

Quilters Guild of the Bluegrass

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Sept 12th Meeting

- 6:00 — Refreshments — Make your own Sundae!
- 6:30 — Meeting
- State Fair Quilts Show! QGBG Members' entries!
- Guest Speaker: Mary Hixson, National Sewing Month
- Pillowcase kits available
- Bring fabric for future pillowcase projects
- Show & Tell—share your latest projects!

Looking ahead...

Sept 12—Guild Meeting

Sept 15 & 16—SIT & SEW—Pillowcases

Sept 16—National Jelly Roll Day!*

*Must have registered for class

Oct 10—Guild Meeting—Turn in Pillowcases

Oct 13 & 14—SIT & SEW

Nov 14—Guild Meeting—Collecting for "Joy of Giving"

Nov 17 & 18—Sit & Sew



Joy of Giving



As a Homemaker Club, we participate in the Cooperative Extension "Joy of Giving" drive. We will collect gift items for the military serving overseas and the elderly residing in local nursing homes. A complete list will be provided soon but you might begin thinking about collecting items:

Socks, personal care items such as lotion, hard candies, playing cards, throw blankets, hats, gloves, word game books, etc.

These items will be collected at the November meeting.

Heartland of KY Quilt Show

Sept. 22 & 23

111 Opportunity Way
Elizabethtown, Kentucky, 42701

9:00-4:00, \$6 fee

Quilts, vendors, bed turning
Always a Terrific Show!



5th Annual Kids Quilt Show

10/21/23 South Central Regional Library,
7300 Jefferson Blvd, Louisville KY 40219
www.nimblethimbles.com

www.eventbrite.com/e/kids-quilt-show-tickets

Register by October 1, 2023

No Limits—No Themes—No Judging

~Do you love to TEACH?~

Eager to share your quilting
knowledge and skills?

The QGBG Board voted to allow treasury funds to be used for instruction of classes for guild members. It will benefit our instructing members by allowing them to be paid for their valuable skills and time. We are hoping these classes can be taught during Sit & Sew, depending on space availability. Details will follow at the September meeting. Please contact a Board member if you are interested in teaching to discuss how, when, etc.

The votes are in!

Coming soon to QGBG...

- Hand Quilting
- Label Making—How to & WHY!
- Quilter's Yard Sale!
- Paper Piecing
- Confetti Piecing
- Block history
- Painting Barn Quilts
- Quilted Tote

All this & more!



From our August meeting:

From Quilter of the month, Sue Tucker

Thank you for sharing your beautiful creations, Sue! I am sure you and your daughter, Kim, have treasured your time together as you have created these lovely works!



Show & Tell



Pillowcase Project

We were given a large amount of fun Halloween fabric at the last meeting. It will be cut, placed in kits and available at the September meeting. Your help is needed to whip these into charming pillowcases for the kiddos at the Methodist Children's Home! Liz Kingsland will explain pillowcase assembly at the Friday

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Sew (9/15/23). The pillowcases will need to be turned in at the Oct 10th meeting for delivery. Question: are these for pillows or will they be filled with trick-or-treat candy??? Or BOTH?

AND....

As discussed at the August meeting, please look through your fabric stash and bring fabrics to the September meeting: 2 yards of coordinating fabric (1 yard each) will make two pillowcases. This fabric will be held for future pillowcase drives.



Refreshments Scoop!

Thank you to Ashley Nguyen, Barbara McGovern & Karen Graham for the fabulous luau treats at the August meeting!

As a reminder, we will not have a meal at the September meeting. We are having an Ice Cream Social: make your own banana split or sundae with all the great toppings. Lactose & Gluten-free ice cream will be available.

Dale Rosine, Terri Krause & Susan Gibson will help Pam Pfister with the September treats.



As always, after-meeting cleanup help is greatly appreciated!

Refreshments Calendar Based on recent sign-ups:

If you haven't had a chance to sign up yet, please see Pam Pfister at any meeting.

September: Ice Cream Social
Terri Krause, Dale Rosine & Susan Gibson

October: Chili Cookoff
Kellie Wade, Kelly Lopiccallo
Jean Scaravilli

November: Gratitude!
Theresa Brown, Dawn Bowles & Rachel Robertson

December: Festivities!
Catered Holiday Meal

January: Appetizers
Peggy Mitchell, Debbie Harper, Teresa Fritz

February: "Just Desserts"
Sue Lucas, Diane Fearn-Derosiers, Susan Gibson

March: Luck o' the Irish?
Pam Johnston, Brenda Richards, Carolyn Elliott

April: Jennifer Olsen & Pat Dillon

May: Johnny Orono & Diane Lowe

June: Annual Potluck

October Chili Cookoff & Costume Contest!

We will discuss this at our September meeting, so dust off your best recipe, whip up your costume & get ready!

