

Judy's Donation Raffle Quilt Updates

October 2010

Donation quilt winner: FINAL REPORT on the 2010 donation quilt. We have a winner!! Peggy McCulloch's name was pulled from more than 1000 tickets. Yeah Peggy! Peggy was very excited when I called her on Saturday afternoon. She told me she bought the ticket at Brownell's and she had never won anything before. Her son told her he had seen the quilt at the craft fair and really liked it. She told him he could have it if she won it because her bed at Aspen Ridge is just twin size. I'm sure her son is quite pleased with his new quilt.

A Little bird told me that we made more than \$2000 on our donation quilt, ticket sales as market were brisk all day with lots of comments on how lovely it was. Thanks to you all for your time and efforts. This group is amazing working together. This quilt was shown at Santa Fe Quilting, Brownell's Hallmark and LANB, so when visiting these establishments please thank them for their efforts with this project.

Again, Thanks for your all your help, Judy Verzino

August 2010

The donation quilt is finished and it is gorgeous!! Its title is "In the Woods." It has already been on display at Santa Fe Quilting. Next time you are there, please thank them for us. Brownell's Hallmark will show the quilt during August. We will also be showing it at the County Fair Arts and Crafts Show. Please stop by, bring your friends and buy tickets...anyone would be pleased to have this quilt, so buy tickets and encourage everyone you know to take a chance!

Other possibilities for display and sale of tickets could be LANB on Thursdays in September or October or Sam's Club in Santa Fe on a week-end. We would need people to go and be there. If you are interested, talk to Judy or Fran at the August meeting.

It is really important that all members get behind this project. It is our funding for workshops and community service. Please do your fair share!

Thanks, Judy Verzino

May 2010

The Quilt Top is finished, (no thanks to me)!! On April 12 the Woolies cut the pieces for the quilt. On April 19 we had a sew-in and stitched those curved pieces together --- a few more stitch-ins ensued and the top was complete and now it is at Nicole's for

quilting. I can hardly wait to see it. Several little birds have told me how beautiful it is. I know it will be exceptional when finished. Thanks to each every one of you who helped. Deborah Kubicek will have the tickets for us soon. So make sure you get your share.

This quilt helps us to fund our many projects and subsidize our programs.

Thanks again to all of you for helping to get our quilt top completed. I wish I could have planned and stitched along side of you, but as many of you know I was helping my daughter get ready for her wedding. Patsy married Ben Salas on May 8 in a lovely, lovely ceremony at Loretto Chapel.

Now I have some free time!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Again thanks for your wonderful help, as you know, NEED HELP---ASK A QUILTER.

See you soon, LET'S PLAY BINGO!!! Judy

March 2010

We have a pattern. We have fabric, which I think you will really like. AND now we need you. We are planning a SEW-IN. It will be held on April 19 at the United Church in LA. We will begin at 9:30, you can come when you want and stay as long as you can. We will have a tutorial on curved piecing if you haven't done this before. You can practice till you are comfortable. It is a gentle 6" curve. We will be cutting fabric and of course sewing to get as far as we can. Bring your sewing machine and basic sewing kit. We will be using a light colored thread. Bring your lunch if you plan to stay awhile. I'll bring some cookies and there will be hot water for tea, coffee and such.

Now if you are new to our group and you are not too sure about coming, please know we would love to get to know you. If you are saying to yourself I can't do that curved stuff, forget it, not all the seams to be sewn are curved. PLUS there are a few of us that can teach YOU to sew a curve (it's fun)!

We will have a sign up at the March meeting. If you are not at that meeting and want to come ,come! Again, PLEASE COME AND HELP!

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