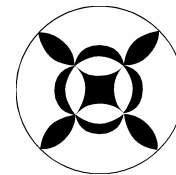


Irondequoit Quilt Club News



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January 2005

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Charity Czar

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Jeanne Muhl 336-9459

Brenda's Totes

Mary Lou Fitch 266-5283
 Natalie Cerasani 482-3858

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Brenda's Caps

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Irondequoit Community

Cupboard

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From the President

Dear Quilters,

January and the New Year provide us with a wonderful opportunity to reflect with satisfaction on 2004 and look forward with anticipation to 2005.

In retrospect we can take pride in a very successful year made possible by the tireless efforts of our members. Our membership has increased tremendously as has attendance at our monthly meetings. We hosted a variety of outstanding programs, Quilt Nights, and workshops. Our charitable outreach has touched many in our community. Our Quilt Show 2004 was spectacular!

Along with these successes come opportunities as well. The greatest challenge facing our Club is to involve more of our members in the various functions of the Club. This could easily happen through committees, officership and plain old "volunteerism". For example, Donna Goundry is stepping down after several years as "Sunshine Chairperson." This job involves mailing birthday cards to each member and other cards as appropriate. All expenses are reimbursed by the Club. Are you willing to help? If so, contact one of the Officers.

Another area where you could help is to volunteer to serve as an Officer for Sept. 2005- May 2006. Your present Officers will gladly explain what their role entails, how we've had fun, made mistakes, but most of all made many new friends. We'll appoint a "Nominating Committee" in February but you could make that unnecessary if four courageous members would step up and volunteer to lead. Are you willing to step up to the plate?

The third area we could promote is volunteering for charity projects. Linda Kaanana is selecting new projects for charitable groups in our community. Lynnora Sable-Smith has drawn us into her quilts for adolescents at Golisano Children's Center at Strong. Thanks to all who helped her at the Greece Library on Dec. 15th. Did you see Elaine Kent's picture with Lynn in the Greece Post? Lynn is also arranging for free use of Calvary Church Hall on Kuhn Rd. in Greece on one Saturday each month. We'll have more details at the meeting.

A new project we offer for your consideration is Patricia's Tsunami project: "Orphan Coverlets of Love". There are work days set up at the store Thursday, Jan 27 at 6-8, Friday, Jan. 28 10-12 or 2-4, Thursday, Feb. 17 10-2 or 2-4 or 6-8. Call 248-2362 to let them know you're coming. They're looking for coverlets (no batting, flannel or fleece) made 45" by 45" or 45" by 54" in fabrics appropriate for children. Patricia's has contacts with two Peace Corps workers in orphanages in Thailand who will be certain to get you quilt to a child in need. Our Club will work on "Orphan Coverlets of Love" at our Feb 4 Quilt Night.

In looking with anticipation to 2005 we have a couple of first ever events planned. Our Quilters' Weekend is fully booked with 27 quilters for Jan. 28-30 at the Hampton Inn in Victor. Stop out to see if it's something you might like to try sometime. Another first is our bus trip to Fayetteville on April 10. We're almost full so be sure to sign up with Mary Randall at the Jan. 24 meeting. Don't miss out!

We hope you'll enjoy the remaining workshop and Quilt Nights. These are excellent ways to get to know your fellow quilters.

Let's see more members take advantage of our Quilt Night fun!

The Club still has 25th Anniversary pins and Cookbooks for sale. Pins are \$5 and cookbooks are \$6. All my relatives who received the cookbook just loved the variety of recipes. Get yours today for yourself or for a gift.

FYI if schools in Irondequoit are closed on our meeting date due to inclement weather, our meeting will be canceled. Personally I'm enjoying the "snowless" weather and hope it lasts all winter!

See you on the 24th. Keep your sewing machine humming!

Georgia

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.

January 24th

February 28th

March 28th

April 25th

May 23rd

(Year End Party)

REFRESHMENTS

January Refreshments

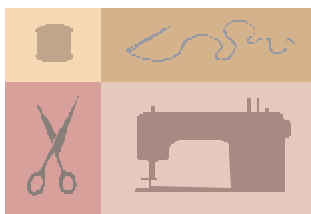
Laurie Fromm	Ann Russo
Joan Wilcox	Linda Decker
Joan Sadler	Nancy Menke
Donna German	Rose Scherberger

Welcome to our New Members

Jean Cody

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

Debbie Thomas



Upcoming Quilt Nights

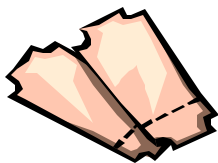
Friday February 4th

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 December

Jane Arundel won quilt rack
and some fleece.

Quilt Club Program Calendar

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

Welcome to a brand new year of exciting events taking place at Irondequoit Quilt Club.

First, don't forget the Hearts Galore Workshop with Kathy Echter on Saturday January 15, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Those of you who have signed up and paid should have received your class supply list. Bring a brown bag lunch, beverage will be provided. Also, Kathy will be collecting \$8.00 to cover the cost of her pattern. If paying by check, make payment to Kathy Echter. Kathy assures us that we will be able to complete the project at the workshop so that we can have it all ready for Valentines Day.

The annual Demo Derby will take place at the January 24th meeting. Demos planned are: Basics of Rotary Cutting, Fabric Scarf, Wielding the Wedge Ruler, 3 Dimensional Hearts, Fabric Boxes, and a new Slashed Nine Patch Block. All of these demos will be presented by our very own members, so plan to attend.

