

**November
2009**

2009-10 Officers

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Next Meeting

Christmas Party
December 9th @ 11 AM
Michael's Banquet Facility
4885 Southwestern Blvd.
Hamburg



Hostesses

Mary Walczak 652-3845
Mary Ann Lohmann 655-4730
If you cannot serve as hostess,
please find a replacement.

January Hostesses

Norma Chapin
Claudia Cole
Jody Dowdall
Linda Frick
Marge Gritman
Joyce Kerl
Susan Kruschke
Penny McDowell
Mary Walczak
Anne Wasmund

President Karen welcomed guests Sandy Pefley and new member Joanne Comstock.

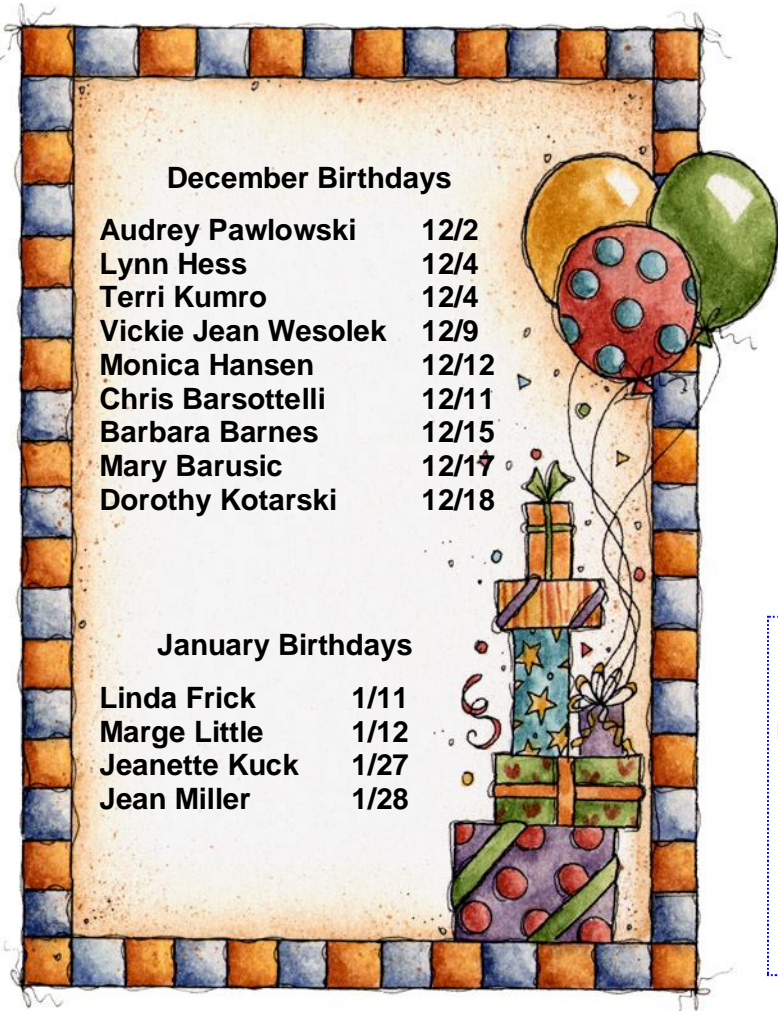
The program was demos for Christmas gifts. Maryann Lohmann showed checkbook cover, oven mitt, luggage tag, and needle keeper. Marge Friend showed a basket cloth. Mary Barusic showed a Christmas tree wall hanging and Terri Kumro showed one seam attic window table runner. What great ideas ladies!

We still need a Raffle Quilt and Publicity Chairperson. The next quilt show meeting will follow the January regular meeting. The Raffle Quilt is almost ready for a picture, and tickets will be ready to hand out and sell.

Terri Kumro will again house the quilt show uprights in her barn but will need help moving them from the storage shed.

A special thanks to all the lovely women who made quilts for Barbie. The second grade girls at Highgate Elementary in the city will be thrilled. You've made their Christmas. Thanks again. Jackie Cholewinski

**THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE QUILT
SHOW CHAIRMEN AFTER THE JANUARY 2010
GUILD MEETING.**



December Birthdays

Audrey Pawlowski 12/2
 Lynn Hess 12/4
 Terri Kumro 12/4
 Vickie Jean Wesolek 12/9
 Monica Hansen 12/12
 Chris Barsottelli 12/11
 Barbara Barnes 12/15
 Mary Barusic 12/17
 Dorothy Kotarski 12/18

January Birthdays

Linda Frick 1/11
 Marge Little 1/12
 Jeanette Kuck 1/27
 Jean Miller 1/28

Please remember to wear name tags to the meetings. So our new members can become familiar with us.

**December Block of the Month -
 Agnes Gates**

Merry Christmas! Bring your finished wreaths to the Christmas party. They do not have to be layered or quilted. We will start a new Mystery in January.

