

# The Gazette

## All Star Quilters' Guild

**May 2019 Newsletter**  
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We meet at: First Christian Church  
11924 San Jose Blvd  
Jacksonville, FL

**Officers and Board** - See last page of this newsletter for the Officers & Board listing. The list has been placed at the end of the newsletter for ease of printing.

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- 24 R/W/B Wall Hanging Quilt Class with Robyn House Guettler

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## All Star Challenge

All Star Challenge 2019: Two with a Twist

This year's All Star Challenge is called Two with a Twist. That is because you choose two colored pencils. If you really hate one color, you can swap it out. The swap is the twist. Here are the names of some of the colors I have left: bubblegum, granny smith apple, earl grey, lemon glacier, cornflower, winter sky, dark chocolate, fiery rose, sizzling sunset, and many more. Don't they sound tempting? Thirty-six people have picked up their colored pencils so far. Won't we have a great program if everyone follows through and makes a quilt in their colors? Remember to hang on to your colored pencils. We will display them alongside your quilt at the June reveal meeting.

Just to recap the Challenge rules: Your quilt must be no larger than 45" x 45". It can be as small as you like. You must use your two chosen colors in very recognizable amounts on the front of your quilt. The deadline for completing your entry is the June general meeting. We will display the quilts, vote on our favorites, and the top three people will receive \$30 gift cards from Cinnamon's.

See me at the May meeting if you need to pick up your colored pencils. Good luck and happy quilting!

*Vicki Zoller*

## All Star Quilters' Guild -Where everyone can shine!

Featured Quilter – Jill Kelly



Jill Kelly is our Quilter of the Month. Born in Detroit, Michigan, Jill and her family moved to Massachusetts when she was 13. Because of her husband's career in the Navy, she has lived as far north as Brunswick, Maine and as far south as St. Johns, Florida, with stops in Newport and Portsmouth, Rhode Island; Fairfax, Virginia; Virginia Beach, Virginia; Charleston, South Carolina; and Mayport, Florida—all these on the Atlantic Coast. On the Pacific Coast, she has lived in Bremerton and Seattle, Washington; Monterey, California; Murphy Canyon, California (San Diego area); and Coronado, California. And further west, she lived in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. Whew! That's a lot of moving, even for a Navy wife! She has lived here in St. Johns since 2018.

Though she had been sewing since she was ten, she began quilting in 1998. She is basically self-taught, although she did join the Burke, Virginia quilt guild and took a couple of workshops. It was there that she went on her one and only quilt retreat and says she learned a lot. Her first quilt started out as a teaching project for nursery school. Someone had donated some fabric and no one could think of what to do with it since fabric is too difficult for 3 and 4 year olds to cut, so she decided to teach shapes, colors, and numbers by cutting out simple squares, and half square triangles. This is really quite ingenious: each night she would sew groups together and put them up on the bulletin board. The next day they would figure out what colors were used, what shapes, and finally, how many. When they had several nine patches, and began making rows, the kids started to add how many squares made up a block and how many blocks made up a row. Finally, she put it all together and had a quilt top that the

kids felt part of. She backed and bound it, and during nap time, one child each day got to nap under the quilt. At the end of the school year, Jill brought it home, and of course, then they moved. She still has that precious quilt sitting on her sofa.

Jill joined All Stars last November after a PEO sister of hers, Jean McCormick, invited her as a guest (Thanks, Jean!) She loved the members from the get go. She thinks we are friendly and helpful and she says she 'loves, loves, loves" the programs! She is amazed by the talent and dedication of the Guild members. She is a member of the Ways and Means Committee and is presently working on the ladder raffle and the cookbook (have you bought tickets and submitted your recipe?) Jill says she loves being part of a group of people who are passionate about what they do and are enthusiastic about sharing their knowledge and the fruits of their labor.

