Irondequoit Quilt Club Newsletter - October 2016



The Irondequoit Quilt Club meets monthly September thru May at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection 3736 St. Paul Blvd
Rochester, NY 14617

For more information about the club, visit our website at: www.irondequoitquiltclub.org

President's Message

Great to see so many members at the Ice Cream Social; a nice time to catch up on what's been happening all summer and a time for Nick to touch base on everything that still needs to be done to ensure a successful quilt show. Our guest speaker was overwhelmed with the response she received at the meeting. Our members took all the quilt kits she brought for the Vets.

Between the September 12 and September 26 meetings, Lyz, Penny, Lucy and I attended the New York State Quilting Consortium. For those who do not know what this is, it is a Statewide organization which shares knowledge, resources and speakers that local quilt guilds can take back to their members. That is exactly what we did! We networked with several local and national presenters who speak at meetings as well as teach workshops. We left the meeting very excited and have begun the process of starting to put together our 2017-18 year. Yes, you read it right...the 2017-18 year!!!!!

The meeting on September 26 was a great kick-off to our 2016-17 season. Our presenter, Ralph Wilston, was so very pleased at the acclamations his quilts were received.

Be prepared to vote on the new by-laws at our October meeting.

See you all at the Quilt Show Sandy Bubel, President

Officers and Committees

<u>President:</u> Sandy Bubel
<u>Vice President</u>: Lyz Covert

<u>Recording Secretary</u>: Melanie Popick
<u>Newsletter Secretary</u>: Cheryl Bond
<u>Treasurer</u>: Kathy Russell
<u>Historian</u>: TBD

<u>Library</u>: Mary Lou Fitch <u>Membership</u>: Linda Wilson

<u>Fat Quarter Exchange</u>: Monique Liberti and Vanetta

Parshall

Memorial: Jeanne Muhl

Monthly Raffle: Kathy Lee & Janet Rosenberg
Refreshments: Melissa Manney
Sew Day Coordinator: Brenda McHale

<u>Sunshine</u>: Pat lentilucci <u>Website &Facebook</u>: Laurie Fromm

Quilt Show

<u>Quilt Show 2016</u>: Nick Williams & Judy Furdyn <u>Opportunity Quilt 2016</u>: Penny Schumacher

Charity Projects

Comfort Quilts: Elaine Kent

Irondequoit Food Cupboard: Deb Pratt-Gnage & Pat

Fackleman

Wounded Warrior Blocks: Brenda McHale

Food Cupboard

A reminder from Deb Pratt-Gnage and Pat Fackleman. Please bring food for donation to the town of Irondequoit Food Cupboard. They prefer canned fruit, vegetable, soup, tuna, chicken, rice, pasta, jelly, and personal hygiene items. Thank you for your generosity.

Newsletter

Please have your input for the November, 2016 newsletter to Cheryl Bond no later than November 1, 2016. Thank you for being prompt.

