

2106 Challenges

1. January to September Challenge and Fundraiser: "IT TAKES A VILLAGE...TOWN...CITY"

Make a block that represents a feature of a village, town or city. Examples include houses, apartments, office buildings, store fronts, parks, trees, people, schools, cars and places of worship. If you think your feature belongs in a village, town, or city so will we.

The block must be a generous 9 ½ inch square. That is the unfinished size. (Generous means that you err on the side of 9 ¾ inches versus 9 ¼ inches.) And it can NOT be set on point. And it can NOT be pre-quilted.

The block can be made using any technique or style that reflects your design. We hope you try something new when you make this block. Between January and September the Challenge Committee will provide resources and offer inspiration for your blocks. Information will be on the website.

You may make as many blocks as you want.

The block can be embellished to reflect your design criteria. However, please do not use batting or felt as your stabilizer. It will be too bulky.

ALL BLOCKS ARE DUE AT THE SEPTEMBER BUSINESS MEETING.

Each person who submits one or more blocks will get her/his name in a drawing for one of four gift cards.

The Challenge Committee will collect the blocks and assemble them into packets. The number of packets will be predicated on the number of blocks submitted.

AT THE OCTOBER BUSINESS MEETING MEMBERS WILL BE ABLE TO PURCHASE RAFFLE TICKETS FOR A DOLLAR A TICKET. TICKETS WILL BE DRAWN AND WINNERS ANNOUNCED UNTIL ALL OF THE PACKETS ARE DISTRIBUTED.

Funds from the raffle will go to the guild. We hope that everyone in the guild takes this opportunity to support the guild's efforts through this fundraiser.

We will also draw names for the four lucky winners of the gift cards at the October business meeting.

2. October to December Challenge:

This challenge will support the efforts of the Charity Committee. The challenge will be announced at the October business meeting with items due at the December Christmas/Holiday party.

If you have any questions, please contact the Challenge Committee: Kelley Blevens, Sheila Harper, Lana Russ or Diane Weeden.