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# Eat Quarter News

## Are you up for a change?

The start of a new year seems like a good time for some fresh ideas and a change or two that I hope will be for the better.

I don't know about you, but one of my favorite parts of the guild meeting is 'Show and Share'. I love to see the creativity of our members and to learn a little more about the construction of their masterpieces.

But as the guild grows, it becomes harder to work that in to a meeting and give ample time for members to enjoy the work of others.

I would like to try something a little different with 'Show and Share' for the next few months.

When you arrive we ask that you sign



up on the sheet provided as before, but then pick up a number tag. Write your name on the tag and pin it to your Show and Share item. There will be display space down the hall on a first come, first served basis.

At the end of the program and right before the refreshment break, each par-

ticipant will be given an opportunity to make a brief comment about their item(s). Show and Share participants will then get refreshments and station themselves near their item to answer questions and bask in the accolades of others.

The refreshment break will be extended to allow ample time to enjoy the creativity and socialize. The net result should not increase the length of the meeting but should provide more opportunity for you to see the work of others at a closer range.

Another suggestion I plan to implement is one that will allow more interaction and opportunity to get to know other members better. At the next meeting, check the back of your agenda sheet for the first installment.

As we experiment with these ideas, let me know what you think.



# January 2008



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## Minutes of General Membership Meeting— December 13, 2007

Minutes of General Membership Meeting  
December 15, 2007  
60 members in attendance

The meeting of the Coastal Quilters Guild was called to order at 12:30p.m. by our President Nan Scott. Nan welcomed everyone to the annual Christmas Pot Luck Party. The meeting then adjourned to enjoy the main course and then was called back to order for activities before the dessert course.

Nan called the meeting back to order. Anita Adams one of the Guild members who moved to Corvallis is doing well and would appreciate letters and hearts from the members. Her address in the 2007 directory is correct and things may be sent to that address.

Jennifer announced that a gentleman had approached her about having someone create a T shirt quilt for his daughter. Anyone interested in doing this may get information from Jennifer. Jean announced that some members will be showing holiday quilts to people at the rehabilitation center on December 18<sup>th</sup>. Jeannie gave fat quarters to all those who had served as hostesses this last year and had placed tags under some of the place mats for gifts. Show and Share was displayed in the hall. Members who had items to show gave a brief description of their items and the members were encouraged to take a look at them during the break. This type of show and share is being considered for future meetings. Members get a chance to really view the projects this way. Nan broke the meeting for the dessert course.

Nan called the meeting back to order. Paulette then had those members who had participated in the Row Robin show their projects. This next year we will be taking a break from the Row Robin project.

Nan presented gifts to all those who have come forward to take positions for this next year. It was announced that the feature quilter for this coming years quilt show will be Donna Iiams. The quilt show theme will be Quilters Holidays. This will include any holidays in the year. Jean then announced the game for the party. Members drew fat quarters with the names of a quilt type and then everyone found the

members of their quilt family and were given a question for the group to answer and discuss. This was a wonderful game and everyone enjoyed getting to know each other better. The Quilters Surprise, Special Drawing and Block of the Month drawings were then held.

Nan called for committee reports. Jen announced that the money for the January class was due and the February class payment will be due next month. This is the last chance to buy the book for the February class at a discount. Next month members will be given their tickets for the raffle quilt for this next years quilt show. Plans will be moving forward for the March Open House. The library will be sending out reminders to those who still have books which must be returned so that an inventory may be done at the years end.

The Guild then presented a pillow and quilt to Nan as recognition of her work as President of the Guild for 2007. The quilt and pillow were displayed for members to view.

Nan thanked everyone for the wonderful food and for the wonderful activities and the meeting was closed at 2:50p.m.

Joan Johnson Secretary

Thanks to all of the guild  
members who brought food  
to share.



The food will be divided between the church's food pantry and Lincoln County Food Share. We had quite an assortment of food to donate.

### HOSTESS NOTES

Thanks to the hostess at the December potluck, you did a wonderful job. The tables all looked so nice, everything seemed very organized and clean up went smoothly.

Remember that if your birthday is in January, you are a hostess for January. Please get in touch with Jeannie so she knows how many of you will be at the meeting to help.

