

Bayside Quilters

of the Eastern Shore, Inc.



NOVEMBER 2023 Newsletter

President's Corner

Greetings,

How is it already November? And, it is almost 80 degrees as I write this, so it certainly doesn't feel like it! In just a few weeks we will be holding our second Handmade Sale fundraiser. With almost 40 vendors (mostly Bayside members!) signed up to participate, there will be over 100 beautiful quilts and many other handmade items to choose from. We just need to make sure we get people there to buy! Thank you to all of the members who have worked on the publicity for the sale. Most notably, Nita Brayton for acting as publicity chair, Lou Diefenderfer for doing radio interviews and printing lots and lots of rack cards, and Kin West for designing a beautiful flyer. Emails about the sale have gone out, members have been communicating about it on Facebook, there was an article and an ad in the October issue of Attraction and another ad will be in the November issue.

Hopefully you have all taken a flyer to hang somewhere local and grabbed a stack of rack cards to place around the community. And often, the best advertising is word of mouth, so please mention to anyone and everyone that the sale is happening on November 17th & 18th!

Another exciting event for November is our quilt shop pop-up featuring Crabby Quilter of Annapolis. At our November meeting the Crabby Quilter staff will set up shop and we will all have the opportunity to purchase fabric, kits, notions and whatever else the staff brings to temp us. If there is anything specific you are looking for, please contact Becki Combs and let her know so she can request it.

Lastly, a handful of members will be going out to the International Quilt Festival in Houston this month. For some it will be the first time. For others, it has become an annual event. Either way, I am sure that we will all be interested to hear about the show, the current and emerging trends, and the future of quilting. Because isn't the sharing of information one of the reasons we are all members of Bayside? Looking forward to seeing you all on the 8th!

Jackie



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Monthly Meeting
"Pop-Up Shop"
9:30 AM

Trappe Volunteer Firehouse



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Membership Meeting
2nd Wednesday of the Month, 9AM
Trappe Volunteer Fire Department

Table Talk

We will have a few items on the Bayside 100% counter, including some specialty rulers and some good fabrics and books. Of interest are the creative books donated by Jackie. Great prices for everything.

Our free table will be going strong and Outreach may be back with their table of overflow donation fabrics at exceptional prices. All three are opportunities for you to expand your creative endeavors.

Don't forget to find the table with the sign up sheets for the Holiday Party.

Alice Kish

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Bayside Quilters

October 11, 2023

The October Meeting of the Bayside Quilters was held on 11, October 2023 at Trappe Volunteer Fire Company Hall. A quorum was present in person and the meeting was called to order by President Jackie Granger at 9:30 a.m.

Announcements: Jackie welcomed everyone to the meeting and introduced a new member, Donna B. She informed everyone that Lou was at the front table selling 50/50 tickets as well as Quilt Raffle Tickets for a lovely quilt donated by many Bayside members. The drawing for the quilt will be held on the Saturday of the Handmade Sale.

Secretary's Report: The minutes were approved as written.

Treasurer's Report: Kris Smith presented the 2022-23 fiscal report.

Programs: Becki Combs has been working to make sure the guild has many exciting programs in the coming months. November's program will be a pop-up shop with Crabby Quilter. Becki has been in contact with Cathy and she will be able to take machines back to the shop to be serviced. If you are interested, please inform Becki ASAP so she can let Cathy know. Karli Abbott and Gail Lee have offered to pick machines up from Crabby Quilter when they are done being serviced. Becki also asked members to let her know if they would like anything specific from the store. January's program will be the Modern Quilt Bee Color Challenge. If you are not a Modern Bee Member but would like to participate, please contact Julia Cohoon.

Outreach: Jan wanted to thank everyone for their participation in the Outreach sale so far. Please make sure you go over and check out their table as they are still working towards their goal. Current outreach activities include Christmas stockings, handwork, Bayside quilt patterns, and veteran quilt kits. Please come help our outreach efforts!

