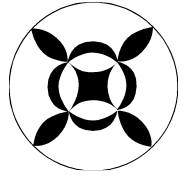


Irondequoit Quilt Club News



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June Kanik 266-4272

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Monthly Fat Quarter Exchange

Celeste Babcock 227-0723

Monthly Raffle

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Refreshments

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Sunshine

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Charity Projects

Brenda's Caps

TBD

Brenda's Totes

Irondequoit Community Cupboard

Mary Lou Fitch 266-5283

Charity Czar

Liz Brown 266-6054

Comfort Quilts

Elaine Kent 227-0471

Pat Ientilucci (Men's) 621-8412

Brenda McHale (Foster Care) 621-1751

Jane Ryan (Alzheimer) 266-8529

Sunset House

Jeanne Muhl 336-9459

President's Pieces

Greetings Quilters,

As we wind down our 2010-2011 IQC year, we can reflect with pride on another terrific year. Our 2010 Quilt Show was a spectacular success under the able leadership of Penny Schumacher assisted by her many volunteers. Thanks to the craftsmanship of Donna German and her committee we had another show-stopping Opportunity Quilt to raffle off. We appreciated the remarkable talents of our members who entered their treasured quilts in our Show. Thanks to everyone who helped in this effort!

Vice President Cheryl Bond provided a wide variety of programs to educate and entertain us this year. We could even SHOP at our meetings! Which program was your favorite?? In September, Sharon Stroud taught us "Creative Quilt Labeling". October's guest was Christine Jehle showing her "Purse-o-nality Bags". November brought us Kathy Echter demonstrating the AccuQuiltGo machine. (Our Club now owns one that you may use at Sew Nights or the Club retreat.) We hosted Beth Helfter in March with her program "Perfection is Overrated". We wrapped up the year with Patty Cline from

Chestnut Bay Quilting along with Doreen Clark showing us Civil War era garments. Thanks, Cheryl!

Your other Club officers were responsible for many aspects of keeping this Club running. Treasurer Kathy Russell smoothly handled our banking, paid our bills on time and gave us regular financial updates. Thank you, Kathy. Recording secretary June Kanik kept accurate records of our meetings for publication in the newsletter. Thanks, June. Our Newsletter secretary, Lisa Priebe always kept us informed through the monthly newsletter as well as periodic updates of important news for members. Thank you, Lisa.

Our list of "thank you's" would not be complete without acknowledging our committee chairs. First off, thanks to Rene Fogarty, Lin Mocejunas and Melanie Popick for arranging refreshments for our meetings and cleaning up the kitchen afterward. What would a quilters' meeting be without yummy food?? The Membership Committee: Sandy Jarvis, Cheryl Bond, and Lorraine Enge collected dues, kept attendance records and provided membership lists. Thanks! Our monthly meetings were enhanced by the monthly raffle handled by Nancy

Gaede and Kathy Russell. Thanks to their efforts we always had intriguing items to buy chances on. Each month Celeste Babcock coordinated a fat quarter theme and exchange. Thank you, Celeste. Thanks to Lyz Covert our members had a "Block of the Month" to practice various quilting skills each month. Our members also had the opportunity to sign out many wonderful quilting books from our library maintained by Marcia Marano. This year she reorganized the books into an area in our Storage Room. In addition, Marcia organized all those quilt magazine giveaways that we all love! Thank you, Marcia. Sandy Fox collected our food donations to the Irondequoit Community Cupboard. Thanks, Sandy. MaryLou Fitch provided kits for bags and pillows for cancer patients (Brenda's bags). Thanks, MaryLou. Our usual finale for Show and Tell was Elaine Kent showing all the charity quilts so generously made by our members. Thanks to Elaine and her secret helpers for all their work! Thanks to all members who made charity quilts this year, too! Additional thanks goes to Liz Brown, our Charity Czar. We made Christ-mas stockings for Shore Winds Nursing Home and the Iron-dequoit Community Cupboard. We also made beautiful place-mats for Meals on Wheels recipients. Thanks to Liz for coordinating the effort

and thank you to all members who helped out. Historian Linda Kaanana kept pictures, notes and articles about our Club. Thank you, Linda. Donna Goundry coordinated our "sunshine efforts" for this year. Thanks, Donna. (Thanks to Pat Ientilucci who is taking over this role.) Each month Brenda McHale has hosted our Friday Night Sew Nights. Thanks you, Brenda.

