

Mississippi Valley Quilters Guild

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Calendar 2011

President's Message

September 6

7 pm—Combined Meeting, Moline. CARPOOL!

September 11

6:30 pm—Board Meeting, Butterworth Center, Orchid Room

September 8

9 am - Charity Tie Day, Deere-Wiman Carriage House, Moline

September 20

6:30 pm Program Meeting, Butterworth Center in Orchid Room

Guild challenge is due at September meeting.
Bring your "updated block" (24" x 24" or less).

MADISON BUS TRIP REMINDERS

*Bev Hoy 563/391-8685
Fran Borhart 309/791-0029*

- The bus departs from Tri-State Tours, 530 W. 76th St., Davenport, at **6:00 am, Friday, Sep 9, 2011.**
- You'll receive your admission ticket enroute to Madison.
- There'll be door prizes thanks to generous contributors.
- If you have to cancel, please let Fran or Bev know right away. There is a waiting list.
- We plan breakfast and dinner stops.

TIME TO RENEW GUILD MEMBERSHIPS

The Membership Chairman is collecting dues for the 2011–2012 guild year. A Membership form has been included in this newsletter for your convenience in filling it out ahead of time. Dues are \$25.00 per year and are payable through **September meeting** (September 6) to have your name in the Guild Directory.

Hello Quilters!

Thank you all for voting for your new 2010-2011 MVQG Board of Directors. We appreciate your support. Your new board is a mix of experienced board members and members new to the board all of whom will work to make the MVQG the positive and fun organization we all enjoy being a part of.

The MVQG is an organization built by volunteers. All of us in the guild are volunteers from the Board of Directors to Committee Chair and committee members to guild members who show their quilts at Show and Tell. There is something very satisfying about being a member of a team working toward a common goal.

And FYI - I still have a full time job because my 401K and Medicare do not allow me to retire just yet! So, the Afternoon Guild Meetings will be conducted by the very capable Fran Borhart, Vice-President.

Again, thank you for your support.

Piece be with you,
Dorine Donaubaauer, President

PROGRAM NOTES

Wendy Canada 517/605-9101
or email: wkcanada@hotmail.com

October Program—Pat Speth (www.patspeth.com) will be doing a brand new lecture on "Exploring Quilt Settings". This lecture will include at least 25 quilts from her collection and a live demonstration of auditioning different setting options.

She'll be teaching **Sunday, Oct 2nd** 9am-3pm, "1/2 square triangles & 4 patches" there are 15 different quilts you can make with this technique.

Monday, Oct. 3rd 9am-3pm "Combination Units" with 6 quilts to choose from.

Pat is offering MVQG members that have a Nickel Quilt UFO and do not want to start a new project a chance to sign up for either workshop to work on it. She'll be available to help you with any questions you might have to finish that UFO.

November Program—Carol Brooks, our speaker will be teaching classes on Saturday November 5th and Sunday November 6th. Saturday's class is "In the shadow feathered vest" which is 6 hrs and Sunday she's be teaching two different 3 hr technique classes. They are "In the shadow feathered heart" and "Knife edge piped binding". This could and would look great

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

1983 – 1986 – None
1986 – 1987 Bev Salmonson
1987 – 1988 Beulah Spaulding
1988 – 1989 Joan Willaims & Joan Pritzlaff
1989 – 1990 Rose Marie Pauwells
1990 – 1991 Maureen Carlson
1991 – 1992 Ruth Southerland
1992 – 1993 Peggy Crayne & Mary Wigant
1993 – 1994 Claire Broders
1994 – 1995 Kathryn Bredberg & Paula Young
1995 – 1996 Sheila Jackson
1996 – 1997 Kathleen McCunn
1997 – 1998 Sharon Davis
1998 – 1999 Colleen Curry
1999 – 2000 Kathy Zimmerman
2000 – 2001 JoAnn Love & Pauline Hartung
2001 – 2002 Pam Fredericksen
2002 – 2003 Judy Helms
2003 – 2004 Carol Herington
2004 – 2005 Mary Rose De Coster
2005 – 2006 Pam Hillyer
2006 – 2007 Sue (Henrichs) Kirk
2007 – 2008 Margret Paulos
2008 – 2009 Donna Lanman
2009 – 2010 June LeBow
2010—2011 To be announced

SATURDAY WORKSHOPS

SEPTEMBER—NEW YORK BEAUTY WORKSHOP

Saturday, September 24, 9 am
Butterworth Garage, corner 7th St. & 12th Ave.

