

INFORMATION ABOUT OUR OCTOBER SPEAKER IS ON PG. 2!!

WATCH WCAX OCT. 15 : ACROSS THE FENCE.

Meeting Location:
Alliance Church
37 Old Stage Rd,
Essex Junction, VT



6.30 Membership renewal
7.00 Welcome, important
Announcements
7:15 Speaker
8.15 10 min. break
8.30 Minutes, reports, Raffle
Block, Show and Tell
9.00 Meeting ends.

OCTOBER 2012

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Please Join Us
VERMONT TRADITIONS
CVQG's 30th Annual Quilt Show
October 20th....10 to 5 October 21st....10 to 4
The Field House, Shelburne
Special displays, contest quilts,
gallery talks and demonstrations,
vendors, silent auction, crafts, raffle quilt,
café for food and conversation

President's Address

October is nearly here, and the important and exciting events of our Guild month will be our **October Guild Meeting on Tuesday, October 2 at 7:00 p.m.**, where we can **VOTE** for the **"Vermont Traditions" Challenge Quilts** made by our Guild members. On **Friday evening, Saturday, and Sunday, October 19, 20 and 21** is our **"VERMONT TRADITIONS" QUILT SHOW**. I can't wait to see what members have chosen for Vermont Traditions in their quilts.

The Show Committee began in January of this year (2012) to choose a **"theme"** for our CVQG Quilt Show and to make plans. Thankfully, we had our best year selling tickets at the Fair for our beautiful Raffle Quilt that we would **all** like to win. It was just a year ago that Hurricane Irene came through shutting everything down, including a day at the Fair, and devastating homes and businesses in Vermont. *Team work makes the Dream work*, and by working together we can all reap the rewards of our beautiful Quilt Show, which took ten months of meeting and planning. There are still some jobs left to do, so hopefully you can sign up to help out and get free admission to the Show.

We are also looking for a new webmaster since Priscilla Roehm has moved to Florida. She will continue doing it until someone comes forward to become the new webmaster. She gave me a folder with instructions and CDs and a Flash drive with info. Let me know if this is of interest to you.

Thank you. **Karey Young, President** kyoung1@marykay.com

2012-2013 Officers & Committees

President – Karey Young
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 Librarian – Claire Graham-Smith
 Silent Auction – Marty DelNevo
 Community Quilts – Janet Jaffe
 Quilt Retreat – Teela Dufresne
 Winter Warmth Raffle – Ruth Whitaker
 Winter Warmth Quilts—Marty DelNevo
 Photographer – Angela Miller
 Historian – Joanne Guillemette
 Storage Area – Linda Lees and Claire Graham-Smith
 Raffle Blocks – Sue McGuire, Caroline McCray, Jeanette Mann
 Info Booth – Ruth Whitaker
 Bus Trips—Jeanette Harrison
 Green Mountain Rep – Mitzi Oakes
 Sunshine – Sue Rivers

Vermont Traditions

We are almost ready to present our 30th annual quilt show at the Field in Shelburne. The ribbons are ready, site plans nearly done, special display arrangements made and even a caterer signed on. We hope everyone will come and enjoy the quilts made by our members and others, including Nola Forbes who spoke to us in September. She will be talking about both her autograph family quilt and the others in her collection.

Karen Abrahamovich reports quite a few volunteer spaces were filled at the September meeting but there are still others available. Check with her at the October meeting. As you know, thanks to Priscilla and Phyllis and all their helpers, we sold a lot of tickets at the fair for our raffle quilt. Did you know that there are a lot of other prizes to be won besides the quilt?? We need your help here too. We ask each member to sell or buy three books of tickets for \$15.00. If you will not be able to pick yours up at the show or the October meeting and would like to, please send me your check and address labels and I will stick them on for you and make sure your tickets get into the raffle. If raffles aren't your "thing", a donation would be greatly appreciated.

Watch for Across the Fence on WCAX on October 15th. Hope Johnson and Linda Lazarowski will be appearing to talk about our show and the guild and display the raffle quilt.

I hope you will all come and take in the lovely event that we have worked so hard to plan and present. We enjoy what we do, but the enjoyment is even stronger when we have the support of our fellow guild members. See you there....maybe even twice!!!!

