



# Irondequoit Quilt Club News

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### **Monthly Raffle**

Liz Brown 266-6054

### **Refreshments**

Lin Mocejunas 288-2447

### **Sew Night Coordinator**

Brenda McHale 621-1751

### **Sunshine**

Judy Andrychuk 586-7309

### **Website**

Laurie Fromm 723-8669

## **Charity Projects**

### **Brenda's Caps**

Laura Wagner 723-3216

### **Brenda's Totes**

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### **Comfort Quilts**

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### **Irondequoit Community**

#### **Cupboard**

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#### **Sunset House**

Jeanne Muhl 336-9459

## ***From the President***

Hello everyone! I hope you have all been enjoying this summer weather! We certainly can't complain that it wasn't hot enough. I know that I am grateful for the window air conditioner in my bedroom!

The summer is passing too quickly! I have not had nearly enough time for quilting. I hope you have been more successful than I have been in this. The summer Sew Nights have been well attended so I know that many of you are making beautiful quilts this summer. Hopefully you have been completing your quilts to be entered into our quilt show in October. Quilt Show Chair Mary Randall, and the many quilt show committees have been working very hard on all the pieces necessary to host a successful quilt show. Our Opportunity Quilt is being oohed and aahed over wherever we have gone to sell raffle tickets. Lin Mocejunas reports that raffle ticket sales at events are going well. We were disappointed that very heavy rains coupled with thunder and lightning forced us to cancel selling raffle tickets at the Windmill in July. We are, however looking forward to selling tickets there on September 9. Thank you to the

many volunteers who have sold raffle tickets at events throughout the summer. Judy Andrychuk has more raffle tickets for any members who need additional tickets to sell. Please read Judy's article in this newsletter for more information. Thank you to everyone who is working to make the 2006 Quilt Show the best ever!

We will be having two meetings in September. Actually, the extra meeting being held on **Monday September 11** isn't really a meeting. It is an **Ice Cream Social!!!** Please come to sign up to help at the quilt show, pay your annual membership dues, volunteer for club committees and enjoy an ice cream sundae or root beer float. This is a great opportunity to learn more about the quilt show and discover how you can help with the show. Paying your yearly dues (\$10.00) at the ice cream social will mean that you won't have to stand in line at the September meeting to do so.

Thank you to all of you who completed a Member Survey at the May meeting. The officers have met several times this summer to plan this year's programs and workshops. We will be sharing the program schedule in the September

newsletter. This month however, I am asking for your help in implementing an idea suggested a few times on the survey. This involves welcoming and helping new members with "buddies". It would be wonderful if the Membership Committee had a pool of people willing to welcome and assist new members. The "buddy" would ask the new member to sit with her, introduce the new member to others at the table, show them where the kitchen and rest rooms are and generally make the new member feel welcome and comfortable. If you would be willing to extend a hand of friendship to new members, please see me at the Ice Cream Social or give me a call at 787-0054.

I would like to share some committee updates with you.

Lin Mocejunas has agreed to chair the Refreshment Committee, but needs our help. Lin will have sign up sheets at the Ice Cream Social for you to volunteer to bring goodies to a meeting throughout the year. Thank you, Lin for agreeing to chair this important committee!

Judy Andrychuk is our new Sunshine Chair. If you know of any member who is experiencing ill health or the loss of a loved one, please contact Judy or one of the officers so that Judy can send an expression of concern and support to that member. Thanks Judy!

Brenda McHale has agreed to continue coordinating the

monthly Sew Nights. She will open up the church at 6:30, collect the \$2.00 fee and ensure that the church is closed up properly at the end of the night. Brenda has asked us to remind everyone to bring a snack or beverage to share to the Sew Nights and also to take home any leftovers when you leave. Please do not leave items for others to dispose of at the end of the evening. Thank you, Brenda for agreeing to do this!

