to either our February or March meeting.

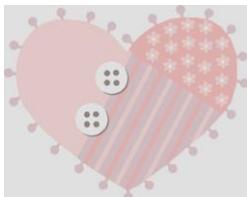
Raffle Quilt 2017 Big Reveal

Sue Hoecker

At our February meeting, our new patriotic raffle quilt will be revealed. There will be a "Name the Quilt" contest, complete with a prize for the best suited name. Thank you to ML and her committee for creating this beauty. Barbara Austin and her committee will again be selling tickets at varied venues until December. Please sign up to help her... first venue is Sam's Club on March 18th. Also, we are asking each member to take twelve tickets to buy or sell. That's \$10 per member. If you don't want to buy them, sell them. It's a great boost to our treasury. It takes a lot of people for a successful raffle quilt, and we certainly attained that goal last year. Thank you to everyone who participated in some way.

March 18 ...National Quilting Day

Do something special to share your love of Quilting.



Please, save:

There will be a box at the back of the room for donations for this weaving project. Long fabric strings (any kind of fabric) are needed. This is for kids. Your generous donations are greatly appreciated!



Workshops 2017

For your planning Convenience

Please, support our guild and attend some of these great opportunities!

2017 DATE	Artist	Title	Technique	Location
3/4 \$40	Michele Scott	"Quilt as Desired"	Machine Quilting	S.State St. Police
3/28 \$40	Augusta Cole	"Cutting Bee"	Share fabric and create quilt of your choice	Wyoming Methodist
4/1 Free	Quilting Day of Service		Create projects for others.	Wyoming Methodist
4/22 \$15	Member led by Carrie Dobos	"Star of Hope" by Thimbleberries	Work on quilt	Wyoming Methodist
5/4 \$40	Philippa Naylor	"Finish Line, Unusual, Creative and Clever Ways to Complete your Quilts"	Work on techniques	Wyoming Methodist
5/23 \$15	Member led	9 AM Electric Quilt 12 PM Hand Applique techniques	No machines needed.	Wyoming Methodist
6/27 \$15	Member led.		Surprise..	Wyoming Methodist
Monday 7/24 \$25	Heather Kojan	"Modern Improv Workshop"	Smallish quilt	First Baptist ½ day 12-3 PM
8/29 free	Member led	"Quilts of Valor"	Work on blocks for quilts	Wyoming Methodist
9/26 \$40	Sandi Blackwell	Square-Agonals "Spiral Out"	Large table runner	Wyoming Methodist
10/24 \$25	Wooly Pines by Mary and Jackie	"Wooly Tree Workshop" Kit: \$25 payable that day	Create wool 3 dimensional tree	Wyoming Methodist 2 sessions (AM & PM)

Quilting Rico

Mary Dawn Ditty

Our June speaker, who lives in Magnolia, passes along this request:

"I'm writing to share that I have one of my quilts at a most unusual place - a tattoo shop!! I found this wonderful tattoo fabric, I cut it up, pieced it together and it's hanging at the shop. We are raffling it for \$10 a chance, I wonder if you could pass on to the guild members as a future guest speaker, they can come see my work beforehand. Plus, what a wild place to take a selfie and share with the grandkids!!

The owners are super friendly and they have been enjoying the "older lady types" that come in looking for the quilt :))). What fun!! The shop is located in Cheswold, just a bit beyond north Walmart. It's called Tattoo Mafia, 72 Holly Oak Lane Units.

The drawing will be 01 March! Oh, did I mention the backing, it's also spectacular!!"

SAVE THE DATE! Mary Dawn Ditty

MEETING DATE CHANGE

Our regular meeting in **April 2017** will be postponed to **Wednesday, May 3, 2017**. We have the opportunity to have Philippa Naylor present quilting news from across the Atlantic. She is from the UK. She will be here for the Paducah Quilt Show and will present at the beginning of the week to the Annapolis guild. She will also give a workshop on Thursday, May 4, 2017. It's a great opportunity for us to interact with a quilter with a European flare!

Since she agreed to come while in the area, it is an opportunity for us to welcome an international speaker without paying her travel. More later!

