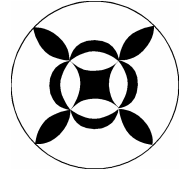


Irondequoit Quilt Club News



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December 2004

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Monthly Raffle

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Charity Czar

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Sunset House

Lauren Thielmann 266-0595

Brenda's Caps

Laura Wagner 723-3216
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Sue Foust 342-1713
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Men's Comfort Quilts

Pat Ientilucci 621-8412

Irondequoit Community Cupboard

Kelley Shea 266-0639

From the President

Greetings Quilters,

Hopefully you've begun to deck your halls with boughs of holly.... Isn't it amazing how much beauty the holiday lights add to our world especially on the days when it's dark by 4:30 each afternoon? Just a little snow (but not TOO much) would be a perfect touch! Be sure to enjoy this season without getting too caught up in all the hustle and bustle.

The Club has 100 beautifully decorated Christmas stockings to present to the Irondequoit Community Cupboard for their Christmas gift giving project. We also have lap robes, hats, and mittens made by our members to add to their gifts. If anyone else would like to donate handmade or store bought items, bring them to the December 13 meeting and we'll be sure to deliver them to Debbie Evans. Thanks so much for your generosity.

Speaking of the December 13 meeting, remember this is our annual holiday feast. If your last name begins with A-L, bring an appetizer or salad and M-Z should bring dessert. You'll be thrilled to know that there will be no business meeting!! Our Show and Tell will feature the winners of our Quilt Show and all entries in the 25th Anniversary Challenge Project. We hope also to see the many and varied projects you've been quilting (along with the story behind your work!) Show us your work before you give it away as a

Christmas present. Liz Brown has a spectacular raffle scheduled for us, too. We'll have door prize give aways at 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, and 9:00. It could be your lucky day! Don't forget that we've planned the "Elves' Workshop" in place of a game. Bring your quilting, handwork, knitting, etc., to finish up while you socialize. (It's OK to bring your sewing machine if you wish.) This will be a great opportunity to get to know our newer members!

At our "Sale Table" we'll have 25th Anniversary Cookbooks for sale (\$6), and pins for sale: our official Club pin (\$5), 25th Anniversary Quilt Show pin (\$5) and a few scissor pins (\$3). What terrific gift ideas for the person who has everything!

We're gathering information from members who chaired Quilt Show committees so we can update our Show notebook. Write down hints, suggestions, etc., from the last Show so we can utilize it next time. We'll also gladly accept Show input from anyone to help make the job easier in the future. Thanks to everyone who has already written up ideas.

The "HELP WANTED" sign is out for a member or group of members who would be willing to design and facilitate the creation of "Opportunity Quilt 2006." We need to be ready to involve members in piecing the quilt in the late winter or early spring so it'll be set for quilting by the summer or fall. Get your creative juices flowing!

The Weavers' Guild of Rochester just sent us their most recent schedule of classes. If you're interested in weaving, felting, knitting and crocheting, basketry, beading or dyeing and surface design, they may be offering just the class for you. I'll bring the newsletter to the next meeting or you can check out their website www.weaversguildofrochester.org.

Remember when the weather outside is frightful, quilting is so delightful! See you on the 13th. Trying to keep you in stitches,
Georgia

2004-2005 Membership Cards

Membership cards are ready! Dues must be paid prior to receiving your card.

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

- December 13th
(Christmas Party)
- January 24th
- February 28th
- March 28th
- April 25th
- May 23rd
(Year End Party)

REFRESHMENTS

Thank you for the November Refreshments

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| Nancy Donald | Linda Kaanana |
| Laura Wagner | Pat Ientilucci |
| Joan Bigham | Sharon |
| Manuele | |
| Vivien Terry | Pauline Wright |

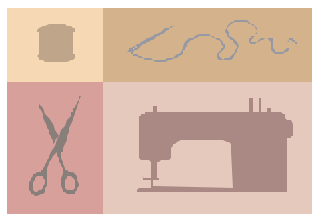
REMINDER

Annual Membership Fee of \$10 is due.

If dues are not paid by the December meeting you will be dropped from the roster.

Please remember if you change your e-mail address to let me know so I can update our records.

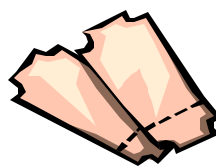
Debbie Thomas



Upcoming Quilt Nights

- Friday January 7th
- Friday February 4th
- Friday March 4th
- Friday April 1st
- Friday May 6th

Quilt Nights begin at 6:30pm. Please bring a snack or drink to pass and your latest project.