Membership—Carol Clothier

Please add the following new member to your rosters:

Joanne Comstock
 5115 Morgan Pkwy, Hamburg, NY 14075
 627-7523
 joal27@roadrunner.com
 April 27

Morningstar Christmas Party

When: Dec. 9, 2010
Where: Michael's Banquet Facility
 4885 Southwestern Blvd., Hamburg, NY
Time: 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (eat at 12:30)

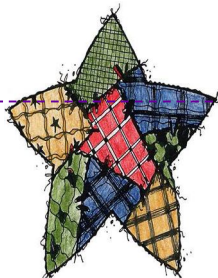


Gift Exchange: Bring a gift, Receive a gift (\$10.00).

We are collecting placemats for Meals on Wheels. Also, socks and undies for the Children's Advocacy Program (Barbara Kolniac will deliver them).

Entertainment will be a Christmas show and tell. Everyone bring something you made years ago, yesterday or have in process to show that pertains to Christmas.

Janice Carter
 Jeanette Kuck



A reminder that if East Aurora schools are closed due to weather conditions, there is no guild meeting. You will not be called.



Huggie Quilts – Nancy Jozwiak

Nancy has some kits made up, but some may need fabrics to complete the top. There are only 4 Huggie Quilts left so please help to sewing tops together. Our need is becoming more and more each week.



Sunshine

Elaine McClory 652-7681
emccclory@roadrunner.com

A card was sent to Sylvia Jakubiak who has undergone surgery.

If you know of a member going through difficult circumstances; illness or death in the family, please let Elaine know.

Workshops – Irene Benbenek

January will be Linda Rienagle and she will be showing embellishments on crazy quilts.

Treasurer – Linda Frick Checking account balance \$2438.57, Savings \$3722.80.

Round Robin – Virginia Davey

1. Final exchange will be in January, due to the holidays.
2. Boxes should be returned to their owners in March.
3. The “Big Reveal” will be at the April meeting — quilts either sewn together or pinned for showing.

I'm so looking forward to seeing your quilts! Virginia



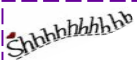
Library- Mary Lou Corelli and Patti Baehre

A CD of the Hoffman Challenge is now in the library. Congratulations to Pat Mazzarella whose Seahorse quilt was in the traveling Hoffman Challenge this year.

Program/Education – Marge Friend

Mill Creek Fabric from Erie PA will present a workshop in March on Jacket or purse.

Marge would like some ideas for programs. for next year as she needs time to book them.



Secret Pal — Tern Kumro

All who joined are now participating. Enjoy!

QUILT GUILD CHALLENGE - I AM WOMAN!! - Dee Braciak 651-0059

Starting in January I will be down in Sunset Beach, North Carolina. Please remember 9 months are up in June, your delivery date! Dee

Upcoming Quilters Event:

Watson Homestead Cabin Fever Quilter's Retreat with Linda Halpin, February 5-7, 2010 . Please let Donna Forhecz know if you would like to get a copy of their brochure.



Quilt Show 2010 Committee

Co-Chairmen are Nancy Jozwiak & Penny McDowell

Awards/Judging - Carol Clothier
Boutique - Kathy Jerzewski & Vickie Wesolek
Demos - Pat Mazarella
Door Prizes - Maryann Lohmann
Enhancements Signs - Sandy Thomas
Favors - Joyce White
Kitchen & Security - Anne Wasmund & Vivian Pikett
Labels - Janette Kuck
Lobby & Back Door - Elaine McClory
Publicity -
Programs - Terri Kumro
Raffle Tickets / Raffle Quilt -
Registration - Marge Friend
Secretary - Karen O'Connell
Treasurer - Linda Frick
Vendors - Janice Carter



The following positions still need to be filled for the Quilt Show next September. Publicity, Raffle Tickets and Raffle Quilt. If interested in helping, please contact Nancy (652-0841) or Penny (652-3293)

COMFORT QUILTS—Anne Wasmund

We delivered early Christmas cheer and warmth on Nov 13 with a HUGE load of quilts donated to the Erie County Home in Alden.

Of the 97 quilts shown and given, 68 were made by Morningstar. The residents enjoy the "trunk show" and had a hard time deciding which one they would like for themselves! The remaining quilts are set aside for those in the greatest need. Thank you to everyone who contributed in any way with special thanks to Penny, Jane, Vicki, Shari, Jo, Carolyn and any other of the "Tuesday at Penny's" helpers.

Kits are now ready for future quilts. If you would like to share your time and talents, please contact Anne 662-0009 or at jimwaz@hotmail.com for details. Thanks again and Merry Christmas. Anne



Newsletter

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Newsletter submissions will be due by the 2nd
Friday after the next meeting,
October 23, 2009

The minutes of the meeting and a copy of the
Newsletter will be posted on the Guild Web Site:
<http://www.morningstarguild.net>

Anyone wishing to begin receiving their newsletter
by email, please send me a note to my e-mail
address (above).

Ways n' Means

Mary Hagen and Terry Doyle
\$1/5 Chances/Meeting
This month's winner was
Audry Pawlowski.

Exchange Basket – Leola Moyer

If you can use something in the
basket it is yours.