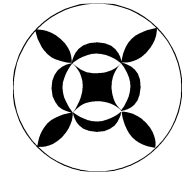


Irondequoit Quilt Club News



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March 2010

Committee Chairs and Members

Block Of The Month

Mimi Repp 342-8904

Historian

Linda Kaanana 663-6541

Librarian

Marcia Marano 227-5316
 Marlene Connelly 889-4519
 June Kanik 266-4272

Membership

Sandy Jarvis 748-9495
 Cheryl Bond 377-3232
 Lorraine Enge 225-7865

Monthly Fat Quarter Exchange

Celeste Babcock 227-0723

Monthly Raffle

Nancy Gaede 482-8957
 Kathy Russell 482-1838

Refreshments

Rene Fogarty 323-1378
 Lin Mocejunas 288-2447
 Melanie Popick 224-8531

Sew Night Coordinator

Brenda McHale 621-1751

Sunshine

Donna Goundry 671-7266

Website

Laurie Fromm 723-8669

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

Hello fellow quilters,

I hope you all enjoyed Ann Dudek and her Scrapbook Calendar Quilt. It's a great new twist on an old theme. She will have her books ready for sale at the March meeting. I'm looking forward to Pat Pauley and her "Art Quilts, Schmart Quilts..."; another quilter not afraid to create her own design.

Thanks to Sandy and Jerry Buckman from the Webster Quilt Guild who sold tickets to their show and a chance on the quilt. They have invited us to bring ours in to their meeting to sell tickets when we are ready.

We received a thank you note from Ann Savastano for our contributions of Reach to Recovery bags. Thanks to all of you who participated. Unfortunately, we did not receive any donations for the Women Helping Girls auction. I apologize for the communication glitch that made us miss the deadline. Sorry Ava.

The Opportunity Quilt was unveiled complete and quilted. It is magnificent. We wait impatiently for the name to be announced in April.

The nominating Committee is working on their list of members. Please consider volunteering for an officer position when called. We need President, Vice President and Secretary. The current officers in these positions

have put a lot of thought into whether or not to run again and made their decisions in the best interest of the club. We need officers if we want to club to continue. Whether you are a new member or have been around a while, whether or not you've ever been an officer before, please consider the opportunity when you are called.

Don't forget the RCSD (Rochester City School District) quilt project. If you can help, contact Jennifer Gkourlias at Jennifer.gkourlias@RCSDK12.org.

The meals on wheels pouches were all snatched up, thanks! Please bring them with you to the next meeting.

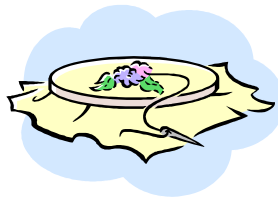
Look for a challenge from the AQSG in the newsletter. Last, please consider helping out with the pillowcase challenge. It would be great if everyone could make one or two. Let's keep the good works going!

Mission Rose gave me a call to confirm the date for our bus trip. They are very excited about our arrival and their staff is eager to work on a Sunday to help us out. Let's not disappoint!

That's it for now. See on you the 22nd!

Bev

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



Stitchers' Sew Nights

Fri April 23	6:30 - 11:00 pm
Fri, May 21	6:30 - 11:00 pm
Fri, June 18	6:30 - 11:00 pm
Fri, July 23	6:30 - 11:00 pm
Fri, Aug 20	6:30 - 11:00 pm



April Birthdays

Helen Kohut	4/8
Sherry McArthur	4/12
Helen Fee	4/14
Mary Randall	4/14
Jane Bodnar	4/16
Lin Mocejunas	4/28



Program Calendar

March 22

Pat Pauly

“Art Quilts, Schmart Quilts, What’s all the Fuss About Original Design”

April 26

Joan Hall

Antique Quilts and Mending

May 24

**End of Year Party
Install New officers**



March Refreshments

Will be provided by:

Sandy Bubel
Chris Clark
Sue Foust
Sandi Fox
Michele Gailey
Shirley Hinkley
Pat Ientilucci
Ida Lewis
Mimi Repp
Jackie Root



Treasurer Template

February 2010 Report

Bal Jan. 2010 \$6664.23

INCOME

Total Income \$0.00

EXPENSES

- Charity Projects	\$ 42.12
- Newsletter	\$ 15.55
- Quilt Show	\$320.76
- Raffle	\$132.14
- Refreshments	\$149.73
- <u>Speaker</u>	<u>\$100.00</u>

Total Expenses \$760.30

Feb 2010 Balance \$5903.93

Prepared by Kathryn Russell



Sew Nights

Sew Nights begin at 6:30pm.
Dues are \$3.00. Please bring a snack or drink to pass and your latest project.

April 9
May 7
June 4
July 9
August 6

Thanks for February refreshments goes to:

Jane Arundel
Bettie Beiter
Liz Brown
Lyz Covert
JoAnn Hanna
Helen Kohut
Sherry McArthur
Lin Mocejunas
Georgia Sadler
Mary Stevens



Monthly Raffle

The raffle for February was a “Country Summer Table Topper” in purple, green, yellow, and blue. Additionally a magnetic pin cushion and a spool of thread were given as a surprise! Our winner for February was Lorraine Enge.

Congrats, Lorraine!

The raffle for March will be a “Strips and Scraps” book by Suzanne McNeill. There will also be a jelly roll in country colors. This is a good way to use your scraps, 2½” scraps, and jelly rolls. So bring your dollars for a chance to win this great book and jelly rolls.

Stop by the membership table and get your ticket. Tickets are 3 for \$1.00

Kathy Russell

Fat Quarter Exchange

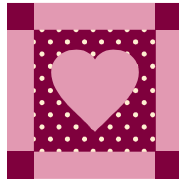
The theme for the February Fat Quarter Exchange was pinks, reds, and hearts.

We had six winners for February: Mary Randall, Shirley Hinkley, Doreen Hoy, Chris Clark, Kathy Russell, and Beth Guche!

Enjoy your fat quarters. I’m sure they will find their way into some fantastic projects!

The fat quarter theme for March will be Batiks!

Happy shopping and good luck to all!



Block of the Month

Once again this year Mimi Repp is offering us the opportunity to participate in a Block of the Month at each monthly meeting.

Mimi will have kits available for \$1.00. The kits include 1 piece of fabric and a pattern. You supply a second fabric and sew the block.

Return your completed block at the next meeting and enter your name in a drawing to win all blocks that have been returned at that meeting.

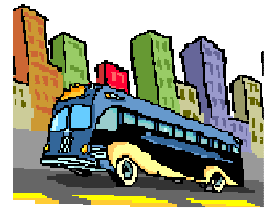
The block for January was “Indiana Puzzle”. Pat Fackelman won all of the blocks turned in at the February meeting! Congrats Pat!!

The February pattern is “Kimono”. Don’t forget to complete your block and bring it to the March meeting!



Nametags

If you have not yet received one of Georgia Sadler’s nametags, you can still sign up to get one. There is no charge! Just leave your first name on the list that Georgia has been posting at each meeting and she will have one made for! It’s just one more way that we are trying to make it easier to learn everyone’s name.



Bus Trip

The bus trip for April 18th has been finalized. We will be going to Patchwork Plus, then off to Calico Gals, and then to Mission Rose Quiltery. We will be leaving at 7:30am and arrive home about 5:30pm.

There are still seats available for you and a friend. The price is the same as last year \$30.00 for members and \$33.00 non members. Sign up at the March meeting or miss out on the fun. We will have games and great prizes.

Kathy

Meals on Wheels

Thank you to the ladies that completed the pouches for meals on wheels. There are 124 pouches this time and have 30 turned in. Make sure if you took a batch at the last meeting that you bring them to the March meeting so I can deliver them to Kim Stubbe.