Date	Event	Additional Information	
October 22-23	IQC Biennial Quilt Show	Rogers Middle School, 219 Northfield Road, Rochester, NY 14617	
October 22	Webster Quilt Guild Saturday Sit and Sew	9am-8pm at St Martin's Church, 813 Bay Road, Webster, NY; \$5 fee. Contact Debbie Lester at 671-4064 to reserve your spot.	
October 24	Monthly Meeting, 7pm (doors open at 6:30pm) *Fat Quarter Exchange fabric: Thanksgiving theme or colors	Program: Linda Hunter, Better Borders. Meet at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
November 5	Workshop, 10am-4pm	Fold and Stitch Wreath Workshop at the Irondequoit Public Library, Community Room, 10am-4pm – Penny, \$10 for class	
November 12	Sew Day, 10am-4pm	Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
November 26	Webster Quilt Guild Saturday Sit and Sew	9am-8pm at St Martin's Church, 813 Bay Road, Webster, NY; \$5 fee. Contact Debbie Lester at 671-4064 to reserve your spot.	
November 28	Monthly Meeting, 7pm (doors open at 6:30pm) *Fat Quarter Exchange fabric: Holiday colors	Program: Penny Marble, Ornaments, kits will be available for sale. Meet at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
December 3	Sew Day, 10am-4pm	Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
December 19	Monthly Meeting, 7pm (doors open at 6:30pm)	Program: Cathleen Wiggs, Quilt Story Lady Quilt Fairy, Scrap Quilts Holiday Celebration. Annual "Bring a Dish to Pass" meal.	
	*Fat Quarter Exchange fabric: Winter theme or colors	Meet at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
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January 7	Sew Day, 10am-4pm	Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
January 23	Monthly Meeting, 7pm (doors open at 6:30pm) *Fat Quarter Exchange fabric: Any color batik	Program: Quilt-As-You-Go demo by Jackie Lynn, Demo Derby by members. Introduction to Judy Merritt's Block of the Month. Meeting at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
January 31	Workshop	Quilt-As-You-Go class at Jackie Lynn's Shop - \$10 for class	
February 4	Sew Day, 10am-4pm	Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
February 27	Monthly Meeting, 7pm (doors open at 6:30pm) *Fat Quarter Exchange fabric: Any jewel tone colors or prints	Program: John Kubiniec, book signing and trunk show. Garage Sale, bring all your quilting and sewing goods and perhaps they will find a new home. Always lots of bargains, so bring your cash!! Meeting at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
March 4	Sew Day, 10am-4pm	Table Runner workshop by Brenda McHale	
March 27	Monthly Meeting, 7pm (doors open at 6:30pm) *Fat Quarter Exchange fabric: Any pastel colors or prints	Program: Judy Merritt, Needle Turn Applique. Meet at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
April 1	Sew Day, 10am-4pm	Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
April 22	Workshop	Beth Helfter, EvaPaige Designs, "Now You Give it a Scrap Slap" workshop	
April 24	Monthly Meeting, 7pm (doors open at 6:30pm) *Fat Quarter Exchange fabric: Neutral fabrics	Program: Beth Helfter, EvaPaige Designs, "Give it a Scrap Slap" trunk show. Meeting at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
April 29	Bus Trip	Organizer: Kathy Russell	
May 6	Sew Day, 10am-4pm	Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
May 22	Monthly Meeting, 7pm (doors open at 6:30pm) *Fat Quarter Exchange fabric: Floral prints	Program: Sharon Stroud, Hand-inked quilt labels and trunk show. Meeting at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
TBD	Workshop	Hand quilting	
June 26	Monthly Meeting, 7pm (doors open at 6:30pm) *Fat Quarter Exchange fabric: Potluck, your choice	Program: Tina Somerset, Wearable Art Presentation. End of year celebration. Meeting at the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.	
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^{*} The Fat Quarter Exchange is a monthly meeting activity. Bring as many fat quarters as you wish with you to the meeting, making sure they coordinate to the monthly theme. For each fat quarter you bring you will have an entry to the drawing for all the fat quarters brought to the meeting that month.

A Special Recognition

Elaine Kent has been in charge of our charity quilts for the past several years. We cannot begin to thank her enough for all the quilts kits she has put together for members to sew, the many quilts she has sewn and quilted herself and then delivered to different organizations in our name. THANK YOU ELAINE!!!!!

Due to health reasons, Elaine can no longer take on this responsibility. Sadly, she will not be joining Irondequoit Quilt Club this year. She will be missed. Lucy Donalies has agreed to help out on a temporary basis with the charity quilts. She will need some help. Please contact Lucy if you can help her in any way, i.e. making up kits, sewing, long arming, etc. Many hands make light work! THANKS FOR STEPPING UP TO THE PLATE LUCY!

Thanks in advance to anyone who can give Lucy a hand. Once again, thank you Elaine and we all wish you brighter days ahead.

Quilt Show – Nick Williams and Judy Furdyn

We're now in the final stages of our work to put on a great Quilt Show. We have just over 200 entries from 43 different quilters. We have more than one entry in every category! It's looking to be a spectacular show.

"Hidden Treasures" has a pirate theme and what would a pirate theme be without a treasure hunt! People attending the show will be asked to find the pirate images on certain quilt information labels (and we won't tell any of you which labels they'll be on!). If they find all twelve images they'll be eligible for a door prize drawing we'll do at the end of the show! Get those spy glasses out and start hunting at the show!