Come and learn to piece the New York Beauty block with freezer paper. You will also learn curved piecing. It's not hard as you may think. Sign up at guild meeting or call Kathy Sims at 309-464-5344. Fee: \$15.

A New Quilt Series on WQPT

Dorine Donaubaer (309) 762-1292

molinedorine@yahoo.com

Why Quilts Matter: History, Art and Politics is a new quilt show on WQPT. The first episode of the 9 week series is Sunday October 16th at 4:00PM. The series runs for 9 episodes then WQPT will repeat the series. Also, each weekly episode will air sometime during WQPT's overnite programming. To view trailers for this new series go to www.whyquiltsmatter.org.

This looks like a really good, informative quilt series. The MVQG is proud to be a sponsor of Why Quilts Matter.

2012 MVQG BOARD

President—Dorine Donaubaer

Vice-president—Susie Goodley

Secretary—Doris Mack

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Newsletter—Faye Kunz

Historian—Gloria Kloos

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Member-at-Large— Marlis Beechamp

Member-at-Large— Sue Thompson

Thank you to all who said yes and thank you to those that felt they could not do it at this time. I am sure they would have volunteered if they could.

Nominating Chairperson Phyllis Myers

MVQG COOKBOOK

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(309) 762-1292

The September Combined Guild Meeting is your LAST CHANCE to order a cookbook at the reduced price of \$18. After that the regular price will be \$20.

The MVQG is reprinting our popular Cooking with Quilters cookbook! Beginning with the June meetings and ending with the September meeting, Sandy Thompson and Bonnie Wetteland will be taking preprinting orders for Cooking with Quilters. Cost of the preprint order is \$18. Payment is due at time of order. Cost of the cookbook after printing will be \$20. Both prices include sales tax. These prices are an increase from the previous cookbook price. That is because the price of paper has increased since the original 2003/2004 printings and because we are ordering a smaller quantity of books which increases the publisher's printing costs. Distribution of the cookbooks will start at the November meetings.

Just think of all the loved ones you can give a cookbook to. Yourself, your children, your friends, your friend's children, your relatives, the list is endless.

2012 QUILT SHOW MEETING

Bev Hoy 563-391-8685
Susie Goodley 309/786-7229
Kathee Secor 309/234-5208

Since the Ricky Tims Seminar was such a resounding success, let's build on that positive momentum for the 2012 Quilt Show.

Our first meeting is **Thursday, September 29, 2011 at La-Z-Boy Furniture, 4775 Elmore Ave., Davenport starting at 6:30 and ending at 8:30 pm.**

Any Guild member is welcome to attend; committee chairs are highly encouraged to be present!

Magazine Subscription Offer

Doris Mack
(563) 332-6054

Dorine Donaubauer
(309) 762-1292

Fons and Porter's "Love of Quilting" magazine is again offering quilt guilds the special price of \$15 on a one year subscription for either a new subscription or a renewal. As a bonus, subscribers will also receive 3 free spools of Sulky thread and 2 quilting booklets, *Fons & Porter's Best Scrap Quilts* and *Top 10 Quilt Gifts*. This special offer expires in December.

See Doris Mack or Dorine Donaubauer to sign up for as many subscriptions as you want. Payment is due at sign up. Wouldn't these make thoughtful any occasion gifts for your quilting friends?

WOO HOO !! Ricky Tims Seminar a Huge Success!!

Dorine Donaubauer (309) 762-1292

Woo Hoo! The Ricky Tims Seminar in Bettendorf was a huge success! Approximately 430 quilters from around the Midwest and the world (one person came from Egypt) attended the 3 day seminar. Everyone there was friendly and smiling. Not one complaint did we hear. And all the comments on Facebook were very positive.

