



# OCEAN WAVES NEWS

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Ocean Waves Chapter  
Meets on the  
second Saturday of  
each month at 9:30 a.m. at

**Miami West Active  
Day Center  
13776 SW 8<sup>th</sup> Street  
Miami, FL**

**AUGUST:**

**Ramble Booth  
Workshop**

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Hi Happy Quilters,

Here we go again. I am trying to place a person to head the nominating committee. So far I keep getting turned down. It is not a difficult or time consuming job. You and your committee will talk to members at two meetings and make a few phone calls and that is it. Please step up and do your part.

Are you all having a good time spending your money on Judy's fabrics? From the looks of all the members around the tables you are having a great time. I can't blame you, the fabrics are beautiful. I can't wait to see the gorgeous quilts you make with all that fabric

Happy Quilting,

*Barbara*



[*Nancy Barne's* quilt from July Show & Help]

This newsletter is available online, in color and with working links, to members of Ocean Waves at the site below:

**Ocean Waves e-mail list:** [http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Ocean\\_Waves](http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Ocean_Waves)

Printed directions on how to join our Yahoo group are available at the Membership Table.

For further help, call Arlene Goldberg.



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\*\*Click on "Members Only" and log in with the password: dedaow  
to access our Newsletter and lots more pictures than we have room for in the Newsletter.

## AUGUST CALENDAR

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7	<b>Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m. at home of Barbara Frazzetto</b>
9	<b>Guild meeting begins at 9:30 a.m.</b>
18	<b>Editor's Deadline 5:00 p.m.</b> Send to Arlene Goldberg, <a href="mailto:aggoldberg@bellsouth.net">aggoldberg@bellsouth.net</a>
September 25-27	Quiltfest in Jacksonville. For more information, visit <a href="http://quiltfestjax.com/">http://quiltfestjax.com/</a>

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## HAPPY BIRTHDAY IN AUGUST TO:

- 6 Diane Wong
- 8 Beth French
- Betty Roxborough
- 14 Charlotte de Ogburn
- 16 Mary-Eve Vendryes
- 18 Linda Blakley
- 20 Bar Werner
- 24 Magella Sauve
- Hellen Ventimiglia
- 30 Brenda Mosier



## SAVE on BOOKS

You, too, can save 20% on your AQS books! Contact Ellen Sherman at 305-596-5053, write her at [esher2521@bellsouth.net](mailto:esher2521@bellsouth.net), or see her at Ocean Waves.

## CHECKLIST FOR AUGUST

- Nametag (or pay 25¢).
- Shoebox Swap box
- Blocks for Chapter Quilt
- Checkbook for Programs and door prizes
- Exchange Fabric batik (**Creams**) 2½" strips
- Refreshments (**T – Z and A - C**)
- Orphan and Basket Weave blocks to donate to Community Quilts
- Library books to return
- Cash for door prizes
- Finished Community Tops/Quilts
- Quilts for Show & Help

## PROGRAM NEWS

### *April Atlas*, 2014 VP Programming

The July 12 workshop “Strips → Tessellated Stars” was a big success with many participants exploring design variations of this simple block pattern. A Big THANKS! to Julia Scovel, Lois Erickson, and Sally Bartelt who led this large and boisterous group. We look forward to seeing students’ blocks again in attractive quilts during Show & Help.



[Photo by April Atlas]

#### **August 9: Fairchild Ramble sales workday**

Stay after the meeting to create take-home kits and produce sales items for the guild’s booth at the annual Ramble event. We will work on a variety of nice projects to sell, such as clever fabric storage and make-up bags, crib quilts, and stylish purses.

See this newsletter’s Ramble column for what to bring in addition to your sewing machine or cutting tools. Co-chairs Jennie Dautermann and Mary Ann Ericson have organized a good team of energetic Ocean Wave members, and they welcome more volunteers. The more people we have, the farther along we’ll be toward a great Ramble event November 7, 8 & 9!

During the meeting we will view the video “The Quilt Marketplace” from the PBS series “Why Quilts Matter.”