If there are any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me via e-mail or phone. Thanks, Jeanie Singler  
([Singlerx2@yahoo.com](mailto:Singlerx2@yahoo.com)) 541 563-6319

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY in January!!!

Suzanne Dandoy.....2  
Toni Brodie.....6  
Janice Hoffman.....8  
Vivian Brooks.....9  
Jessy Yorgey.....9  
Linda Goebel.....13  
Mary Lou Mate.....13  
Deb Smith.....14  
Shirley Scott.....15  
Jean Maupin.....16  
Barbara Dudley.....19  
Joan Johnson.....19  
Phyllis Randall.....20  
Jeanne Canfield.....24  
Bobbie Brown.....27  
Judi Cooper.....28  
Bill Reinhart.....29

# Minutes of Executive Board Meeting December 20, 2007

Minutes of Executive Board Meeting  
December 20<sup>th</sup> 2007

Those present at the meeting were Nan Scott, Gretchen Jolie, Joan Johnson, Jane Szabo, Cheryl Mottner, Ruth Otto, Pam Werth, Twy Hoch, Shari Stewart, Jeanie Singler, Velma Freudenthal, Virginia Dale, Rose Shaw, Liz Ritchie, Anne Hendrickson, Jean Amundson, Jean Maupin and Jen Reinhart.

The meeting of the Coastal Quilters Guild Executive Board was called to order by our President Nan Scott at 10:00a.m.

The minutes of the last meeting were approved as published and the Treasurer's report was approved. Jane will have information for the year closing and the New Year in the newsletter. It was proposed that the Board continue to meet at the Newport Rec. Center this coming year and the proposal was passed. The meeting will continue to be on the third Thursday at 10:00a.m.

Gretchen and Jean M. took quilts to the Newport Rehab. Center and entertained the folks with information about quilting and gave eight quilts to the people there. The Guild is making doll bodies to be used by hospitals thru the Kiwanis organization. This effort supports our mission statement and outreach efforts. Lots of members have accepted the Challenge Quilt challenge and many have begun work on their projects which are due at the June meeting.

Twy stated that the next documentation will be held on January 26<sup>th</sup> and will be done on newer quilts. This date will give members an opportunity to get their projects documented. Shari will have the tickets for the new 2008 Raffle Quilt available at the next Guild meeting. Work will begin on the Open House right after the holidays. The open house will be on March 15, 2008 at the Church. Jeanie reminded those who have birthdays in January to please contact her regarding refreshments for the January meeting. The library will be accepting new books now that the inventory is done. Velma has 86 renewals from members and those who wish to have their information in the directory need to contact her as soon as possible. January 21st is the cut off for having your information in the directory which will be given out at the March meeting. Velma will be contacting business' about advertising in our monthly newsletter. Rose says that the programs committee is entertaining the possibility of having a high end speaker in 2009 and possibly a retreat.

Various ideas were discussed which would give the members of the Guild opportunities to learn more about each other. Show and share will be changed as a trial. Those who have projects will give a brief description of their project and will be given the opportunity to get refreshments. They will then go and stand with their projects which will be on display in the hallway. Projects Anonymous will be held at the Carriage House the forth Thursday in January from 10a.m. to 4p.m. The Quilt Show Committee will be meeting on the third Thursday after lunch. There will be no Round Robin this year. Antique quilts are needed for the Lincoln City Museum from February 12<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup>. Florence Roberts will take them to Lincoln City for anyone wishing to loan a quilt.

Twy will be holding quilting classes in the evening at the Waldport High School. It was proposed that as a part of our educational outreach activities the Guild approve Twy teaching quilting at the Waldport High School facility and to be covered by the Guild's liability insurance. The measure was passed. It was proposed that the shape of the heart which members incorporate in squares as a card to members be changed to a broader design which will be easier to appliqué. The measure passed. It was proposed that the Guild donate \$100, which is the Bronze Thimble level, to the Assn. of Pacific Northwest Quilters. This donation will support our mission statement. The Guild's name will be on the APNQ website, will be in their show brochure and in the show program, on display panels at the show and in their post show newsletter. The measure passed.