So, a big hats off to Christi Fortner, Chair and her team of co-leaders - Nancy Boyer, Stephanie Rabe, Wendy Canada, Pat Morrison and Hope Schroeder (sorry if I missed anyone) for a job very well done! They persevered so that the Ricky Tims Super Seminar went off as planned.

And a big thank you to all of the MVQG Volunteers who worked so hard at the seminar. The 35 volunteers gave a total of 1330 hours of their time.

Also, a huge thank you to Adele Forest and her creative group of designers/quilters who made a spectacular Raffle

Quilt. Ricky was very impressed by the design and workmanship.

Cindy Hoste and her promotions team did a wonderful job of selling the Raffle Quilt. They traveled to points north, south, east and west to sell raffle tickets. Thank you for your efforts. And thank you to all of the Guild members who sold raffle tickets. (Isn't it great that the quilt was won by one of our own?)

Through all of your efforts the coffers of the MVQG have increased by approximately \$6400 - Ricky presented the MVQG with a donation of \$3000 at the seminar for all of our hard work behalf the Tims organization prior to the seminar and the Raffle Quilt brought in approximately \$3400.

Volunteers - you have all done the MVQG proud. WOO HOO!

Mark your calendar.....

Here's what's going on in **September**. If you have any questions about any of these events, please call the contact person shown in the body of this Newsletter.

9/6	7 pm	MVQG Meeting, First Congregational Church, Moline
9/7	12:30 pm	EQ Club, Eastern Branch Davenport Library
9/8	9 am	Charity Quilts, Deere Wiman Carriage House, Moline
9/13	1 pm	Fiber Arts Group, Fairmount Street Branch Library, Davenport
9/13	6:30 pm	MVQG Board Meeting, Butterworth Center, Orchid Room, Moline
9/15	9 am	Quilt Queens, St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Davenport
9/16 & 17	9:30 am	Library Sit & Sew, Fairmount Street Branch, Davenport
9/20	9 am	Shakespeare Stitchers, Butterworth Garage, Moline
9/20	8 am	Doll Quilts, Deere-Wiman Carriage House, Moline
9/20	6:30 pm	Program Meeting, Butterworth Center in Orchid room, Moline
9/30, 10/1, 2, & 3	8 am	Quilt Get Away, Deere-Wiman Carriage House, Moline

Quilt Sales Opportunity

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DOLL QUILTS

Margaret Paulos 563/323-5745

Members of the MVQG have been invited to sell their hand-made quilts and quilt related items at a craft store this coming holiday season. The store at Northpark Mall is called Created in Iowa & Friends (LLC) and will be located between VonMaur's and Sears. It will be open 7 days a week during mall hours from November 7h thru December30, 2011.

There are 2 options for individuals to participate -

Option 1: Set up Fee - \$75. That cost would be divided among those from the guild who wish to sell their items.

Commission: the store takes a 15% commission for each item sold (like our Quilt Show Boutique). Work: as a group, those from the MVQG are responsible for working in the store for 72 hours between November 7th and December 30th. So, if 6 people wish to sell their goods they each must work 12 hours during that time. If 12 members want to sell their items, they each must work 6 hours.

Option 2: Set up Fee: \$100. Cost to be divided among MVQG participants.

Commission: 30%

Work: No work.

If you are interested in selling your quilts or quilt related items at this store please contact Dorine at the above phone/e-mail by September 10th so that I can let the organizers know if guild members are going to participate.

We meet on the third Tuesday of the month. Next meeting, **Tuesday, September 20**, doors open **8 a.m. at Deere Wiman Carriage House**. Bring your sewing kit and a sack lunch and join us.

As of now, the doll quilt count is around 400 and we are aiming for 1300! This is for the Head Start program for the whole Quad Cities, and like the "sorcerer's apprentice, this is a larger number this year. That seems like an overwhelming number, but think of it child by child and realize how precious a gift it is for children to receive a homemade gift that is not plastic. Perhaps the only non commercial gift they receive.

So please, make what you can, come to the doll quilt workday, if only to pick up fabric, say hello and cheer us on the 3rd Tuesdays, Sept, Oct, Nov.

