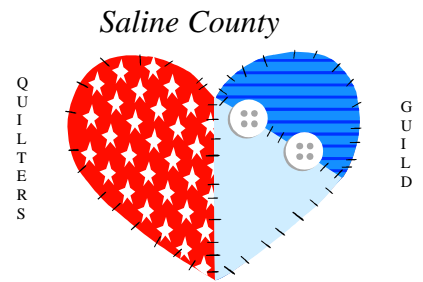


QuiltTalk



Sew Friendly

Regular Meeting – July 19, 2010
6:00 p.m.
Senior Adult Center
210 Jefferson Street, Benton, AR 72015
www.Quilttalk.org

President	Sondra Curtis	501-776-1155
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5:30 Workshop

Mystery Block #7- 6" Block Exchange-Snowbound

Hostesses for July

Sue Garrett-Shirley Miller-Suzanne Parrish-Lynda Morgan
Terrie Hawkins

Program

It's A MYSTERY!



Treasures Report

June 1-30, 2010

Submitted by Judy Huggins

Balance June 1 \$7342.41

Total Deposits 72.00

Total Disbursements 193.73

Balance April 31 \$7220.48

Deposits

Membership 30.00

Left over from Sat.

workshop 42.00

Total Deposits 72.00

Disbursements

Newsletter 61.73

Janitor 32.00

Rent 50.00

Childrens Quilts 50.00

Total Disbursements 193.73

5:30 Workshop-SNOWBOUND

Snowbound continues...Bring your things for Show and Tell. See you there.
JoAnn and Sue

Quiltaholics Anonymous

Quiltaholics Anonymous group meets at the Benton library on the first Mondays of the month.
Pat Wade

Salted Caramel Dark Chocolate Chunk Cookies

2 sticks softened butter

3/4 Cup granulated sugar

1 Cup packed light brown sugar

2 large eggs

1 1/2 Tablespoons pure vanilla

1/4 Cup burnt caramel sauce (you can use any caramel sauce here, like Smuckers)

3 3/4 Cup all purpose flour

1/2 teaspoon salt

1 1/2 teaspoons baking soda

12 oz bag mini chocolate chips

1 1/2 Cups chopped good quality chocolate

1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. In a stand or electric mixer, beat the butter and sugars until well combined. Beat in the eggs and vanilla, and swirl in the caramel sauce until well combined.

2. Place the flour, salt and baking soda into a large bowl and mix. Slowly add to wet ingredients then add the chocolate chips. Save chunks for later.

3. Place a 1/4 cup scoop of cookie dough into muffin top cups. Press down, then sprinkle with a pinch or two of sea salt then press the chocolate chunks over top. Bake for 12-15 minutes or until just golden around edges. Remove and let cool for 5 minutes before transferring to a cooling rack.

Makes 18 Large cookies

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

Now that more of our members are surfing the WEB, I would like to update my email and mail version newsletter list. There will be a sign-up sheet when you sign in at guild meeting in June. Please check your name for correct email or address and your NEWSLETTER preference. If you will not be at the July guild meeting please send your request to Tiffanee at tiff4pamperchef@sbcglobal.net or call (501-837-1129). Thanks for your cooperation!

Tiffanee Noack-Newsletter Coordinator

Saturday Workshop

Mark your calendars for August 21st. Sondra Curtis will be showing us how to make her "Snap-Purse". Make plans to attend and sign-ups will be at the July guild meeting. Jane Hammonds is still in need for volunteers to lead a Saturday workshop, so if you would like to offer your experience, please give Jane a call!

Calendar

July

Quiltaholics Anonymous
1st Wed TBA-Open
Baltimore
Kids
Guild Meeting
Kids
Applique

August

Quiltaholics Anonymous
1st Wed Shirley Miller
Baltimore
Kids
Guild Meeting
Kids
Applique

5th
7th
13th
8th
19th
22nd
31st

8th
4th
10th
12th
16th
26th
28th



Minutes of the June 21, 2010 meeting

5:30 Workshop: Fay Poe handed out the next step of the Mystery Quilt. Pam Ballentine worked on the 6" square exchange. JoAnn Thompson and Sue Richards led the Snowbound workshop.