Information about Programs and Events

Please, see newsletters (linked on website) or website for all workshop info. There is a calendar for the year (under "Calendar") as well as "Programs" **organized** by the month.

At each guild meeting, please, take the time to watch the scrolling announcements (with pictures) that is on the front wall of the stage. You will learn about guild news, workshops, upcoming speakers, etc.

There will also be brief reminders about meetings and events through email a few days before our fourth Monday guild meetings. **WE WANT YOU TO BE INFORMED ABOUT ALL OUR OPPORTUNITIES AND FUN!**

SAVE THE DATE: Helping Hands Quilt Guild Retreat

Calling all guild members, the Helping Hands Quilt Guild is sponsoring our first retreat! All guild members are invited. The Camp Pecometh Retreat Center is located in a secluded area in Maryland right along the beautiful Chesapeake Bay. New option offered - select either a two-night stay or a three-night stay. All meals included. Sign up begins March 2017, first come first serve, space is limited.

Where: Camp Pecometh Retreat Center
When: 17 - 20 August 2017
Time: Arrival time 10 am either Thursday or Friday
Departure time 3 pm Sunday

Price list of options will be published in March.

Remembering Marian Newell

Ann Fischer

Helping Hands lost a wonderful friend, quilter and mentor when Marian Newell died on January 24. Marion was a long-time member of the guild, having joined soon after moving to Dover around 1999. Marion was very active in the guild until she was ill these last several months.

My first meeting at the guild was in March 2000, right after we moved here. One of the things I heard was that a month or two before, Marion Newell had proposed that the guild "make quilts for charity". My impression is that by her bringing it up, the idea culminated into, "OK, that's a great idea, what are we going to do about it?". Little did I know that Marion would become one of my best friends in Dover and that I would be the coordinator of an ever-growing group of QFOers. And I am almost certain that Marion came up with the name for our group, too.

We had a little sewing bee going for several years, and I daresay all the husbands loved Marion as much as we ladies did. My husband Joe dubbed her "Marion the Librarian", and indeed she was. Marion was a graduate of Katherine Gibbs Secretarial School in Boston, and she loved to read and to promote reading and learning. She was a frequent visitor to the Dover Library, and she believed that every middle school graduate should be given a dictionary...

Marion was very proud of her family, her children and her grandchildren, and they should be grateful for having her as their Mom and Grandma, as I am sure they are. I am honored to have been her friend and to have learned a lot about quilting and life from our friendship. May she rest in peace.

Quilting For Others News

Ann Fischer

QUILTING FOR OTHERS has some big news! QFO will no longer be meeting at the VFW Hall in Camden because the facility has been closed except for special events. Starting on the second Tuesday in February, which is Feb. 14, we will meet at 6pm in the Simpson Community Center of the Whatcoat United Methodist Church (the building which used to be Delaware Sewing Center, ironically). The address of the Simpson Center is 8 N. Main St, Camden, but we will need to park behind the church off Center Street and walk across the back to the center. We are very grateful to the church for providing us with this space, and for allowing us to keep some equipment there so that we do not have to tote ironing boards, etc. each month.

It seems that sometimes the electronic version of this newsletter goes out to the members by email before our meeting of that month, so my saying that the next meeting is the following month (as I have always done before) is not always accurate now. SO! Please note we are meeting as scheduled on Tuesday February 14 and then the next one after that will

be March 14, all meetings at 6pm. Because we missed the January meeting when the VFW had closed, we have a big pile of work to do now, so do come and help us get some pinning done. And more than ever, I could use some more machine quilters and binders to take work from me, either at the QFO meetings or by my meeting you in town or whatever.

Please let me know if you can help with this. I am no expert, but I have done a lot of QFO quilts, and I am thinking of having a small workshop for machine quilting soon, so do let me know if you would be interested in that. Thank you, Ladies. More details to follow.

PS:

Due to some changes in my available storage space at my house, I am declaring an immediate moratorium to all donations to QFO. Please don't ask if I can take just a little bit...a little bit from several people is a lot! We have enough fabric for a year at least, and I just can't take more right now. Thank you.