Kits will be available at all meetings, can turn finished ones in thru Dec.

There will also be fabric available at the Quilt Getaways at the Deere Wiman Carriage House....check those dates elsewhere in the newsletter.

Huge Fabric Sale

August 26—Noon to 5 pm
August 27—8 am to 4 pm

Hamlet Hall, 10 miles north of Aledo on Route 94

Phyllis Attig, a prolific quilter, has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's Disease and is no longer able to enjoy quilting. There are more than 2,000 pieces of fabric, quilting kits, magazines, patterns, books, rulers & quilting supplies. Contact Dawn Lloyd for more information (309) 371-3451

Community Education

Stephanie De Pasquale-Soebbing

The Mississippi Valley Quilters Guild will design a tree for the Festival of Trees fundraiser this fall. The tree's theme will be "Tree of Light." Please consider making a 4- to 6-inch textile ornament with a star theme. Please use bright colors, but not childrens' prints, to fit the "Tree of Light" theme. Any construction method may be used, such as, fabric origami, crochet or miniature quilt blocks. Please give your completed ornaments to Stephanie De Pasquale-Soebbing by the November Guild meeting.

Regular & Ongoing Groups

FIBER ARTS GROUP

Colleen Curry
563/285-1305 or 563/340-4453
cocu@qconline.com

This group meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the Fairmount Branch of the Davenport Public Library. The meeting starts at 1 p.m. Along with an extensive show and tell and Q&A session, we will try to have various demos pertinent to fiber arts. Come join these ladies and the other fun-loving and talented members of this group!



CHARITY QUILTS

Donna & Garry Lanman 563/323-9539

Charity Tie Day is held the second Thursday of the month. This month it will be held **Thursday, September 8, 2011, 9 to 3** at the Deere-Wiman Carriage House in Moline. Please bring a sack lunch.

Bring your sewing machine if you want to sew or we have other jobs such as cutting or tying. We have some new patterns to use. Pizza Box kits are available at Guild Meetings. Come and join us for an hour or the whole day.

DAVENPORT LIBRARY SIT-N-SEW

Sharon Maroney 563/381-1115
Gloria Kloos 309/762-9616

This Sit-n-Sew is open to all Guild members and held at the Davenport Public Library on Fairmount Street, from 9:30 am until 5:15 pm (unless otherwise noted). Hope to see you all at Guild Meetings, Quilt Get Away, Charity Quilt Day, Doll Quilts, Community Education Events, Home of the Brave, Fiber Arts, Next Generation Quilters, Shakespeare Stitchers, Saturday Workshops, and Quilt Queens

Sept. 16 & 17—Large room with access to kitchen
October 14 15—Large room with access to kitchen
(I know this is the fall retreat weekend—but not every one will be at retreat.)



EQ CLUB

Carol Baldry 563/386-3667—cabald@q.com

We are meeting on the first Wednesday of the month. A room has been reserved **from 12:00-3:30 pm. We will meet at the NEW Eastern Avenue Branch of the Davenport Public Library in Room A.** The address is 6000 Eastern Avenue. Hope to see you there. If you are just interested in seeing how EQ works, join us. If you have EQ and questions, join us. If you also have a laptop, bring it and join us. You will have uninterrupted time to work on discovering how the program works. If you have any questions, contact Carol Baldry.



SHAKESPEARE STITCHERS

Pam Hillyer 563/441-0038

This group meets on the third Tuesday of each month from 9 am to 3 pm at the Butterworth Garage. We work on our own projects so you must bring everything you will need. Any guild member is welcome to join us. Bring your sewing machine or handwork. This is a great facility to mark or baste quilts with the large tables available.



QUILT QUEENS

Marlis Beechamp 309/797-6267
Bev Hoy 563/391-8685
Linda Johnston 309/787-7356

This Sit-n-Sew group meets every third Thursday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. Mark Lutheran Church, 2363 W. 3rd Street in Davenport. (No steps—just take the elevator to Luther Hall.) All Guild members are welcome and there's lots of space and elevated tables to work on those cutting, marking or basting projects. Coffee, irons and boards are provided. Just bring your lunch and enjoy the day!