#### **September 13: The Quilters Games!**

Forget your troubles! Join in the fun! After refreshments the membership will gather into three groups for the three games, then rotate twice so each group may have opportunities to enjoy each game. Games will be Quilto Bingo, Strip Black Jack and Bunko. We have secured a

volunteer to deal Strip Black Jack Fabric strips— that is. Diane Miller’s husband Allan has agreed to deal that game for us “... in exchange for beer.” Look for **Quilters Games** details in September newsletter.

#### **October 11: White Elephant Sale**

Back by popular demand; free of charge; type of merchandise is sellers’ free choice. The sign-up for sales tables will begin at the August 9 meeting.

During the meeting will view the 25-minute video, “What is Art?” from the informative PBS series “Why Quilts Matter.”

#### **November 8: Community Quilts Production Day:**

Join in this important production session after the general meeting led by Gerry Tucker and the Monday Sewers, for a nice afternoon of teamwork for good causes and friendly socializing. Nothing is difficult to do. Quilt kits for twin size and children’s quilts will be ready. Bring your sewing machine and tools for production team-piecing, or join in to tie a pin-basted quilt.

**December** meeting notes will be announced in the September newsletter.

**Sneak Preview:** Quilt Artist Rose Hughes (<http://www.rosehughes.com>) will be our luncheon lecturer and teacher.

## HOSPITALITY

*Joan Vigil*

Thanks to those whose last names start with the letter “S” and got the last minute email in which I asked for help. I expected a low response from the list I had identified for the hospitality last month and made a quick email for help. Thanks to Mary Ann for all of the avocados she brought us. Where did they go? How did you like the avocado soup?

This next month expect more. It is the season. We will expect the people who have last names starting with letters T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z and A, B, and C to be our hospitality host at the August meeting. Light lunches are great. Sandwiches and salads are the best. We are remembering to reduce the sugar. Happy health.

Photos in this Newsletter by  
**Chauncey Barnes**  
*unless otherwise noted.*

## MEMBERSHIP NEWS

*Sharon Krutulis*

Can you believe the membership year is over half way gone? I missed you all last month. I did look up the directions for the tessellating star and I made a block. I really like the pattern, it's easy and turns out beautiful.

Sixty-two members, 1 guest and 3 new members attended the July meeting. The guest was Alice Seaver, a friend of Gloria Baker. Our newest guild members are Elisabeth (Liz) Duell-Branly, Carol LaFleur and Shirley Horton. Welcome!

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I will see you all at the August meeting. Plan to stay and work on the Ramble items the Guild will be offering for sale. After the meeting, work groups are a great time to get to know the other members of Ocean Waves.

## LIBRARY NEWS

**Janet Hodges**

July, 2014

Items Returned:	18	
Overdue Books fines:		\$ 0.00
Books/Magazines donations:		<u>.40</u>
Total		\$ .40

(Will be deposited with August sales)

Books checked out previously:	28
Checked out in July:	<u>15</u>
Total:	43

Total Library Items: 1,032

## RAMBLE PLANNING

*Jennie Dautermann*

August 9 Program: Ramble Donations Workshop

### WHAT TO BRING:

We'll be making some samples and cutting out kits to distribute in September. You're welcome to do both or either of these tasks.

### FOR SEWING UP A SAMPLE you'll need:

- Your portable sewing machine,
  - Some cutting supplies
  - Several coordinating fabric pieces of about ½ yard each or the equivalent in coordinated scraps.
  - Pins sewing machine needles
- \* we could also use a couple of irons that don't leak.

### FOR BUILDING KITS you'll need:

Cutting and measuring tools:

- Rotary cutters
- Cutting mats
- Scissors
- Quilting rulers/yard sticks / measuring tape
- Several coordinating fabric pieces of about ½ yard each or the equivalent in coordinated scraps.