The cancellation of a member for a class must be done 30 days prior to the class for a full refund. Members should review the information in the directory about workshop policies. Thank you cards will be sent to the Pastega House for making it possible for patients to have a wonderful place to stay when being treated at the hospital. A thank you will also be sent to the Mary's River Quilters Guild for all the quilts they have donated to the Pastega House.

The January Guild meeting will be a daytime meeting. In February the meeting will be in the evening and will begin the rotation of evenings and daytime meetings.

The meeting was closed by our President Nan Scott at 11:20a.m.

*Submitted by  
Joan Johnson, Secretary*

## Treasurer's Report

December 1— December 21

Accumulative through **Dec. 07** **Budget '08**

	Dec. 07	Budget '08
<b>Income</b>		
Advertising	0.00	700.00
Current Raffle Quilt Tickets	0.00	3,300.00
Documentation	0.00	400.00
Donations	3,000.00	3,000.00
From Contingency	411.28	900.00
Membership	1,718.00	3,200.00
Miscellaneous	67.96	100.00
Open House	0.00	400.00
Quilt Show	0.00	8,500.00
Quilter's Surprise	88.00	850.00
Workshops	361.00	4,510.00
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>5,646.24</b>	<b>25,860.00</b>
<b>Expense</b>		
Donations	0.00	700.00
Filing Fees	0.00	70.00
Friendship	0.00	50.00
Insurance	0.00	350.00
Misc. Expenses-Unbudgeted	0.00	75.00
Officers Supplies	0.00	50.00
Organizational Expenses	0.00	50.00
Post Office Box Rent	0.00	40.00
Rent - Meetings	0.00	600.00
Rent - Lincoln Storage	0.00	1,045.00
Treasurer's Expenses	0.00	75.00
Block of the Month	162.31	600.00
Bylaws and Procedures	0.00	10.00
Challenge	26.00	150.00
Community Service	0.00	3,000.00
Documentation	0.00	250.00
Historian	0.00	100.00
Hospitality	0.00	200.00
Library	0.00	200.00
Membership	0.00	550.00
Newsletter	186.78	1,800.00
Open House	0.00	125.00
Program	0.00	2,166.00
Projects Anonymous	0.00	30.00
Publicity	0.00	24.00
Quilt Show - 2008	15.99	5,350.00
Quilter's Surprise	179.02	540.00
Raffles - 2009 Raffle Quilt	0.00	600.00
Raffles - 2008 Raffle Quilt	0.00	280.00
Round Robin	0.00	150.00
Workshops	108.82	6,630.00
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>678.92</b>	<b>25,860.00</b>
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>4,967.32</b>	<b>0.00</b>
Community Service Balance	3,000.00	
2008 Reserve	5,405.00	
<u>General Fund Balance</u>	<u>2250.32</u>	
<u>Total Bank Balance</u>	<u>10,655.32</u>	

## Coming Workshops!

### January

#### Twisted Ribbons

Friday, January 11th, 9:30am-4:30pm at ALC.

Instructor: Cheryl Malkowski

Cost: Member \$38 Non Member \$48

Book Fee: \$20

Skill Level: All



This fun quilt, assembled in vertical rows, is a simple arrangement of one block with different colorations and positions. The

author of Fun With One Block is here to guide you through this simple, but visually pleasing quilt.

### February

#### “Thanks Frank” a French Braid Quilt

Saturday, Feb. 23rd, 9:30am-4:30pm at ALC. **Note: Change of date!!!**

Instructor: Pat Lay

Cost: Member

\$20 Non

Member \$30

Book Fee: \$17

Skill Level:

All

Don't let the look scare you! The beauty and drama of this quilt disguise the simplicity of its log cabin type construction, You may choose to make a rainbow of color or a blend of soft prints. Perhaps you have a stack of coordinated fat quarters you've been wanting to use - this is your opportunity!