Laurie Fromm has facilitated our web site; Check it out! Site is irondequoitquiltclub.org Thanks, Laurie.

Some special activities of the Club were arranged by volunteers, too. Thank you to Cheryl Bond and Ruth Tetlow for organizing our first yearlong Shop Hop. (Winners will be announced at the May 23 meeting!) Thank you to Laurie Fromm for coordinating our Quilt Retreat at the Holiday Inn in Webster. Also thanks goes to Kathy Russell, Nancy Gaede and Barb Butcher for setting up our annual Bus Trip.

As you see, it takes the commitment of many volunteers to keep our Club vibrant. We also thank YOU, our members, for whatever part YOU played in keeping our Club functioning at its finest. Please continue that support as Penny Schumacher and her officers take over for next year.

As is our tradition, we'll have a potluck dinner party at the May 23 meeting.

You may also bring fat quarters for the past year's officers as a thank you.

See you on May 23!

- Georgia

Irondequoit Quilt Club meets on the 4th Monday of each month (except as indicated) from Sept. to May from 7-9pm at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.



IOC Shop Hop Update

The shop hop is almost over! If you are doing any last minute shopping, please remember that some shops will ask to see your IQC Membership Card, so make sure you take it with you when you head out to shop! If you need a card or have any other questions please contact Ruth Tetlow (787-0054 or retetlow@rochester.rr.com). Ruth displayed some of the prizes at the March meeting. To have a chance to win you must visit all shops on the list. Prizes will be awarded at the May meeting. Completed forms can be turned in to Ruth at any meeting.

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This month's article is a double feature starring The Bobbin Case and Jackie Lynn's Fabric Center.

The Bobbin Case has been a

presence on Monroe Avenue for more than 18 years now. We are Rochester's Bernina Sewing machine dealership and the full line of Bernina machines is displayed in our shop, ready to offer you a chance to come in and try them out. Not only can our shop help you select the right machine, but our staff will offer you continued support to allow you to grow in your sewing knowledge and experience. With your purchase of a finely made Bernina machine, you have a lifetime of free machine instruction from our experienced staff.

IQC members should note that for many years now The Bobbin Case has donated a new Bernette sewing machine for us to raffle at our biannual quilt show. The club pays nothing for this sewing machine and we keep all the proceeds from the raffle tickets sold. Be sure to thank Linda Fellows (The Bobbin Case owner) for her generosity when you stop in at The Bobbin Case.

In addition to carrying the full line of Bernina sewing and quilting machines, sergers, and embroidery machines, The Bobbin Case offer many accessories including quilting frames, sewing machine cabinets/ tables, a full line of quilting, sewing, and embroidery thread, books, patterns, and sewing machine accessories including the full line of Bernina machine feet.

The Bobbin Case offers service and repair on all brands of machines. The Bobbin Case's authorized Bernina technician has over 18 years' experience and does the servicing on the Berninas which are brought into the shop.

Four times a year, The Bobbin Case publishes a newsletter featuring upcoming classes, new articles for sale, dates for Bernina Club, Serger Club, and Embroidery Club meetings, and events going on at the shop. Our clubs are open to all Bernina owners; free to all who purchased their machines from us. If you are interested receiving the newsletter, just stop by the shop or contact us via phone or email and we'll make sure to get you on our mailing list.

Stop by the The Bobbin Case and give us a test run. And remember to check out our two websites at: www.sew2000.com/thebobbincase which lists classes, pictures of the projects, and supply lists for Club activities; and www.thebobbincase.net, which has a variety of information and announcements relating to the store coupons, and a brand new "blog" to post current happenings at the store.

The Bobbin Case is located in Brighton at 1784 Monroe Avenue. They are open Mon – Wed & Fri 10 – 5:30, Thurs 10-8 and Sat 10 – 3. Their phone number is 244-7780.

Store hours:
M,T,W, F: 10:30 A.M. – 5:30 P.M.,
TH: 10:30 A.M – 7:00 P.M.
Sat: 10:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Sun: 12:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.

Hope to see you soon!

-Marie

Exciting things are happening at **Jackie Lynn's Fabric Center** in Irondequoit!

For those who haven't visited the store in a while, Jackie Lynn has expanded her selection of longarm quilting machines. The store sells these machines, trains new owners on their use and offers rental services for anyone who would like to quilt their own quilt using the machines at the store. June Kanik (IQC member) and Merrilee Mac-William handle the day to day operation of the longarm quilting studio, which includes helping renters learn to use the machines and successfully quilt their quilts.