Handmade Sale: Jackie thanked everyone who participated in the Makers Day on 9/27. We had 15 members participate with many others taking kits home. If anyone is interested in being a vendor for the Handmade Sale, please see Kris Smith to get a vendor number. All vendors MUST have a number. We ask that you tag all of your items and include your vendor number, price of the item, general description, and size. If you are donating all your proceeds to Bayside, you may put your items under the Bayside Vendor Number. The Sale will run from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday. We still need volunteers to work shifts during these two days, please see Kris to sign up! If you have extra items that do not sell, we ask that they be picked up at 3 p.m. on Saturday. Nita Brayton has been working very hard on publicity. She plans to post teaser photos on social media that include some of the items that will be at the sale. Extra rack cards are on the membership table if anyone would like them. Lou Diefenderfer will be recording interviews with 94.3 Winx FM and 91.7 WHCP in the coming weeks.

Other New Business: Jo Verne and Alice Kish are working diligently on the December Luncheon. It will take place in Royal Oak on December 13th. The cost will be \$35 a person and we look forward to a fun time. Karli announced that she has created welcome bags for all new members. Anyone who has joined since the August Luncheon may collect a bag from the Membership table. Bags include a seam ripper, notepad, pen, Bayside Bookmark, and a list of Bayside Bees and Board Contact information. Extra bookmarks will be printed and available for members to distribute and keep.

Jo announced that October 11th was National Day of the Girl and awarded Karli with a beautiful Diamond Clover Pin for her hard work and dedication to 4-H.

Multiple drawings were held at the meeting. Thank you to all those who donated prizes and congratulations to our winners. Special Thank you to Edna Bennett, our 50/50 winner, who donated her winnings back to the guild.

Following Show & Tell, Becki introduced our speaker for October, Eleanor Levie, who brought many items and presented an exciting presentation.

Respectfully submitted, Karli Abbott, Secretary



BEE BUZZ



Modern Design & Critique Bee 1-4 PM
 AKA Brackish Babes
 3rd Tuesday of the month
 Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Easton
 7401 Ocean Gateway, Easton, MD 21601
 Space is limited. Please contact Laura
 Boehl, 410-925-6960, or Nita Brayton, 410-
 725-4323

Modern Quilting Bee 6:30 PM
 1st Wednesday of the month
 Trappe Volunteer Fire House
 4001 Powell, Trappe, MD 21673
 Join us to learn about modern quilts, styles
 and techniques and to be inspired by
 interaction with modern quilters.
 Welcoming new members. Contact Lou
 Diefenderfer if you are interested or have
 questions 410-924-1764

Fiber Arts Bee 9:30 AM
 3rd Wednesday of the month. Accepting New
 Members
 Location changes so contact Phyllis Parker,
 410-770-9645, if interested in attending.

Outreach Bee 10 AM
 4th Wednesday of the month
 Immanuel Lutheran Church
 7215 Ocean Gateway (Rt. 50), Easton, MD
 21601
 Jan Bohn 410-822-4688, Pat Massimini 703-
 336-3796

Talbot Hospice Veteran's Bee 10 AM
 Meets with **Outreach**
 4th Wednesday of the month
 Immanuel Lutheran Church,
 7215 Ocean Gateway (Rt. 50), Easton, MD
 21601
 Judy Gross 1-240-605-8212
 mjgross1@verizon.net or Chris Dorset 410-
 364-5750 chdorset@atlanticbb.net

Please contact Bee Keeper Chris Dorset, chdorset@atlanticbb.net, with changes. If you are interested in forming a Bee related to your favorite part of quilting, let Chris know and we'll try and find others with your interests!

Zoom Invitations

We will be sending all future Zoom invitations from the Bayside Quilters Zoom email address, baysidequilterszoom@gmail.com. Please make sure Bayside Quilters Zoom is a safe address for you so you don't miss any invitations to Zoom meetings.

Important Deadlines

The following are gentle reminders of some deadlines. Adhering to these dates make all our volunteer jobs easier.

Newsletter articles – 20th of month. They will appear in the newsletter that is sent out a week before regular meeting.

Reimbursement forms with invoices and/or receipts for Bayside expenses – Within 30 days of expense.

Reimbursement checks to you – Please cash within 30 days of receipt.

Payment for Workshops, Camps – Minimum of 10 days before event. Retreats will set a date that will be announced as needed.