After a snack supper, Pat Wade, 1st Vice President, opened the meeting at 7 p.m. There were 62 quilters present. The minutes of the May meeting and the Treasurer's report were approved as printed in the newsletter.

Reports:

Library – Marge Dixon: The "Faux Applique", a new library book, has disappeared. Please return if you borrowed it.

Saturday Workshops – Jane Hammond: On July 24, Linda Bennett will teach a pinecone ornament made of a styro-foam egg and ribbon for the Library Christmas tree. In August, Sondra Curtis will teach the snap bag. In September, Jane will teach colored quilt squares.

First Wednesday – Rita Rich: Cookie Brown will host 1st Wednesday in July.

Sunshine – Ida Phillips: Sondra's husband has a stalph infection in the shoulder that was operated on.

2011 Donation quilt – Beth Lane: Please sign up to help put the quilt together.

Quiltaholics Anomyous will not meet in July but will resume the 1st Monday in August at the Saline County library.

Pillowcase donations – Pat Wade: Troyetta Wright made 14 pillowcases; Pat made 12 and Sue Garrett made 2. These will be distributed to Women's Shelters and hospitalized children.

Newsletter – Tiffanee Noack asked if you can receive the newsletter by email otherwise she'll send it by postal mail.

Five doorprizes were awarded.

The Fourth of July donation blocks were distributed to the highest bidders.

Old Business: none.

New Business:

Norma Welsh introduced Beth Wynn who talked about the Hot Springs Area Guild quilt show being held in July.

Show and Tell: Six quilters showed their work. They were Beulah Wright, Sylvia Bolin, Tiffanee Noack, Jane Hammond, Charlotte Williams and Shirley Miller.

Program: Beulah Wright showed many fine quilts that she had made over her quilting career.

The meeting closed at 7:45. (and the sun was still up.!)

Respectfully submitted,

Jo Schlecht, Secretary

Greeting Quilting Friends:

We do finally have a little break in the hot temperatures and we have had several nice showers. The garden still remains to be a challenge for me, but this Susie homemaker is about ready to strike.

I did get to quilt this morning for the first time this summer and oh it was such a welcome relief. I finished a kids quilt that I had started at Sidney's, made a tote bag and have a big quilt ready to put together and start quilting after lunch.

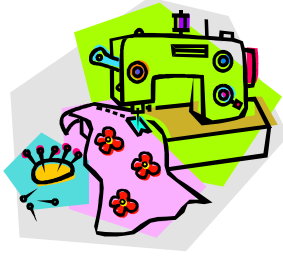
We had a real good time at Cookie's on Wednesday, we talked about the idea of doing a cook book. The food is always so very good. We not only have excellent quilters the same is true of cooks.

There seems to be so many of our group with health issues either with themselves or family members so be sure to remember them in your prayers, also please pray a very special prayer for Terri Hawkins and her family as she lost a daughter last week.

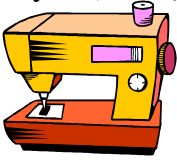
I sure hated to miss guild meeting last month. I was back home but my husband wound up back in the hospital so I had to cut my trip short. The Columbus quilt show was nice, but not worth a special trip. The same quilt won the grand prize that won in Paducah and it was something to see. I can't imagine doing that in a lifetime.

Peace & Blessings

Sondra



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Quiltsmith

Longarm Machine Quilting
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Pat's Book Review

Quilter's Academy Vol. 2 --Sophomore Year by Harriet Hargrave and Carrie Hargrave.

This is the 2nd in a series of 6 books and is new at the Saline County Library. Quilter's Academy Vol. 2 is a basic introduction to the art of quilting. The authors start at the very beginning, with the selection of supplies for quilting, and discuss everything beginners need to know about fabric preparation, cutting, piecing, basting, quilting, and finishing. There are 9 classes with easy-to-follow lessons and hands-on exercises.

The book also covers everything from maintaining your tools and cleaning your machines, lighting needs, to how to calculate the finished size of your designs. This is definitely a learning tool and not a design inspiration, I would recommend this to all beginners and for more experienced quilters the section on Designing with internal frames is very inspiring.

This book can be checked out at the Saline County Library.