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TWIN CITY QUILTERS GUILD

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Dear Quilters,

I hope everyone is enjoying our summer so far. I am certainly thankful for my AC.

Please remember our guild picnic is at 6pm in August. Marty has the sign up list - please contact her if you need assistance in remembering what you signed up to bring. Beverages will not be provided, so if you want anything other than water.... And remember to sew your stocking for voting by your peers!

And folks, when Pam or Liz contacts you about being president of our Guild next year, please consider it!

Deb

Mystery Quilt

May Blocks Flying Geese

Option 1

Cut 48 2 ½" squares of contrasting or background fabric. Cut 24 2 ½" X 4 ½" rectangles from your print fabric.

Mark a diagonal line on the reverse side of the 2 ½" background squares.

Place a marked background square on the left end of a 2 ½" X 4 ½" rectangle. Sew on the marked line then trim the fabric using a ¼" seam allowance. Place another marked background square on the right end of the printed rectangle. Sew, trim and press as before. Make 24 flying geese.

Instructions for 4 at a time can be found on you tube. 2 of my favorites are: Sugar Stitches Quilt Co. Flying Geese 4 at a time and The Fat Quarter Shop "How To Make Flying Geese 5 Methods to make 1 - At A Time with free Cheat Sheet.

Option 2

Foundation Paper Piecing: Printouts were available at the meeting but if you did not obtain one, you can create your own using graph paper. Draw a rectangle 2" X 4". This will be your sewing line. Find the center of the rectangle on the top sewing line (2" in from either side). Draw a line from the 2" center line to the bottom left hand corner. This is another sewing line. From the top center line draw another line to the bottom right hand corner. Last sewing line. Measure ½" all the way around the rectangle. This creates your cutting line. Print out 24 and commence sewing.

With the 24 flying geese you will make 3 blocks with 8 flying geese in each block. Your choice of the layout of the flying geese.

June Blocks Rail Fence

June's block are a repeat of block #1 the Rail Fence. Make 3 more.

Rail Fence instructions: For each block cut 4 2 ½" X 9" long strips of 4 different colors. Sew them together using ½" seam allowance. Press either to the darker side or open. Trim to a 8 ½" square block.

Plus cut 3 8 ½" squares of background fabric.

See you at the picnic.

Joan/Rene

Milestone Madness

Check out your UFO's and make a list of what you want to do with them. Make a list to bring to the guild and keep one for yourself. If you want to finish it, if it needs to have binding on, if it needs more fabric, if it needs to be cut and even if it needs to go to another home put it on your list. If you accomplish it, bring it to the guild meeting and we will check it off your list. For each accomplishment your name will go into the Milestone Madness box and at the December party there will be prizes.

Any questions: Joan 716-694-5732

No Hostesses for August - Guild's Summer Picnic

Let's wish a "Happy Birthday" to the following quilters for the month of August:

June Roetzer 8/1 Liz Wheeler 8/2 Jean Sinopoli 8/9

Paula Wasieczko 8/11 Ann Barberio 8/16 Rene Harbison 8/24

Rose Maer 8/31

For those of us that can't remember what to bring to the Picnic at the next guild meeting, here is a list provided by Marty.

Sturdy Paper Plates - - - Linda Berwaldt

Dessert Paper Plates - - - Jessica Tribunella

Sturdy Paper Plates - - - Linda Barrett

Plasticware - - - Joann Pietrzykowski

Paper Placemats - - - Jeannine Ellis

Napkins - - - Linda Berwaldt

Deviled Eggs - - - Deb Marshall

Veggies w/Dip - - -Jill MacDougall, Diane Brodfuehrer

Fruit Salad - - - Linda Littell, Jennie Wigle

Potato Chips - - - Dru Lis, Dorothy Glosser, Linda Berwaldt

Tortilla Chips - - - Kelly Urtel

Mexican Bean Dip - - - Mary Wells

Taco Dip - - - Sue Cahill

Macaroni/Pasta Salad - - - Cindy (no last name), Kelly Tooley

Potato Salad - - -Kim Scott, Joan Rockenbrock

Oriental Salad - - - Cindy Warthling

Meatballs - - - Jan Brauer, Donna Mileham, Diane D.

Polish Sausage - - - Liz Wheeler

Pasta - - - Loretta Crane

Pasta Salad - - - Ann Barberio

Pulled Pork - - - Linda Szmanda

Dessert - - Diane Clark, Mary Lou Clark, Ann Muscato, Ann Watson, Linsa Wegrzyn, Dee Judy, Kim Lucca



PROJECT LINUS

Month	Quilts made from kits	Quilts made from their own Stash	Totals	Grand Totals		
2024				7104		
1-2025	10	3	13	7117		
2-2025	10	22	32	7149		
3-2025	16	1	17	7166		
4-2025	15	11	26	7192		
5-2025	15	15	30	7222		
6-2025	7	9	16	7238		
7-2025						
8-2025						
9-2025						
10-2025						
11-2025						
12-2026						
		2025 Grand Total				

Our total has been graced with 16 more wonderful quilts for the month of June.

Thank all who have consistently donated your time, talents, fabric and the quilting to Project Linus.

If you are bored, just call me, I'll be happy to drop one off to you.

Enjoy your July--see you in August.

As always, with very grateful hearts---Co-chairs, Sue, Cindy, Linda