### GENERAL SUPPLIES THAT WILL BE HELPFUL

- Ribbon and lace scraps ( at least a foot long )
  - Plastic zippers (min. 7"or longer in neutral or popular colors.)
  - Neutral color thread and bobbins (white, cream, light grey etc. )
  - Tracing paper and/or markers for pattern piece
  - Fusible sheets or spray.
- We'll have patterns, polyester felt and batting

WELCOME TO ALL experts and beginners alike!  
Bring your creativity and expect some snacks to keep your spirits up.

URLS where you can preview our patterns:

**Jean's baskets** (search for "DENIM FABRIC BASKETS TUTORIAL)

<http://www.threadingmyway.com/2012/06/denim-fabric-baskets-tutorial.html>

**Humbug Bag** (one piece zipper)

<http://sewlittlefabric.blogspot.com.au/2010/12/humbug-bag-how-to-insert-zipper.html>

**Humbug Bag** (two seams and one zipper)

<http://janomelife.wordpress.com/2013/12/31/part-2-how-to-sew-a-humbug-bag/>

**Humbug pencil/ruler case**

<http://madquilter.blogspot.com/2009/01/humbug-pencil-case-tutorial.html>

**Zipper makeup bag**

<http://www.sewdelicious.com.au/2013/09/scrappy-fabric-strip-zipper-pouch.html>

If you want to donate something else you've made, please talk to Jennie.

## SUNSHINE

*Phyllis Salt*

This certainly is the summer for baby girls -- Rhodi Holzberg is a first-time grandmother to a baby girl.

Lee and Norman Block's daughter presented them with premie twin girls born July 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Lois Erickson's granddaughter Kayla became a mother also in July, making Lois a very young great-grandmother.

Love and sympathy to Yvonne Emmanuelli whose mother passed away on Father's Day. She was 97 and lived in Puerto Rico.

## INSPIRATION AROUND US

*Leslie Pope*

I found this interesting flower bed in the Montreal Botanical Gardens on my recent vacation. The round purple flowers contrast with the spikey yellow-orange ones; and the large almost heart shaped leaves contrast with the narrow curved leaves of the ornamental grasses and the vertical lines of the flower stems. The varied heights of the purple flowers create a sense of movement. Once again, nature inspires.



[Photo by Leslie Pope]

## FABRIC FINDS FOR YOU

*Bar Werner*

As many of you know from the past two monthly meetings, Judy Williams, long time Ocean Waves member and prolific quilter, is preparing to move again and is seriously downsizing her fabric stash. *Judy's Moving Team* will be at the August meeting with super selection and savings. For a win-win, bring your quilter friends to Ocean Waves and offer them the opportunity to increase their fabric 'wardrobe'.

## ASIAN AVOCADO SOUP

Found online by *Joan Vigil*

2 cans (14.5 oz each) chicken broth or about 3½ cups chicken stock or bouillon  
 2 large Mexican Haas Avocados or 1 large Miami avocado or 2 - 3 cups of your frozen Miami avocado  
 1 can (13 oz) unsweetened light coconut milk or 1½ cups fresh Miami coconut milk  
 ½ cup of low fat plain yogurt  
 1 Tablespoon lime juice  
 1 tsp. green curry paste (optional-Asian)  
 1 large clove garlic, pressed  
 2 Tbsp. snipped cilantro  
 lime zest for garnish

Process all ingredients in a blender until smooth. Chill for 1 hour and serve cold with garnish. An option which I use is to add one small can of crushed tomatoes with chili and cilantro instead of the Asian curry. The Guacamole taste is more familiar in Miami.

## SMALL GROUP NEWS – The ROOKIES

*Diane Miller*

In June the Rookies got together for a Sew-A-Thon. They donated fabric, Velco & elastic for the project for Patches. The "team" stitched 43 bibs and 42 cot sheets as they chatted! It was a fun evening for a very worthwhile cause.



[Photo by Diane Miller]

Sandy S., Sandy M., Mary Jo, Beth, Nelly and I met Mimi at Patches to deliver the bibs, cot sheets, toys and coloring books (that Jean donated). We had a wonderful tour of the facility and made a quick stop at the Salvation Army then went to lunch at the White Lion.