QUILT GETAWAY

Sharon Maroney, 563/381-1115
Gloria Kloos 309/762-9616

If you have projects to finish—Quilt Getaway is the place for you. The Deere Wiman Carriage House, 1105 8th Street, Moline, is open to us from 8 am to 10 pm (unless otherwise noted). You can come and stay all day or leave your things and come and go as you like. This is a great way to get to know other guild members, learn from each other, and finish up those projects. There is a microwave and refrigerator available. You may want to bring a light and an extension cord. Quilt Getaways are open to all guild members. We'd love for you to join us!

2011 Dates

Sept. 30, Oct. 1, 2, & 3 **On all Mondays we need to leave at 3 pm**
Nov. 4, 5, 6, & 7

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Please join us for

LUNCH WITH JENNIFER CHIAVERINI

author of the New York Times Bestselling **Elm Creek Quilts** series.

The much anticipated book, *The Wedding Quilt* celebrates the tradition and sisterhood of Elm Creek Manor as Sarah McClure prepares for her daughter's wedding day.

Hosted at The Radisson Hotel, Davenport, Iowa, on **November 7th**. Doors open at 11:30 (cash bar available) with luncheon at 12:00pm. Following the luncheon there will be a presentation as part of the book tour for her new novel, *The Wedding Quilt*.

Tickets are available by calling 563-324-1410 - ask for Jody if you have any questions.

Reservation information:

Early bird pricing due by Oct 1st - \$20 per person

Regular pricing after October 1st - \$25 per person

Deadline for reservations is November 4th.

Books will be available for sale and signing.

This event is made possible by a grant from Scott County Regional Authority and sponsored by The Midwest Writing Center

Quilt shows

Quilting Treasures

Presented by Geneseo Park District Community Quilters

Geneseo Middle School

303 E. Ogden Ave., Geneseo, IL

September 17—9am to 4pm

September 18—10am to 3pm

\$5 admission/children under 12 free
Quilt Raffle, Bed Turning, Quilt Appraising (Sunday),
Vendor's Mall, Lunch Stand, Silent Auction,
Scissors Sharpening (Saturday)

More Information contact Cindi (309) 944-2904
cathelyn@geneseo.net or geneseoparkdistrict.org

The Gems of the Prairie Quiltes invite you to:

Autumn Gems Quilt Show 2011

Avanti's Dome, 3401 Griffin Ave., Pekin, IL

September 24 - 10am to 5 pm

September 25—10am to 4 pm

\$6 admission/children under 12 \$1, 2 day pass \$10
Appraisals * Bed Turning * Boutique * Classes *
Demonstrations * Food * Free Parking * Raffle Quilt *
Silent Auction * Vendors * Viewers' Choice

More information at www.gemsoftheprairie.com

1ST MONMOUTH QUILT SHOW

Saturday, September 17, 2011

10am to 2pm

Monmouth First United Methodist Church
221 East Broadway, Monmouth, IL 61462

\$5.00/admission , \$3.00/Seniors, Free/children 6 & under
Concessions. Vendors and Quilt Guilds may rent table to
sell or raffle quilts or quilting items for \$30.00.

Questions call Stephanie, [\(309\) 734-5419](tel:3097345419)



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AUGUST BOARD MEETING

Sally Smothers 563/386-0592

MASS E-MAIL SERVICES: Following discussion, Susan Thompson moved and Faye Kunz seconded that we go ahead with Constant Contact for Mass e-mail Services at a cost of \$20 per month for 12 months so that we get a 30% discount making the yearly cost \$168. Motion carried.