Thank you to all of you who have helped to make the club successful in the past. This includes chairing or volunteering on a committee or project, bringing refreshments, donating food to the Irondequoit Food Cupboard, making charity quilts, caps and tote bags, sharing your expertise by teaching others new skills, working on the quilt shows, welcoming new members and leading the club as officers. All of these activities and more make our club work. The officers are asking for your help and support as we do our best to lead the club this year. We will undoubtedly make mistakes (hopefully very small ones!) and hope that you will be understanding and work with us to make things right.

I'm looking forward to the quilt show and the programs and workshops being planned for this year. I hope that you are too and that you will participate in these activities. As suggested on the surveys – let's have fun!

Ruth

**Irondequoit Quilt Club  
Meets on the 4<sup>th</sup>  
Monday of each month  
Sept. to May from 7-9pm**

At the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 3736 St. Paul Blvd.

**Meeting Schedule**

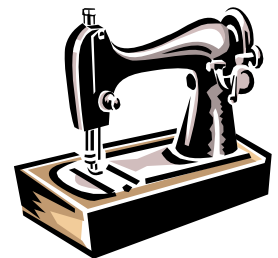
Monday September 11

Ice Cream Social-Membership  
Renewal-Quilt Show Opportunities

Monday September 25

Nancy Dill Trunk  
show/demonstration

Monday October 23  
Monday November 13  
Monday December 11



**Sew Nights**

Sew Nights run from 6:30pm to  
Dues are \$2.00. Please bring a  
snack or drink to pass and your  
latest project.

Friday September 15  
Friday October 6  
Friday November 3  
Friday December 1

**Quilt Show News**

Dates to Remember

Friday September 15  
Quilt show meeting 7pm  
Wednesday October 18  
Quilt show set-up  
Thursday October 19  
Quilt show set up  
Fri-Sat October 20-21  
Quilt show

Hello quilters!

Just two months away from our Quilt Show! Where has all the time gone?

We have a wonderful team in place who have been busy all summer getting things organized for the event.

The Ice Cream Social on September 11 is a great opportunity for members to sign up to help in many areas. I do hope you will plan to attend and pitch in to help make this a successful show. Representatives from each committee will be on hand to answer questions and will have the sign up sheets available.

Wouldn't it be wonderful if every member showed a quilt? Please consider entering your quilt. Don't be hesitant if you think your quilt isn't good enough, believe me that is not true. If it is your first time ever IQC show entry, put one in our Rookies Row category.

In other words, WE NEED YOU!!!

Mary Randall

### **Vender Update**

This year we have 7 vendors for the Quilt Show: Ivy Thimble, Heart in Hand, Pickett Fence, The Bobbin Case, Crystal Lakes Distributors, Nancy Dill and Priscilla Kibbee. They have a wide variety of fine products for sale and we hope you'll support them.

At the Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>. Meeting I'll be looking for volunteers to serve dinner to the vendors on Friday evening and lunch on Saturday. It will be about a one hour commit-

ment of time so I'm hoping to see some new folks consider signing up. For all members I'd ask that you be welcoming to our vendors and thank them for coming to our Show.

This year we'll have tickets for the Bernina Bernette 55 sewing machine raffle available at the Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> meeting. Since the sewing machine is a donation from The Bobbin Case, ALL PROCEEDS go to our Club. We're asking each member to take one book of tickets (6 chances for \$5.00) to sell prior to the Show. This money will go toward charity projects that the new officers have planned. Please help us on this fund raiser. FYI the sewing machine winner may trade the Bernette 55 at the Bobbin Case for a machine with more features.

Georgia Sadler

### **From the Boutique**

Joan is asking all members who want to sell at the Show to sign up with her at the September 11 social, and also to sign up for a block of time at the booth. Items should be priced clearly in whole dollar amounts. 10% of each person's proceeds will go to the club up to a limit of \$10.00 per person. Due to space constraints we can not accept last minute drop offs

Joan Bigham

### **Quilt Show Setup**

There are two teams needed for the set up of the racks. I will need 2 teams for Wednesday October 18, 4-6 strong boys or men at 5:30PM to meet me in Webster to load the truck. Then another team of 6-8 strong people to meet at the church

around 6 or 6:30 to help unload and set up racks. This must be done on Wednesday night because the quilts will be hung on Thursday. Putting up the racks takes about 2 hours. I provide pizza and soda for the team and we have a great time.