It was heartwarming to meet one of the young ladies that received a community quilt. She smiled from ear to ear while holding it! She absolutely loves it!!!

Patches is a wonderful organization and truly appreciates our donations.

## BOOK REPORT

*Karen Dimercurio*

1. Contemporary Quilting Techniques by Pat Cairns (A modular approach.) The book takes you from thinking about a quilt, through all the stages until a quilt is on the bed or wall or even given to someone you like. Pat tells you; what you need, goes through color and design, also sewing the quilt top. She shows how she quilted as you go. She sews all the blocks and then strip quilts them together. She quilts on her machine because she doesn't like the frame. You will have a nice quilt when you finish.
2. Quick-to-Stitch Weekend Quilts and Projects by House of White Birches. This book will get you ready for, Guess What? -CHRISTMAS! Or any time you need a gift for that special someone. The book has, things to make in 8 hours: Bags, totes, throws and sweatshirts. Also, hot pads, pillow, coaster sets and bibs a little for everyone. The next section is Christmas things. It has Table toppers, Tree shirts, place mats and card holders, plus things to wear for the whole family. The last 2 sections are Quick Classics, which includes lap quilts, pillows and wall hanging. And lastly Glorious Bed Quilts. "It's never too early to start thinking about CHRISTMAS!"
3. Love to Machine Appliqué by Caroline Price. This is a good book to learn and practice new appliqué stitches. Some of them are: blind hem stitches, satin stitches and the blanket stitch. Then there is free motion, grass stitching (who would of known?) and twin needle. Caroline shows special techniques like bias tape, reverse and 3-D appliqués. She includes very good details that beginners will understand and has 9 projects to practice on. I like the first 3 projects. This book has lots of pictures - I like that, too.
4. Crazy But Pieceable by Hollie Miline. Hollie used crazy quilting technique to create a background fabric or use as a boarder for her quilts. It was enjoyable to see both ways.

What good ideas I get from reviewing all these books. Someday who knows?! I feel like I have my own free library.



[Quilt by Sally Bartelt]

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO OCEAN WAVES BYLAWS

Submitted by *Leslie Pope*

Last year, the World Quilt Show – Florida in West Palm Beach was held on the weekend in January that conflicts with our Installation Luncheon and meeting. The luncheon day was changed so that members, particularly those who work weekdays, did not have to choose between attending the Mancuso World Quilt Show - Florida (which runs through Saturday only) and the Installation luncheon. I know that I, for one, appreciated this. However, it was felt that there still needed to be a brief rudimentary meeting on the second Saturday to comply with our bylaws. The members who met on that day felt that this token meeting was not a good use of anyone's time. It would be more efficient to amend the bylaws so that if the luncheon date is shifted, the regular Chapter meeting (which is usually very brief in Jan. to accommodate the luncheon program) can shift also.

At the June Board meeting, I submitted, in writing, an amendment to the bylaws. It was approved by the Executive Board, and then by the General Board. Per the bylaws, the proposed amendment is published below.

Proposed amendment:

### ARTICLE IX MEETINGS

Section 1: The regular Chapter meeting shall be held on the second Saturday of each month at 9:30 a.m., except as follows: the regular membership meeting may be rescheduled to coincide with the Installation Luncheon by a majority vote of the General Board, for good cause.

Per the bylaws, the proposed amendment was read at the July Chapter meeting and will be read again in August. At the same meeting where the proposed amendment is read for the second time, Chapter members will vote on the proposed amendment.

## SHOE BOX SWAP

*April Atlas*



Join in the fun! **Shoebbox Swap** participants make a block and get a block. Blocks Reveal Display will be December 13.

**Shoebbox Swap** is open to Ocean Waves members and the commitment is month-to-month through November 8. See **Shoebbox Swap** articles in the April and May Newsletters for details. Have questions during the month? Call or email me 305-662-1269, [april\\_atlas@bellsouth.net](mailto:april_atlas@bellsouth.net).