SPONSORSHIP OF WQPT PROGRAMMING: Following discussion, Faye Kunz moved the Guild sponsor "Why Quilts Matter" on WQPT at a cost of \$500 which is to come out of Program funds. Wendy Canada seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

MEETING STATISTICS

Marlis Beechamp 309/797-6267
Susan Thompson 309/793-5070

AFTERNOON

Members: 145
New Members 3
Guests: 4

Nametag Winners: Susie Goodley, Gaycha Mayhew, Debbie Schladt, Deb Spencer, Maggie Kraehling, Dorothy Link, Elsie Kerschietter, Helen Popp, Nancy Frank

EVENING

Members 84
New Members 1
Guests 4

Nametag Winners: Nancy Duvall, MaryBeth Anderson, Donna Lanman, Joni Redman, Debbie Barlow, Rosie Beard

Block-to-Raffle

June Knuth 563/391-6627 - june.knuth@mchsi.com
Connie Jurgs 563/386-2876 - con@seajayquilting.com

Explanation of Block Exchange

The Block Exchange consists of a packet available for a minimum charge. The packet has fabric pieces supplied and the pattern instruction for the block. Quilters who want to take part in the Block-to-Raffle, purchase a packet and assemble the block using their fabric for the remaining pieces in whatever fabric prints are suggested. The month of the drawing, everyone has their completed packets returned and a drawing is held among the participants. There's usually enough block to have 3 winners at each of the meeting. The cost is \$.25 per block or five (5) blocks for \$1.

4-Patch Spool Block

Guild members supply: qty 8 of 2 7/8" squares (A) and qty 4 of 2.5" X 6.5" rectangle (C) of your choice of medium colors. Use same fabric for each kit.

Guild supplies: qty 8 of 2 7/8" squares (A) and qty 8 of 2.5" squares (B)

Place 2 7/8" square supplied on members 2 7/8" square.

Draw a line from one corner to the opposite corner.

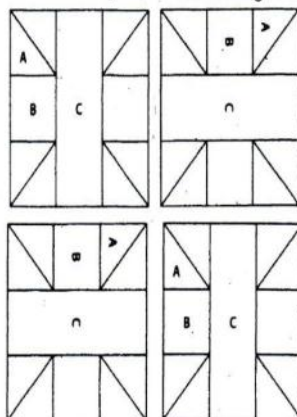
Sew 1/4" away on each side of drawn line.

Cut on solid line, open and press.



Press seams open, & trim to 2.5" square.

Sew pieces as shown in diagram below.



4-Patch Spool Block

It has been a busy and hot summer so the 4-Patch Spool Block will be Extended & For Sale also at the September & October Meetings and Due Back at November Meetings.

Guild members supply: qty 8 of 2 7/8" squares (A) and qty 4 of 2.5" X 6.5" rectangle (C) of your choice of medium colors. Use same fabric for each kit.

Guild supplies qty 8 of 2 7/8" squares (A) and qty 8 of 2.5" squares (B) Watch close for fabrics supplied, close in size.

Place 2 7/8" square supplied on members 2 7/8" square. Draw a line from 1 corner to the opposite corner. Sew 1/4" away on each side of drawn line, open, and press. Press seams open & trim to 2.5" square. Sea pieces as shown in diagram.

"You still have a chance to win!"

BLOCKS TO BE TURNED IN AT DECEMBER 2011 MEETINGS or before.

Any Block to Raffle Blocks that didn't get turned in, please turn in for a special drawing in the near future. All orphan blocks turned in will be made into Sampler Block Kits, if you don't have the pink slips any longer, add your name on a piece of paper & attach to each block and the meeting you want your name drawn from. These can be orphan blocks before June Knuth and Connie Jurgs have been doing the Block to Raffle.

Winners at the August Meeting for the 9-Patch blocks were: 1pm meeting: Vicky Allison, JoAnn Pilgrim, & Pat Robert won 2 kits & donated 1 of her kits to Charity 7pm meeting: Helen Beeler, Loann Love won 3 kits Congratulations to the winners!

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Lone Star Class

Is officially scheduled for
September 26, 2011 12 pm & 6 pm
Redeemer Lutheran Church
1107 Tanglefoot Lane, Davenport, IA

Any questions please call Donna or Garry Lanman,
(563) 755-0894

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Photos: webshots.com/user/seajayquilting

TIME TO RENEW GUILD MEMBERSHIPS

Thank you to all who have renewed their membership already. I want to thank so many of you who have used the form enclosed in the newsletter and have either mailed it in or brought it to the meeting **all filled out**. The process has gone much smoother this year. I wanted to let you know your efforts are appreciated!