Jill is partial to batiks and Asian prints, and her favorite colors are teal, turquoise, soft yellow, clear pinks, and true blues. Her least favorites are purples, browns, beige, and other muddy "country/folk art" colors like mustard or sage. Her local PEO chapter has a sub group of needle arts, which has just started. They meet once a month on one of their homes to chat and to work on whatever current projects each one brings. She says it's a lot like All Stars' Sit and Stitch.

A high school English teacher for 30 years, Jill says she was always a first-year teacher because they moved so much. In response to the question "What do you do when you're not quilting?", Jill explained that when her mother died in 2012 and left her a little money, she went back to college and got a fine arts degree. She now paints in oil, watercolor, and acrylics, she divides her time between quilting and painting. Jill has also long been a singer, and this is the first time since she was seven that she hasn't sung in at least one choir (on hiatus until she conquers sinus allergies). Instead she is taking piano lessons. All this is in addition to taking care of her 93-year-old mother-in-law, so you can see, her time is all accounted for. Hubby was supposed to retire before they moved here, but it has yet to happen!

And what else would surprise you about the very busy, very accomplished Jill Kelly? She has two sisters who are also trying to quilt, so when they have their sisters' weekend each year their either bring knitting or sewing projects for the evenings—one more thing for sisters to share! Thanks for sharing with us a bit of your very interesting life, Jill!

*Linda McClelland*

## **Want Some Fun?**

Want to try your hand at something different and serve your Guild? It appears I'm going to miss the three summer General Meetings: June, July, and August. I would like to have someone do the Featured Quilter articles for the newsletter and announce the Quilter at each of those three meetings. All you need is email. I will give you the questions, you get to pick your people. Nothing to it! Call or text me and we'll work out the details. 904-651-7032.

*Linda McClelland*

## All Stars Guild Cookbook

The cookbook is in the works. We have estimates for printing and artwork being prepared. Most of you have responded to my pleas for recipes, but a few are still holding back. I would really like 100% participation. You have a little more TIME. I must have your submission by the May general meeting. I am trying to compile everything, and my team is trying to get this ready by August. We will be selling the books for \$15. I will start taking orders in June, payment will be due when you receive your book(s).

Thanks. I'm excited about this project.

*Pat D'Elia, Jill Kelly, and Delia Bright*

## All Stars Quilt Retreat

ALL STARS QUILT RETREAT 2019  
October 14-18, 2019  
"BLOCK PARTY"

The theme for this year's Fall Retreat, scheduled for October 14-18, 2019, is "Block Party." As in past years, Retreat will take place at the Retreat at Silver Springs.

There are 35 spaces available for Retreat, and when the 35 spaces are filled, we will start a waiting list. We will begin taking registrations at the June 17 Guild meeting. The total cost for Retreat is \$250 (no change from last year), with a \$50 non-refundable deposit. As in the past, you may pay your whole fee at the time you register for Retreat or pay your deposit and then make payments each month until the total fee of \$250 has been paid. The deadline for total payment is Friday, October 4, 2019. If you are interested in helping plan this year's Retreat, please let me, Pat D'Elia or Linda McClelland know.

*Linda Wilson*

## Community Service

We have a little more new donated fabric for you at the May meeting. Drop by to see what you can put in your next quilt.

Thanks for the beautiful quilts last month. Keep this coming. Thanks so much for all you do.

*Sue Abbey and Sue Blythe*

## Email Blasts

I (Betty Ann) send out the email blasts to the guild. When responding to a blast, please respond to the member that originated the blast. Example: Pat D'Elia sends me a blast for a road trip. "Forward" to Pat instead of "reply" to sender. When you reply to me, I have to "forward" to Pat. Your answer doesn't get to Pat in a timely manner and if I'm not looking at email. It may get to Pat too late.

I try to always leave the email address of the requestor on the email so you will know who to send your answer to.

Remember "forward" not "reply".