Ann Fischer, Coordinator, QFO 302-744-9786

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Upcoming Quilt Events:

For Black History Month there is a Quilt Show at the Delaware Agricultural Museum, Feb 4th till April 19th
866 N. Dupont Hwy, Dover, DE 19901 For more info: <http://www.agriculturalmuseum.org/> 302-734-1618
Open Tues -Sat 10am-3pm

Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival February 23-26

Hampton Roads Convention Center, Hampton, VA For more info: www.quiltfest.com

Quilt & Sewing Fest of NJ - March 2-5, 2017

Garden State Exhibit Center, 50 Atrium Dr., Somerset, NJ For more info: www.quiltfest.com

Quilts Around The Bay March 3-12 For more info: [Facebook.com/QuiltsAroundTheBay/](https://www.facebook.com/QuiltsAroundTheBay/)

Baltimore Heritage Quilters' Guild presents EXPO 2017 - March 18-19, 2017, 10 AM-5 PM

NEW VENUE! The Park School - Athletic Center at 2425 Old Court Road, Baltimore, MD 21208

The EXPO showcases quilts made by guild members, ranging in style from traditional to contemporary, as well as art quilts.

The EXPO also features quilts and quilted items for sale, a Silent Auction, and an expanded Vendors Mall.

Featured quilters: Amy Selmanoff (contemporary) and Carol Graves (traditional)

Website: www.baltimorequilters.com Email: expo@baltimorequilters.com Mail: PO box 4062, Timonium, MD 21094

Admission: \$8 at door Children under 12 admitted free when accompanied by an adult

Online advance ticket purchase: \$7; \$6 group of 5 or more

AQS Lancaster, PA - Mar 29-Apr 1, 2017 For more info: <http://www.quiltweek.com/locations/lancaster/>

Lancaster County Convention Center, 25 S Queen St, Lancaster, PA 17603

Quilters Unlimited Quilt Show June 2-4 For more info: www.quiltersunlimited.org/quilt-show

Dulles Expo Center, Chantilly, VA

Ocean Waves Quilt Guild, Lewes, DE - July 21-22, 2017 Quilt Show - "Peach Blossoms - Quilts in the Orchard"

Cape Henlopen High School, Lewes, DE <http://www.oceanwavesquiltguild.org/quilt-show>

Ladybug Quilt Guild, Newark, DE - August 10, 11 and 12, 2017 <http://ladybugquiltguild.weebly.com/quilt-show.html>

Diamond State Quilt Show, Singlerly Fire Hall, 300 Newark Ave., Elkton, MD

If you know of any events in the area, please let us know. You can send any information to: Barbara Sansone

Phone: 302-730-4169 or E-mail b.sansone19@gmail.com

Treasurers Report 1/31/2017

Mary Kokoszka

12/31/2016 Citizens Bank checking account Statement balance: \$19091.68

Checks Cleared:

St. Andrews Lutheran Church	Rental Fee for May 2017 event	\$	75.00
First Baptist Church	Donation for Meeting Room	\$	450.00
Nancy Roberts	Holiday Luncheon Expenses	\$	50.00
Cash Withdrawal	Startup Money for book sale	\$	50.00
Gail Kessler	January Speaker Fee	\$	626.36

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Deposits Cleared:

Membership	2017	\$	375.00
Workshops		\$	280.00
December Holiday Luncheon		\$	36.00
Sit and Sew		\$	150.00
Raffle Quilt		\$	30.00
50/50		\$	24.00

\$ 895.00

1/31/2017 Citizens Bank checking account Register balance: \$ 18735.32

Uncleared Deposits:

\$ 0.00

Uncleared Checks:

\$ 0.00

1/31/2017 Citizens Bank checking account Register balance \$ 18735.32

Respectfully Submitted, Mary Kokoszka (All records are available for review upon request unaudited - for management purposes only)

The meeting opened with a prayer read by our President, Sue Hoecker, followed by the introduction of our guests and new members.

Presentation

Our members displayed their beautiful quilts and projects they had completed, along with BOM # 7.

Program:

Our guest speaker was fabric designer, Gail Kessler. She presented a program, "From Concept to Cloth," and discussed the intricacies of how fabric is designed, printed, and distributed.