HAND-CRAFTED
QUILTS AND GIFTS

Raffle Quilt

Traditional & Modern Design

Handmade
Market

Friday
Nov 17, 2023
3pm to 7pm

Saturday
Nov 18, 2023
10am to 3pm

QUILTS
Wall Hangings
Bags
Wearables
Table items
Fabric Toys
Christmas Ornaments
Sewing items
Rope Bowls & Baskets
Home Decor
Baby & Children's

Bayside Quilters
of the Eastern Shore



Trappe Volunteer Fire Company
4001 Powell Avenue
Trappe, Maryland

**Listen to Lou's Radio Interview about the
Handmade Market**

Here's the link to Lou's interview with WHCP 91.7. It's in segments A & B.
<https://on.soundcloud.com/anskG>.

Bayside Handmade Sale

Our Policy

All items will be handmade

70/30 split

Contact Kris Smith for Vendor # assignment (443-995-5144 or kris.smith55@gmail.com)

Non members will need to provide Kris with all their contact information

Tag all items

Vendor #

Price

Brief description

Quilt measurements

NOTE: Attach tags with safety pins!

Drop off at TVFC Friday, Nov. 17 between 9 & 11am

Pick up unsold items Saturday, Nov. 18 @ 3:00pm

If not picked up, all unsold items will be donated

Outreach November Meeting

Date Change

Our November meeting will be at Immanuel Church on **NOVEMBER 29TH**, not November 22nd, avoiding the Thanksgiving rush. Hope y'all can come!!

We've lots of machine sewing and hand work for every one!! Outreach quilts, Veterans quilts and banners, kids quilts – you name it, we've got it!!

Hope to see you there!

Questions?? Jan Bohn – 410 822 4688, fudgebohn@yahoo.com or

Pat Massimini – 703 336 3706 pat@massimini.us

Be there or be square!!

PS Patti just delivered all of our stock pile of Veteran Quilts and Pillows to Hospice House. We need more!!!

Thank You

Publicity would like to thank those that have helped promote the Handmade Market. Donations have kept the advertising budget in line. Here's what has helped:

Elaine Neale, Julia Cohoon, Jo Verne, Lou Diefenderfer contributed with card stock paper and printing of the rack cards (more at the November meeting).

Kin West designed and donated the flyers.

Amy Steward, writer, and Attractions magazine staff for help with advertising.

Everyone that has shared the event via e-mail, social media, word-of-mouth, passed out rack cards or a flyer. Keep sharing this fun fundraiser. No contribution is too small.

My apologies to anyone I missed.

-Nita

Holiday Party

Jo verne and Alice Kish are co-chairs of this event. We visited the Oaks to see the layout of the room and to finalize the menu. The Oaks looks Fabulous! Their remodel was extensive and every part of the venue is amazing. You will so enjoy this location for the luncheon. It will be festive, social and a highlight of the holiday season. Breakout out your special Christmas attire and join in the fun.

December 13 at 11:00. Sign up sheets at the guild meeting. Bring your checkbook. The cost is a nice \$35 for a lovely luncheon.

See you there!



Trappe Fire Company Sewing Camp Fundraisers

November 10-12

December 1-3

All Camp times: 8am-8pm Friday & Saturday; 8am-4pm on Sunday

Donation price: 1 day \$25, 2 days \$40, 3 days \$50

For your donation you get: an 8 foot table, a chair and an extension cord.

Feel free to bring a small portable iron & ironing pad; we will set up several irons around the room. We have a few rulers & mats to use in the closet. If you want to set up extra tables, the rule is you take them down & please put your chair back on the rack-this just helps Sonny & me at clean up time.

Reminder: no perfume, smelly hairspray, or hand lotions as several of our quilters have severe allergies.

Feel free to bring snacks/lunch/dinner or patronize Coffee Trappe or Momma Maria's (food is excellent.).

Thanks, Lou Diefenderfer

410-924-1764

Christmas is Coming

Outreach Needs Help

Once again, Outreach would like to give the new children at Talbot Interfaith Shelter a quilt for Christmas.

Girls; ages 7 months, 4 years, 4 years, and 13 years.

Boys; 2 years, 8 years, 2 years, and 4 years.

If you'd like to make a quilt (or already have one) **for a child, please let Judy Gross know.** Judy is helping Jan with the Christmas TIS items.

Questions? Judy Gross Text/Phone 1-240-605-8212 Email mjgross1@verizon.net.

Judy would like to have all of the quilts for the children to her by December 15.



Grateful for the Free Table

We share our gifts from the free table!



This quilt was made from free table scraps and donated to a grateful patient at the dialysis center.

