



Los Alamos Piecemakers Quilt Guild

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LOS ALAMOS PIECEMAKERS

White Rock Presbyterian Church

310 Rover Blvd

Tuesday, May 22 at 7:00 p.m.

President's Message:

SEW! SEW! SEW! That's right, we will finally have our sew-a-thon; so bring machines, irons and boards and your determination to get the quilts done.

I don't know the final results, but we had a lot of ladies walking out with bags and handfuls of materials from the "yard" sale. So few ladies selling or donating material and SO MUCH material. I thought I had a large stash but I am lagging behind a few ladies.

In June we will have the weavers giving our program.

The weather has finally turned to summer so we have no excuse to not to make it to our meetings.

?Jelly rolls, layer cakes, crumb quilts? Somewhere along the way my sewing room and my kitchen seem to have merged.

Hope to see you on May 22.

Linda K. Kolar
President

UPCOMING EVENTS, PROJECTS AND WORKSHOPS

May 17-19, 2018

Quilt, Craft & Sewing Festival

300 San Pedro NE

Albuquerque, NM 87108

Manuel Lujan Jr. Halls

Friday/Saturday 10am - 5pm

Sunday 10am - 4pm F

or more information and 50% off admission visit

May 18-20, 2018

NM Fiber Crawl

Fuller Lodge

May 25-27, 2018

Taos Quilting and Needlecraft Quilt Show

Stables Gallery

133 Paseo del Pueblo Norte

Taos, NM

June 20-23, 2018

Southern New Mexico Festival of Quilts

Otero Fairgrounds

401 Fairgrounds Road

Alamogordo, NM

www.snmfq.com

June 21 – Sept. 3, 2018

Row by Row Experience – Sew Musical

www.rowbyrowexperience.com

July 7, 2018

Talpa Community Center Quilters Quilt Show

Taos Center for the Arts

133 Paseo del Pueblo Norte

Taos, NM

July 20-23, 2018

Jemez Springs Bear Paw Quilt Show

Walatowa Visitors Center

7413 Hwy. 4

Jemez Pueblo, NM

September 25, 2018

LAP Annual Potluck

October 23, 2018

Melody Crust Presentation - "So Many Ideas; So Little Time"

LAP Meeting

October 24,2018

Melody Crust Workshop "Fast Finishes"

Information to follow.

OFFICER REPORTS

Vice Presidents –

Secretary – Joan Williams

Minutes from LAP Guild Meeting 4/24/18 at the United Church of Los Alamos:

Prior to the Guild meeting there was a garage sale. Members could sell quilting items. There was also lots of fabric to purchase as Louise Taylor, a longtime member of LAP, had donated many boxes of fabric for sale. There was every type of fabric you might be looking for, fabric to finish a project or fabric to create something new. Thanks so much to Louise Taiylor.

The meeting began at 7:00 p.m. with Linda Kolar calling the meeting to order.

Officer Reports:

Vice President –There still no vice presidents.

Secretary – Nothing.

Treasurer – Nothing.

Library – Nothing.

Committee Reports:

Community Service -- Nothing

Membership – We have 46 members. No new members in April.

Newsletter – Sorry the newsletter was late.

Webmaster – Nothing.

Donation Quilt – It is being quilted.

New Business:

There was a sign up sheet to work the Espanola Valley Fiber Arts Crawl on May 19th and 20th. This will be an opportunity to sell donation quilt tickets. The fee is \$25.

The May 5th Arts Fair by the Los Alamos Arts Council will cost us \$175 application fee to have our quilt there (and we might not even be accepted—and would not get the fee back). It was decided not to apply to the May 5th Arts Fair.

Quilt Market – The church has approved our reservation of September 28 & 29. They will not charge us if we cancel, but we need to decide within a reasonable time.

Shelly shared a thank-you for all of the fat quarters we sent to fire victims.

Deb announced Melody Crust will be here on October 23 & 24. Her lecture on Tuesday night in White Rock will be "Sew Many Ideas, Sew Little Time". The workshop on Wednesday at U.C.L.A. will be "Fast Finishes". There will be a sign up sheet at the next meeting. \$40 for members, \$50 for non-members. There will be a limit of 20 students in the workshop.

Donna talked about Kristi Schroeder as a possible workshop. She is the South Western Modern lady from Austin. It was decided that she should check it out for the future.

Trish asked for batting scraps. She is using It in her yo yo's.