Raffle

**Winner for November
Debbie Butler won a copy of Quilts for Mantles and More and a fat quarter pack.**

Welcome to our New Members

- Mary Daswani**
- Maureen DiPiazza**
- Neelima Gokhale**
- Jan McGlynn**
- Lin Mocejunas**
- Debbie Pratt**

Quilt Club Program Calendar

**Monday December 13
Christmas party**

**Saturday January 15
Hearts Galore Workshop by Kathy Echter (9am-3pm)**

**Monday January 24
Demo Derby**

**Friday January 28-
Sunday January 30**

Retreat Weekend at Hampton Inn in Victor

**Saturday February 19
Garden Gate Workshop by Brenda McHale (9am-3pm)**

**Monday February 28
Methods of Applique – presented by members**

**Monday March 28
Garage Sale**

**Sunday April 10
Bus trip to Fayetteville to Calico Girls and Evergreen Tours**

**Monday April 25
Nomination & Election of Officers**

**Monday May 23
Year End Party, Installation of Officers**

Update from Mary Randall

I'm still reeling from the spectacular Trunk Show presentation by Betty Alderman. Each Quilt was more beautiful than the one before. What an amazing and talented artist she is!

Betty confided to me that sometimes she is not always sure how well her work will be received. What an understatement! Judging from the enthusiastic comments, I think Betty received confirmation

from our group of just how valuable her work is.

January will be a busy month for the Club. For all those who signed up for Kathy Echter's "Hearts Galore" workshop on January 15th, your \$10.00 fee is due at the December meeting. Remember that \$8.00 is due to Kathy on the day of the workshop for her pattern.

Demo Derby will take place at the January meeting. We have a nice line up of participants with various methods to show us. I will outline them at the December meeting.

Our own Brenda Mc Hale will feature a Workshop on Garden Gate, she will have a sample for us. Sign up will begin at the January meeting. Fee is \$10.00 for the class.

At the February meeting our own talented members will be showcased on various method so of Appliqué. They include: Jeanne Muhl- Hawaiian Appliqué, Jackie Root- Needle Turn Appliqué and Mimi Repp demonstrating Machine Appliqué.

The Bus trip to Fayetteville in April is almost filled so if you are considering it you must sign up soon. Cost is \$22.00 to cover Bus and Driver. Lunch or dinner is in the planning process and information will be forthcoming.

Hope you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving Holiday. See you soon.

Monthly Program Details

Monday 12/13/04

Christmas Party

NOTE: Date change

Saturday 1/15/05

Workshop: 9:00 AM-3:00 PM
Kathy Echter - Hearts Galore
You will make a paper pieced Wall Hanging in time for Valentines Day.

Monday 1/24/05

Demo Derby - We have four demos planned and room for more. Anyone interested in being a part of this should contact me.

Friday, Saturday & Sunday 1/28-1/30/05

Retreat Weekend at the Hampton Inn, Victor. Georgia has more details.

Saturday 2/19/05

Workshop: 9:00AM-3:00PM
Brenda Mc Hale - Garden Gate Project

Monday 2/28/05

Methods of Appliqué presented by IQC Members Showcase.

Monday 3/28/05

Garage Sale

Sunday 4/10/05

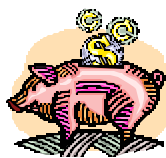
Bus Trip to Fayetteville - Calico Gals & Evergreen Tours.
Details and sign up to follow.

Monday 4/25/05

Nomination of Officers

Monday 5/23/05

Installation of Officers and Year End Party



Treasurer's

Report from Anne Burton

Balance 11/2/04 \$4,700.79

Income \$2,476.50

Membership \$ 100.00

Retreat Deposit \$ 225.00

Monthly Raffle \$ 20.00

Boutique \$ 25.00

Workshop \$ 10.00

Bus Trip \$ 22.00

Pins \$ 29.00

Cookbooks \$ 225.00

Expenses \$1,113.12

Church \$160.00

Speaker \$ 270.00

Library \$ 72.00

Newsletter \$ 85.71

Refreshments \$ 13.72

Sunshine \$ 39.87

Boutique (return to members) \$ 471.82

Balance 12/2/04 \$4,303.26

QUILT SHOW 2004

Income \$3,765.68

Quilt Raffle

Tickets \$ 1,965.00

Sewing Machine Raffle

\$ 141.00

Admissions \$ 959.00

Boutique \$ 423.68

Silent Auction \$ 277.00

Expenses \$1,614.60

Church \$100.00

Opportunity Quilt \$101.38

Ticket Paper & Copying \$ 53.97

Challenge Fabric \$17.81

Rack for Quilt \$65.00

Pins \$998.44

Set-up:

Rack Rentals \$104.00

Truck Rental \$149.00

Pizza for Workers \$25.00

Profit \$2,151.08



Upcoming Quilt

Shows

If you know of any other upcoming shows, please let us know and we will include them here!

Food Pantry

Bring your non-perishable items into any meeting. Peanut butter, macaroni and cheese, soup and tuna would be most appreciated. Thank you for your donations.



December Birthdays

Joan Sadler	Dec. 1
Christine O'Brien	Dec. 4
Mimi Repp	Dec. 4
Georgia Sadler	Dec. 5
Wendy Irwin	Dec. 7
Sue Reed	Dec. 9
Lana Wright	Dec. 9
Anne Clicquennoi	Dec. 11
Mary Miller	Dec. 13
Marsha Lee	Dec. 14
Mary Lou Fitch	Dec. 22
Nancy Fenske	Dec. 23
Liz Brown	Dec. 29

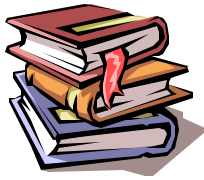
Wanted: Donations of double knit material for Brenda's caps needed and cotton for comfort quilts. Call or see Laura Wagner 723-3216 for Brenda's caps or bring the cotton for comfort quilts to the next meeting.

