

Mountain Meadow Quilters

November 2018



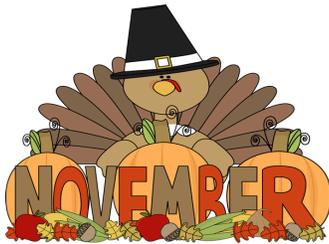
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Our Mission

Mountain Meadow Quilters shall promote the art of quilt making through education and charitable giving. All levels of skill and ability shall be encouraged and supported.



CALENDAR

Nov 6 ***Service Sit-n-Sew
Nov 13 *Program—COMQG
Nov 20 ****Applique Group
Nov 25 Dec/Jan Newsletter Deadline
Dec 11 *****Holiday Luncheon

(Further details in newsletter)

*SHARC
***Homestead Quilts
****Bevalee Runner's Home
*****Great Hall, Sunriver Resort

Thoughts from the President...

That time of year is here when certain trees take on colorful costumes to compensate us for the cold winter weather we will soon be facing. Now is when people start preparing for Thanksgiving. You know roast turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, stuffing, pies. A full day, or maybe a full weekend of football. What else could anyone ask for?

Well, I sure can appreciate the food but I'm not into football. So this year I've spent some time learning about what Americans call the first Thanksgiving which by the way happened in 1624, not 1620. The people we call the pilgrims were just every day people, no one royal or noble were included. They were English citizens who didn't like what was happening in their country.

There were two ships that were engaged to take them to the New World, the Mayflower and the Speedwell. The Speedwell was the smaller of the two and experienced problems with leaking twice before it was abandoned and the final group of 102 passengers got underway. They shared their small quarters not only with all of their food supplies, which were already low but also with their belongings to start their new lives and with their dogs, cats, sheep, goats, poultry and pigs. They had spent a month and a half living aboard ship waiting for repairs, spent two months September to November sailing across the Atlantic Ocean, not a good time to be crossing. When they got to the New World there was no shelter, no crops and their supplies were at a dangerous level. They spent the first winter aboard ship. Nearly half of them died mostly from the unsanitary conditions on board.

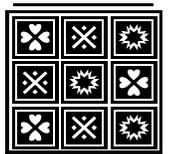
They gave up a lot to come to this part of the world and when they got here it was only the beginning. By the time they celebrated the first Thanksgiving, there were only four women left in the group. It's a good thing there were indians here, the Wampanoag tribe, to help them and show them how to survive.

These are just a few of the fascinating facts regarding the Pilgrims and the settlement at Plymouth, Mass. If you have time, take a few minutes to learn some of the others.

See you soon, Sandy

MASTER QUILTERS

Lillian Arnold, Sharann Bean, Mary Buxton, Pauly Edwards, Bev King, Crys Kyle, Gladys Mulrein, Bevalee Runner, Carol Webb, Wendy Hill, Sue McMahan, Judy A. Johnson, Joan Metzger, Kathy Shaker, Valerie Weber, Sarah Kaufman, Tammy MacArthur, Linda Saukkonen, Barb Lowery, Dolores Petty, Michelle McMicken, Marleen Fugate, Pat Jones & Dorothy Spain.



PROGRAM MEETING
November 13—10 am @ SHARC
"Central Oregon Modern Quilt Guild"

Central Oregon Modern Quilt Guild is the local chapter of the national Modern Quilt Guild. We are a casual group that enjoys getting together to share our love of quilting and meet 2-3 times per month. On the first Tuesday of each month we meet at BJ's Quilt Basket for our primary monthly meeting. Each month we also have a Sew Day at Sew Many Quilts on the third Sunday of the month, which gives members the opportunity to get together and sew. Occasionally we meet on the third Tuesday of each month at the Stitchin Post for a casual meeting where we primarily sit and sew. Each year we make a charity quilt for display at QuiltCon, the largest Modern Quilt Show put on by the National Guild. Our guild also has an annual quilt challenge, a voluntary activity for members, and exhibit these quilts at the Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show.