## MY QUILT HISTORY

My name is Carol Grassbaugh. I was born and raised in and around rural Lorain County, Ohio. Both of my grandmothers and my mom quilted. But my mother did all kinds of sewing and other hand work. She had TB when she was in high school, so spent some time in a sanatorium and learned how to do a lot of hand work from other patients there. She also made all of my clothes until I was in high school. My mom taught me to embroider when I was in kindergarten. She saved the squares that I embroidered back then and when I became pregnant with my first son, she made them into a baby quilt, which I still have today. (I also have the baby quilt that she made me when I was born!) I began to sew when I joined 4-H at ten years of age. I was a 4-H member until I was too old to belong and then I went to work for the Ohio Cooperative Extension Service and so continued to be involved with 4-H until I married and moved to Venezuela with my husband in 1971.

While living in Venezuela, we had two sons and I spent a lot of my time making clothes for the kids and myself. And I tried my hand at making a quilt or two. But it wasn't until we moved to Miami that I really got into quilting.

When we arrived in Miami, I started volunteering at the elementary school library where my kids attended. That worked into a part-time job and some wonderful friendships with the people there. The librarian wanted a quilt made with story book characters that the kids had drawn. Since I could sew, I was in charge of putting it together. She happened to have a Singer featherweight machine that she brought to school for me to use, and I fell in love with that little machine! Thus started my search for a featherweight! My husband started to buy old sewing machines, certain each time that he had at last found the machine that I wanted. I finally found a featherweight, which he bought for me, but that didn't stop him from continuing to search for featherweights! He bought me a second one and would have continued on buying more, had I not persuaded him that I thought two were enough.

I really became interested in quilting when I discovered a Miniature Quilt magazine. (The idea of making bed size quilts was a little daunting. Especially since I had started one in Venezuela and I had not finished it when we came to Miami. Plus the bed had grown from a queen size to a king size in that time!) So in 1992, I made wall quilts for my friends at work as Christmas gifts. And then in the spring of 1993, I took a class at Quilt Scene, and found out about Ocean Waves and joined the guild. And I've been quilting ever since. I still do some other hand work and sew clothing occasionally, but most of my creative "juices" are spent quilting. I've made some wonderful friends because of this addictive hobby.

## FAIRCHILD GARDENS RAMBLE UPDATE

*Jennie Dautermann and Mary Ann Ericson*

The Ramble planning group met over refreshments at the July meeting. We explored a number of ideas together and planned for the Ramble Sewing Workshop that will be the Program that follows the August meeting. We distributed a handout of what to bring to the workshop (see below) and demonstrated some of the items we will be making or building kits for members to make.

The kits made in August will be distributed to members in September so people will have time to make them and perhaps create their own versions from materials they have at home.

Also in August we will distribute a Ramble Policy Sheet detailing donations, consignments, and quilting demos we hope to offer at the booth. Booth volunteers are still also needed (see Mary Ann Ericson to sign up).

We still need people to volunteer for the following tasks:

- Setup and tear down the booth
- Help restore setup each morning
- Offer live demos of Quilting skills
- Help prepare advertising handouts
- Lend us racks and display equipment for the booth
- Come to the August program to help make kits and items.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

*Kay Wilson, Treasurer*

Beginning Balance June 1, 2014:	
Checking	\$ 22,182.77
Petty Cash	13.19
CD	15,591.17
Income:	
Door Prizes	\$ 156.00
Library	16.10
Membership	<u>35.00</u>
Total	207.10
Expenditures:	
Donation – Sunrise	500.00
Storage Unit (annual rent)	862.12
Community Quilts	351.37
Door Prizes	<u>66.56</u>
Total	<u>(1,780.05)</u>
Net Income (Loss)	<u>\$ (1,572.95)</u>
Ending Balance, June 30, 2014:	
Checking	\$ 20,609.82
Petty Cash	13.19
CD (Matures 11/12/16)	15,825.57

## FABRIC EXCHANGE

*Lois Erickson*

**FABRIC EXCHANGE for 2014** - Beautiful Batiks!! - 100% cotton fabric. Quilt shop quality, please! Your fabric must be prewashed and pressed.