*Betty Ann Agnew*

Blast sender

## Education

Our May 27 class with Kathy Rutherford, One Block Wonder, will be a great one. Kathy is giving a door prize of the One Block Wonder Book and a peep hole to someone attending the class. June 24 is a red, white, and blue wallhanging with Robyn House Guettler. There is a \$15 fee and a \$25 kit. That too will be a great class. July 29th is Tiki Tiki quilt with Linda Hahn. The fee for that class is \$30. We need to fill all these great classes to "break even" on receipts and expenditures for the year. Our membership directory says our guild is to serve as a source of quilt education, information, and inspiration (among other things). In a class you will always learn a few valuable tips and have fun quilting with fellow members. So, we hope to see you in an upcoming class.

*Bonnie Helm*

## Historian

**Photos, articles and other documents:** April 2019 photos have been posted.

[www.photobucket.com/user/allstarquiltguild/library](http://www.photobucket.com/user/allstarquiltguild/library).

**Need a volunteer – I'm leaving for the summer.** The guild needs someone to take photos while I'm away. If you don't want to edit or post the photos, I'll do that in the fall when I return. Please email or call me if you want any additional information.

### **Member Photos – May is the last chance until November**

It's time for those of us that had our pictures taken a few years back to retake those photos. Most of those older photos were taken on a light background and the photos aren't the best for trying to recognize people. Also, many of those photos aren't close ups so as our eyes get worse (along with everything else) it's hard to tell who's who.

New members: If you haven't had your first picture taken, please see me before or after the General Meeting

*Sandy Onsager*

## **Library** A Book Bonanza

We have four new books in the Guild library, courtesy of Toni Anweiler. Thank you so much, Toni! The books are as follows: Adding Layers: Color, Design & Imagination by Kathy Doughty, Modern Designs for Classic Quilts by Kelly Biscopink and Andrea Johnson, Liberated Quiltmaking II by Gwen Marston, and Modern Quilts Illustrated #9 by Weeks Ringle and Bill Kerr.

This month the featured book is Modern Designs for Classic Quilts. Often some one will ask me if we have a book on a specific quilt design, such as Sliced 4-Patch, Hexagon, or Crazy Quilt. While the library may not have a book with that title, often you can find the specific design you are looking in a book with a more general title. I know that can be confusing because no one wants to plow through a stack of books to find the one design that you want. But the book, Modern Designs for Classic Quilts, has all these designs and more. Looking for a Spiderweb or Dresden Plate design? They are here, too.

So take some time to stop by the library and look at some of the tables of contents of our books. You might just find just the design you are looking for.

*Vicki Zoller*

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## **Membership**

### **MEMBERSHIP REPORT FOR APRIL 2019**

We currently have 160 quilters who are members of All Stars! There were 88 members, 5 guest and 3 new members present at the April 15, 2019 Guild Meeting. New members were: Sheron Walser and Adriane Elwood. Our guests were: Peggy Kelly, Natalie Tomola, Joyce Farhat, Tonya Gunton and Marcia Witt.

Remember to wear your name tags at the Guild Meeting. It helps us all to have a visual cue when we speak to each other and especially as we learn names of our new friends.

*Lisa Anderson*

## **Pancake Breakfast**

As I announced last month, we have a pancake breakfast scheduled prior to the August general meeting. Pancakes (regular and blueberry), pork sausage, turkey sausage, butter, syrup (regular and sugar free), coffee, orange juice, and milk are on the menu. Scrambled eggs will also be offered for those not excited about pancakes.

Tickets for this event will go on sale at the June meeting (price to be determined). Anyone can attend this, so if you have family or friends interested, buy them a ticket too. We are starting service at 8:30 am and the general meeting will follow at 10am. PLEASE UNDERSTAND, NO REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED AT THE MEETING THAT DAY.

I will be signing up helpers for this event, so if you would like to assist me, please volunteer. All proceeds will go to the guild's treasury.

Thanks for your support.