And, you are not too late, your renewal will be appreciated at the September Guild meetings also.

Thank you!
Marilyn Morley, Membership Chair

Pink Pajama Party

All proceeds to *Stylin' Against Breast Cancer*
Friday, October 7, 2011

Hotel Blackhawk, 200 E. 3rd St. Davenport, IA
5 pm Registration & Cocktails
7 pm Sit-down Dinner
Silent Auction, Raffles, Entertainment, Games
\$40 Limited Seating—reservations by 9-15
Checks payable to Pink Pajama Party
% Queens Parlor 171 19 Ave. Moline, IL 61265

Contact Sara Detweiler 309/235-3530
for a seat at the "Quilters' Table"

A "Special Pink Pajama Quilt" will be auctioned off.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

Pat Robert 309/797-5734

July Treasurer's Report August 1, 2011

Checking Account Balance 7/1/11		\$7,426.85
Receipts:		
Cookbooks	\$560.00	
Guests Fees	\$25.00	
Newsletter Ads	\$20.00	
Membership Dues	\$1,475.00	
Raffle Tickets	\$785.00	
RTQS	\$3,042.00	
SUB TOTAL	\$5,907.00	\$13,333.85

Disbursements:		
Admin - Room Expense	\$100.00	
Newsletter--Postage	\$50.00	
SUB TOTAL	\$150.00	

Checking Account Balance 7/31/11 **\$13,183.85**

PO Surplus	\$125.00
9 Month CD - Reserve for FY11/12	\$6,000.00
QCBT Business Money Market	\$19,856.95
Interest on MM	\$0.16
Money Market Balance	\$19,857.11

Grand Total of MVQG Assets: **\$39,165.96**

Pat Robert, Treasurer



The Quilt Basket

Long Arm Quilting, Fabric & Quilting Supplies

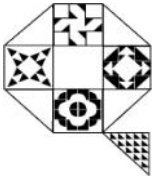
627 Avenue of the Cities
East Moline, IL 61244
Phone: 309.755.9750
Store Hours:
M/W: 9:30 - 9:00
T/Th/F: 9:30 - 5:00
Sat: 9:30 - 4:00

Fat Quarter Tuesdays
Every Tuesday, buy 4
get 1 free!

Ann Filiatreau
Owner

We want to thank everyone for participating in the stockings for soldiers, if you have stockings to drop off please drop them off at the store by Monday October 3. They will be shipped out starting in October.

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September 2011 Newsletter

Our Mission:

Organized in 1983 to educate and encourage members in the quilting arts; to encourage high standards in color, design, and construction of the quilted medium, and to stimulate interest in quilting in the community.

Our web address: <http://www.mvqg.org>

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Member-at-Large	Susan Thompson	(309) 793-5070

The Mississippi Valley Quilters Guild is a non-profit organization open to anyone interested in quilts or quilting. Monthly meetings are 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the First Congregational Church, 2201 7th Avenue, Moline, Illinois. Guests are welcome. A \$5 fee is charged to guests at meetings with featured speakers. \$25 yearly dues are renewable in September.

Have a question about receiving your Newsletter or need to change your address information?

Contact: Marilyn Morley at (309) 762-5103

Have a question about Newsletter content?

Contact: Faye Kunz (563) 323-3593

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Contributions to the Newsletter are welcome. Articles and ads are due no later than the second Tuesday of each month.

All contributions must be accompanied by the name and phone number of the author.

To submit an article, send an email message to Gloria Kloos at gkloos@att.net. Text files are accepted. If you prefer, a hard copy is also acceptable. Hard copies are to be placed in the President's Box in the "Newsletter" section.

Newsletter Advertising Rates

Ad must be "copy ready" or, if submitted via email, in JPEG format. Business classified ads: 10c per word.

Business card size (2x3-1/2 inches): \$4 per issue **OR** pre-pay for 5 issues and get the 6th free.

1/4 page \$10/issue 2/3 page—\$27/issue

1/3 page—\$13/issue Full page—\$40/issue

1/2 page—\$20/issue

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