**Size: ACCURATELY cut strips 2½" by width of fabric. 1½ yards of fabric**, after having been washed, pressed and straightened, should yield enough strips. Bring your strips in a zip lock bag with your name on it. Come with one shade and go home with a wonderful mix of the color of the month. I usually do 2-3 different fabrics so I double my treasure, double my stash, double my fun!!!

### 2014 Colors (Batiks)

Aug: Creams  
 Sept: Orange  
 Nov: Pastel/Marbled  
 Oct: Light Teals / Aqua  
 Dec: Dark Pink

### 2015 (More Batiks!)

I am upping the list to 28 people and 2 yards of fabric from this year's 21 people and 1.5 yards. Everyone seems really excited about the strips each month when they come. So glad this is going over well.

Cut 28 strips, then fold them in quarters, stack them up and put them in a large gallon size zip lock bag with your name on it. Bring one pattern / print of the color for that month and go home with a **wonderful mix** of that colors just waiting for you to stroke, cuddle and dream with. Some participants purchase and cut up 6 months' worth in advance or even enough for the whole year. **SO here are the colors for 2015:** Cut this out, put this in your shopping wallet, I phone note pad or wherever so you have it with you when you on your shopping excursions or travels. Look for sales, quilt shop specials, web sites and more and let us know about them also.

February: Lime Green (a great big hit last year)  
 March: Raspberry  
 May: Yellow  
 July: Greens  
 September: Red  
 November: Purple / Violet  
 December: Light Blues  
 April: Orange  
 June: Pink (light or dark shades)  
 August: Burgundy / Maroon  
 October: Aqua

See you at the quilt shops!!  
 Lois Erickson, 305-772-4235 (c)

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 to access our Newsletter

## PROFILE – JENNIE DAUTERMANN

**"The Ramble Lady"**

*Phyllis S. Salt*

I thought we should know more about this lady who is working hard already making things for the Ramble in November. Jennie was born in Orlando, FL and has two brothers. Her parents met in Sebring, FL during World War II. She spent her growing-up years between Idaho [her father's home state] and Florida where her mother was born and raised and still lives. Jennie's brothers now live in Washington State and Oregon.

Jennie lived in Idaho from the 7<sup>th</sup> grade until she graduated and went to college. She married while in college, moved to Long Beach, CA and had two children. Gretchen lives in Miami Springs with her husband and two children, a girl 11 and boy 7. Her son Peter and family (wife and two little girls 7 and 4) are in Auckland, New Zealand.

After a divorce, Jennie returned to college and earned her Master's Degree in English and Writing. She attended both Ohio State and Perdue. She moved to Miami Springs in 2008. Her teaching career began at FIU where her subject was First Year Composition. Jennie retired from teaching this spring.

Jennie's introduction to quilting came at an early age. Her mother was a quilter and made quilts for the Missionary Society at her church in Inverness, FL. She watched the ladies tie the quilts. She started quilting after her children were born. She made simple seersucker quilts for all of her friends' babies. She graduated to making denim quilts with pockets as her children grew. When she was in grad school she didn't have much time but did make quilts for her grandchildren.

Jennie first heard about Ocean Waves at the Ramble about four years ago. She was fascinated with the variety of quilts and other quilted items at our booth. From then on she had been a big part of both Ocean Waves and the Ramble. She sets up her frame and puts a quilt on for the public to come work on. This was a big hit with Judy Millero's granddaughters last year.

Jennie's favorite part of quilting is deciding on shapes and patterns, making big bold patchwork, and watching her quilts come together. She has just discovered the Disappearing Nine Patch and made a beige quilt in that pattern. She has enjoyed making 12" crazy quilt blocks, done by hand.

Last summer Jennie had her garage turned into a quilt studio. She held Open House over Labor Day weekend. She held some classes there and has room for people to come and work on their own projects. She has had to put a hold on this recently because her mother (87) has had heart surgery. Jennie drives up to Inverness to help when needed.