Can you help.....

Sue Foust is collecting store bought or Home Made Hats and Gloves for students in City Schools. I have been asked to collect what I can to be distributed before the snow flies. Anyone wishing to donate a hat or gloves can give them to Sue at the December meeting. Thanks for your help!!

Hobbs Batting UPC Labels

Remember to save your Hobbs Batting labels. We can purchase batting from Hobbs with these labels (only to be sold for charity quilts) at \$1.25 per lb. That's a lot of batting for such a great price. The rolls are huge, and well worth the effort of collecting the batting labels. Please bring your labels to the next meeting and give them to Jeanne Muhl.



From the Library Corner by Mary Lou Fitch

Let's try to start out the new year with all of the overdue books turned in. Okay? If you forget to bring them to the meeting, you can bring them to my house. A couple are still out since last May!



November meeting notes

We had our regular business meeting with updates from Treasurer, Secretary, and Committees.

Sunshine – Let Donna Goundry know of any club member that we should send a card to.

Historian – Remember to clip newspaper articles about the club and get to Linda Kaanana.

Membership – We added 5 new members tonight, and had 3 guests.

Old Business Items

Quilt Show – final breakdown of income will be in December newsletter.

Raffle ticket wrap-up – Ruth sold the winning ticket for the raffle quilt! Total ticket sales were \$1,965. Member sales generated \$1,239 of this and the balance, \$561 came from event sales.

Congratulations to Rose Scherberger who sold the most tickets and won the Quilt Cut II.

Thanks again to everyone for your help!

Please leave your feedback, good and improvement opportunities on the sheets on you table tonight. The officers will collect and review.

Quilter's Weekend – we have filled up all 27 spaces. If you are interested in going and did not get one of the spots, please sign up on the waiting list in case anyone drops out. The balance of the payment is due by January 15th.

New Business Items

Charity Czar – Thank you to Linda Kaanana for volunteering to lead this effort for the club.

Help Wanted – if you would be interested in working on designing the 2006 Quilt Show Raffle Quilt, please let Georgia know. We would like two people to work on this project.

Christmas Stockings for Iron. Food Cupboard - 75 stockings have been made as of the November meeting. We need about 25 more. If you can help, please sew one up and bring it to the December meeting. Elaine Kent also has made many mittens and scarves for this project. Thanks to all for your help!!

Hearts Galore workshop on Sat. 1/15 from 9am-4pm is full. The fee for the workshop is \$10, payable to the Iron. Quilt Club. There is also a kit fee of \$8 due at the class.

Website Update – Laurie Fromm reported that we have outgrown our “free” space on the website. Two options were presented to solve this problem. We can pay \$5 per month and double our current space, or we can pay \$9 per month and have our own domain (website address). A brief discussion of both options took place. Sharon Manuele made a motion that we spend \$9/month and have our own domain. Molly Moore seconded the motion. A show of hands passed the motion. Laurie has set up the new website address. It is:

<http://www.irondequoitquiltclub.org/index.html>

Remember to sign up for our bus trip to Calico Gals on 4/10.

Our Holiday Food Fest will take place at our December meeting. Last names beginning with A-L bring an appetizer and M-Z bring a dessert. Also if you made a challenge quilt, please bring it to the meeting so that we can display. The quilt winners from the show should also bring their quilts in for display. We will use the time at the meeting to finish those last minute Holiday projects and socialize. There will be door prize drawings each half hour, so stick around!!!

Show & Tell

Everyone has been busy finishing quilts for the show....remember to bring in your latest project to share with the group!

Program

We had a wonderful trunk show program presented by Betty Alderman. Betty has been designing quilts for the commercial market since 1992. To date she has over 100 quilt patterns published.

She shared with us many beautiful Sunbonnet Sue quilts and other whimsical theme quilts made using repro fabrics, including a paper doll quilt, a cat quilt, and a piggy bank quilt.

Betty also brought several quilts with a homey theme, including a country cottages quilt, a tea pot collection quilt, an easy chair

quilt, an apron quilt and a pitcher perfect quilt. Again many of these carried her signature use of the 9 block format.

Betty is also famous for her redwork quilting. She did not disappoint us...she also brought along several redwork quilts too.

To wrap up her presentation she shared many beautiful holiday themed quilts with us.

Judging by the interest in her patterns after the presentation, I would say Betty was a big hit!

I can't wait to see all of the quilts you have been busy making with your new patterns at upcoming show and tells!!

That's it for this month.

See you at the December 13th Meeting. Remember the meeting is one week earlier than normal due to the Christmas holiday!!

Debbie Thomas
Secretary



Happy Holidays!