Don't forget that members of IQC are voting Saturday until 4 PM for their favorite quilts. You can choose up to three favorites in each category. Jean Cody will have the forms available at the show. Once they're finished take them to the kitchen area for drop off. IQC favorites will be announced Sunday AM.

If you haven't volunteered yet and would like to, contact Nick at 436-9085 or kwilterboi@earthlink.net. He'll be mailing out the volunteer lists soon so we can all check what we signed up to do at the show!

Entries need to be turned in in a clear plastic garbage bag. If you already picked your bags up make sure you know where you put them. Those who haven't picked up their bags can get them at the quilt drop off on Oct. 21st.

Good luck finishing all of your projects! We look forward to seeing the results of all our hard work later this month!

Membership - Linda Wilson

The quilt show is coming up and you must be a member in good standing to enter your handiwork into the quilt show. This means your dues must be current unless Sandy wishes to provide waivers to those who have not paid dues as yet. If this is the case, please contact Sandy within the next week. Our next meeting is after the quilt show. Therefore, if you have not paid your dues, you may mail them to me at:

Linda Wilson 4330 Cream Ridge Road Macedon, New York 14502

<u>Welcoming Team – Penny Schumacher</u>

At the September meeting, we welcomed one new member, Kim Haegel and three guests, Darlene, Gladys and Connie. Please welcome them! In cooperation with the Program Committee, we have instituted two new programs. The first is a brief tutorial by a club member during the 6:30 - 7:00 period before each meeting focusing on a specific quilting skill. At the October meeting, Cindy Merrow will demonstrate how to get perfect corners in your binding. The demonstrations will be located at a table at the other side of the room from the membership table. The second program is called the Quilter's Clinic which will occur from 10:00 am to 11:30 at each Sew Day. Members are encouraged to bring their quilting quandaries and get help. The quandary can vary from figuring out directions to getting input on a quilt layout. Remember, new and newer members wear yellow ribbons below their name tag. Be sure to welcome and include them in our meeting.

Refreshments – Melissa Manney

Please remember to bring refreshments for you assigned month shown below.

October	November
Ruth Julian	Ann Burton
Gail Yanus	Penny Schumacher
Shirley Reed	Monique Liberti
Kathy Lee	Vanetta Parshals
Carol Johnert	Marylou Fitch
Lucy Donalies	Nancy Burgess
Elaine Kent	Debbie McCracken

<u>Treasurer's Report – Kathy Russell</u>

Banking Activity 8/1 - 8/30

Opening Balance		\$9,712.49
Income		
Date	Description of Deposit	Amount
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6-Aug	Quilt Retreat	\$730.00
19-Aug	Quilt Show (Outside Tickets)	\$334.00
22-Aug	Quilt Retreat	\$85.00
22-Aug	Quilt Show (Outside Tickets)	\$44.00
	Total Income	\$1,193.00

Expenses			
Date	Name of recipient (reason)	Check #	Amount
9-Aug	Laurie Fromm (Boutique)	1408	\$12.99
15-Aug	Jean Cody (Quilt Take in)	1409	\$77.96
	Total Expenses		\$90.95
Closing Balance			\$10,814.54

Banking Activity September 2016

Opening Balance		\$10,814.54	
Income			
Date	Description of Deposit		Amount
9/9/2016	Quilt Show (Outside Tickets)		\$307.00
9/12/2016	Retreat		\$115.00
9/13/2016	Membership		\$840.00
9/21/2016	Retreat		\$43.00
9/27/2016	Raffle		\$15.50
9/27/2016	Membership		\$200.00
9/30/2016	Quilt Show (Outside Tickets)		\$152.00
9/30/2016	Quilt Show (Members)		\$709.00
	Total Income		\$2,381.50

Expenses			
Date	Name of recipient (reason)	Check #	Amount
9/1/2016	Dryden Mutual Ins. Co	1410	\$507.20
9/30/2016	Cheryl Bond - Membership, Newsletter	1411	\$45.09
9/20/2016	Laurie Fromm - Lanyards	1413	\$397.88
9/30/2016	Lucy Donalies - Consortium	1415	\$40.00
9/30/2016	Linda Wilson - Membership	1416	\$10.34
	Total Expenses		\$1,000.51
Closing Balance			\$12,165.53

September Meeting Minutes - September 26, 2016

- -Meeting opened at 7:05 pm with President Sandy Bubel welcoming members to the club.
- -Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Sandy Bubel, President Report

- -Requested one more breakfast casserole for Saturday, the 21st for the guilt show.
- -The quilt clubs annual holiday dinner is usually a "dish to pass" affair. This year we have the option to vote for a catered dinner or a dish to pass. Bring a dish to pass was the winner.