**French Braid Books Order** - 12/31 will be the last day you will be able to get the "French Braid" book for \$17 for the February Workshop. If you have not signed up for the workshop and want to and need the book then please do so before 12/31. You are also welcome to take advantage of this great book price even if you are not going to take the workshop. Contact Jennifer Reinhart

## March THREAD PLAY DAY

Friday, March 14th,

**10:30-3:00** at

ALC. Instructor: Nancy

Goldsworthy

Cost: Member \$31,

Non-Member \$41 (this

includes a \$3 thread

fee). Skill Level: ALL

This is a hands on class

for all levels of machine

quilters. Here is your chance to try all of today's new threads without having to buy them. Nancy will be here with her "tub" of threads for you to play with. She will cover most types of needles and threads in the lecture part of the class, then turn you loose to try them out on your domestic sewing machine. 2 hour lecture - 2 hours to play! Great handout and door prizes too!



**Hostess needed** for our March Program and Workshop Instructor, Nancy Goldsworthy. Accommodations are needed for Thursday, March 13th only. You must have a separate room and bath and pets are ok. Her workshop, Thread Play Day, will be free to her hostess. Contact Jennifer Reinhart

## Projects Anonymous



Ladies, we hope you are searching your closets and all those other hiding spaces for your UFOs. Your big chance to do something about these projects is on Jan. 24 10-4 pm. at the Carriage House. Bring your project and your lunch for a fun day of achievement.

Karen and Paulette will be there to offer advice, suggestions and encouragement.

Our suggestion is to choose an easy project for the first month. See you there.  
*Karen and Paulette*

## 2008 Challenge Quilt

### Holiday Traditions in My Family!

It's now past Christmas and all through the house

Not a creature is stirring, not even a mouse.

The stockings are gone, the chimney is bare.

The house guests are home and you haven't a care.

Your children are nestled all snug in their beds,

While quilt challenge visions dance in your head.

Remember the rules and give it a go.

Will your masterpiece be in the next quilt show?

The rules are as simple as simple can be And fabric's provided to make it easy.

So snip and stitch and create your design August is coming; now is the time.

*Only seven more stitching months until entry day.*

*Toni Brodie*

### Workshop Policy Reminder

In order to receive a full refund for a workshop cancellation you must cancel, at the latest, at the general guild meeting prior to the month in which the workshop is scheduled. If you cancel after that date you will get NO Refund. If you do not pay for a workshop at the general guild meeting prior to the month in which the workshop is scheduled your name will be automatically removed from the sign up sheet. Please see blue page 44 of the current Membership Directory for a complete explanation regarding Workshop Cancellations.

*Jennifer Reinhart*

If you have to cancel your spot in a workshop, and are too late for a refund, you can try and find a replacement yourself and make payment arrangements with the replacement. You may also advertise in the newsletter for a replacement if there is time to do that.

# HOLIDAYS IN AUGUST??????



Guild members buzzed with excitement (or something!) at the December potluck when Quilt Show co-chairs Jean Maupin, Toni Brodie, and Jean Amundson announced the theme for 2008's show: **"Quilters' Holidays"**! There was even more excitement and a lot of pleased exclamations when the co-chairs read a poem written by **Donna liams, the Featured Quilter for 2008.**

The quilt show is off to a great start but is looking for (more than) a few good quilt guild members, to paraphrase a military recruitment slogan! Please volunteer right away by calling **Toni Brodi at 336-3505 or Jean Maupin, 444-2045**, and discuss which job you'll help with.

The first meeting of the full committee will be at the Historical Society's Carriage House on **Thursday, February 21, at 1:30.** All committee chairs or their alternates, please attend so that we can get a good start! If you haven't signed up but think you might be interested, we'd love to have you come to the meeting, too. (Hopefully, all quilt show planning meetings will be on the third Thursday of the month, the same day as the Executive Board meetings.)  
*Jean Amundson*

## 2008 Raffle Quilt

**Get Yours While They Last!**

We will begin handing out the Raffle Quilt tickets at our January Meeting. Each member is asked to sell at least 15 tickets before the July guild meeting. It would be fantastic if members could sell more as the proceeds from the ticket sales help finance the programs and activities of the Oregon Coastal Quilter's Guild. You might want a few for yourself, and they also make great gifts for family and friends!



You will be receiving a packet of 15 tickets along with a photo of this year's Holly Berry raffle quilt. This beautiful quilt is 84" x 98" and has been hand quilted by guild members. It features warm reds, accented with holly green and set on point against a soft candle light background.

We need volunteers who would be willing to coordinate sales at various venues and events. If you would be interested in helping, please call Shari Stewart.

