

SNIPPETS



May the good times and treasurers of the present
 become the golden memories of tomorrow.
 Wishing you lots of love, joy and happiness,
 Joyous songs and Christmas cheer...
 May laughter and friendship be yours all year!

Merry Christmas

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President's Message

Hi Everyone:

Our last meeting of the year! First thing at our meeting on the sixteenth is the election of officers for 2020. I think we have a good slate of officers, some very talented ladies to fill out the ballot. I wish them all the best for the next two years.

Next, Linda Schillaci is stepping down from tracking our PHD list. I know a lot of you ladies enjoy finishing those pieces - "projects half-done." Many of us use that list as incentive to finally get these projects done. So, if you love this program, maybe you'll consider taking over for Linda. Linda, you have done this for quite a few years and we all thank you!!!

As always at our holiday luncheon we love to have fun and play some games. Here's what you will need to play: three (3) unwrapped quiltshop-quality fat quarters to play the left, right, center dice game. We will have another game for those who wish to participate in the gift exchange. For that game you will need to bring a homemade gift that is wrapped.

January's meeting will have Karen Bennett doing a Missouri Star demo.

Last but not least, this is my last newsletter. I feel honored and blessed to have been your president for the last two years. I know the guild is in real good hands going forward.

If you are a Snowbird, welcome back, and if you are traveling to see family and friends, please be careful.

See you on the 16th.

Happy Holidays,
Kathy



Notes from Jerre

To-Do List

- * Wear your name tag and a smile!
- * Carpool if possible but remember, there is parking behind the building and, please, don't park in front of the mailboxes.
- * Bring show and tell.
- * Pay your 2020 dues - \$25 - see Anna and Carol when you sign in.

December 16th Program - It's time to celebrate the holiday season with our quilting friends. We will enjoy a catered luncheon and play some games. If you didn't pay for the catered lunch, please don't stay away. Come anyway and bring your lunch. Please, no take-out containers allowed. The leftover food will be donated to a charity.

Game Time! - For the Left, Right, Center game you will need 3 fat quarters of quiltshop-quality fabric (unwrapped). Please don't bring anything you wouldn't want to receive. If you have the Left, Right, Center dice game, please bring it.

We will also have a Homemade gift exchange. Wrap or bag your gift to play along. Participation is totally optional.

Challenge - This meeting also marks the end of our State challenge. The challenge was to make a quilt depicting something connected with the state you're from, i.e. state flower, bird, tree, rock, insect, etc. The quilt can be any size from pillows to table runners to bed size. If the state name isn't obvious, please write the name on a small slip of paper and attach to your project. Prizes will be awarded.

The worst gift is a fruitcake. there is only one fruitcake in the entire world and people keep sending it to each other. —Johnny Carson

Coming Attractions

At the **January** meeting Carolyn Brackett will present a trunk show of her quilts. Carolyn's quilts have a unique style. They reflect her African-American heritage and she puts a lot of thought and embellishments in and on them. Her quilts tell a story and she will share those stories and her inspiration with us.

After lunch we will have an Afternoon Alternative class with Maxi Lardiere. Maxi is a dedicated and prolific quilter. This year she committed to making 100 Charity quilts and she recently reached her goal. Maxi is very frugal with her fabric and doesn't waste a bit. It has been said that if you give Maxi an inch she will make a quilt out of it. She makes what she calls Crumb Quilts. Maxi will share her techniques for using every bit of fabric to make quilt blocks. So if you have saved little pieces and snippets that you can't bear to just throw away, this is the class for you.

A sample will be shown at the December meeting.

The class is \$15 and the application was emailed to everybody. The supply list will be on the website.

On **Jan. 21**, Tina Roth will be teaching the Karen Eckmeier class "Happy Villages." This class was scheduled twice before and then cancelled — first due to a hurricane and then due to a snowstorm. Finally it will be here! Tina will show us all the ins and outs of this project and you know what a great teacher Tina is. Sign up to ensure your place in the class. The application was emailed last month and the supply list is on the website.

NOTE: Supply lists and Class fliers/ applications will now be on the website instead of being individually sent out.

February - We will be having a Flea Market! So gather up all your unused sewing-related items and save your pennies.

We all also be announcing our Spring Challenge — stay tuned for that.

In Memory

We are sad to report that longtime guild member, Kathy Richard, has passed away.

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