*Pat D'Elia and Delia Bright*

## Programs

Sorry I missed last months program with Karol, but I hear it was packed full of information. Thanks Karol

Coming up:

May 20<sup>th</sup> – Scrappy Rooster

June 17<sup>th</sup> - 2019 Guild Challenge Reveal – Vicki Zoller

July 15<sup>th</sup> - Exchange with Friendship Guild

August 19<sup>th</sup> – 12 X 12 group - Susan Sharpe

If you have ideas for Programs – let me know.

*Betty Ann Agnew*, Vice President, Programs

## QuiltFest 2019

QUILTFEST 2019  
September 19-21, 2019  
“Bobbin on the Beach”

At the April 16 QuiltFest board meeting there was considerable discussion on the cost of mounting the show. The fee charged by the Prime has increased, as have other expenses. In addition, gate receipts are down or flat (depending on the year). The board is looking at ways to reduce expenses and increase revenue. In addition, an extensive publicity campaign is planned and will include a new focus, Quilts as Art, to help attract new attendees. Information tables and quilt displays are proposed for places like the Riverside Arts Market, the local fairs, the public libraries and other public gatherings. As in the past, magazine ads have been placed in “Quilting Arts,” “McCall’s Quilting,” and “Quick Quilts.” Bookmarks will be placed at quilt shops in Florida, Georgia and South Carolina.

Coastal Quilters is the sponsor of this year’s show, with the theme, Bobbin on the Beach. Fabric for pillowcases and Me Dolls is needed. The pillowcases and Me Dolls are sewn by volunteers at the Community Service table during the show and donated to charitable causes. If you have juvenile print fabric you would like to donate, you can give it to one of the All Stars representatives on the QuiltFest board: June Daniels, Mary Jeanette Howle, Susan Sharpe, Linda Wilson, Ellen Ford or Ronni Potter. We will see that the fabric is delivered, and we thank you in advance for your contribution.

This year, the times assigned to each guild to work at the Quilt Sale table will change. In the past, All Stars has had Thursday afternoon (the first day of QuiltFest) as its assigned time. At this time, the days and times that will be assigned to each guild have not been determined.

QuiltFest depends on volunteers to help make the show successful. Thanks to the following All Stars members who have agreed to manage the following All Stars portions of the show:

Guild Table – Pat D’Elia

This table is where the guild sells chances for the guild’s raffle quilt and answer questions about All Stars. Volunteers work two-hour shifts during the show. **NOTE:** This is the only volunteer position that

does not include free admission to the show. Pat will have more information about signups to work at the guild table later this year.

### Quilters Walk – Kathi Thompson

This is a popular part of QuiltFest. Show attendees buy tickets for chances to win items donated by vendors, guilds and others. At the April 15 Guild meeting, Kathi displayed the tote bag that she will use to collect civil war fabrics – fat quarters and larger. Please give your contributions to Kathi at the Guild meetings.

### Guild Community Outreach – Roberta Redshaw

This is a very important contribution to QuiltFest. Each guild will construct a display showing their charitable and community service projects.

### Guild Volunteer Coordinator – Mary Anne Dennis

As I did in 2018, this year I am again coordinating all volunteers for QuiltFest, and Mary Anne will be collecting and organizing volunteer forms submitted by All Stars members. Volunteer forms will be available in June. Last year, Ellen issued a challenge to All Stars for 75% of members to volunteer at QuiltFest. All Stars had 60 volunteers, and while it was not 75% of the membership, it was the largest number of volunteers of all the local guilds. I hope that this year's volunteer turnout will be as high or even higher.

The next QuiltFest Board meeting is at 7:00 PM on Tuesday, May 21, at 7:00 PM at the Lexington Hotel on the Southbank. Visitors are always welcome. If you are interested in attending to learn more about how QuiltFest is organized and staged, please talk to one of the All Stars QuiltFest Board representatives listed above for more information.

