



PIECEMAKERS CHAPTER – QGOTV

Paradise Rec Center, Rita Hayworth Room

1403 Paradise Dr., The Villages, FL

8:30am – 11:30 am Every Tuesday

MEMBERSHIP OPEN – ANNUAL DUES \$17.00

(Includes @10.00 for Guild Membership)

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The Piecemakers' purpose is that of QGOTV; namely, "...to promote an interest in an appreciation of the art of quilt making, sharing of quilting information with an education of members and the community."

HEAR YE HEAR YE
A NOTE FROM ONE OF OUR
CO-PRESIDENTS

Summer's in full swing and it's HOT out there. Stay hydrated! Hope everyone's enjoying this glorious weather (and no, I'm not being sarcastic. I love it!)

As noted in the minutes this past week, we will not be meeting on the 4th of July. We will be meeting the following week.

It's not only an all day sew, it's our second installment of Camp Villagers making pillowcases. I'm sure it will be as much fun as it was last month. Stick around and see for yourselves, if you'd like to observe (and haven't already volunteered!)

We're just about set for the Head Start quilts now. Thank you sooooo much, especially to you snowbirds for getting us to goal!!! In the next few weeks, we need to work on pillows to put in them. I know Darlene and I both have some muslin leftover and there's some stuffing. I'm sure we can get an assembly line going.

Don't forget that Block of the Month is due the next time we meet, and our UFOs the following week.

Have a safe and sane(!) holiday and see you soon

Susan

Don't forget to check out the Guild's Website. It is up and running and has a lot of good information. All upcoming meetings and different Chapter pages will show you what other Chapters are doing. It is being updated on a regular basis so all the information is up current. Check out the website at

QGOTV.ORG

(Quilting Guild of The Villages. Org)



You are gonna love it!!!!

SUNDAYS AT STERLING

STERLING HEIGHTS REC CENTER

2508 St Charles Place

Village of Tamarind

Come out and sew with us all day from 11:30am to 3:50pm. Lots of fun for everyone. They even have special themes going on some Sunday's. 3rd Sunday is Scrappy Sunday



**NEED TO MAKE SURE EVERYONE KNOWS WE WILL NOT MEET THIS
TUESDAY, JULY 4TH Have fun with whatever you do, see you next week**



***we** will start off this newsletter with mentioning that block of the month is due on July 11th and that your UFO'S will be due the following week or July 18th.

***Also**, July 11th is an all day sew with us having Camp Villages again. Last month was a success and I am sure this one will be also. There is 1 more in August.

***Linda** and Peg still need volunteers for their retreat committee. See one of them and have fun coming up with places and suggestions for what you would want to do.

***February** 28th to March 3rd will be the Daytona Quilt Show. We would like to have 3 quilts for display only. They will not be judged. How about it ladies, I know there are some very beautiful quilts that deserve to be shown. Think about it but if you would then please let Diane or Susan know.

We are getting information about Marketplace in January 2018 and Showcase (if you can believe) for January 2019. Lot of work so they need to start early. Diane and Susan presented to those of us which tasks we would like to do with

marketplace; we had to present them at the meeting which was also the guild meeting in June. These are the requests we put in for.

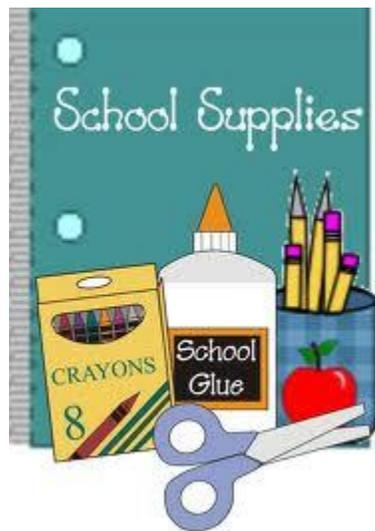
1.....cashiers

2.....chance tickets and

3.....door prize

Let's see which one we get, results to follow. Sorry that the "snowbirds" didn't have a chance to vote but we felt this would be the best for not having to stand for the entire time. They are requesting a certain amount of people and time for each one. There also wasn't enough time between getting the information and having to hand it in.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.....Lady Lake Elementary on Rolling Acres Road is the school we will be collecting supplies for. Needed are things like hand sanitizers, Kleenex, composition books, rulers, pencils and anything else you would need for an elementary school and teachers. **NEED BY AUGUST** so as you purchase bring them in.