MMQ 2020 RETREAT
Riverhouse on the Deschutes
Bend, Oregon
MAY 12-14, 2020

Your 2020 Retreat Team is thrilled to host Maggie Ball (Traditional, Bargello with a Twist). Her website is: www.dragonflyquilts.com and Cynthia England (Landscape, Tranquil Lake or Smoky Mountain). Her website is: www.englishdesign.com.

In addition, we will have a Sit and Sew for independent sewing. If you haven't registered, it isn't too late. First come, first served. Classes are limited to 20 each. If a class is full, you will be placed on a wait list. Please contact Julia Jeans (julia@threaddancing.com or 541-728-1286).

If you would like to request or contribute to the Angel Fund for retreat scholarships, please contact Mindy Wolfman (mindywolfman@gmail.com or 916-216-6463).

Please follow directions on the Take Home Flyer regarding setting up your lodging. Details about the instructors are on that flyer as well.

Questions? Requests for flyers? Contact Heidi Thaut, Chair (heidi@sugarplumquilts.com or 541-241-3756 or 520-306-8382)



EDUCATION MEETINGS
@ BJ's Quilt Basket—10 am

The following is a list of Education Meeting Topics and Presenters for the remainder of 2018:

- Nov 27 No meeting—Thanksgiving Holiday
- Dec 25 No meeting—Christmas

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

The big reveal of "Journey Home" was in October. Bring your finished quilt at a future "show and tell". At the January education meeting, Nancy Fischer will begin a new quilt... "traditional mystery".

SERVICE QUILT SIT-N-SEW

TUESDAY—NOVEMBER 6—10 am to 2 pm

Service Quilt Sit-n-Sew sessions are held the first Tuesday of each month at Homestead Quilts in La Pine. We meet from 10 am to approximately 2 pm. Please bring your sewing machine and a potluck item to share.

At the November session, we will continue working on various service quilt projects started at previous meetings.

If you would like to help out by machine quilting or tying service quilts, please contact Denise Meese at 541-771-9114.

Upcoming Sit-n-Sew Sessions: We plan to meet on Tuesday, December 4 for the final session of 2018. We will not be meeting in January 2019, as the first Tuesday of the month is January 1 (New Year's Day). Sit-n-Sew sessions will resume in February 2019.

Our thanks to Homestead Quilts for donating their classroom.

QUIET THOSE CELL PHONES!

Please quiet your cell phone before all meetings. If you are expecting an important call, switch it to vibrate and exit the meeting room to take your call. Thank you.

APPLIQUÉ GROUP

The appliqué group meets the third Tuesday of each month from 9:30 am to 12 noon at the home of Bevalee Runner. The theme for 2019 is "sea life".





NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Nov 3	Linda Heiney
Nov 7	Debbie Derheimer
Nov 7	Dorothy Spain
Nov 7	Nicole Hileman
Nov 13	Becky Mallatt
Nov 23	Jane Billingsley
Nov 24	Kathleen Peters
Nov 25	Lindsey Pavel
Nov 26	Bette Rhodaback
Nov 26	Kristin Shields
Nov 28	Linda Bussey
Nov 29	Anne Core



REMINDER: On your birthday month, please bring 12 rolls of toilet paper to the SHARC for Care and Share. The donation will be taken to Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Thank you and Happy Birthday!

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

The deadline for the December/January newsletter is November 25. Please note that your article will need to contain information for both December and January as the next newsletter will not be until February.

Please send newsletter articles to:
Nancy Fischer, Newsletter Director,
at mmqnewsletter@gmail.com.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS @ MEETINGS

Check out the white board at MMQ meetings. All upcoming MMQ events and other quilt-related events will be listed. Thank you for keeping us organized Michelle!!!

If you are aware of an event or are scheduling an event or class, please send the information (via email) to Michelle McMicken. As MMQ secretary she will be posting the information.

Email: house64mouse@aol.com.

HEARING DEVICES AT SHARC

SHARC has 12 hearing devices for people to use while attending a meeting at SHARC. No charge. See the person at the check-in desk at SHARC.

SHOW AND TELL

Please remember that show and tell is limited to 2 items that have not been previously shown. Thank you for your cooperation.