*Shari Stewart - Finance*



### Our 2008 Featured Quilter

The quilt show committee contacted our selection for the 2008 Featured Quilter. Here's what she e-mailed back to us:

I have "sew" given this subject some thought—  
 There are others, I think, that "featured they ought".

But if you think I'd be worthy of this, I'll say "yes, Miss Co-Chair," with a hug and a kiss.

Just remember I'm old and I creak some these days,  
 But I'll show what I've done in my own Donna ways.

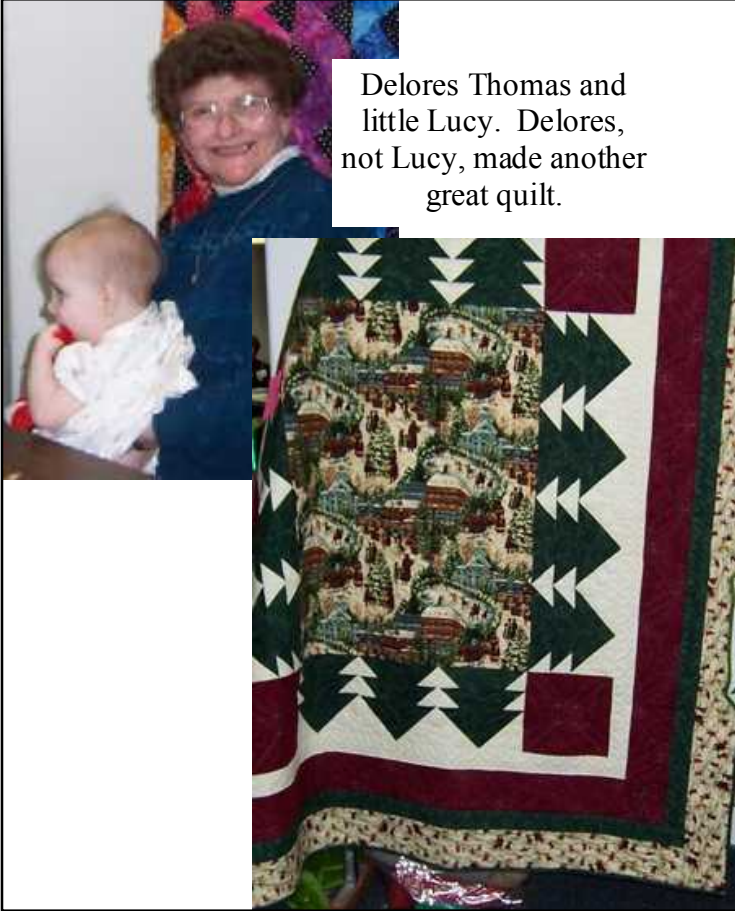
Just be sure to tell me the right way to be,  
 'Cause Featured Quilter is sure new for me!

So----our Featured Quilter is---

**Donna liams!**



# We Saw Some Great Work At



Delores Thomas and little Lucy. Delores, not Lucy, made another great quilt.



Liz Ritchie made this in her sons colors. He may or may not get it for Christmas.



No, Nan Scott is not pregnant with triplets. She made this great baby carrier for a relative who is pregnant.



Patsy Brookshire shared her story of the challenges making her Christmas tree quilt. Looks like it worked out fine.

# December's Show and Share!!



Mary Gilliland made this super Santa quilt.



Jane Szabo made this beautiful table runner. It looks really hard, but has no curved seams.



Pam Werth made a really cute quilt from the movie "Cars".



Jeannie Singler shared a nice table size quilt.



## January Nifty Notion

### Super Satchel.

This is a great storage container. Great for storing quilt projects, taking supplies to class, and storing fat quarters. It comes with 4 tab dividers and stickers. The dimensions are 15" X 14" X 3.5". It has secure latches and a carrying handle.



## Potluck Fun!!!



If you have an old quilt that you would like to display at Lincoln City's Antique Week please bring it to the January meeting. Contact Florence Roberts or Nan Scott for more information

### \$\$\$\$\$ Quilt Making Opportunity!

Are you a good quilt top piecer? Have you or do you know how to make t-shirt quilts? If so, Jennifer Reinhart received a call from a local gentleman who wants to have a t-shirt quilt made for his daughter. He is willing to pay top dollar for the service. Contact Jennifer Reinhart if you are interested



Barb Dudley won December's nifty notion, and Barb Martin and



Marcia Williams won the December Quilter's surprises.