Business:

- The Secretary's report was approved for November. The Treasurer's report for November was approved as corrected.
- Membership: An updated membership roster will be available in February.
- By-Laws: A motion was made, seconded, and passed by unanimous vote to dispense with the reading of the entire By-Laws, reading only the proposed changes. Elle Brocklehurst read these aloud. They will be read again at the February Guild meeting and voted upon.

- Workshops: Mary Dawn Ditty announced that in February our guest speaker will be Michelle Scott, and she will offer a workshop on Machine Quilting. This will take place on the Saturday following the HH Guild meeting. In March Augusta Cole will present and offer a workshop on her "Collage of Tips, Tricks, and Tidbits."

Rose Ann Battista invited all members to attend the workshop on January 24th. Members will have the opportunity to make a new name tag, and Mary Kokoszka will demonstrate how to make a "Circle Quilt."

- Raffle Sales: Barb Austin announced that Geri Headley's husband won the 2016 Raffle Quilt. Our new raffle quilt will be presented next month, and there will be a "Name the Quilt" contest. Raffle tickets will be sold at Sam's Club on March 18th.
- UFO's: Members were invited to make a list of projects they would like to complete. These can be turned into Kate Ruper.
- QFO: Ann Fischer announced that QFO has relocated to the Whatcoat Methodist Church. They will continue to meet the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:00.

The next Board Meeting will take place on February 1st.

The meeting concluded with a Name Tag drawing and a 50/50 raffle.

Respectfully submitted, Delores Burns

Minutes for the February 1, 2017 Board Meeting

Present: Sue Hoecker, Mary Dawn Ditty, Mary Kokoszka, Delores Burns, Betty Rigo, Robin Aschenberg, Kate Ruper, Linda Barlow, Elaine Morris, Barbara Austin, Ann Fischer, RoseAnn Battista, Shirley Smith, Cindy King

The Secretary's minutes were approved for December 2016.

Committee Reports

Website: Mary Dawn Ditty suggested that members send her positive feedback concerning recent speakers and workshops, and she will then post these to the website, to promote interest in future events.

Newsletter: All entries are due by February 11th.

QFO: QFO has relocated, now meeting at the Whatcoat Methodist Church the 2nd Tuesday of the month. Ann Fischer explained that QFO left the VFW on their own accord, not because of a problem. Because of lack of storage, Ann can no longer store fabric in her home.

Workshops: Mary Dawn is looking for new ideas to promote future workshops. She also needs others to help with signups, payment, and others details concerning the workshops.

Mary Dawn will be sending an email to board members asking for input on our September 2018 workshop.

A member has asked to bring a friend to the March workshop. The board decided that guests may attend workshops and will be charged an additional \$10 per session.

On Saturday, April 22, Carrie Dobos will lead a workshop at the Wyoming Methodist Church. The fee will be \$15 which is used for the room rental.

On Saturday, April 1, there will be a Service Day at Wyoming Methodist Church. Members of HH, along with WMC members will work on pillowcases for kids with cancer, school bags, and receiving blankets. Materials will be provided.

Raffle Quilt Sand bags have been ordered, to be used to secure quilt racks.

Geri Headley's husband won the 2016 raffle quilt.

The 2017 quilt will be revealed at the February meeting, and a "Name the Quilt" contest will take place.

Barb Austin will kick off the ticket sales on March 18th at Sam's Club.

A motion was made, seconded, and passed by unanimous vote to give \$100.00 to ML Kaczka to purchase fabric for backing and borders.

The 2017 raffle quilt winner will be drawn on December 5th at our "Holiday Affair."

Guild Meeting Ideas- Elaine Morris announced that the Guild made \$163.00 selling books at the January meeting. Fat Quarters will be sold in February and Magazines in March.

By-Laws - The revisions were read at the January meeting, will be read again in February and voted upon.

Old Business

Kate Ruper is updating the HH roster. This will be sent to members for personal use only.

New Business

A retreat is scheduled for August 17 - 20 at Camp Pecometh. A "Save the Date" and details concerning room choices will be published in the newsletter and on our website.

Audit Report - The audit committee met and submitted recommendations. Cindy King read these aloud to the board and the report was accepted.

Insurance - Mary Dawn is collecting information and asking for input so that HH can purchase insurance.

The next board meeting is March 1st.