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SNACK HOSTESSES

Nov 13 Connie Cleveland
Sharon Travis
Margaret Stulbarg

Nov 27 No meeting

Dec 11 Holiday Luncheon

Dec 25 No meeting



PARKING AT BJ'S QUILT BASKET For 4th Tuesday Meetings

What fun to hold our fourth Tuesday meeting each month at BJ's!! Thank you to Kathy and her staff!

A few parking reminders: please leave 5-6 spots free in front of the shop for BJ's customers. The majority of MMQ members should park across the street along the side of JoAnn's. Please leave the parking spots in the BJ's parking lot for those unable to walk across the street. If you are bringing sewing machines or other items to the meeting, please unload at the side entrance and then move your car to the JoAnn's parking lot. Please do not arrive before 9:15 am and please use the side entrance.

LUCKY DRAWING RECIPIENTS! - Oct 9

Quilt Shop / Sewing Machine Shop Donations:

- BJ's Quilt Basket	Winner: Renee Peters
- Cynthia's Sewing Center	Winner: Marcia Schonlau
- High Mountain Fabrics	Winner: Valoy Freeman
- Homestead Quilts #1	Winner: Mary Tiden
- Homestead Quilts #2	Winner: Martie Helmreich
- Material Girl Fabrics	Winner: Patty Gates
- Morrow's Sewing	Winner: Kathleen Garton
- QuiltWorks	Winner: Melinda Stanley
- Sew Many Quilts	Winner: Barb Owens
- Stitchin' Post	Winner: Heidi Thaut
- Thread Dancing	Winner: Michelle Mullenberg

Kathy Deggendorfer:

- Mugs:	Winner: Connie Campbell
	Winner: Linda Heiney
- Wallets:	Winner: Robin Bracken
	Winner: Loretta Smith
	Winner: Judy Long
- Maywood Kits:	Winner: Lynda Campbell
	Winner: Jeri Barton

Book Drawings:

- Book #1	Winner: Robin Bracken
- Book #2	Winner: Diana Gonce

A big thank you to the quilt shops and sewing machine shops for their donations.

MMQ HOLIDAY LUNCHEON Great Hall—Sunriver, Oregon Tuesday, December 11

The annual MMQ Holiday Luncheon is just around the corner. This is the last meeting for our President Sandy Schmidgall and the first meeting for our next President Robin Bracken. We will be saying our thank yous to every one of our outgoing chair persons and welcome to the new ones. There are also a few awards to be bestowed and the Master Quilter to be recognized. And of course, party time with presents for all.

The celebration will be held on Dec. 11 at the Great Hall in Sunriver. The doors will open at 11 AM. The Dining Hall will open at 11:30 AM with lunch served at 12 noon. The menu this year will feature grilled chicken breast and end with Marionberry cobbler. The cost for this gala will be \$27 and the deadline to get this money to Sue Humiston is Dec. 4th to insure the right amount of lunches will be prepared. Special diets will be accommodated, just let us know. Your holiday quilts are also needed to deck the Great Hall. These are to be given to Sue Humiston and will be returned right after the luncheon. Make sure you have your name on your quilts for ease of return. Please feel free to contact any of the Christmas party committee members if you have any questions concerning this fun event.

2018 Board Members and Committees

Board Members

President.....	Sandra Schmidgall
Vice President.....	Robin Bracken
Programs.....	Candace Ruland/Joy Ryan
Education	Michael Carriger
Secretary	Michelle McMicken
Treasurer	Mindy Wolfman
Membership.....	Sally Wilson
Newsletter.....	Nancy Fischer
Newsletter Assistant.....	Lavelle Wallace
Service Projects.....	Denise Meese/Sandy Mahnken/Barb Owens/Kathy Greenleaf
Immediate Past President.....	Patty Gates

Committees

Holiday Party.....	Sue Humiston/Barb Owens/Robin Bracken
Hospitality.....	Marleen Fugate/Christine Watkins
Greeters.....	Caroline Lincoln/Heidi Thaut
Room monitor for BJ's.....	Sandy Mahnken
Secret Pals.....	Barb Owens
Communications / Webmistress.....	Louise Yoshihara
Drawings.....	Valerie Weber/Pat Jones
Sister's Quilt Show.....	Julia Jeans/Susan Campbell
Sunriver Quilt Show.....	Bonnie Schaefer/Penny Ueek
Sunriver Quilt Show Volunteers.....	Linda Heiney
Bazaar	Jeri Barton
Workshops.....	Dorothy Spain/Linda Ehrich
Applique.....	Bevalee Runner
2020 Retreat Chair.....	Heidi Thaut
Historian.....	Jan Beeson
Block of the Month.....	Nancy Fischer
Technique of the Month.....	Debra Ewing
Outreach.....	Michael Carriger