*Linda Wilson*

## QuiltFest Give-aways

When QuiltFest patrons purchase tickets for our raffle quilt we thank them with a little gift. I am looking for ideas of what these gifts can be for this year's event. It needs to be something simple to make and inexpensive to produce. We usually mass produce these at a sit n stitch session. Please think about this and if you have an idea, submit it to a board member before the next board meeting (June 3rd). The ideas will be presented and voted on at that meeting. If your design is chosen I will personally reward you with a prize. This year's QuiltFest theme is "bobbin on the beach".

Good luck.

*Pat D'Elia*

## QUILT RAFFLE TICKETS

Now is the time to get your tickets to sell for the 2019 All Stars Raffle Quilt, "Window Boxes". Tickets are available before and after the general meeting, and I am at the church most Mondays. If you need to get tickets some other time, contact me so we can make arrangements (contact info is in the membership book). The tickets are in packets of 20, but different amounts can be arranged. If you don't want that many, perhaps you could buy them from another member. Sales so far are going really well, and there will be a prize for the person that sells the most tickets. There will also be a prize for the person that sells the winning ticket, so the more you sell, the better your chance. Remember, at least 50% of the proceeds will go to our charity, In The Pink. They provide much needed products and services to cancer patients. I do have brochures about them to help explain what they do.

Thank you,

*Karol Blomgren*

## Quilts of Valor

We had a successful Monday Sit N Stitch, sewing the new QOV block pattern. We have the potential of 6 quilts. Many thanks to all who participated. A special thanks to Trish Egbert who created block kits which some took home. Trish is always willing to help me, and I really appreciate her efforts.

*Patsy A. Barr,*

Quilt of Valor representative.

## Refreshments

Thanks to everyone who signed up to bring dishes this month. Looking forward to seeing what you all bring. Here's a recipe from my Mom.

Preacher Cookies/ Boiled Cookies

2 C. white sugar	1 pinch of salt
½ C milk	½ C peanut butter
½ C cocoa powder	1 teaspoon vanilla
1 stick butter	3 C oatmeal

Mix the sugar, milk, cocoa, butter and salt in saucepan. Bring to a boil. Remove from the heat; cool slightly. Add the peanut butter, vanilla and uncooked oats. If you wish, you can add nuts or coconut. Spoon unto wax paper with a teaspoon and let set until dry.

*Candy Schladt*

# Recording Secretary

All Star Quilters' Guild General Meeting April 15, 2019 Minutes

The meeting was called to order by President, Kathi Thompson at 10:00 AM.

The minutes of the March 18, 2018 guild general meeting were approved as published.

## Ellen Cannon

- Treasurer –Ellen Cannon read the Treasurer's report.

## Sue Abbey/Ellen Ford

- Community Service - Sue announced she had newly donated material for community service projects. She stated Peds Care and daniel services are always thrilled and appreciative of our quilt donations.

## Mindy Ashby

- Corresponding Secretary - Mindy announced 4 cards had been mailed out.

## Bonnie Helm/Pris Roehm/Judy Cwalina

- Education - Pris went over the scheduled classes. May 27<sup>th</sup> with Kathy Rutherford teaching the One Block Wonder, Kathi Thompson's daughter teaching the Red, White, and Blue wall hanging on June 24<sup>th</sup> and Linda Hahn teaching the Tiki Tiki Triangles July 29<sup>th</sup>.

## Linda Wilson

- Fall Retreat - October 14-18 Linda announced sign up and registration for our Fall Retreat will begin June 17<sup>th</sup> and final payment due by October 4<sup>th</sup>. All information will be in the newsletter.
- QuiltFest - Bobbin at the Beach is the theme for this year's QuiltFest, Sept 19-21. Linda announced Mary Anne Dennis will be in charge of our guild sign-up volunteer sheets during the 3 days at QuiltFest. Linda is looking for someone to volunteer to make the community outreach display for the table at QuiltFest. Linda can provide more information.  
Jill Kelly and Jean McCormick have volunteered to coordinate the raffle table and sign-up sheets for QuiltFest.  
The volunteer time slots for the Sale table area at QuiltFest will be re-designated this year.  
The next QuiltFest meeting is April 16<sup>th</sup> and all are welcome to attend.  
Kathi Thompson volunteered to do the basket for Quilter's Walk. She showed a beautiful large bag she made and has challenged the guild to fill it with civil war type fabric. All yardages, down to fat quarters are acceptable.