Door prizes were drawn and won by Ann, Linda and Jackie.

Show & Tell: Mickie showed table cloths she had dyed with extra dye from Nicole. Donna showed a quilt she made from leftover blocks from the donation quilt and a crazy 9 patch community service quilt she made from scraps. Brenda showed the Jemez Springs quilters donation quilt. She will have tickets to purchase at our future meetings.

Meeting adjourned.

Treasurer – Donna Smith

Treasurer's Report

The LANB Checking account balance as of May 1, 2018 was \$14820.29.

From the Garage Sale, LAP netted \$90 and 157 yards of fabric for Community Service quilts.

Publicity – Charlene McHale

*All current events are listed on the Calendar of Events above.

Community Service – Flo Carr

We now have 4 new full tubs of really nice fabric in our storage shed, thanks to Louise Taylor generosity, the Guild's garage sale and to donations from JoAnn Painter. Many of the pieces of fabric are large enough to be used for backing for one or more quilts. We should have a number of kits ready for the sew-a-thon at the May meeting, but if someone would like to pick out their own fabrics, or have another quilt in mind for a community services project, please check out our expanded Guild Stash! We also have a brand new roll of batting just waiting to be used. Thanks!

Library – Deb McLin

The LAP has invited fiber artist, Melody Crust as our speaker for our October meeting. The title of her lecture is "So Many Ideas, So Little Time." She will present a workshop on Wednesday entitled Fast Finishes. Learn to join pre-quilted blocks using innovative techniques. The cost of the workshop is 40.00 for LAP members and 50.00 for non-members. Sign up at the guild meeting or e-mail Deb McLin damclin@gmail.com

Membership – Brenda Blea-Edeskuty

To download the membership form please click on the link or see attached form.

<http://www.losalamos.com/lap/forms/lapmembershipform.pdf> .

Donation Quilt – Michelle DeBardleben,z

Thank you so much for volunteering! We have all the slots filled.

We are lucky enough to get the table by the door so we will get lots of traffic! Since we are by the door, we will have the addition duty of giving stickers to people as they come in.

Here is the list of volunteers and times:

Saturday May 19th @Fuller Lodge

930-11 (doors open at 10). I will meet you there at 930 to help get quilt setup.

Clara Vigil

Melodie Gustavsen

11:00-1:00

Charlene McHale
Michelle DeBardleben

1:00-3:00

Denise Swanson
Jacki Krohn

3:00-5:00- I assume we can stay setup

Karyn Harrington
Roberta Idzorek

Sunday May 20th

9:45-noon (doors open at 10)

Sharon Kapple
Deb McLin

Noon-1:00. I will be there at 1:00 to pick everything up

Linds Kolar
Kay Grady

Thank you again for volunteering.

Our Favorite Websites

International Quilt Study Center & Museum in Nebraska - www.quiltstudy.org
Learn about their museum, and sign up to receive emails of their "Quilt of the Month."

Quilter's Resource - www.quiltersresources.net

Your one-stop in finding current information on all things quilting - quilt shops, guilds, longarm quilters, quilt shows and events, shop hops, and so much more!

The purpose of this section is to add to our quilting knowledge, such as, quilting museums, methods and techniques. It is not meant to include sites that sell fabrics, patterns, or supplies. We need to support our local quilt store.

Please contact Clara Vigil at c.vigil0098@gmail.com , if you have any questions or you would like to share a website.

*Events/Sources not sponsored by LA Piecemakers are shown for info only and not endorsed by LA Piecemakers.

LOS ALAMOS PIECEMAKERS MEMBERSHIP

Membership Year _____

Please print all information clearly.

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City, State, & Zip Code _____

Telephone Number _____

E-Mail Address _____

Do you want to receive the LAP Newsletter via e-mail? Yes No (Circle one)

Do you need a ride to meetings? Yes No Can you drive someone to meetings? Yes No (Circle one)

Please volunteer for one or more of the following by placing a check mark next to items{s):

Donation Quilt ticket sales _____ Valentine's Day Luncheon _____

Quilt Show/Quilt Market _____ Serve as Officer _____

Payment - Make check for \$25 payable to: Los Alamos Piecemakers or LAP. Mail payment to LAP, Attn: Membership Chair, P.O. Box 261, Los Alamos, N.M. 87544 or hand in at meeting.

LAP Use only: Payment ___ Entered in data base ___ Name tag ___ Packet ___ Membership card ___ Date _____