



**Westerville Quilt Guild**

# NEWS

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*January 28 is National  
Kazoo Day!*

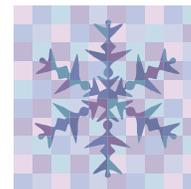
*Hum a cheerful tune on a  
Kazoo. Invented by Ala-  
bama Vest of Macon, GA  
in the 1840s.*



**January 28, 2014**

**Shannon Bartlett,  
President-of-the-Month**

## **“Dyeing” for Snow**



Are you getting tired of all this wonderful winter weather? Wishing there was something useful about snow and ice? Well come out for this month's meeting and you will find out just how fun and useful snow can be—when combined with fabric, liquid dye, and the warmth of your home! Fabric dyeing with snow is a great way to get a perfect, one-of-a-kind fabric for your next project; all it takes is a few tools and the results are surprising and fun. Come on out and find out all about it.

Vicki Melvin and Melissa Grawe will also give a short presentation on this year's Fun with Fabrics activities...so you don't want to miss that either!



### *Westerville Quilt Guild Sunshine Committee*

If you know of a member who is sick, has had surgery, or has had a death in the family, please contact **Christina Sidebottom** who will send a card.  
E-mail: o-side@att.net, telephone: 614-895-9820 (home) / 614-208-2857 (cell).

### **SOCIAL TIME - Meet and Greet - Arrive Early When You Can...**



Start gathering around 6:30. Greet friends & MEET new members. **Members:** This month make sure you find someone who you don't know so well, or a new member or guest you haven't met and introduce yourself. **New Members/ Guests:** If you are a new member/guest, approach someone you don't know and introduce yourself. Learn a tad about the other person and share a bit about yourself! We are a friendly bunch!

We meet on the 4th Tuesday of each month, 6:30 pm Social Time, 7:00 p.m. Meeting, at The Westerville American Legion Hall, 393 East College Avenue, Westerville, OH 43081, Web Site: <http://www.WestervilleQuiltGuild.com>, E-mail: [info@westervillequiltguild.com](mailto:info@westervillequiltguild.com)

## Programs & Greeters for 2014



We still have a lot of meetings with no President -of-the-Month! Please think about signing up and doing a demo of something you love to do...like snow

dyeing, or applique, or if you have a shop you take classes at regularly, maybe the owner would come and do a trunk show "how I got into quilting" lecture! Anything goes at WQG (well, almost anything!) It's not really that hard...you can join up with a friend too. See the chart in the right-hand column for what we still need and sign up! Thank you!



Tickets for the January "BsbY It's Cold Outside" Raffle Basket will be on sale at the beginning of the meeting and during the meeting. The drawing will be at the end of the meeting.

Tickets are \$1 or 6 for \$5. This month's basket is loaded with great "Dyeing for Snow" themed items, patterns, fabrics, and surprises!



**Mr. Frog Wants to Remind You:**  
**Wear Your Name Tags or Pay the Penalty!**

## 2014 Program Information

**January** — Shannon Bartlett -  
*Dyeing for Snow*

**Greeters:** Sherry French, Bobbie Zdani

**February** — Aggie Peterson, Vicki Melvin -  
*Home of the Brave quilts*

**Greeters:** Becky Dickson,

**March** — ? ? ? ?

**Greeters:** Corinne Vititoe, Barb  
Horlocker

**April** — Lisa Smith & Shannon Bartlett

**Greeters:**

**May** — ? ? ? ?

**Greeters:** Melissa Grawe,

**June** — ? ? ? ?

**Greeters:**

**July** — Jayne Godsey, Pat Beeman -  
*Annual Picnic*

**Greeters:**

**August** — ? ? ? ?

**Greeters:**

**September** — ? ? ? ?

**Greeters:**

**October** — Melissa Grawe & Vicki Melvin

**Greeters:**

**November** — *Annual Christmas Party*

**Greeters:**

## 2014 Committees

(Go to [www.westervillequiltguild.com](http://www.westervillequiltguild.com) for committee information.)

*Check this out for ideas of which Committee(s) you might like to join in 2014!*

## Newsletter Information

Newsletter submissions should be sent as an attachment or typed in the body of an email to the following email address: [Newsletter@westervillequiltguild.com](mailto:Newsletter@westervillequiltguild.com). The "publication" date for the Newsletter will be the 3rd Tuesday of the month. All items submitted to the Newsletter need to be in by the 2nd Tuesday of the month. If you know of a member that does not have access to email, please give them a copy of the newsletter.

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## 2014 Committees and Budgeted Amounts

In some cases, budgets listed are working budgets and more money is available if needed. If you are the chair of a committee, please contact our Treasurer, Becky Stains for instructions on when and how to access funds.