## Documentation

The next quilt documentation will be January 26, 9:30 AM to 3:30 PM at the Carriage House in Newport. The documentation will be for quilts made after 1960.

This is the time for you to have your quilts documented that have been made in the last few years. If you are a past president, we would like to document your presidents quilt.

Call Twy Hoch to set up a time to have your quilt documented. Phone #541 563-3899.

### Dates for 2008 Documentations

Quilts made after 1960  
 January 26 - Newport  
 November 1 - Newport  
 Quilts made before 1960  
 February 16 - Lincoln City  
 April 12 - Newport  
 October 18 - Newport

Lincoln County Fair Textiles and Needlework Division Superintendent

Vacancy: 2008 is the 100th anniversary of the Lincoln County Fair.

Become a big part of that celebration by stepping forward to be the next superintendent of the Textiles and Needlework Division. Of course, that division includes quilts. Although there is some work needed before fair (third week in July), the majority of the responsibilities are performed from Monday through Sunday of fair week. Please feel free to call me at 336-2133 with questions. There is a small amount of pay involved and you may choose an assistant. If you would like to tell the fair you are interested, just give them a call from 9-1, Monday through Friday at 265-6237. It would be great to have a person/persons from the guild at the helm.



*Ann Hendrickson*



## 2008 Officers



Three of last year's officers have volunteered to serve another year on the guild's executive board. Nan Scott, Jane Szabo and Joan Johnson will serve in the positions held last year. Gretchen Jolie has stepped in as Vice President, since Jean Amundson will be very busy co-chairing the Quilt Show this year. Thanks to these ladies and everyone else who volunteers, we have one of the best and most active guilds around.

At the December meeting Nan Scott was

presented with a beautiful quilt and pillow in honor of her year as leader of our group of quilters. She has done a great job and we thank her for all of her efforts. The quilt blocks were made by the members of the guild. Thanks

Nan and here's to another fine year under your leadership!!



## 2008 Committee Chairs

Committee	Volunteer
Audit	
Block of the Month	Marylynn Kleeman Cheryl Mottner
By-Laws	Carol Culton
Challenge	Toni Brodie Kris Murphy
Charm Squares	Pat Loose Ruth Otto
Community Service	Gretchen Jolie Pam Werth
Documentation	Twy Hoch Toni Brodie
Finance	Shari Stewart
Projects Anonymous	Paulette Stenberg Karen Oetjen
Historian	Ann Brakob
Hostess/Hospitality	Jeanie Singler
Library	Pam Werth Gretchen Jolie
Membership	Velma Freudenthal Judy Guettler
Newsletter	Virginia Dale
Nominating	Gretchen Jolie
Programs	Shari Stewart Rose Shaw
Publicity	Anne Hendrickson
Quilter's Surprise	Suzanne Dandoy Karen Donobedian
Quilt Show	Jean Amundson Toni Brodie Jean Maupin
Raffle Quilt '08	Paulette Stenberg Karen Oetjen
Raffle Quilt '09	Dolores Thomas Jennifer Reinhart
Round Robin	
Special Raffle	Pam Werth Gretchen Jolie
Workshops	Liz Ritchie Nan Scott Darcy de la Rosa
'08 Open House	Rose Shaw Joan Johnson Judy Guettler Nan Scott

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## Happenings Around the Northwest !!

January, 2008

**11th-12th**

**The Oregon Garden presents "Stitches in Bloom" 1st Annual Quilt Show**

The Oregon Garden, Silverton, OR 97381

Friday & Saturday 10am-4pm

Enjoy garden-themed quilts on display in the J. Frank Schmidt, Jr. Pavilion, refreshments for sale by The Oregon Tea Garden & The Oregon Garden Café, lectures by Jean & Valori Wells, and many other craft- and quilt-related vendors.

For more information, please visit

[www.oregongarden.org](http://www.oregongarden.org) or contact Jessica Waters at

503-874-8273 or [events@oregongarden.org](mailto:events@oregongarden.org).