Respectfully submitted,
Delores Burns

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Birthday</u>
Sweeney	Crystal	Feb 04
Malenfant	Ellen	Feb 06
VanDrunon	Grace	Feb 06
Zober	Mary	Feb 07
Smith	Shirley	Feb 09
King	Cindy	Feb 11
Budesheim	Pamela	Feb 14
Christensen	Rosanne	Feb 16
Billings	Sandi	Feb 17
Hollen	Dolores	Feb 20
Bieszczak	Patricia	Feb 25
Ferguson	Lauren	Feb 25
Renz	Janis	Feb 29
Marie	Austin	Mar 5
Beth	Flaherty	Mar 6
Patricia	Hoexter	Mar 12
Julia	Dean	Mar 15
Audrey	Gardner	Mar 17
Wanda	Utterback	Mar 18
Rachel	Talmo	Mar 21
Tina	Mujica	Mar 23
Judy	Worley	Mar 27
Edna	Bennett	Mar 29
Patricia	Kokoszka	Mar 29
Carol	Morgan	Mar 31

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50/50:	Shirley Smith678-2026
Block of the Month:	Linda Barlow.....653-0650
	Cindy King..... 632-7818
Fund Raising:	Ellen Malenfant.....492-8715
Raffle Quilt Sales	Barbara Austin..... 632-1028
Raffle Quilt Construction	ML Kaczka..... 736-5678
Meeting Sales	Elaine Morris..... 670-7402
Greeters/New Member:	Rose Ann Battista.....423-5415
Holiday Event	Nancy Roberts.....538-5594
Membership:	Kate Ruper..... 697-7274
	Fern Weaner..... 736-6707
Newsletter:	Barbara Sansone..... 730-4169
Quilting for Others:	Ann Fischer.....744-9786
Quilts of Valor:	Betty Rigo.....697-7051
	Peg Gilson..... 697-7639
Refreshments:	Robin Aschenberg.....335-0175
Sit 'n Sew/ Workshop	
Coordinator:	Shirley Smith.....678-2026
Show 'n Tell	Sharon Noone.....443-928-7179
Skills Forum:	Marti Chamberlain.....222-5338
Sunshine:	Sharon Cook.....734-7196
Website/Facebook:	Patricia Kokoszka..... 531-8942
	Cindy King..... 632-7818

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<http://www.facebook.com/HelpingHandsQuiltGuild>

Newsletter submissions are due by or before the 2nd Saturday of the month. Please email them to Barbara Sansone at b.sansone.19@gmail.com

The Magic Table

The long table as you walk into the Helping Hands meeting room.

- Membership services (renewal dues, new members and visitors)
- Sign-in sheet (Please, try to sign in so we can get an accurate count of attendance.)
- Sign-up for those who wear name tag. (There is a drawing each month for those who wear a tag. It is encouraged so that we can all know who we are talking to and sitting with.)
- 50/ 50 raffle ticket sale. (This is a fund raiser for the guild.)
- Class registration
- Quilting for Others (Pick up a kit)

Sunshine Committee Report

The sunshine committee has sent out cards to the following: A thinking of you was sent to Marion Newell at Westminster, get well cards were sent to: MI Kaczka, Mary Dawn Ditty and Peg Gilson and a sympathy card was sent to the daughter of Marion Newell who passed away.

Respectfully submitted,

Connie Quarnaccio and Sharon Cook

FREE MONEY!

- Do you teach a Quilting Skill or Technique?
- Would you like to make \$300-\$500?
- If you would like more information about this opportunity, please contact me.

Thank you,
Nancy Quade

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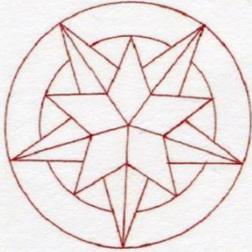
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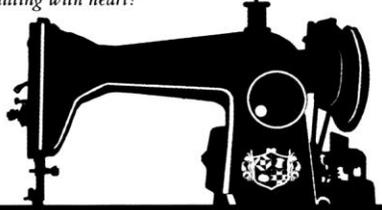
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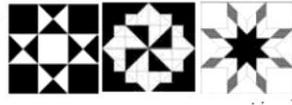
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