Barbara Carter 64 Rivermount Terrace Burlington VT 05408

October 2, 2012: Lecture by Pat Delaney

Pat Delaney is an award winning quilter specializing in color, home machine quilting, appliqué, and embroidery. Her quilts have been displayed in regional and national shows and she has won numerous awards and recognition for her work, including First Place (Traditional Pieced) from IQF and several awards at the Vermont Quilt Festival.

Her quilts have appeared in numerous publications, including *Quilter's Newsletter Magazine*, *American Patchwork & Quilting*, and *Quiltworks*. Pat makes a conscious effort to try

something new in every quilt and will chronicle her journey in a trunk show, "Something New in Every Quilt". (Photo from AQS website -Winner of Best Machine Workmanship – Lancaster 2010)

Magazine Recycling

Here's a chance to recycle your quilting magazines. Each month, you may bring up to five magazines you have read and want to give away, to the info table. Others may find one they want and help themselves. They will be there only one time, so be sure and check often....they are free!!

Ruth Whitaker

Community Quilts

Community Quilts is the name we use to describe our guild's charitable activities. Each year, we donate quilts, to individuals and/or organizations in need. There are lots of ways to make a difference. Contact Janet Jaffe at 878-2344 or janetejaffe@gmail.com for more info.

This year we are holding several Community Quilt Workshops. Members come together in a friendly, informal atmosphere for a few hours of charity quilt making. There is always machine and hand sewing to be done, as well as cutting, sandwiching and tying. This year we hope to have mini-lessons or demonstrations by members to build our skills in all aspects of quilting.

COMMUNITY QUILTS WORKSHOP SCHEDULE AT ESSEX ALLIANCE CHURCH

<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
Fri - 10/5 5PM - 10PM	Sat - 1/19 9AM - 2PM
Sat - 10/6 9AM - 2PM	Sat - 3/2 9AM - 2PM
Sat - 11/10 9AM - 2PM	Sat - 4/19 9AM - 2PM
	Fri - 5/10 5PM - 10PM
	Sat - 5/11 9AM - 2PM

COMMUNITY QUILTS WISH LIST

- CUTTERS - Cut kits from fabric. Most will be simple shapes—strips, squares, etc.
- A SMILING FACE FOR THE COMMUNITY QUILT TABLE - Before meetings, log quilts/kits in and out. Help people sign-up for volunteer tasks.
- CUT BATTING - from rolls for completed quilt tops. Batting is in large, bulky (*not heavy*) rolls. Can be done at home or on tall tables in local community meeting room.
- HELP COORDINATE PREMIE QUILT DRIVE to meet our goal to provide the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at Fletcher Allen with a record breaking number of quilts.
- MEOW!!!! Make a cat-related wall hanging for the Franklin County Humane Society's annual feline fundraiser. Free fabric available.
- MACHINE QUILTERS NEEDED - for quilts twin-size and up. Stitch in the ditch is fine.

For more info, please contact Janet Jaffe at 802-878-2344 or at janetejaffe@gmail.com

September Board Snippets

- ****suggestions for a possible new web master were discussed
- ****the board will undertake a period of discussion regarding the mission of the guild
- ****Quilts of Valor will be under the Community Quilts committee and Andre Emmell will be the designated representative from the guild.
- ****6 members have joined a "search" committee to work with the program co chairs to research speakers for guild meetings
- ****the possibility of a workshop to be held on a weekend and given by guild members was discussed
- ****Marty DelNevo is making progress with Winter Warmth
- ****discussion of ways to be more welcoming of new members was discussed
- ****study of the bylaws was started

Barbara Carter

Champlain Valley Quilt Guild Minutes, September 4, 2012

President Karey Young welcomed everyone to a new guild year and asked the four new members present to stand and be welcomed.

Barbara Carter, Show chair, made several announcements about the guild show to be held, October 20th and 21st. She reminded everyone that quilt receiving will be held at The Field this year. Marty DelNevo reminded the members that she is still looking for items for the silent auction. Sign up sheets for volunteers were posted and Linda Lazarowski asked that as many as possible sign up for Thursday when most of the quilts are hung. Priscilla Roehm and Phyllis Billings thanked everyone who had helped sell raffle tickets at the fair and announced that \$1704 was raised. This is the largest amount to date. Caroline Edmunds asked for help in cookie baking and serving at the Friday night reception.

Teela Dufresne spoke about quilt camp to be held at the end of September. Janet Brunet, co program chair announced a workshop to be held in October.

Janet introduced Nola Forbes who gave an interesting and informative talk with slides about a family quilt and explained what she had discovered about the people who had signed the quilt. (Nola will have a collection of family quilts at our show.)

