

Los Alamos Piecemakers Quilt Guild

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2014 Donation Quilt

Open

AUGUST 2014 Quilt Guild Meeting Tuesday, August 26th at 7:00 pm White Rock Baptist Church Pandy Lolos speaker, 7:00 PM

WHAT'S LIFE LIKE FOR A TRAVELING SALESPERSON?
Pandy Lolos shares her experiences as a
fabric/notions representative.



Mindy Young from May Workshop, Wonky Log Cabin.

FROM THE PRESIDENT - HAPPY SUMMER QUILTERS!

Wow! Summer is slipping away! I hope that you have done what you wanted to do (at least some of it) and had some time to relax. I'm sure you have also been quilting away on your items for next month's Quilt Market! I missed seeing everyone last month, and am looking forward to this meeting. I am always energized by the program, and by the projects of my fellow quilters!

See you August 26th in White Rock! Laura

VICE PRESIDENTS REPORT - Deb Claytor and Deb McLin

We hope you've been chanting "Summertime and the living is easy" right along with us. We have had enough rain to get some quilting done and enjoy some great naps...lots of naps. Those last two sentences were a hope for you and a dream for us. We have been busy helping out friends and family with medical issues and hospitality. The gift of fulfillment comes in many ways with quilting being only one of them.

In June Millie Young wowed us with her award winning "Wonky Log Cabin" quilt and workshop. A workshop without using a ruler! Imagine! Many thanks to Joan Williams for arranging Millie's sleepover.

Our mug rug challenge for August is using a paper pieced heart shape to use in constructing the 6x9 rug. We will present our next challenge at the August meeting. Hint: If you attended the May meeting you've already seen the technique.

At our August Guild meeting we will have a special visit from a guest that we all know and love. Pandy Lolos will join us at the White Rock Baptist Church to tell us what she's been working at since closing her quilt shop and relocating part time to Arizona. Some of us know that Pandy travels throughout the southwest selling quilting supplies to shops and vendors. She has tales to tell and will let us in on upcoming events and new trends in quilting. There's a new grand baby to brag about too! Pandy will also be bringing us a book sale. She will be selling books priced from \$1.00 to \$5.00. She would prefer cash only so bring your dollars and pick up a new book.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

September 23 United Church Graves Hall Membership Potluck, 6:00 pm October 28th, White Rock Baptist Church, 7:00 PM. Nicole Dunn fiber artist November 18th, United Church Graves Hall. Virginia Walton speaker 7:00 PM also drawing for mug rug challenge.

November 19th "Whirlpool" workshop using Creative Curves Ruler.

December no meeting.

EXHIBITS IN NEW MEXICO

Studio Art Quilt Associates of NM present a exhibition entitled, BEYOND TRADITION. This is an exhibition of contemporary fiber art at the Hubbard Museum of the American West. Ruidoso NM. The show runs through September 1, 2014 guild member, Nicole Dunn has several pieces on display in this juried show.

2014 QUILT MARKET - Micki Taylor and Libby Carlsten

QUILT MARKET is Saturday, September 27, 2014, at the

Crossroads Bible Church. Mark your calendars and get busy. Again, there will be a "yard sale" of used or second-hand quilt related items. SO start making, and/or gathering, items to sell. The Jemez Bear Paws Quilt Guild will join us again. Co-Chairs are Micki Taylor and Libby Carlsten; Publicity Chair is Margaret Hendricks; and Silent Auction Co-Chairs are Charlene McHale and Dorothy Smedley.

The Staffing Chair and Room Layout Chair are still open. Please volunteer for one of these positions. There is information from the last Quilt Market to get you started.

The QM inventory sheets and tags are now on the LAP website.

DONATION QUILT

Guild Members have made the Donation Quilt from a kit supplied by Nicole Dunn. North by Northwest with Artisan Spirit fabric from Northcott fabrics. She is offering the block of the month at Warm Hearts Yarn the second Saturday of the month starting in May.

The Jemez Mountains Bear Paws sold \$168 in tickets at their show in July.

If you have sold your tickets, you can turn in the tickets and money at the August or Sept meetings. If you need more tickets, or do not have a packet of tickets, they will be available to pickup at the August and September meetings.

COMMUNITY SERVICE - Lyn Haval

We are halfway to our goal of 100 mug rugs before Christmas!! Thanks to all who have participated!! I am amazed at the variety and creativity of all the mug rugs you all have done already! Keep 'em coming!!! Remember they don't have to be the $6" \times 9"$ size that the challenge requires. Any size and shape is welcome.

TREASURER'S REPORT - Donna Smith

The Checking Account balance on August 1, 2014 was \$9870.5.