Beginning this summer the store will be expanding the selection of longarm classes to include the use of the longarm machines with smaller scale projects. Merrilee will be offering classes in placemats, totes and tree skirts which include using the machines at the store to quilt the fabric. Merrilee has also taken over teaching Jackie's Boot Camp class which is still booking up with waiting lists and has helped inspire many

to try quilting *and* longarm quilting.

Be sure to stop by the store and check out the newly decorated longarm quilting studio! Class samples are on display and can also be seen on their website at www.discountsewingcenter.com.

Jackie Lynn's also carries a wonderful selection of quilting cottons, threads, sewing notions and more!

Jackie Lynn's Fabric Center is located at 475 East Ridge (near the Irondequoit Post Office). Store hours are Mon, Wed, Fri and Sat 10am to 5pm, Tues and Thurs 10am to 8pm. Their phone number is 544-4110.

Bus Trip of April 16th Wrap-up

This years bus trip was a huge success!! Everyone had a great time spending time with girl friends, talking on the way to and from the shops, and of course, and spending money on their favorite thing: FABRIC! We had three members from the Webster Guild join us this year, and several other guests that some members brought with them. It was a pleasure having them with us and we hope they had a good time, and they would join us again next year. Next years bus trip will be on April 15th, so put the date on your calendar, you do not want to miss out!

According to the surveys, the favorite shops of this year's trip were The Patchwork Garden in Buffalo and Creekside in Arcade.

Our first stop was Patchwork Garden which opened last October and was extremely excited to find out that we were coming. The owner even called a few times to make sure we were still coming, as not many people know about them. She even asked for all the ladies names and e-mail addresses so she could have them in the computer already when we came to the checkout, which made everything run very smoothly. They had coffee ready for us and some homemade goodies that were very good, and greatly appreciated. All of the stores had little goody bags for each member, and the Patchwork Garden gave everyone 3 fat quarters. One of the ladies even got on the bus to double check to make sure everyone had a goody bag, as she did not want anyone to go home empty handed. The bus seemed to like their selection, but wished that they had better lighting.

Pine Grove was next, and had a great selection of batiks and civil war fabrics. Unfortunately, we found that they were not as accommodating as the last store. They did not have any employees around to answer questions, the cutting and cash out process was quite slow. The store was also a tight fit for a large group. Having the cash out and cutting at the same table was not very efficient for a group that has over 50 people and a short amount time to spend at their store. They did give me goody bags that I passed out on the bus to each member on the bus.

Our next stop was Quilt Farm. It had a bigger store, and a big selection of many different

fabrics. They were very considerate of us and the staff was very helpful. The prices were very reasonable, had the best discount and I think everyone liked this shop very much. They also gave us a goody bag.

Creekside, located in Arcade New York, was our last stop, and were very accommodating for us. They greeted us all; letting us know how happy they were to have us there, and made sure we knew where everything was in the store. The selection was very nice, and the lay out of the store was great for a large group. They even opened a second check out for those who were paying cash, which made checkout go so much faster. The owner, Sue, got onto the bus and thanked us for coming and let us know that in our goody bags, along with the small piece of candy, she added in some information about the area so we could come back another time, and a bottle of water for the road.

In addition to the goody bags given to each member, each store gave me a door prize that I used as raffles. We played one game: each lady was to make a guess as to what the bus spent, total, at all four stores, and the member closest without going over (like the Price is Right!), was the winner. The bus spent over \$7,000.00!!! Way to go Ladies!!! In addition to the regular door prize given by Creekside, Sue also included 4 additional books, so we were able to have four additional winners! I would also like to thank Creekside for giving us several items that will be raffled off at future meetings. Thank you Sue and Creekside!

Over all, it was a fun, productive and social day. I think the part everyone appreciated most, was that someone else was doing the driving, so we could just sit back, relax and chat! We even arrived home before dark!

I would like to thank all the members who brought snacks to share with everyone on the bus.
Kathy

IQC's AccuQuilt Go!

The club has purchased the AccuQuilt Go! cutter and numerous dies for use in cutting charity quilts and for members to use. The machine is available at Sew Nights and sanctioned club events such as retreats or sew days. Please contact Penny Schumacher for details.