After the break, the minutes were adopted as printed on motion of Teela Dufresne and Rita Bortz. The treasurer's report was approved as printed following a motion made and seconded by Linda Lees and Thea Platt. Jeanette Harrison announced a bus trip to the Quilters' Gathering in Manchester NH is being planned for November 3rd. Marty Del Nevo announced we had three new members join this month. She also reported that she has taken over the Winter Warmth project for the state and will be looking for help for various parts of the program. 800 households are still not in permanent homes after Hurricane Irene last August. The Winter Warmth project for our guild will be part of our community quilts project. Community Quilts chair Janet Jaffe reported a successful workshop was held in the summer. The guild gave away 140 quilts last year. A community quilts information board will be available each guild meeting and she will be holding several workshops, some including the teaching of different techniques. There is still a need for more machine quilters to help. Email Janet to be on her contact list for more information about Community Quilt activities and needs.

Carol Derda is still looking for pillowcases to be given to cancer patients. Claire Graham Smith announced a change in Library procedure. About one third of our books will be brought to each meeting by a member of the library committee. If you want a particular book, you may contact her and it will be brought to the next meeting. Priscilla Roehm is moving to Florida so a new web master is being sought.

Laura Clements announced the winner of the Winter Warmth raffle as Paula Yandow. Pam Farnsworth announced Ann Standish as the name tag raffle winner. Sue McGuire and Jeanette Mann showed the raffle block for next month. This month's blocks were won by Kay Tomzak. Adjournment for Show and Tell was moved and seconded by Audrey Moore and Kim Hess.

Barbara Carter

CVQG Programs 2012-2013

For more information about our Programs, see our website www.cvqgvt.org or stop by the Programs table at our Guild meeting.

We recently held a very productive meeting of the Programs Search Committee where we got lots of good ideas for future guild speakers. Many thanks to the committee members : Joanne Guillemette, Crystal Howard, Janet Jaffee, Maureen Yates, Alexandra Nickerson. We welcome suggestions from all guild members.

Janet Brunet & Carla White (Programs co-chairs – programs@cvqgvt.org)

PROGRAMS AT A GLANCE

October 2: [Pat Delaney](#)

Trunk Show: Something New in Every Quilt

November 6: [Pepper Cory](#)

Lecture: Art of Real Scrap Quilting

December 4: Holiday Program

January 8, 2013: [Marilyn Gillis](#)

February 5, 2013: [Judy Thomas](#)

March 5, 2013: TBD

April 2, 2013: [Susan Brubaker Knapp](#)

May 7, 2013: Dianne S. Hire

June 4, 2013: [Potluck Supper & Teacup Auction](#)

October 3 Workshop: Fills, Feathers, and Fancies -

Expanding your quilting vocabulary (machine sewing workshop for all levels—now open to non-members)



Time: 9:00am – 3:30pm

Cost: \$40

Location: United Church of Colchester
to instructor

Kit fee: \$5 payable

Tired of the same old stippling? Perk up your machine quilting with a new vocabulary of designs for filling spaces and backgrounds. Heirloom quilting is done with little or no marking. You will end up with a portfolio of stitches to get your creativity flowing.

Pat will discuss using background fills, choosing a design to go with piecing shapes and fitting designs to the quilt both by marking and un-marked. Some time is spent on feather shape and style and this class

will show many of her favorite designs that she uses in her beautiful quilts. **This will be a stress-free class that, Pat hopes, will help many to break through to the next level of their quilting!**

November 6, 2012: [Pepper Cory \(Beaufort, NC\)](#)

*Please note that the November 6 meeting will be held at Faith Methodist Church on Dorset Street in South Burlington

What defines a scrap quilt today? Are there any boundaries when making a scrap quilt? Listen to famous quiltmakers' views on scrap quilts and see examples from Pepper's personal collection. Pepper's most popular lecture!



November 5 Workshop: Antique English Folded Log Cabin

(Evening workshop for all skill levels. Hand stitching, quilt-as-you go.)

Time: 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Cost: \$25

Location: Yankee Pride Quilt Shop, Essex Junction

This quilt pattern, popularly known as Log Cabin, is one many American quiltmakers assume was home-



grown. But the Log Cabin pattern may in fact have originated on a tiny island off the coast of England! Called the Roof Tile pattern on the Isle of Man (located between Ireland and England), the pleated quilt-as-you-go block is pieced and quilted at the same time without batting. The blocks are then joined, front to front, and the backs' foundation fabric whip-stitched together. This block is an excellent introduction to hand stitching and has the advantage of being totally portable for today's busy quiltmakers. This ancient pattern is a super addition to your quilting skills and one you can teach kids and do at any time and any place.