Kathy

Thank You!

The club received the following Thank You note from The Shore Winds about the 40 quilts donated to the facility.

“Thank you so much for all the beautiful quilts! Our residents love them! We got lots of compliments on them throughout the facility. Thanks again for everything!

Erica Zimmer & The residents of The Shore Winds”

Quilt Getaways

Rosedale Organic Farm offers quilt getaways for groups of 4 to 8 quilters in North Rose, New York! The weekends run from Friday at noon to Sunday at noon. There are games and prizes, massages and sewing, and classes are available upon request. Pricing runs from \$195/person (for repeat quilters within one year) to \$225/person. If you visit four times in the year you get the 5th weekend free!

For more details contact the Foxenburgh-Taylors at annefoxenburgh@hotmail.com or call 585-442-7772.

AQSG Quilt Block Challenge

The American Quilt Study Group (AQSG), a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving the history of quilts and quiltmaking, is turning 30! We invite you to join the celebration by participating in a nationwide block challenge called “**30s for 30**” (see details below). For every 30 blocks received, one person’s name will be drawn to win those blocks. To learn more about AQSG and our annual Seminar, please visit our website at www.americanquiltstudygroup.org. Happy quilting!

30s for 30 Quilt Block Challenge

- Blocks must be 12-1/2” square (to finish to a 12-inch block) and made of either 1930s reproduction fabrics or vintage 1930s fabrics. Fabrics must be 100% cotton. *Please prewash/preshrink all fabrics.*
- Blocks may be any design and any color combination, in keeping with the 1930s fabrics.
- Send your blocks to the address below, along with a donation of \$3 for the first

block, and \$1 for each block thereafter sent at the same time. Block donations from groups are welcome. Any funds collected in excess of those needed to complete the project will be donated to the AQSG Endowment fund.

- The blocks will be photographed and the photos will be posted on the AQSG website, along with the maker’s name and state (or country).
- Blocks will be compiled into sets of thirty. At Seminar 2010 in Minneapolis (Oct. 14-17), we will have a drawing for the various sets. For each block that you send, your name will be entered once into the drawing. You do not need to be present to win.
- Deadline for submitting blocks is Oct. 1, 2010.

Send your blocks and payment (checks made payable to AQSG) to: **AQSG ‘30s for 30** c/o Paula Pahl, 9204 Sugarstone Circle, Highlands Ranch, CO 80130. Be sure to include your name, address and phone number.

Questions? Contact Paula at the address above or email: paulapahl@q.com; phone: 303-204-2821.

1 Million Pillowcase Challenge

Last month I told you about the One Million Pillowcase Challenge that I found on the allpeoplequilt.com web site. Here is the website that will give you answers to your questions <http://www.allpeoplequilt.com/millionpillowcases/faqs/>.

I am not sure how many quilters would like to do this, but we could do it as a group and I would collect them and send them to one of the participating stores from our Quilt club. If

every member made just one pillowcase that would be over 100 pillowcases we could send out. There are several patterns on the web site that are free and all you have to do is download them. I do have some on my computer that I could copy and pass out at the meeting if anyone is interested.

Kathy Russell



Brenda’s Totes

Please remember if you have taken a tote bag to sew that it needs to be returned, finished or unfinished, at the following months meeting.

Hobbs Batting UPC labels

Remember to save your Hobbs Batting labels. We can purchase batting from Hobbs with these labels for charity quilts at a reduced price. Please bring your labels to the next meeting and give them to Jeanne Muhl.

IQC Library

As always, please remember to bring back any books that you’ve checked out to the upcoming meeting!

The library is low on magazines. If you have any magazines that you are done with and are willing to share them with the club please turn these in to our librarian Marcia Marano.

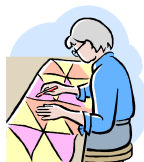
Community Cupboard

Please remember to bring your non-perishable donations for the Irondequoit Community Cupboard to any of our meetings. Everything is most appreciated.