(pschumac@rochester.rr.com or 467-0932)



Fat Quarter Exchange

The theme for the May fat quarter exchange will be "Quilter's Choice" – whatever looks good to you! Happy shopping and good luck to all! April winners were: Mary Randall, Sue Foust, Jeanne Muhl, Jackie Swett, Mary Lou Fitch, Lin Mocejunas, and Georgia Sadler.

Celeste Babcock will be stepping down from running the exchange after May, so if you are feeling adventurous and want to give your fellow IQC

members an excuse to pick up some lively fabrics, please consider taking a turn at this.



May Birthdays:

Donna German	5/1
Laurie Fromm	5/5
Mary Jane Kosel	5/14
Linda Wilson	5/14
Ruth Tetlow	5/20
Marcia Turpyn	5/21

June Birthdays:

Sande Cooper	6/3
Frieda K DeCaire	6/3
Patricia Ientilucci	6/3
Margaret Spevak	6/10
Camille D Julian	6/15
Connie Derby	6/23
Michele Gailey	6/23
Debbie Pratt-Gnage	6/28

July Birthdays:

Linda Kaanana	7/3
Nancy Steele	7/22
Ann Russo	7/24
Jean Poulton	7/26
Cindy Merrow	7/27
Rene Fogarty	7/30

**August Newsletter items due:
August 5th, 2011**

Secretary's Scraps

Block of the Month winner for April was Carol Meek.

In memory of Zylpha Siudara, a quilt will be made for Mary Cariolis Center to raffle off at their fundraising walk – "Walk-

ing for Sunshine". A kit was purchased on the April bus trip with Eric Carle fabric. Top will be pieced at the May 6 sew night. Jeanne Andrychuk will complete the quilting.

One of our Club traditions has been to bring fat quarters for the incoming and outgoing officers. If you will be participating, here are the officers' preferences, or "quilter's choice"!

Georgia: Yellow or pink
Cheryl: batiks in reds, yellows, purples, or blues.

Kathy: 30's fabric, batiks or white / black fabric

June:
Lisa: tone on tones/blenders or quilter's choice

Have a wonderful summer!

-Lisa Priebe & June Kanik



Reminder – Cancer Totes

MaryLou Fitch asks that any totes you have, whether complete or in progress, be returned to her at the May meeting.



May Refreshments

Potluck!

Food guidelines for May 23 are:
A-D: Desserts
E-J: Appetizers
K-P Salads
R-Z: Main Dishes

Officers will provide beverages.



Monthly Raffle

The raffle will have a kit called "Afternoon Delight". I also have a spool of thread that was donated by YLI. There will also be a wall hanging kit that has Santa on it and was donated by Creekside Fabric and Yarn. I hope you will like these items. And the tickets are still 3 for \$1.00. See you then,
-Kathy

Program Calendar

May 23
End of Year Party
Install New officers

Looking ahead to 2011-2012:

September 24: Welcome Back - Workshop and Open Sew Day

As was announced during our April meeting, the club is sponsoring a "Welcome Back" open sewing day and optional workshop on September 24, 2011 from 9am to 5pm at the church. The workshop will be presented by Sharon Stroud and is called Hand Quilting without a Hoop. The class will run from 9am-4pm with a 30 minute break for lunch. Cost for the workshop is \$40; this includes a \$5 supply fee for a pre-basted quilt sandwich provided by Sharon. *Class*

size is limited to 20 participants.

We already had over 20 members sign-up at our April meeting. Due to the overwhelming interest, the first 20 members from whom full payment is received will get to take the workshop. I will be accepting payments at our May meeting and if you will not be at the meeting or want to get your payment to me sooner, feel free to mail a check for \$40.00, made out to Irondequoit Quilt Club to Cheryl Bond, 2 Fox Hill Drive, Fairport, NY 14450.

Along with the workshop in the Pastor's Lounge, the Social Hall will be available to any member who wishes to come and sew on personal projects. There is no fee to come and sew that day.



Sew Nights

Sew Nights run from 6:00 pm until the last quilter goes home (Fridays). There are a couple of Saturday Sew Days which will run 10:00 am – 4:00 pm. There is **no charge for Sew Nights this year** as our treasury is in good shape! Please bring a snack or drink to pass and your latest project.

Sew Night Dates for 2010-2011:
Quilters' Sew Nights
(Stitchers welcome!)