November Meeting Giveaways



"FURRY and BRIGHT"
from Studio E Fabrics
Shipping Now
9 piece collection.
Cuts of 10" WOF

"Sweet Safari"
from Studio E Fabrics
1 24" block panel



November 8, 2023

Surprise Pop-Up Shop!

We are going to have a Pop-up shop with The Crabby Quilter in Annapolis! Kathy (owner) will be sharing new products from the shop as well as bringing fabric and other items for us to purchase. This is a prime opportunity to shop for Holiday gifts for friends (as well as for yourself!) So, if you have any specifics you are looking to stock in your stash or have a project you are looking to procure a style of fabric, please drop me a quick email (becki.m.combs@gmail.com) and I will relay the info on to Kathy so she can bring some along!

The question came up about Bernina maintenance and repair at CQ. They have a new tech who has gone to Bernina school, and he works Monday and Wednesday evenings at their shop on the machines. I am still waiting on the answer about taking a machine or two back with them.

BTW – The requests I have received are as follows:

Fabric with character

Tilda Fabric (especially the line called Hibernation)

Rotary cutter blades

Variety of Thread

Newport Sail (or Sailboat) kit

Bernina 730 bobbins

***If you need anything additional, please let me know asap so I can let Kathy know.
My email to use is: becki.combs@verizon.net***

January 10, 2024

Modern Quilt Challenge Presentation

The Modern group will be sharing their 2023 challenge quilts with the group. This year's theme was a color challenge using only one color. Each participant was given a color card with the shades that they may use – no whites or blacks.

Here are pictures from a much larger quilt guild presentation of their color challenge quilts. We have yet to see how ours will compare you won't want to miss this one!



February 2024: Rachel Derstine

Lecture & Workshop

From Inspiration to Art Process

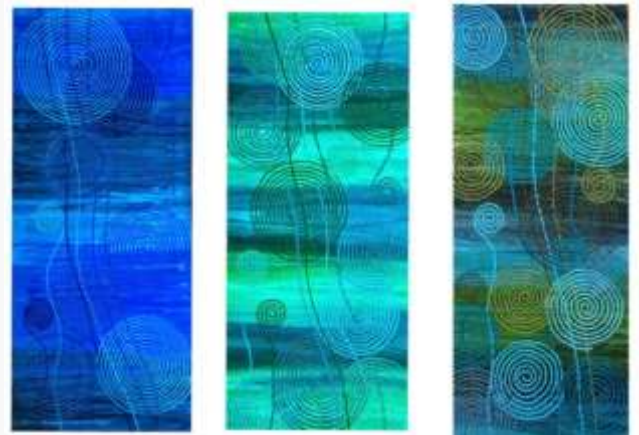


PowerPoint lecture presentation on the topic of where I find inspiration for my art: Other artists, photographs, influences from life experiences. I also discuss how to make effective quilts using art concepts such as limiting color palette, simplifying the background, using repetition of line, shapes, values and color throughout the work.

Workshop on Wednesday afternoon following lecture will be \$30.

ARTFUL COUCHING

Learn the art of couching with yarns to create texture, flow and extra pizzazz. This is a full day or half day class, depending on if the students come with a completed quilt sandwich on which to do the couching. We will focus exclusively on mastering couching techniques. Students will bring a striped batik or gradient fabric or purchase fabric in class to make this 18" x 45" table runner size quilt. This class will show you the many ways to use couching for definition and sparkle, by incorporating a variety of cording, yarns and metallic threads in your work. PDF supply list will be provided prior to class.



Get your brain in gear to start after the November sale and holidays!

March 2024: Outreach Sew-in

April 2024: Earth Day Challenge: Recycle /Upcycle

How many of you have old family items such as costume jewelry, well-loved quilts with holes, doilies, embroidered tea towels, embroidered dresser scarves, etc.? Many of us do not have places in our homes for these items in the current state, and yet, we have not donated them. (And, yes, I'm talking about myself here! ;-) So, in celebration of Earth Day (April 22, 2024), Bayside will be doing a Recycle/ Upcycle challenge! This challenge is your opportunity to re-purpose those items.

This challenge has only 1 Rule:

1. Your creation must include fabric. (Keep in mind that smaller items may be easier to share).

Each participant will share their creation and very briefly explain what they recycled/ upcycled. There will be prizes! (YES, multiple prizes in several categories!!)