SECRET PALS LUNCHEON

You are invited to a luncheon where you will learn who to thank for the wonderful goodies you have gotten through the year. Tuesday, December 4, at 11:30 am at Marcia Schonlau's home located at 4 Beech Lane, Sunriver. 541-598-7707. Please RSVP to Barbara Owens, 541-536-2180.

Directions: Coming into Sunriver from the east on Cottonwood proceed to Circle 10; take the second exit back onto Cottonwood. You are looking for the second left; Beaver is the first left; continue past Beaver on Cottonwood to Mugho and turn left. Beech Lane is almost immediately to your left. There are only 8 houses on the cul-de-sac. Marcia's is #4. You can park in #5 if our driveway is full.

If you have any food allergies, please let Barb or Marcia know.



BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES—October 9, 2018

Meeting was called to order by President, Sandy Schmidgall @ 10:00 a.m.

Greeter: Heidi Thaut reported we had two visitors today. **Hospitality:** Christine Watkins reported the treats were provided by LaWanda Richardson, Betty Vincent, Kathleen Garton and Marie Hansen. "Thinking of You's": Marleen Fugate has had a knee replacement. JoJo Powell's sister, Jane, needs cancer care: chemo and radiation, please pray for her. **Announcements:** Robin Bracken passed around her sheet of officers for next year, there are still two vacancies. **Program:** Candace Ruland wanted to thank Joy Ryan for all the help she has given for the past year; she said she worked really hard. Candace introduced our speaker for today, Kathy Deggendorfer and her aide Annette; both are affiliated with the Stitchin' Post in Sisters. Her family has been associated with fabric/clothing but it skipped her generation; she is a painter. However; she is not far from quilting. What she paints is very adaptable for quilting. She says I paint and they quilt. She sketches in a book and designs fabric for Maywood Studios. She has a whole line of camping fabric, including panels. She has a new line of fabric coming out in the spring. Her fabric has lots of patterning and texture with a distinctive, recognizable look. She has had her designs made into tiles and has sold murals. She has also designed the Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show Poster several times. In fact, she is designing the 2019 Poster and it will have a Farmers Market Theme.

Break

Minutes: The minutes from the September 11, 2018, Business Meeting, were motioned, seconded and approved. No corrections needed. **Treasurer's Report:** Mindy Wolfman reported the Checking Account balance as \$4700 and the Savings Account balance as \$9200. (\$3500 belongs to the Excess Funds Committee and \$5700 belongs to the Retreat Fund.) The Treasurer's report was motioned, seconded and approved with no corrections. The budget for the year is still in okay shape even though the income is down 10%. Some committees have had lower expenses than were budgeted.

Membership: No report. **Communications and Website:** Louise Yoshihara is out of town 10/16 - 10/23. Send all requests to Sally Wilson. **Program:** Candace Ruland announced the speaker(s) for November will be The Modern Quilt Guild of Central Oregon. **Education:** Mike Carriger stated the 10/23 Education Meeting will feature Sandy Schmidgall instructing "Quilt as You Go". There is no Education Meeting in November. He also stated the Website Committee will start meeting monthly; the second Wednesday of the month at he and Louise's home. They are hoping to switch from the old website to the new in January. **Outreach:** No report. **Sunriver Quilt Show:** Bonnie Schaefer announced she is starting a Round Robin Quilt project. Those interested should stay after the Education Meeting in October to be set up in groups and given instructions. **Sisters Quilt Show:** Julia Jeans showed a couple of quilts which would meet the criteria for "Baskets of Plenty" for next year's theme; 40" minimum and 103" maximum as the size. The quilts need to be registered by December, instructions are in the Newsletter. Cynthia Gore donated several blocks of appliqued baskets and Heidi Thaut volunteered to put them together in a quilt. **Bazaar:** Dorothy Spain stated there is a Craft Fair on 11/17 in LaPine. They will be selling the items they have been making. **Service Projects:** Denise is out of town, but Barb Owens brought in and showed many of the quilts that have been made and will be donated. She also has projects needing quilting and binding. Please volunteer!



BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES—October 9, 2018

Newsletter: The next newsletter deadline is 10/25/2018 for the November newsletter. Send articles to: mmqnewsletter@gmail.com. Nancy Fischer announced the reveal of the BOM mystery quilt will be at the next Education Meeting. **Holiday Party:** Sue Humiston reported the Holiday Party would be on 12/11/2018 (our regular meeting day). The luncheon will cost \$27; this includes the beautiful venue (The Great Hall in Sunriver), all tips, coffee/tea and lunch. There will be table favors and gifts. The doors open at 11:30 am and lunch will be served at Noon. Give your check/money to Sue Humiston. **Retreat:** Heidi Thaut provided a slide show about the 2020 Retreat and had sign-ups for the instructor you wanted or if you were doing the Sit N' Sew. Deposits were made. The two instructors are Cynthia England and Maggie Ball. **Applique:** Many have asked when Bevalee Runner will be teaching the "Free Motion Quilting Class" at B.J.'s again; well, it will be on 10/24 from 10 - 4. The next Applique Meeting is 10/16/2018 at Bev's home. **Secret Pals:** Barb Owens stated the Secret Pals "reveal" luncheon will be December 4, 2018, at Marcia Schonlau's home at 11:00. Don't forget your Christmas present for your Secret Pal and a little something for the person you received your gifts from.

New Business: Only one nomination was made for Master Quilter. The nomination was for Dorothy Spain. A hand vote was made and Dorothy Spain will be the Master Quilter for 2018. Congratulations!

Old Business: None.

"Show and Tell": Occurred.

"Drawings": Occurred.

Meeting adjourned at 12:30 pm.

Minutes prepared by Michelle McMicken, Secretary

REQUEST FOR IDEAS FOR 2019 BAZAAR

All MMQ members have great ideas! Please submit yours. We want to hear from everyone. Think Marketing 101. Google "craft vendor ideas".

Please submit:

1. Good ideas for items to make and sell. If you can, send photos and fabric options (and where to source them)
2. Ideas for displaying our merchandise to best draw interest to our awesome inventory.
3. Ideas for a catchier name for our "bazaar".

If you submit an idea, your name will be included in drawings at the November 13th meeting.



MMQ 2018 BOM "Journey Home"
(before machine quilting)



BOARD MEETING MINUTES
SHARC—Sunriver, Oregon
October 9, 2018

Sandy Schmidgall called the meeting to order.

Attendance: The following people were in attendance: Sandy Schmidgall, Robin Bracken, Mike Carriger, Nancy Fischer, Ruth Kinane, Judy A. Johnson, Barb Owens, Bonnie Schaefer, Dorothy Spain, Sally Wilson and Mindy Wolfman

Approval of Board Meeting Minutes: Sandy Schmidgall asked if there were any corrections to the Board meeting minutes from meetings held on July 24, 2018 and September 20, 2018. There were no corrections. The minutes from both Board meetings were approved.

New Registration Form for Sunriver Quilt Show: A new registration form was discussed for the Sunriver Quilt Show. Items to be included on the registration form:

- Size of Quilt
- Year Made
- Has the quilt been shown in the Sunriver Quilt Show before?
- If entering more than one quilt, the quilts should be listed in preference they should be hung.
- If quilt cannot be hung, would you like it held back for another show or hung later in the day to replace a quilt that has been sold?

Registration form will be due at the June 25, 2019 Education meeting instead of the July 1 due date, which was originally discussed at the Board meeting on September 20, 2018. There will be a separate form for Special Exhibit Quilts and those quilts will be collected no later than the July 23, 2019 Education meeting. Regular quilts will be handed in at take-in, which normally occurs the 2 days before the Sunriver Quilt Show. Bonnie Schaefer and Debra Ewing will make up the two forms.