RYAN'S CASE FOR SMILES IS ANOTHER charity we are participating in. These are pillowcases and you can see more about that is on our WEB SITE. QGOTV.ORG, go to ABOUT US and a drop down box will appear naming the different charities.

These pillowcases are **due in November** and you are to use the same hot dog pattern as before. Diane/Susan should have the pattern for you.

These will be going to hospitalized children and should be bright and colorful. A Very Good Cause



If you would like some Aurifil thread see Pat Joho as she is the one who will be putting in orders, also blades and probably a lot of other stuff.



AUGUST GUILD MEETING is an ice cream social, yum. Linda N. is looking for items to be put on display at our table. **CHRISTMAS items**. I know it is only the middle of the year but that's what they need for their Christmas in July social.



Everyone needs to look on our web site.....**QGOTV.ORG**. You really need to go in and check it out. ALSO.....Wanda needs help in identifying some of the pictures she has put on our Chapter site. Please go in and look and see if your quilt is one she needs. If you need help with getting into it please let someone know and we can walk you through it. Wanda has spent a lot of time putting all these pictures on the site and has done an excellent job.

THANK YOU WANDA.....YOU HAVE DONE A GREAT JOB



NOW FOR THE REAL REASON YOU READ THE NEWSLETTER.....PICTURES



Sue Pavey's various quilts. One for a Granddaughter, one for a Grandson and one for her Daughter. She has been busy.

Family
like branches on a tree,
we all grow in different
directions yet our roots remain as one.



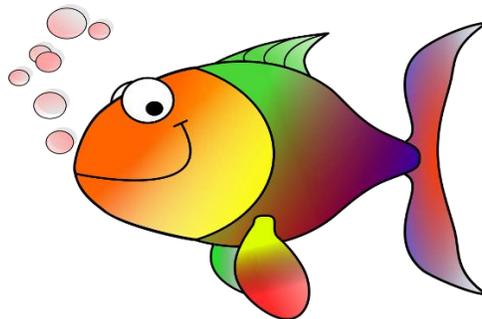
Quilt of the Week by Suzanne Kendrick called Tea Party and it goes from 2013 thru 2017. This was a block of the quarter and Suzanne had 14 Piecemakers make a block. Modified flying square designed by Maggio Malone. She tells us that she quickly learned that all $\frac{1}{4}$ inch seams are not the same. Quilted by Country Boy and Suzanne used the self binding method. See our quilt of the week book to see who all did these blocks. Most are still in our group.



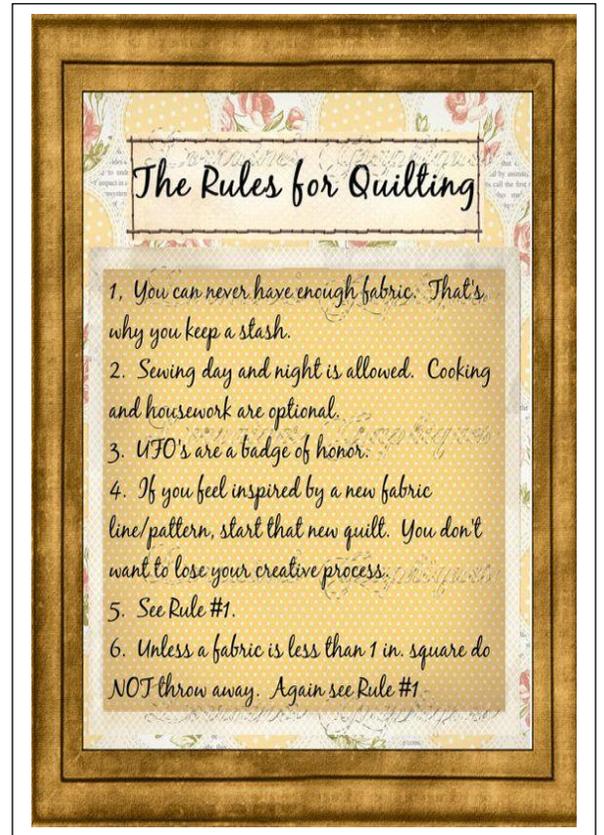
This is called Under the Sea and is a class being given on August 2nd. As of today I believe there were still openings.