## Pat D'Elia

- Road Trip Coordinator - Pat announced 35 members signed up for the Mt. Dora trip. We will meet May 10<sup>th</sup> at the Target parking lot on San Jose. The carpool will leave at 8am. Please call Pat if you are unable to attend.
- Ways and Means - Raffle tickets for the quilt ladder donated and made by Donna Caldarise's husband are being sold by Jill Kelly and Jean McCormick. The drawing will be June 17<sup>th</sup>. A cookbook from our members' favorite recipes will be one of our money making events for Ways and Means this year. We

ask for everyone to submit one of their special recipes to share. A sign-up sheet will be circulated to get an estimated count of cookbooks needed. We plan to have the cookbooks ready by August. Another Ways and Means project will be a pancake breakfast served from 8:30 to 9:30 August 19th prior to the guild meeting. Tickets will be sold in advance.

#### Sandy Onsager

- Historian - Sandy asks that all new members come see her to get their photo taken.

#### Candy Schladt

- Hospitality - Candy thanked everyone that brought refreshments today and circulated a sign-up sheet for upcoming meetings.

#### Vicki Zoller

- Library - Vicki shared the types of newer books in the library.
- Challenge 2019 - Vicki challenged us to think why we quilt and our purpose for the quilt. Our challenge quilts can be donated to the Shriners auction at QuiltFest which is an excellent charity. Larger quilts that are donated go to one of our many charities our guild supports.
- Quilt Mother 2019 - The 2019 quilt was on display during the guild for all to see.

#### Lisa Anderson

- Membership - Lisa announced 86 members were present today with 7 visitors, 2 of which joined. Kathy Nay and Susan Sharpe were the winners from the drawing.

#### Delia Bright

- Newsletter - Delia announced Ellen Ford will be the new Newsletter editor beginning in May.
- Equipment Manager - Delia is in charge of the sound equipment and the “elmo” visual/ sound equipment.

#### Linda McClelland

- Quilter of the Month - Lisa Anderson was introduced as the quilter of the month.

#### Patsy Barr

- Quilts of Valor –Patsy showed a QOV quilt top that was made from the collected blocks. She thanked Sherry for getting a QOV Sit and Stitch day on the calendar. Last year enough blocks were made to complete 6 quilts.

#### Karol Blomgren

- Raffle Tickets - Karol announced tickets for the raffle quilt are ready to be picked up for sales. Tickets are packaged in lots of 20.

#### Sherry Verrell

- Sit ‘n Stitch - Next Sit and Stitch day is April 22. Please refer to calendar for other scheduled events.

Elaine Brett/Ellen Cannon

- Spring Retreat - Elaine announced the retreat packets were handed out today.

Mary Anne Dennis

- UFOs - Mary Anne announced over 20 members have signed up to participate in the UFO program. She encouraged others to sign up. Nine members showed their finished UFO quilts this month.

Betty Ann Agnew

- Program - Our own Karol Bloomgren gave the program "History of the Raffle Quilt." She gave the history of the All Star Quilter' guild that began in 1989 with many photographs, descriptions, and interesting facts of the guild and the raffle quilts made yearly. We are fortunate to have Karol who has cataloged and collected all this information.

Betty Olson/ Sondra Frus

- We had 12 members that participated in showing their projects.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:50 AM.

Respectfully submitted

*Mindy Ashby for Donna Caldarise*

Recording Secretary

## **Road Trip**

The road trip to Mt Dora is right around the corner. On May 10th we will visit Sew Mini Things Quilt Shop and be treated to a 30% discount off on the bolt fabric, with a 1 yd minimum cut. After shopping we will dine at Pisces Rising restaurant. There is a big group going, it should be great fun.