Location of Quilt Outlet and Other Vendors: A discussion was held on the location of The Quilt Outlet and other vendors. It had been suggested that The Quilt Outlet could move to the grass area next to the Bazaar. Mindy Wolfman felt it should stay in its current location. There was more discussion and it was decided to table this item for a future Board meeting when there is more information on the setup of the 2019 Sunriver Quilt Show.

Excess Funds—Extra Racks and Vertical Display for Bazaar: Ruth Kinane has been looking at various ways to change the Bazaar layout; using more vertical displays, bins on their side, etc. She will present prototypes or photos to the Board to see ways we can change the Bazaar. Another thought was to change the name. The Redmond Quilt Guild used the name "Country Store". It was mentioned that we do have to keep in mind the name of The Quilt Outlet when choosing a name for the Bazaar.



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SHARC—Sunriver, Oregon
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Excess Funds - Extra Racks for Meeting Room: Ruth Kinane has ordered two racks that can be used for Programs. In the past, we have had to borrow from the Mount Bachelor Quilt Guild.

Miscellaneous: Bonnie Schaefer has job descriptions for committee chairs for the Sunriver Quilt Show. She noted that the Quilt Hanging Chair (Debra Ewing) is not under Logistics. It is a separate committee under the Sunriver Quilt Show.

The Sunriver Quilt Show has a banner with a logo, which needs approval by the SROA. Bonnie Schaefer suggested that this be sent into the SROA now for review by the Design Committee so that it is approved before we make our application. Nancy Fischer will request a picture of the banner from Pat Jones and get it submitted to the SROA.

Ruth Kinane suggested that we have a "suggestion box" at the MMQ business meetings starting in January. We would ask members for suggestions on all things related to MMQ. If a member drops a suggestion in the "suggestion box" their name could be put into a drawing to win an item during drawings. This would be separate from other drawing items. Ruth Kinane volunteered to handle the "suggestion box".

Mindy Wolfman made the comment that MMQ needs to be aware of not hiring their own members to perform services for MMQ. A service performed as a donation is appropriate.

There was a discussion on how the featured quilter is chosen for the Sunriver Quilt Show. In the past, it was chosen by the President and was not necessarily a Master Quilter. Recently, the featured quilter has been a Master Quilter from a previous year, but not necessarily the most recent year. The consensus was that the featured quilter should be a Master Quilter from the previous year and also one that has not been the featured quilter at the Sunriver Quilt Show.

Bonnie Schaefer asked if she can continue to give a small item to volunteers for the Sunriver Quilt Show. In 2018 it was a fat quarter and a small pattern card. For 2019, she should like it to be a small handmade item. This will be a budgeted item.

Mindy Wolfman asked that in anticipation of approving the budget in January that you look at the current budget, which can be found on the website, and get back to her with any changes for your area that you may have. Sandy Schmidgall adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Fischer (for Michelle McMicken)





THREAD DANCING BY JULIA JEANS

Long Arm Quilting Services AND Long Arm Machine Rentals...

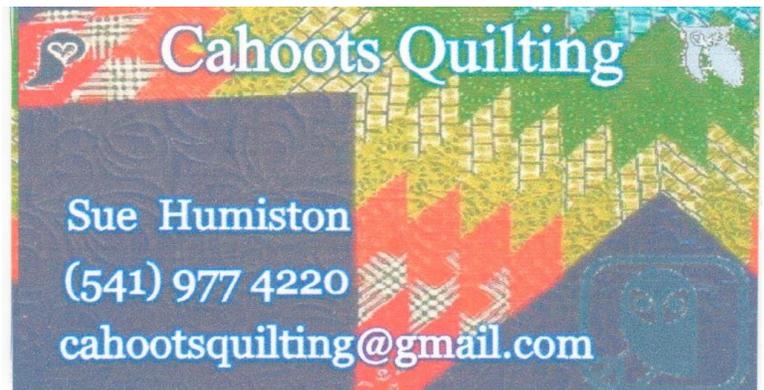
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For more information on quilting services, class sign ups and machine rentals, please call or email Julia Jeans @ (541) 728 -1286 / Julia@Threaddancing.com.