After the quilt show we will need a group of 8 people to help take down the racks in an orderly manner. This team will also load the truck and another 5-8 people to meet me back at the Webster location to unload the truck. You may contact me by email at [sdepew@rochester.rr.com](mailto:sdepew@rochester.rr.com) to let me know who will be joining a team and on what day and location they will be able to help. Thank you in advance for making this a great event.

Natalie Depew

### **Opportunity Quilt Ticket Sales**

Just a reminder to bring in your ticket stubs and all monies collected to-date to the September 11 IQC Ice Cream Social. I will also have additional tickets for those who need more. Feel free to email me at [kandrych@rochester.rr.com](mailto:kandrych@rochester.rr.com) or call me at 586-7309 if you need additional tickets and I'll have them at the meeting for you. Thank you for your support.

Judy Andrychuk

### **Quilt Show Demonstrations**

While we have a small number of dedicated quilters willing to lead a demo or discussion about specific aspects of quilting, we **NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS!**

We are also hosting a "Make It and Take It Workshop", where participants will be able to make a

quilted coaster. We **NEED** members to sign up to host the workshop. Simple instructions and all materials will be provided. We also need every member to hit their stash and donate as many 5 inch squares of material as possible. Sign ups for the demos will be available at the ice cream social and the September meeting. I will also take donations of 5 inch squares at each event. Thank you for your help.

Penny Schumacher

### **Member News**

Congratulations to IQC member Jean Cody on the selection of her quilt "Postage Due II – But I Thought You Were Well" for inclusion in the Pennsylvania National Quilt Extravaganza XIII. This is a juried show being held September 7-10 in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. This is Jean's first entry into a juried show and she is very excited! Jean brought the quilt to the August Sew Night and it is beautiful! Congratulations, Jean! What a wonderful honor!

Member Zylpha Siudara fell recently and broke her hip. Zylpha is currently in rehab at St. Ann's Home, 1500 Portland Ave., Room 920, Rochester, NY 14621. Her phone number is 336-1720. Zelpha would love to hear from you. Cards, phone calls and visitors are welcome!

### **New In September**

#### **Fat Quarter Swap**

Beginning at the Sept. 25th meeting we're going to begin a new feature at each regular meeting: a Fat Quarter Swap. We'll set a fabric theme for each month and ask all who want to participate to bring in a fat quarter that "fits" that theme. Our September theme will be "autumn colors". Bring your fat quarter to my table and fill out your name on a slip of paper to put in the basket for the drawing. (You may bring in more than one fat quarter so you'd enter your name for each fat quarter you bring in.) We'll bundle the fat quarters in groups of four or five and then draw winners. For example, if we have 25 fat quarters, we'd bundle them in packets of five and draw five winners. If you're a winner you'll get 5 fat quarters. It's lots of fun so we hope you'll participate!

Georgia Sadler

#### **Show and Tell Summary**

Beginning at the September 25<sup>th</sup> meeting we'd like to do a capsule summary of the projects shared during Show and Tell. Be sure to let me know your name, pertinent information about your quilt and anything that might be of interest to members. I promise to listen intently as you share, but I may need to talk to you individually to get all the facts. We'll publish the report in the next month's newsletter so folks who miss a meeting may be able to read about the quilts that we shared. If all goes well we'll try to add pictures of quilts in the newsletter. That way we can all share in the beauty of what we do best: QUILT!! If anyone out there wants to help on

this, email [ccscholhse@aol.com](mailto:ccscholhse@aol.com), or call me at 865-2029.

Georgia Sadler

### **Special Request**

Stacey Toomey recently contacted us through the web page with a special request. Stacey's Grandmother recently passed away and she would like to have a quilt made from her Grandmother's pajamas as a remembrance. She has about 15-20 pairs of her pajamas. Stacey has no specifics in mind and would like to discuss this project with anyone who is willing to make this for her. If anyone is interested please contact Stacy at [slt10@geneseo.edu](mailto:slt10@geneseo.edu) or call her at 585-797-8758 to discuss the project and compensation.