November 6 Workshop: Mastering Quilt Marking

(Full day workshop given on same day as the lecture. No machine required.)

Time: 9:30am – 4:00pm

Cost: \$45

Location: Yankee Pride Quilt Shop, Essex Junction



Ever puzzled over what designs to mark on your quilt or been stumped by matching borders and corners? This is the class for you!

See tracing of antique whole-cloth quilts, learn how judges evaluate quilting, how to cut a stencil, what tools work best for marking-an information-packed class that's a real confidence booster. Kit for \$3 includes authentic Amish design quilting stencil and paper for marking experiments. Pepper's book Mastering Quilt Marking is optional but advisable. (most popular full-day class)

Champlain Valley Quilters' Guild – Fall Workshop Registration

Name _____ Check #s _____

Email address _____ Phone _____

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|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wed, Oct. 3 | Pat Delaney | Fills, Feathers, & Fancies | \$40 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mon, Nov. 5 | Pepper Cory | Folded Log Cabin | \$25 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tues, Nov. 6 | Pepper Cory | Mastering Quilt Marking | \$45 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Member | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-member | |

Payment is required at time of sign-up. Please write separate checks for each class and make payable to CVQG. Sign up at the meeting or, after confirming availability, mail to:

Janet Brunet, 60 Mills Point Road, Colchester, VT 05446
programs@cvqgv.org

Workshop Cancellation Policy. A refund will be given only if a) the paid student cancels one month or more before the workshop or b) the slot this person has paid for can be filled from the waiting list or c) the workshop is canceled.

Monthly Raffle

The monthly raffle at each guild meeting will now benefit the Winter Warmth/Community Quilts program. We will still sell 6 tickets for \$5 or \$1 a piece. I always welcome someone volunteering to provide items for the Raffle. See me at a meeting or call 985-2950.

Ruth Whitaker

OCTOBER RAFFLE BLOCK

FALL PUMPKINS

Block drawing will be at the October Meeting

Fall is really about to be upon us so we want to be ready with some pretty pumpkin blocks.

Cutting Instructions –

Background (any neutral)

- Cut 4 -- 1 1/2" squares (corners)
- Cut 2 -- 2 3/8" x 2" rectangles (for beside stem)
- Cut 1 – 1 3/4" square (stem backgrd)

Pumpkin (any shade of orange)

- Cut 1 – 4 x 5 1/2" rectangle (pumpkin)

Stem (black or dark brown)

- Cut 1 – 1 3/4" x 2" rectangle (stem)



Sewing Instructions --

Mark a diagonal line (or iron a crease) in the 4 corner square background pieces.

Place on the 4 corners of the orange rectangle and sew diagonally on the marked lines.

Press toward the corner and cut out excess fabric between the rectangle and the orange.



Similarly, mark or iron diagonal on 1 3/4" background square. Place right side down onto the black rectangle, aligning the top edge. Sew on marked line, press toward corner and cut out excess background fabric.

Note: Black purposefully extends beyond the sewn triangle.

Next, sew the remaining background rectangles, one on each side of the stem. Press to outside. Sew that assembly to the pumpkin section. Completed block should measure 5 1/2" square.



Raffle Block team – Sue McGuire (482-3075), Jeanette Mann (372-3216),
& Carolyn McCray (372-4875). Call us if you have questions.



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October Sales

- Oct. 6 & 7: 20% off red fabric
- Oct. 13 & 14: 20% off one notion
- Oct. 20 & 21: 20% off yellow fabric
- Oct. 27 & 28: 20% off batting

New at Yankee Pride

- *Collections Warmth by Moda
- *More Christmas fabrics
- *New books & patterns

October Classes

- *Hand Appliqué
- *T-Shirt Quilt
- *9-Patch Baby Quilt
- *Common Bride Quilt Club
- *Christmas Charm Tree Skirt
- *Snowman Appliqué Wall Hanging
- *Tea Leaf Table Topper
- *Double Wedding Ring Table Runner

Don't miss the Champlain Valley Quilt Show
Oct. 20 & 21 at The Field House in Shelburne!