Departure from the Target parking lot at I-295 and San Jose Blvd will be at 8am. The Quilt Shop is our first stop about 10am, when they open, then we are expected at lunch at noon. The menu was circulated so that decision is made and everything should go very smoothly.

I have worked up the list of drivers and riders. If you haven't heard from me you are NOT a driver. When you arrive at Target I will explain who rides with who. I have taken into account any requests. Please remember if you are riding, to share gas expenses with your driver (about \$8).

Thanks for your cooperation. See you Friday.

*Pat D'Elia, Jean McCormick, and Jill Kelly*

## Sew and Tell

April 15, 2019

	Name	Description of Quilt
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1	Sheri Harnack	Brown – Community Service
2	Terri Chamberlain	Black & White Log Jam
3	Laura Rowe	Grandma's Aprons (top) Log Jam
4	Shirley Jones	Table topper – Free at last meeting
5	Mindy Ashby	My Neighborhood
6	Delia Bright	Ocean View – Disappearing 9-patch
7	Lisa Anderson	Champagne
8	Lisa Anderson	Best Day Ever
9	Joanne Hermon	Miniature
10	Carol Vonderheide	Flowers – Square-in-a-Square
11	Pat Swing	Paper-pieced pillow & Bargello
12	Tonya Guntan	Patchwork Throw Blanket

## Sit “n” Stitch

We meet this month on the 13th. Next time will be June 10th. Cute and fun community service project coming up soon. We start gathering at 9:30 and the meeting runs from 10:00 till noon. Hope to see you there.

*Sherry Verell*

## UFO Challenge

It appears that this year's UFO challenge has inspired members to dust off those quilts that have been languishing in the “to do” piles in their sewing rooms. At the April 15 Guild meeting, seven members showed a total of ten completed quilts.

*Mary Anne Dennis* completed a blue Hunters Star quilt that she started in the spring of 2017.

*Kathleen Voigt* displayed a quilt titled “Am I Blue” that was started in 2016 or 2017.

*Pat D'Elia* completed four quilts: a multi-colored scrappy quilt with a log cabin border started in 2012, a four-patch charm quilt with sashing, also started in 2012, and two batik charm quilts started in 2014.

*Kathi Thompson* completed a quilt called “Logs, Ladies and Love” that she says she started “at least ten years ago.”

*Lynne McCrork* showed us a quilt called “Snaps and Pops #1,” started in 2017.

*Sheri Harnack's* completed quilt, started in 2017 was called “Bride's Dream,” made from men's shirts.

*Karen Weisman* showed a completed Dresden Plate memory quilt constructed of men's ties that she started in 2012.

Isn't this fun? We've enjoyed seeing all the UFOs that have become finished projects. There is still time to join the challenge. See Mary Anne Dennis at the next Guild meeting for a form to list your UFOs, and remember, for each quilt you complete you will receive a sticker designed by Andrea Pellegrino. See how many stickers you can collect by the end of this challenge. If you didn't receive your stickers at the March meeting, be sure to see Mary Anne at the April meeting. We're looking forward to seeing the next group of UFOs completed by our talented members.

*Linda Wilson for Mary Anne Dennis*

## Ways and Means

We are still selling chances on the beautiful quilt ladder that Donna Caldarise 's husband made and has donated to the guild for fund raising. It will be on display at the May meeting. Tickets are one dollar per chance and all proceeds go to our treasury. The drawing will be at the June meeting after the program on our colorful and creative challenge quilts. Be sure to enter and good luck.

*Pat D'Elia , Jean McCormick, and Jill Kelly*



## Additional Note

The Clay County Fair is looking for someone to take over the 'Quilt House'. In the old village. Call the Clay County fair office if you are interested.

Looking forward to retreat. Have a great spring.

*Kathi Thompson*

## Classified

Janome Skyline S6 sewing machine for sale. Also, a Gidget II sewing table.  
For details and pricing call Joanne Herman 880-5563

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