# OCEAN WAVES MINUTES

July 12, 2014

9:26 a.m. Meeting called to order by Barb Frazzetto, president.

1. We now have a volunteer, Leslie Pope, for newsletter editor. Volunteer for nominating committee is pending. We are still looking for a volunteer for advertising.

2. Question presented "What is the theme for the luncheon quilt challenge? It is definitely "Ladies Day Out"

3. The 2015 Chapter Quilt is on its way to be quilted. Kudos to Laverne Greene and Anita Thompson for finishing the quilt. It will be \$150 to quilt it.

4. Chapter Quilt 2014 report. Expenses \$542. Income \$2063. Net figure \$1521. This will be used to support sewing machines for Panama.

5. Diane Miller covering membership today. New members Shirley Horton, Elizabeth Duell-Branly and Carol LaFleur. Guest Alice Seybu.

6. April Atlas reported on upcoming programs – October- White Elephant Sale, sign up will be in August; September- "Quilter Games"(quilter BINGO, Bunko, and Blackjack) We are looking for a Blackjack dealer.; August-Ramble workshop- kits and fabric available or members can bring fabric. Ramble planning will be after lunch today. (May sign up with Mary Ann today for August and volunteering at Ramble booth and/or demos on Nov.7,8, or 9)

7. Ellen Sherman - AQS catalogues are available now with fabric and books at reduced rate. Please use Ellen's order forms.

8. Bar Werner announced that 15 paper newsletters were mailed this past month.

9. Phyllis Salt - Sunshine announcements were Rhodi Holsberg is a first time grandmother with a new granddaughter; Lee Block has new twin granddaughters; Yvonne Emmanuelli mother died at age 97; Lois Erickson has a new great grandchild.

10. Deda Maldonado – announced she is escorting a group of Brazilian quilters on a quilting cruise to the Caribbean Jan. 10-17th. Anyone wishing to join should contact Deda (classes will be available in English). Deda also wanted to remind all about Cowboy Day at Fruit and Spice Park on July 26th. There will be a quilt display in the classroom behind Mango Café from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

11. Leslie Pope read the new amendment to the by-laws in regard to be able to change the date of the general meetings if in conflict. This is the first official reading.

12. Yvonne Emmanuelli's luncheon group making yo-yo's...lots of yo-yos

13. Lois Erickson announced the opening of "Kari Kreates" at 14865 South Dixie Highway offering "one of a kind, handcrafted and artistic pieces." Sewing and crafting instructional classes available. Lois encourages all to come to the class after today's lunch and to continue with the fabric exchange this year and next.

3. Sandy Smith

4. Jennie Dautermann

5. Yvonne Emmanuelli

6. Pat Greene

Bonus Jennie Dautermann

50/50 Cathie Viar

Lois Erickson – humor

**Linda Lever** – Secretary

Show & Help:

1. Joan Vigil – Pink Rag quilt for donation to police department; Bereavement quilts with pockets; Red, White and Blue quilt for Fisher house.

2. Phyllis Salt – Baby quilt in pinks; Yellow Brick road quilt

3. Nancy Barnes – quilt in a) turquoises; b) pink baby quilt; c) jewel box quilt; d) orange and white star; e) pink star; f) blue twists; g) turquoise, purple and teal scrap quilt; h) Log cabin in golds and blues

4. Pat Cantwell – a) scrap wheel in roses; b) multicolor scrap; c) scrap in diagonal stripes; d) multicolor squares.

5. Sally Bartelt – large quilt made from scraps both front and back in brown, golds and oranges.

6. Charlene Wilson – a) 30's fabric in pastels in king size with sage green border; b) Multicolor scrap churn dash variation; c) a quilt kit small squares all nine patch.

7. Carol Grassbaugh – small multicolor quilt with black and white borders.

8. Flo Dence – a) green border sunflower squares; b) 1910 antique quilt in Ohio Star with 81 squares, multicolor, hand pieced and hand quilted.

9. Judy Millero – Fishing motif quilt from We Care Quilters.



Door Prizes:

1. Priscila Brine

2. Linda Fayant



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