Check it out on our website

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Below is a quilt made entirely out of batik scraps, sewn on muslin in strips then sewn together to size of quilt you want. Easy peasy. Esther demo'd this at Sunday at Sterlings. See what you miss when you don't go. I'll take all the batik scraps you want to give.

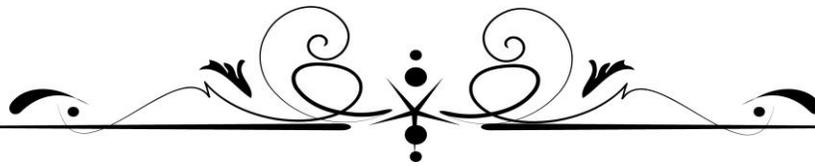


Barb DeLong finished her mystery quilt and this one is going to her Great Granddaughter. So nice





Quilt of the week by Peg Tackett. She also taught this class at Sterling. It is called folded corners and is for Michelle. Made with 12inch blocks set in 2-1/2 lattice with joiner blocks. Not suitable for large prints and it uses 3 values, light, medium and dark.



This is Terry's quilt and it didn't have a name so we helped.

My Quilt by Terry and guess what, she put it on her own bed. Good for you girl.





Only for your Granddaughter. Esther did this girl scout tee shirt quilt and said that it was a bear.....Her favorite was in the upper left which reads **Save the World, it's the only planet with girl scout cookies...truer words have not been spoken**



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Did you know

The Girl Scout Cookie Program is the largest girl-led business in the world.

- Girl Scouts sell about 200 million boxes of cookies—nearly \$800 million worth—during each Cookie season

EAT COOKIES.....YES

We now have enough Kids Quilts and Susan will once again deliver them. She will keep us informed as to when and if she needs help.

Now for a few more pictures.



Diane's quilt was brought in to show the kids from Camp a sample of blocks. This was from a shop hop with other quilt shops helping. Sounds like fun.



Terry used a lot of batiks for this blue and green quilt she is showing us.



Arlene is showing a quilt called simply squares. She took a class from our own Donna Parisi and this is what she came up with. Great pattern for squares.

Peg did this quilt and is actually a panel. One tip she gave us was to put washing instructions on the back especially for someone who hasn't a clue, like her brother. One the back is something special also.



Wanda's UFO.....a cute purse. We all can use another purse.....a class maybe

We have a new member. Her name is Theresa Davila and the next time you see her say HI and welcome her to the "most friendly chapter" in The Villages.





Esther brought us this stunning quilt that is call Scrapy Trip Around the World. Started in 2014 (she thinks), it is a pattern from Bonnie Hunter from Quiltville.com. She actually made 2 of these, both queen size for air mattresses. She is most proud of the quilting that she did on her 1970's Elna SU. She is good.



Remember that August is the ice cream social for the Guild.....Daytona quilt show needs our quilts.....Volunteer for our retreat committee.....We are also looking into trip to Tampa for Stitches Paradise from August 17th to the 19th (see our web site) and

NO MEETING ON JULY 4TH

QGOTV.ORG.....Go and check it out. All you have to do is put this address in and it will bring you to the Guild's web site. At that point you can move around easily. It is being updated on a regular basis so you will be able to see all the classes that are offered or special events. You can find long arm quilters, tips, photos and much much more.

If you go into chapters you can see all the pictures Wanda has worked so hard to put in. As mentioned earlier, some of them she needs to know who did. Look closely at them and if one is yours please let her know.

Under Members only you can log in by doing this

Username is.....your email address

Password is.....your last name (small letters)

Please check it out, a lot of people have put a lot of work into this site and it really does have a lot of information. We also need to know how many people are making use of it. Every time you log in shows a "hit", but more importantly, it shows that you are checking out what is going on with The Village Quilting Guild.