### **Charity Quilt Update**

When turning in charity quilts, please put your name on the quilts. Elaine Kent is keeping a log of the completed charity quilts and would appreciate this information. If you have any question, please contact Elaine at 227-0471



### **September Birthdays**

Bette Barrett	9/10
Barbara Parks	9/13
Rosemary Stancampiano	9/14

## Stitching Group Cancellation

The Saturday stitch dates that we had been invited to attend with the Stitcher's Group that also uses the church have been cancelled. Unfortunately there was not enough participation to offset the cost. The cancelled dates are:

Sept 9 (Sat) 9am-9pm  
 Sept 23 (Sat) 9am-9pm  
 Oct 28 (Sat) 9am-9pm  
 Nov 11 (Sat) 9am-9pm  
 Dec 9 (Sat) 9am-9pm  
 Dec 30 (Sat) 9am-9pm



## For Sale

Pat Bethke has a Gammill Optima Plus with Design Center with 14 foot bed for sale. Per Pat she is willing to let it go at a great price. If you are interested or need further information please contact Pat at 720-0444



## Treasurer Report Yearend report for Sept. 2005 Through June 2006

<b>INCOME</b> ---	\$5876.79
Membership	\$1080.00
Monthly raffle	146.00
Retreat	3763.00
Workshops	250.00
Sew Nights	72.00
Pins & Rulers	36.00
Quilt Raffle Tickets	301.00
Show Vendors	225.00
Interest	3.79
<b>EXPENSES</b> --	\$7441.81
Church	\$ 960.00
Postage & Newsletter	256.26
Membership	27.63
Speaker & Workshops	892.16
Refreshments	153.40
Charity Projects	183.30
Library	16.16
Insurance	175.00
Web Site	107.40
2006 Quilt show	537.26
Lollypop Farm quilt	166.71
Fall retreat	1802.78
Spring retreat	2011.56
Office supplies	15.33
Christmas Party	114.98
Feb. demo	24.88
Balance Sept. 2005	\$3043.06
Income	5876.79
Expenses	7444.81
Balance June 2006	1475.04

Anne Burton

## Minutes from the May Meeting

Brenda McHale led the meeting.

Charity Quilts Update--Elaine Kent offered to do the quilting and binding for charity quilt tops made by members. We just need to bring the quilt tops to Elaine at our regular meetings and she will complete them. Thanks, Elaine. A question was asked about the size of the charity quilts. They should be approximately 42" by 54"

Block of the Month—this month's blocks winner was Elaine Kent. Elaine graciously declined the blocks because she had won previously this year. Thanks for your generosity, Elaine. Linda Kaanana then became this month's lucky winner. Mimi Repp agreed to continue the Block of the Month next year. Thank you, Mimi.

Brenda presented Christy Pope with a gift as a token of her appreciation for Christy's help this past year. We all applauded Christy's leadership this year. Thanks, Christy.

Quilt Show Updates—Lin Mocejunas asked for volunteers to sign up to sell raffle tickets at the various events throughout the summer. Mary Randall reported that the quilt entry forms were available at the meeting. Forms were also attached to the newsletter and are on the web site. Completed forms should be sent to Mary Lou Fitch. Mary Lou encouraged us all to be working on our quilts for the quilt show. Linda Kaanana reported that she needs items for the silent auction at the quilt show. Please

see Linda if you would like to donate something.

Fat Quarter—It was proposed that once again each member bring a fat quarter for each of the outgoing and incoming officers to the September 25<sup>th</sup> meeting. This is done as a way to say thank you to all the officers. The club voted and this was passed.

Brenda installed the new officers for 2006/2007—Ruth Tetlow—President, Pat Fackelman—Vice President, Deb Butler—Secretary, and Anne Burton—Treasurer.

Ruth Tetlow expressed that the incoming officers were excited about the upcoming year. Pat Fackelman handed out a Member Survey prepared by the incoming officers. Ruth asked everyone to complete the survey to help in planning next year's programs.

The meeting was then adjourned to enjoy all the wonderful goodies that everyone brought to eat.

Ruth Tetlow