Sign up for the February 19th workshop, Garden Gate by Brenda McHale will take place at the January meeting. Supply list will be available upon receipt of payment. Fee is \$10.00 payable to Irondequoit Quilt Club. It will

take place on Saturday from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Bring a brown bag lunch, beverages will be provided.

The February meeting will feature Methods of Appliqué presented by Jeanne Much, Jackie Root, and Mimi Repp. They will demonstrate the various techniques used in the art of Appliqué.

Don't forget to go through your sewing room for articles to sell at the March meeting Garage Sale. Also, why not bring a project you are working on for an evening of fun and productivity. It will be a good opportunity to catch up on or begin something new!

There are just 5 seats remaining to be filled for the bus trip to Fayetteville on Sunday April 10th. Please reserve your space for a fun filled day visiting Calico Gals Quilt Shop in Fayetteville, Herrons Fabric Center in Fulton, and a Quilt Show taking place in Fulton. Remember, there is a \$3.00 charge to enter the show. Plans are in progress for a stop to enjoy an early dinner along the way. More details will follow in the next newsletter. Payment of \$22.00 is due at the March 28th meeting. Judy Andrychuk will be available to collect for me in my absence. Thank you Judy for helping out! We will start a waiting list if needed.

Nomination of officers will take place at the April meeting. Please be thinking about who you would like to nominate for the next slate of officers. Also, Heart and Hand Fabrics and Quilts will be featured that evening after the meeting. Kathy Wagner promises some exciting new demos for us.

Before you know it May will be here and the final meeting for the year will take place with the installation of new officers and a

party to celebrate! With such wonderful cooks and talented Quilters, it promises to be a fun evening.

Remember:

Yesterday is Past
Tomorrow is Future
So – live today for it is a Present!

How true,
Mary Randall

Monthly Program Details

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

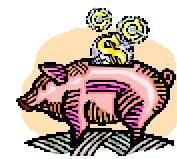
Bus Trip to Fayetteville - Calico Gals & Evergreen Tours. Details and sign up to follow.

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 12/2/04	\$4,303.26
Income	\$1,144.00
Membership	\$ 30.00
Retreat Deposit	\$ 905.00
Monthly Raffle	\$ 45.00
Pins	\$ 62.00
Cookbooks	\$ 102.00
Expenses	\$ 406.19
Church	\$ 150.00
Quilt Supplies	\$ 10.83
Quilt Show	\$ 80.00
Newsletter	\$ 37.00
Refreshments	\$ 36.51
Web Page	\$ 26.85
Retreat Refund	\$ 65.00

Balance 1/8/05 \$5,041.07

Note: Quilt Retreat Deposits = \$1,590.00



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.



January Birthdays

Melanie Popick	Jan. 3
Lorraine Enge	Jan. 6
Ann Kay Hotaling	Jan. 7
Anne Burton	Jan. 9

Lois Foley	Jan. 17
Ruth Julian	Jan. 22
Bethany Guche	Jan. 23
Natalie Depew	Jan. 28
Raisa Valletta	Jan. 28

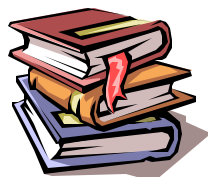
Wanted: Donations of double knit material for Brenda's caps needed and cotton for comfort quilts. Call or see Laura Wagner 723-3216 for Brenda's caps or bring the cotton for comfort quilts to the next meeting.

Comfort Quilts

Jeanne Muhl has 3 rolls of batting that is available to anyone making comfort quilts and if they need any they can contact her. Also, she will be bringing some precut batting to the January Meeting.

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 of books are out since last May!

Cancer Cap Update from Laura Wagner

Hope everyone had a wonderful holiday season.

Now that our lives have hopefully calmed down from all the hustle and bustle, we can now turn our attention to others who need our talents.

There will be a bag of pre-cut cancer cap kits available at our next regular meeting.

Each kit includes a copy of the pattern. If members each could pick up one kit at the next meeting to take home with them, sew the cap and return it the following meeting, I know that the finished caps would be greatly appreciated by the patients who need them.

Thank you to all members who have already picked up their kits and returned the completed caps.



December meeting notes

We held our annual Christmas Feast at the December meeting. There were several requests for this recipe:

CURRIED CHICKEN-RICE CASSEROLE

Made by: Jeanne Andrychuk

9x13 casserole dish
350-degree oven
Bake 45-50 min.

4 boneless chicken breast
(cut into bite size pieces)
1 cup chopped celery
1 cup chopped onion

2 cloves garlic minced
2 cups raw rice (boil as per directions but substitute chicken broth (1 can) & remainder water to cook rice.

Sauce

1 can Cream of Chicken or Mushroom or Cream of Celery soup.

¾ cup Hellmann's mayonnaise

¼ cup water 2 tsp. curry powder

1 tsp. lemon juice

Salt & pepper to taste

Sauté' celery, onion & garlic in olive oil. Then brown chicken pieces on high heat for about 2 min. stirring to brown. Place cooked rice into large bowl; add the sautéed celery, onions, garlic and chicken. Add the sauce, stir to mix.

Place into greased casserole dish and sprinkle with breadcrumbs or crushed potato chips. Bake.

Debbie Thomas
Secretary

