

# Los Alamos Piecemakers Quilt Guild

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# LOS ALAMOS PIECEMAKERS

## **SCRAPS OF INFORMATION:**



The current officers will continue until we can meet again in person - take care and quilt on!

The UFO Challenge will continue until next year with the same schedule of November being the deadline



The quilt above is one by Michelle Banton who will be the speaker and workshop for the January 2021 Northern New Mexico Quilt Guild Zoom meeting/workshop. See below for information to get to their website and/or joining their guild.

# **OFFICER REPORTS**

## Vice Presidents -

From Melodie Gustavsen

I hope you're all finding projects to keep you busy and happy. In the past few months, I've watched more quilting you-tube videos than ever before (and managed to order some special templates and patterns as well!) Donna Jordan (from <u>jordanfabrics.com</u>) and the ladies at Missouri Stars Quilts make those quilts seem so quick and easy!

I've also been having fun with wool applique. I needed something new to get me out the covidfunk, and it's been good to work with a slightly different medium. So, I encourage you to do some online searching and find something to challenge yourself with. We are so blessed to have a never-ending hobby with so many possibilities for creativity.

Members of the Round Robin Exchange have begun asking for a new group exchange and we're talking about some different ideas. I'll have more information about that next month and we hope some other guild members will be interested to join as well. That exchange will probably start in early January.

We have decided to extend the Community Service Quilt Challenge for another month. Flo still has gift certificates to Atomic City Quilts – two for each quilt (one for top/finishing and one for quilting). At the end of November (or when Flo has given out her certificates) we will have a drawing for a big \$50.00 gift certificate! If you would like to try the jelly roll race course quilt, I still have 3 rolls to share. (Email – melodie.gustavsen@gmail.com).

I've enjoyed the Northern New Mexico Quilt Guild Meetings and see a few of your faces there as well. This month is about touring some people's quilt studios which I'm sure will make me envious! (I quilt on my dining room table!)

Stay safe and well!

## **Community Service** – Flo Carr

On September 24, we sent a dozen quilts to the Sew Creative group in Ashland Oregon for their Call for Quilts efforts. They've received over 1,000 quilts so far, from all over the country, with more still coming in. Thanks to everyone for all the quilts you've made, and those that are works in progress!! We still have Atomic City gift cards available for the community service challenge.

These trying times can definitely wear us down, so I'm really thankful I'm able to escape to my sewing machine for a while. And doubly thankful for the support our guild members supply each other when needed, especially since we're all in our own bubbles.

Thanks everybody! Stay safe!" Flo

# Treasurer's Report – Donna Smith

The Enterprise Bank checking account balance on October 1, 2020 was \$9,910.64.

Donna

# Membership - Brenda Blea-Edeskuty

Hi Everyone!

Since we had an abbreviated guild meeting schedule for 2020 due to Covid, your 2020 membership will be extended thru 2021, and I will continue as membership chair. Until we can meet again in person - take care and quilt on!

Brenda Edeskuty

## **Northern New Mexico Quilt Guild**

To read the SF guild newsletter go to the website. There is information on their plans for surviving with the Coronavirus restrictions on the future.

Go to: nnmqg.org and go to the end of the row to "more" from there you can choose newsletter. When it comes up there is a warning about how large it is but if you click it will come up. You don't need to be a member to view it.

## NNMQG OCTOBER ZOOM QUILT MEETING

The October Zoom meeting of the Northern New Mexico Quilt Guild will be:

Monday, Oct 26 Guild Meeting
via ZOOM
6:45 PM 'Doors Open'
7PM Meeting Starts

## **Studio Tours of Guild Members**

This month we will be sending the link to our current members. If your membership isn't current, please consider joining LAP or joining the Northern New Mexico Quilt Guild.

Instructions from NNMQG to participate:
1) You must have a Zoom account.  Visit <a href="https://www.zoom.us">www.zoom.us</a> to set up your Zoom account login.  Ideally, do this at least 2 hours before the meeting start time.
2) Zoom uses the camera and microphone on your computer. If your computer has neither, you may join without audio or video by calling the appropriate number below: +1 346 248 7799 US (Houston) +1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose) +1 253 215 8782 US (Tacoma) +1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago) +1 929 205 6099 US (New York) +1 301 715 8592 US (Germantown)
3) At 7pm, visit <a href="www.zoom.us">www.zoom.us</a> , sign in, click "Join Meeting".  Enter the Meeting ID: (will be sent to LAP on Monday)  Enter the Passcode: (will be sent to LAP on Monday)
4) The meeting is scheduled for 1.5 hours. Anyone can join at any point during this time, but join as early as possible or you may miss valuable information.
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Name Mailing Address City, State, & Zip Code Telephone Number E-Mail Address
LAP Newsletter via e-mail? Yes No (Circle one)
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Please volunteer for one or more of the following by placing a check mark next to items{s):
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