**18th-20th**

**Clark County Quilters Present - Featured Artists Quilt Show.**

Featured quilters are Linda Reinert of Oregon City, OR and CarolAnne Olson of Vancouver, WA. Show will be held at the HH Hall Building, 10000 NE 7th Ave. Vancouver, WA. \$1.00 donation. Hours are Fri. 3-8P, Sat. 10A-5P, and Sun. 10A-4P. More info at [www.clarkcountyquilters.org](http://www.clarkcountyquilters.org).

**19th-26th**

**6th Annual Winter Winds Shop Hop**

Grab a few friends, bundle-up & brave those Winter Winds! Visit twelve great quilt shops & get your passport stamped at each stop along the way. Turn in your passport with all twelve shops stamped to be eligible to win the Grand Prize or one of many other prizes.

Participating shops are:

Sharon's Attic - Hillsboro

Speckled Hen Quilts - Wilsonville

Fabric in the City - Portland

Let's Quilt - Oregon City

Fanno Creek Quilts - Tigard

The Quilt Nest - Carlton

Quilting Delights - Clackamas

Canby Quilts and Fabric - Canby

Quilts NW - Sherwood

Grandma's Attic - Dallas

The Pine Needle - Lake Oswego

Quilt 'n Stitch - Stayton

Most of the shops are in the Portland area. For more info, addresses of shops and hours visit the websites of the individual shops or [www.efn.org/~evq/Quilt-Shows-Other-Events.html](http://www.efn.org/~evq/Quilt-Shows-Other-Events.html).

## Baskets all in Rows!!!!

Members showed off some beautiful Row Robin quilt tops. No one has volunteered to head up the Round Robin committee for 2008. If you might be interested in doing



this, please let Nan know so we can get this going for next year. If no one steps up, it may be time for a break from this activity.



Fran Whited, Kris Murphy and Jean Amundson.



Jane Szabo, Evelyn DePaolo, and Darcy de la Rosa.



Paulette Stenberg

Thank you ladies for bringing your tops to the meeting. It was great to see the different baskets. These quilts will make our quilt show look fabulous.

*Karen and Paulette*



Rose Shaw, Shirley Gilmore and Shari Stewart.

### QUILT PARTY – At Newport Rehabilitation Center December 18, 2007-12-20

Jean Maupin and Gretchen Lord-Jolie took our Christmas Quilts and an additional Beachouse Quilt, some Christmas cookies and entertained the residents for a short time. They all seemed very interested, had many questions, comments and were able to relate to our quilt making with their own past memories. We feel it was a very productive time; we made some plans to go back and do a similar presentation, perhaps around Mother's Day. The staff was very appreciative and asked if we had any quilts for sale. We suggested they come to our Open House in March, where they might find some items they would be looking for.

The exciting part of the day was when Gretchen, representing the Community Quilts Committee, began giving our lap quilts to the residents who particularly liked a specific item. Some of the residents were so happy, they became emotional. It was very nice for Gretchen and me to see this reaction to the Community Quilts. We were wishing the maker of these quilts could have been there to see how much difference their quilts made.

Why don't we think about a group of us having a "tea party" in the spring at this facility? It was one of those feel good experiences! Keep using those small pieces to make lap quilts! They are great!

*Jean Maupin*

**December  
Block of the Month  
WINNERS**



Shari Stewart won the pieced poinsettia blocks!

Marilyn Kleeman won the appliqué Angel Blocks.



*General Meeting  
January 10  
1:00 PM Table Walk  
1:30 General Meeting  
Trunk show by Cheryl Malkowski*

**Remember to Bring:**

*Yourself  
Your Name Tag  
Block of the Month  
Show and Share Items  
2008 Membership Form and Fees  
Money for Quilters Surprise, Nifty  
Notion and Special Raffle!*

**January's  
Block of the Month!!**



**Appliqué  
Indiana Circle  
Block**

**Pieced  
Crystals  
Block**



**Correction for  
pieced block:**

**From dark blue fabric cut 8  
rectangles 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" -  
not 2 1/2" x 2 1/2".**

**Charm Squares**

There is no Charm Square exchange in January, but be sure to sign up for February during Table Walk at the January meeting.

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