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Sue and Matt Humiston (mom and son) of Cahoots Quilting are now available to quilt your quilt tops. Our new Longarm machine will accommodate quilts up to 14 feet wide. We can do computerized edge to edge programs, custom programs and free motion. Borders and sashes are not a problem. As guild members we can pick up and deliver at the meetings or will be happy to make other arrangements. Give us your quilt project and the second project will be 25% off.

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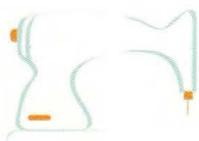
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A Word from Our Sponsors!

With donations, classroom space, and special activities, local businesses have supported our guild. We greatly appreciate their support and through a monthly news column we want to promote their businesses. Please start reading below and the following pages to find the latest news:

BJ'S QUILT BASKET

Hello From BJ's!

Shop Hop was great fun, thank you all for making the trek to visit all 7 shops. We will have a fall shop hop again next year, although the date is likely to change a bit to minimize the chance of snowy weather. Stayed tuned for that.

We are offering some fun Block of the Month quilts again next year and we hope you will join us. You can sign up in the shop or online (coming very soon!). I have wanted to make Jen Kingwell's "Long Time Gone" quilt for ages, now I will have an excuse! We are also offering a gorgeous quilt made with sea glass-inspired batiks and another in fun contemporary prints from Moda. Give us a call or check our website for details, and we hope to see you on the first Saturday in January when the fun begins!

I hate to be the bearer of bad news, but a few fabric companies have announced price hikes. Boo hiss! Most quilt-shop-quality printed fabrics are made in Japan or South Korea, so I don't think the price increase is due to tariffs (but what do I know?). The good news is that prices for digitally printed goods are coming down, and in many cases are now comparable to screen printed fabrics. I do my best to keep you supplied with drool-worthy fabrics, and some of the new digital prints are definitely in that category!

Our annual year-end clearance sale runs from November 29 through December 2. We'd rather sell it than count it! Watch our website for more details. Until next month, may your bobbin be full!

—Kathy

HIGH MOUNTAIN FABRICS

Open Tuesday—Friday: 10-4

Open Saturday and Monday: 10-2

Closed on Sunday!

HOMESTEAD QUILTS AND GALLERY

Well here we are in the month of November, its hard to believe that we are nearing the end of the year. You still have time to get those Christmas gifts done and are here to help with whatever you need.

We had a great Fall Shop Hop and thank everyone who came out and supported the shops. We are still receiving new fabrics, notions, books, patterns and yarns so come and see what we have. Don't forget to come down on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month for your 20% off. Just a reminder that we will be closed on Thanksgiving Day, and we will open back up on Friday the 23rd. We hope you all have a great day with your friends and family.

Our new class schedule is in the works so if you are wanting a specific class please call and let us know.

If you have not been able to make it down we have our driveway back open and street lights are up and working. The next step is for the planting.

Happy Quilting,
Cathy and Staff

MATERIAL GIRL FABRICS

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QUILTWORKS NOVEMBER 2018 SHOP NEWS

QuiltWorks Gallery - Our November Quilt Gallery features the November Inspirations Small Quilt Show. Customers are invited to submit "small quilts" and all quilts are voted on during the month. The top three vote-getters will receive gift certificates at the December First Friday reception.

November 2nd First Friday - Our reception honoring our exhibitors will be from 5 to 7 PM. There will be snacks, a sale, door prizes and more!

Second Saturday Strip Club Announcement - Come to our November 10th Strip Club for fun, education, prizes, tease bags, show & tell and a surprise performance!

QuiltWorks Fall Classes - Go online to look at our fall class schedule lineup or come by the shop and pick up a schedule.

Sew Teach Me - is a non-profit organization started at QuiltWorks. We match trained and screen mentors with children to teach them how to sew at no costs. Matches are made based on mutually available times and the community donates pre-cut and pre-packaged kits for projects. For more information visit sewteachme.org or come in the shop for an application.

Sew Teach Me Promotion - Marilyn is doing power point presentations throughout the state of Oregon and Washington promoting the STM program. If anyone has friends, quilting or sewing connections that would be interested in learning more about Sew Teach Me let Marilyn know as she sets up her calendar.