Brenda's Caps

We need a person to chair "Brenda's Caps", a project to make caps for cancer patients undergoing chemo. There are many kits already cut and ready to be distributed. The chairperson would need to distribute kits, collect them and take them to the Cancer Society. It's a worthwhile project that we do in memory of Brenda Veisch who passed away from cancer.



Upcoming Quilt Classes

Quilting with Margaret
March/April/May Classes:

You can see samples and descriptions at her new and improved website at www.quiltingwithmargaret.com

SERIES CLASSES:

CRAZY RAYS (INT) \$45, Jackie Lynn's, Thu., 3/25 - 4/15 (no 4/8), 6:00 - 8:00pm

ONE BLOCK WONDERS (INT) \$45, Betty's Quilting Etc., Mon., 3/29 - 4/5, 6:00 - 9:00pm

FRENCH BRAID QUILT (BEG+) \$45, Jackie Lynn's, Tue., 3/30 - 4/6, 5:30 - 8:00pm

ONE-DAY CLASSES: (*Bring a sack lunch)

BAG LADY SERIES (BEG+) \$30, Jackie Lynn's 4/16, 10:00am - 3:00pm

S.A.B.L.E. CLUB (BEG+) \$30, Jackie Lynn's, Sat., 4/17, 5/15, 12:00 - 5:00pm

MARATHON RUNNERS (BEG+) \$30, Jackie Lynn's, Fri., 3/26, 4/23, 10:00am - 3:00pm

CAFFEINATED CRAFTERS (ALL) \$25/month, Scarlet Thread, Sun., 4/18, 5/16, 12:30am - 4:30pm

EVENTS & RETREATS

(*includes lunch/dinner):

QUILT GET-AWAY WEEKEND (ALL)-prices per person, Bristol Harbour, Fri.-Sun., 4/9 - 4/11/2010, Double \$399 (includes meals, hotel & class), Singles \$499 (includes meals, hotel & class)

U.F.O. PIZZA PARTY (ALL) \$40** each month, Jackie Lynn's, Sat., 2/27, 3/27, 4/24, 5/22, 10am - 4pm



Upcoming Quilt Shows

March 20 – 21: Great Lakes Seaway Trail Quilt Show & Challenge. Seaway Trail Discovery Center (Corner of Ray and West Main, Sackets Harbor, 13685). Hours: 10a – 5p both days. Admission: \$5. For more information go to www.seawaytrail.com, email Teresa@seawaytrail.com, or call Teresa Mitchell at (315) 646-1000.

May 1: Webster Quilt Guild. Webster United Methodist Church, 169 East Main Street Webster, NY. Hours: 9a – 4p.

July 9 – 11: Thumbstall Quilt Guild Show. Skaneateles High School, 49 Elizabeth St., Skaneateles, 13512. Hours: Fri & Sat 10a – 5p, Sun 12p – 4p. Admission: \$4. For more information email Monica at mthumbstall@yahoo.com.

July 18 – 29: Quilting by the Lake. Onodago Community College, Syracuse. Hours: 11:30a – 5:30p everyday, closed July 24th. Admission: \$6. "QBL offers classes, lectures, a quilt show and a merchant mall to a wide array of students with diverse interests and multiple skill levels". For more information go to www.quiltingbythelake.com or call (315) 255-1553.

If you know of any other upcoming quilt shows, please let me know!

Melissa Manney



Secretary's Scraps

Opportunity Quilt

The Quilt Show Opportunity Quilt is complete and beautifully done!! Get a good view of the quilting if you get the chance to see it up close! Names for the quilt and for the show have been selected. Details are to come. Raffle tickets will be available at the March meeting.

Don't forget to bring:

- Your Block of the Month
- Fat quarters for the Exchange
- Quilted projects for Show and Tell!! (along with a brief write-up if you want it to appear in the newsletter)

Melissa Manney

**March Newsletter items due:
April 10th**