June 3
Stitchers' Sew Nights
(Quilters welcome!)

May 20

June 17

Additional Dates TBA



Upcoming Quilt Shows & Exhibits:

May 13,14 (10a-5p)-15 (11a-4p),
"Palette of Quilts" at Clarence Town Park Clubhouse, 10450 Main St, Clarence, NY. \$5 admission.

Parallax Art Quilt exhibit in Rochester, opening May 31 in the Booksmart Gallery at 250 North Goodman Street, with an artist reception on Friday, June 3. The Parallax exhibit will display quilts by 19 artists from around the world. The Booksmart Gallery is a short walk from the Memorial Art Gallery which is hosting Fiberarts International simultaneously. Parallax presents images and ideas from multiple perspectives--also not to be missed. More info in the following article:

<http://www.valleyfiberlife.com/imp-orted-data/curating-fiber-greats.html>

Genessee Valley Quilt Guild "**75th Diamond Jubilee Quilt Festival**", June 3-5 at RIT, 1 Lomb Memorial Drive. \$10 daily.

<http://gvqc.org/index1quiltshow.php>
Vermont Quilt Festival - 35th Anniversary

June 24 - June 26, 2011
Champlain Valley Expo, Essex Jct, VT

Quilt Exhibits & Merchants Mall:
Friday-Saturday 9am-6pm -
Sunday 9am-3pm

Workshops & Lectures at St.
Michael's College, Colchester

www.vqf.org

**Upcoming Quilt Classes with
Margaret Spevak:**

U.F.O. PIZZA PARTY - Saturdays,
3/26, 4/30, 5/21, 6/4/11, 10 am – 4 pm
at Jackie Lynn's, \$40/month



FAST & FABULOUS FRIDAYS -
Fridays, 4/22/11 (Urban Cabin) &
5/20/11 (Pie Crust Pile Up) at Jackie
Lynn's, 10 am – 3 pm, \$40/month

FABULOUS FINISHES - Tuesdays,
5/10 – 5/17/11, 5:30 – 8 pm at Jackie
Lynn's, \$40

COLLECTIBLES QUILT - Thursdays,
5/12 – 5/26/11, 6 – 8 pm at Jackie
Lynn's, \$45

AFTERNOON DELIGHT - Tuesdays,
5/24 – 5/31/11, 5:30 – 8 pm at Jackie
Lynn's, \$45

For more information check out
Margaret's website at
www.quiltingwithmargaret.com or visit
the stores to see samples and sign up.

**Upcoming Quilt Class with
Cheryl Bond:**

Two Quilts from One Cut -
“Bamboo and Pinwheels”

Create two different quilts using
one set of cut fabrics. This
pattern is great for using up your
stash of light and dark fabrics.
Just choose 10 light and 10 dark
fabrics to make two throw-sized
quilt tops. Easy strip piecing makes
these quilts a breeze to complete.
See the quilts at the Bobbin Case or
contact Cheryl for pictures.

Class taught by Cheryl Bond at the
Bobbin Case on June 11 from
10am- 3pm. Cost is \$30.00 +
pattern.

IQC Program/Activity Survey

Over the summer, your officers will be formatting programs for the 2011-2012 club year. In order to do that, we were hoping to get some input from all of you, the club members. Listed below are some of the ideas for programs that are being evaluated, as well as suggestions that were submitted by some of you to us during the year.

Please review the list and circle the programs that would be of most interest to you. If you have any ideas for programs or someone who you would like to see as a presenter list them here also. When you have completed the form either bring it to the May meeting where it will be collected or mail it to Cheryl Bond, 2 Fox Hill Drive, Fairport, NY 14450 or email to cherylbond@mac.com.

Program Ideas

- 1) Quilt Shop visit – we have tentative plans set for Mt. Pleasant to come
- 2) Priscilla Kibbee – wearable art designer
- 3) Judy Merritt – local author, quilt historian, and pattern designer
- 4) Linda Glantz – local author and owner of Peace Quilts Designs
- 5) Hand made lace and bobbin lace
- 6) Demo derby
- 7) Garage sale
- 8) Ergonomics and Stretches for Quilters
- 9) UFO Challenge
- 10) Sandy Pirdy from Creekside Fabrics in Arcade – Hand Piecing
- 11) Fabric Origami and Manipulation – Pam Langdon

Please list some of your quilt related program ideas or presenters, use the back of this sheet if required.

