Buckeye Blossoms

Quilt Guild

Number 284

*Guild Purpose: The purpose of the guild is to promote the understanding and appreciation of the art*

*of quilt making, to expand the preservation of our quilt heritage, and to provide the skills and knowledge of members as a service to the community.*

July 8, 2015

Editor: Donna McDade

**TONIGHT’S PROGRAM**

We will vote on whether to continue the Spring Retreat at Golden Eagle in Palestine or move it to Higher Ground Retreat Center in West Harrison, IN.

Machine Appliqué

Tips and tricks for improving the look of your Machine appliqué projects.

## August meeting: Hand Appliqué

## September meeting: Machine Quilting

Tips and tricks on improving the look of your machine appliqué projects.

**Next Mtg. Dates: Aug. 12**

Saturday Sews

July 11 – “Christmas in July” Franklin Public Library

Aug. 8 – Quilts of Valor Work Day – Franklin Public Library

The wiki space URL is: bbqg.wikispaces.com

Directions for the Mystery Quilt are on the website. If you have no internet access, Ginny has printed copies.

Mini Treasurer’s report

General funds =$ 3,524.29

Retreat funds = $ 3,644.80

Quilt Shows

**May 30 to Labor Day** Dairy Barn, Athens OH. [www.dairybarn.org](http://www.dairybarn.org). Contemporary quilts.

**July 17-18** Mansfield OH, U.A.W. Local 549 Hall

12th Annual Blufton Fall Festival & Quilt Show Bluffton Middle School, Bluffton, OH [www.fisllc.com](http://www.fisllc.com/)

4th Street. Lynn Kerr - 419-512-4784 or Judy Gilbert - 419-989-3460 [mmquiltguild@yahoo.com](mailto:mmquiltguild@yahoo.com)

**July, 2015 TBD** Sew n Sews’ 25th Guild Anniversary Show

**July 1-31.** Quilt show. Bob Evans Farm, 800-994-3276 [gale.leslie@bobevans.com](mailto:gale.leslie@bobevans.com)

**September 2015 TBD** Quilter's Quest Mystery Shop Hop [www.myquiltersquest.com](http://www.myquiltersquest.com)

**September 2015 TBD** Jingle Bells Shop Hop [www.quiltersfling.com/qfjinglebell.html](http://www.quiltersfling.com/qfjinglebell.html)

**September 2015 TBD** 14th Annual Amish Country Quilt Show, Buckeye Event Center, 624 Henry St, Dalton, OH 44618 [www.amishcountryquiltshow.com](http://www.amishcountryquiltshow.com/)

**September 2015 TBD** 32nd Annual Ross County Quilters Guild Quilt Show, Tabernacle Baptist Church

221 East Main Street, Chillicothe, OH 45601

Additional information: [quiltinggrammy2@yahoo.com, 740](mailto:quiltinggrammy2@yahoo.com?subject=31st%20Annual%20Ross%20County%20Quilters%20Guild%20Quilt%20Show)-775-1013, or 740-701-3029.

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40th Annual Needlework Show

Toledo-Lucas County Library, Sanger Branch

3030 W Central Ave, Toledo, OH

[www.needle-arts-toledo.org/showinfo.htm](http://www.needle-arts-toledo.org/showinfo.htm)

**September 2015 TBD**

36th Annual Arts in the Alley Downtown, Grove City, OH 43123 [www.grovecityohio.gov/events/arts](http://www.grovecityohio.gov/events/arts/)

**September 2015 TBD**

52nd Annual Barnesville Pumpkin Festival (Quilt and Art Show) Historic Village of Barnesville

(740) 425-2593 or [www.barnesvillepumpkinfestival.com](http://www.barnesvillepumpkinfestival.com/)

**September 2015 TBD**

**August 7-9, 2015**

Coshocton Canal Quilters Annual Quilt Show

Coshocton Presbyterian Church

142 North 4th Street, Coshocton, OH 43812-1581

[CCQMgr@gmail.com](mailto:CCQMgr@gmail.com?subject=Coshocton%20Canal%20Quilters%20Annual%20Quilt%20Show) <https://sites.google.com/site/coshoctoncanalquilters/home>

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Ohio One Stop Shop Hop

Wright State University, Nutter Center - *new location*

3640 Colonel Glenn Hwy #430, Dayton, OH 45435 [www.ohioonestopshophop.com](http://www.ohioonestopshophop.com/)

*Friday 9-5pm, Saturday 9-3pm*

**October 2015 TBD**

Streetsboro Quilt Guild Annual Show

Faith Baptist Church, 9890 Ohio 43, Streetsboro, OH

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Heart of Ohio Quilters Guild Granville, OH [www.heartofohioquilters.com](http://www.heartofohioquilters.com/)

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Saturday Sew Supply List for Christmas in July”

Supplies for the July Project:

This month’s project is a Christmas theme table topper

Supplies needed

(2)18” x 18” of light print – cut 1 into an 17” circles

1. 18” 18” square of batting

1 12 x12” tan or medium print, cut into an 11” circle

½ yd. Heat and Bond or Steam a Seam heat activated fabric adhesive

1 fat quarter dark green or contrasting print ( or less) for bias binding

Scraps of dark green prints for 12 holly leaves, each 2 ½” x 2 ½” at least

18 small red buttons or jingle bells

Thread for appliquéing smaller circle to larger circle

Thread for quilting circle to square

Thread for appliquéing holly leaves

Sewing Tools, Sewing Machine with Appliqué (open toe) and walking foot.