Welcoming Committee Report-Penney Schumacher

- -New members: Kim Haegel
- -Visitors: Gladys Krieger, Connie Gomez and Darlene Sanders

November Workshop, Penny Schumacher

-Penny will present a Folded Fabric Wreath workshop on Saturday, November 5th from 10am to 4pm at the Irondequoit Library on Titus Ave. The cost is \$10. With an additional cost of \$6 for the supplies. The class is limited to 16 participants. Money needs to be given to Penny in advance of the class as no money can change hands at the library per library regulations. Phone #490-2046

Demo Derby, Lyz Covert

Lyz is heading up the Demo Derby that will be held at our monthly meeting in January 2017. Lyz provided signup sheets for those who are interested in volunteering their talents for this program. If you have a talent or have an interest in teaching a technique/skill and want to share it or a pattern for this fun night, please contact Lyz Covert. Phone #944-6927

Fat Quarter Exchange

- -Winner Mary Fran Fettinger
- -October's theme is Thanksgiving

Raffle Winner: Betsy Speer

Approval of Secretary's Meeting Minutes from May

- -There were no corrections to the minutes.
- -Motion was presented by Penny Schumacher and approved unanimously.

Budget approval for 2016-2017

-Motion was presented by Penny Schumacher and approved unanimously.

BY-LAWS: Laurie Fromm

- -Laurie Fromm thanked all who were involved in the process of updating the quilt club's by-laws. Laurie asked if there were any corrections or suggestions. One suggestion was made by Pat Fackelman who suggested that the By -Laws Section 4, Honorary Membership age be lowered to 72 from 80. Pat felt that there were many folks in this age group who were on fixed incomes and would find the dues difficult to pay. Penny Schumacher gave a little history of how the Honorary Membership came about. A vote was taken and it was determined through the vote of 21 to 12 in favor of keeping the Honorary Membership at age 80.
- -Cheryl commented that she felt that the Vice President's expanded responsibilities (proposed bylaws) that included not only chairing the program committee, but also being the Consortium representative might be too many responsibilities for one officer position in the club. Current VP, Lyz Covert is now attending and reporting on the Quilt Consortium meetings. Vice President would like to continue to attend and report on Consortium meetings.
- Cheryl also observed that last year for most of the meetings, less than 60% of members were in attendance. In this case, a quorum does not exist to take a vote. A question was posed regarding the voting process. How do we include those who do not attend meetings? It was suggested that if a member could not attend a meeting and a vote is to be cast, the member should contact a board member to let them know that they would like to vote.
- -By-Laws will be voted on at the October meeting.

Treasurer's Report: Kathy Russell

-Kathy was introduced as our new treasure for 2016-2017

Quilt Show Chair: Nick Williams

- -Please refer to Quilt Show meeting minutes included in the September Newsletter for details.
- -As of the 26th, Nick has submissions of 191 quilts submitted by 43 quilters.
- -We lost two venues to sell quilt show tickets. The library and the Windmill Market in Penn Yan.
- -Volunteer lists indicate the we need parking monitors as well as docents to be "social promoters" of the quilt show and quilt club during the show.
- -Awards will be people's choice, vendor favorites and Irondequoit favorites.
- -Quilt entry forms to be given to Jean Cody. IF YOU SUBMITTED A FORM TO DISPLAY YOUR QUILT AT THE QUILT SHOW AND DID NOT GET AN EMAIL FROM JEAN, CONTACT HER AT 355-9670.
- -Call Nick Williams if you have any questions. Phone #436-9085.

15 MINUTE BREAK

<u>Guest Speaker:</u> Ralph Wilston. Barn Quilt Trunk Show. Show and Tell 8:15 p.m.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by, Melanie Popick