### **Executive Committee**

Susan Edwards (2013-2014)  
Ginny Nussbaum (2013-2014)  
JoAnne Guthrie-Hurst (2013-2014)  
Ruthie Hoover (2014-2015)  
-(2014-2015)  
-(2014-2015)  
Becky Stains Treasurer (2013-2014)



### **Awards/Recognition Committee (\$20)**

Attends all meetings, awards pins for show and tell, and also arranges any other special recognition i.e. presents guild pins to guest speakers.

*Chair:*

*Member: Pauline Adams*

### **Charm Square Monthly (\$0)**

*Chair: Abby Miller*

*Members: Corinne Vititoe*

### **Fun With Fabric Committee (\$50)**

Plans and implements a block exchange, round robin or challenge for guild members.

*Chair: Vicki Melvin*

*Members: Melissa Grawe*

### **Keeper of the Westerville Quilt and Scrap Books (\$0)**

*Keeper: Judy Theil*

### **Membership Committee (\$15)**

Maintains a current record of guild members and coordinates e-mail announcements.

*Chair: Janice Baer*

*Members: Melissa Grawe*

### **Newsletter (\$0)**

Prepares a monthly newsletter.

*Chair: Lisa Smith*

### **President of the Month (\$25 - \$225 per month)**

Plans monthly programs.



### **Publicity Committee (\$10)**

Promotes public awareness of guild activities in media formats.

*Chair: Marilyn Murray*

### **Quarterly Opportunity Basket Committee (\$0)**

Creates a basket of quilting items to be raffled to guild members once a quarter. Money raised goes to support guild activities.

*Chair:*

*Members:*



### **Service Project Committee (\$50)**

Leads the guild in efforts to make and present quilts to charities.

*Chair: Aggie Peterson*

*Members: Janice Baer, Susan Edwards, Vicki Melvin, Pauline*

### **Special Events Committee (\$250)**

Plans a weekend retreat or other event such as for National Quilting Day.

*Chair:*

*Members:*



### **Sunshine Committee (\$20)**

Sends cards and/or flowers when necessary to guild members, and thank you notes to guest speakers.

*Chair: Christina Sidebottom*

### **Web Site Committee (\$115)**

Maintains a web presence and updates as necessary.

*Chair:*



### **Workshop Committee (\$50)**

Plans, schedules and organizes learning workshops for Guild members.

*Chair: Ruthie Hoover*

*Members:*

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## Upcoming Quilt Shows

### Inniswood Show - February 1-9, 2014

This small annual winter exhibit features quilts, wallhangings, and quilted items with a "flora and fauna" theme. Quilts are exhibited in Innis House at Inniswood Metro Gardens, Westerville. Enjoy a winter stroll through the gardens and natural areas, then warm up in Innis House with our bright and cheerful quilts and wallhangings. CMQ members greet visitors on weekends.  
(No vendors.)

#### Inniswood Metro Gardens

940 S Hempstead Rd, Westerville, OH

February 1-9, 2014

11 am - 4 pm daily (closed Monday)

Free parking & admission to the Innis House and garden trails.

For more information: call 614-895-6216 or 614-882-8409; [www.inniswood.org](http://www.inniswood.org)

### Quilt Spectacular - March 28-29, 2014

Our biennial Quilt Spectacular show features a display of traditional and contemporary quilts, wallhangings, and quilted items. Guests also enjoy the popular Quilters' Garage Sale, vendors, special exhibits, a little quilts and accessories silent auction, door prizes, food and more.

#### Haimerl Center

1421 Morse Rd, Columbus, OH, 43224

March 28 from 10am - 6pm

March 29 from 10am - 4pm

Description: quilts, vendors, little quilt auction, opportunity quilt, quilters' garage sale, food, fun!

Columbus metropolitan quilters. (2014, January). Retrieved from <http://cmquilters.org>.

### "And We Still Rise" Quilting Exhibit

Through March 29, 2014

National Underground Railroad Freedom Center  
50 E. Freedom Way

Cincinnati, OH

Curated by Carolyn Mazloomi, PhD, 85 story quilts, 400 years of history.

Tues-Sat 11a-5p, \$10 adults, \$6.50 students.

For more info: <http://www.freedomcenter.org>

## Fun with Fabric Committee Report

Per the Guild website, the *Fun with Fabric Committee* has the responsibility to plan and implement a block exchange, round robin, or challenge for guild members.

Committee Members Vicki Melvin and Melissa Grawe are pleased to announce three *Fun with Fabric* activities for 2014:

**January - June: *Take the Pledge***: Focuses on finishing the unfinished.

**July - December: *Secret Santa*** — Continues the 2013 successful activity.

**September - October: *No Piece of Fabric Left Behind*** — Emphasizes fabric strategies.

Stay tuned as Vicki and Melissa unveil the *Take the Pledge* challenge details at the January meeting.

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