Attached are some pictures from Pinterest that may help with idea generation. Also – refer back to the September Make Meeting (Alice's sweater mittens) and Ellie Levie's many items she shared!



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AND GUILD EVENTS!

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Things for Sale

Husquvarna Designer 1 Sewing Machine Embroidery unit, Fabric Mover, and Software.

This is a minimally used machine (embroidery unit has never been used). It comes with all items shown in the pictures. It sews well, but I moved to a newer machine about 7 years ago and am finally cleaning out my space.

If you have any questions about the unit, please contact me (Becki Combs) at 240-298-2932.

I am asking \$500.





Southern Comforters Quilt Guild
Bowie, Maryland

*Annual Showcase of Challenge Quilts
and
Member-Made Holiday Quilt, Art and Craft Sale*

Saturday, November 4, 2023

10:00 – 2:00

Christian Community Presbyterian Church

3120 Belair Drive, Bowie, MD

Join us for our annual Quilt Challenge exhibit and
Holiday Member-Made Sale

View and vote on our Challenge quilts, enjoy some wonderful holiday
gift shopping

Raffle Quilt, Raffle Baskets

light lunch available benefiting CCPC Youth group

Bring a friend!! Free Admission

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Ocean Waves Quilt Guild
MARKETPLACE SALE
FABRIC • NOTIONS • CRAFTS

Saturday, November 11

2:00pm – 6:00pm

Lewes Library

111 Adams Ave., Lewes, DE

- Quilting Fabrics and Notions
- Vendors with Craft Items
- Quilting Books and Patterns
- Community Service Display
- Patriotic Quilt Display



For any questions contact Barb: owqg2ndtime@gmail.com

November Birthdays



Ann Clayton	11/3
Fran Lopes	11/3
Kitty Reiser	11/14
Kay Butler	11/18
Katy Cooper	11/22
Jodi Pagano	11/24
Carol Clarke	11/25
Lucille Malone	11/25
Barbara Mann	11/25

Happy Birthday, A!!!!

Never ask a quilter
to dress the turkey.



Happy Thanksgiving!

Class Registration Policies Bayside Quilters of the Eastern Shore

Established 11.19.2014

Reservations for Classes – Both a **Payment and a Workshop/Class Coupon** must be presented to Class Registration in order to include your name on the Roster for any Bayside sponsored class, workshop, retreat, etc. Prices will be set per class. Non-members pay an additional \$5 per class.

Student Cancellation Policy – Bayside Quilters has a **NO REFUND POLICY**. However, if the student can find someone to fill the seat, exchange of funds could occur between the two. Class Registration must be notified of all changes you wish to make on the Class Roster.

WORKSHOP/CLASS COUPON

WORKSHOP/CLASS COUPON _____

Date ___/___/___ Time ___

MEMBER FEE \$ _____ NON-MEMBER FEE \$ _____ Check # _____

NAME _____ Email _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

BEST PHONE # _____

Make check payable to "Bayside Quilters." Include with completed coupon and bring to the next meeting or mail to Bayside Quilters, PO Box 2672, Easton, MD 21601. A Supply List will be emailed. If you want a paper copy, send SASE with your payment and coupon to the same address. Please note: BAYSIDE QUILTERS has a NO REFUND POLICY.



And, Finally...

Photos Needed

Historian Nita Brayton needs a few photos from the sew ins or the Bees for the BQ scrapbook. Please bring them to a meeting or email them to her at "nitabnitab@yahoo.com".

January 10

Modern Quilt Bee

Presents Their

Challenge Quilts

Trappe Volunteer Firehouse

November 8

"Pop Up Shop"

With the Crabby Quilter

Trappe Volunteer Firehouse

Sunshine

Don't forget, Debbie Brobst is the Sunshine Chair. If you know of anyone who needs some sunshine, please let Debbie know.

December 13

Holiday Luncheon

At

The Oaks

Royal Oak, MD

Donations to the Guild

Bayside welcomes any donations you are able to make to help us support our Outreach, Education, and Preservation activities. All donations to the guild, a 501(c)(3) organization, are tax deductible.

FOLLOW BAYSIDE ON FACEBOOK

Our Facebook page is under the name of **Bayside Quilters of the Eastern Shore**. If you search using only Bayside Quilters you will get a quilters page but it's not us. There are lots of great pictures from our meetings, thanks to Kay Butler,