December January Quilt Gallery - We invite mini-groups to share group challenges for our December January exhibit. If you are part of a mini-group and have a challenge contact marilyn@quiltworks.com

QuiltWorks Longarm Quilting - QuiltWorks has two great quilters for our longarm quilting services, Vickie Minor and Karen "KD" Dougan. We offer edge to edge quilting.

Monthly Get-Togethers open to all:

Woolie Mammoths - 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, Noon to 4PM

Days for Girls - Meets the 1st and 3rd Mondays from 10:30 to 2:30

Applique Group - Meets the 1st Tuesday of every month, 10 to 12 noon

Thanks for being great customers!

—Marilyn and everyone from QuiltWorks

SEW MANY QUILTS & BERNINA CENTER

Looks like we may be waving goodbye to our Indian Summer, doesn't it? As we write this, the wind is turning the parking lot yellow and orange with leaves. And just how many hours have YOU spent outside doing fall cleanup?

Friday, November 16 is the start of Bernina's Holiday Financing offer. Buy an 880 Plus, a 790 Plus or a 770QE (all Anniversary Editions), and you'll qualify for 0% interest for 48 months with approved credit. Come in and see us for details. We have them in stock and ready to go home with you. November's "Foot of the Month" isn't a foot! Bernina is offering 25% off the Magnifying Lens set for your machine.



Great news! Our Bernina Factory Certified Technician is back from his road trip, ready to clean, oil and adjust your sewing machine so it is in tip top condition for the holidays. Are you thinking about Christmas? Come in to Sew Many Quilts for lots of inspiration to make your decor or gifts.

Classes are in full swing at Sew Many Quilts. Beginning Free Motion Quilting is scheduled right after Thanksgiving - we know several of you are waiting for it to be offered again, so be sure to sign up right away. Pat's class always fills quickly. Check out Twister Tray with Gail on November 16 - it uses the Bosal stiffener, and will brighten your holiday decor! Fairly new on the sewing and quilting scene is CORK. We now stock cork in several colors, and will be offering a machine embroidery class called Cork Bloom Bags the first week of December. Try something new!

We value your business and treasure your friendship!

Happy Thanksgiving!

—Sharon, Gail and the staff at Sew Many Quilts

THE STITCHIN' POST

Hello,

It certainly is feeling like the creative season with the cooler weather and leaves falling. It makes me want to sew, and that I am doing. It seems like there is always something to make. I have seen so many of you planning projects this fall, and can't wait to see the show and tell. I wanted to call your attention to some of the happenings going on at The Stitchin' Post this time of year.

* Val and I will be at quilt market in Houston finding all kinds of new products and fabric for the coming season.

* **November 10 ... PJ Sale**, our second most famous event of the year. This is an early bird sale and from 6:30 to 8:30 it is 30% off but if you are wearing pajamas it is another 5%= 35%.....the discount goes down from there throughout the day. The restaurants in town love this day since many of you go to breakfast with your friends.

* **Fabric Arrivals:** designer flannel prints great for PJ Pants, Spotted Collection of textured solids from Moda, Mer Batik from Windham (pink and grey batik collection - we will have a kit), Virtuosa from Art Gallery, a fabulous group from Bari J.

* **Classes:** Tiny House Trio and Holiday Postcards with Tonye Phillips, Eco-Printed Scarf with Casey Newman, Cork Purses and Totes with Lorraine Wilkens, Boot Camp Beginning Quilting with Lawry Thorn, Metolius (fish quilt) with me (Jean), Mini Mystery with Lawry, Jen Kingwell Sewing Circle with Anna Bates and Shannon Poe, ongoing Adventures in Art Quilting with me, Knit Your Spirit Tailgating Party with Pat Drake, & Block Print Gifts with Valori Wells

*November 23, 24, 25: Christmas in the Mountains Gift Gallery

* December 1: Kathy Deggendorfer and Friends Holiday Open House at Artworks in Sisters (204 W Adams -Ash and Adams) 9 to 3 (This is always a very fun event with wonderful finds for the holidays)

See you on the 10th in your jammies!
—Jean

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