



Hello Ladies,

So, I have this empty spot in my kitchen that needed a quilt. I just like to change them up in that area and had nothing for Fall. So I started (what I think is neat) an appliqué wall hanging that has turned out just the way I pictured it. And it's done. (almost...will be by Thanksgiving) You guys will see it eventually at Show & Share.

As I worked on it, I thought about Thanksgiving. I usually have about 20 people for dinner, have a wonderful time and lots of laughs. I'm thankful I can do this. I thought about a lot of things I'm thankful for. My family. They are my base, my happiness. My girlfriends. Where would I be without them? They put no strings on me, they're there to listen and like me for who I am. Thanks, Girls! I'm thankful for my job; that teaches me how fortunate I am. I'm thankful for the abilities God has given me, from reading to having Faith to creating art. And I'm thankful for my guild. You all give me so much, laughter, support, encouragement and the belief that I can create a work of art. Thank you, one and all.

Thank you, Kathy, Marge and Irene, for teaching us some quick little projects at guild last month. It's always fun to learn something new.

Nancy Ahrens won the Block of the Month and Barb Augustine won the Ways & Means. Congrats, Ladies!

Next month is the Christmas Party. Look for information in the newsletter. Come, have fun and enjoy the spirit of the guild. We'll be back to business soon enough.

We can only be said to be alive in those moments when our hearts are conscious of our treasures. ~Thornton Wilder

Happy Thanksgiving...Don't eat too much! Terri



Hostesses

Pat Schuse & Pauline Mozdziaik

If you cannot serve as hostess this month, please find a replacement.

**Hostesses
January**

Norma Chapin
Margie Accardi
Judy Dowdall
Linda Frick
Marge Gritman
Joyce Kerl
Susan Kruschke
Penny McDowell



November 2010



Next Meeting:

Morningstar Christmas Party
December 9th

Openings are still available
(\$15.00 per member)

Call Barbara Barnes 668-5856

Bravo Café
5781 Seneca Street
Elma, NY 14059 (see map)
11:00 a.m. to 2:30-3:00 p.m.

Gift Exchange: If you would like to participate— Bring a gift/ receive a gift (\$10.00)

We are collecting placemats for Meals on Wheels.

Our program will be a show and share — Please bring any project with a "winter theme" and your Block of the Month.

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

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
Lisa Secord	12/19
Noël Jeitler	12/23

January Birthdays

Linda Frick	1/11
Marge Little	1/12
Gretchen Oubre	1/21
Jeanette Kuck	1/27
Jean Miller	1/28

Shhhhhhhhh

Secret Pal — Jeri Clark 585-535-7476



Sunshine

Elaine McClory - 652-7681
emccclory@roadrunner.com

A card was sent to Leoyla Moyer-heart attack and to Carol Geary-arm surgery

Treasurer - Linda Frick

Checking — \$2,685
Savings — \$8,081

Membership

Marge Friend - 652-5163

Workshops

Carol Clothier - 652-9660

Programs

Maryann Lohmann 655-4730

Charity Quilts - Anne Wasmund

Starting after January 1st Penny McDowell will again start work sessions to learn or use a long arm to quilt charity quilts on Tuesdays at 10 a.m. 652-3293.



Exchange Basket

Leola Moyer

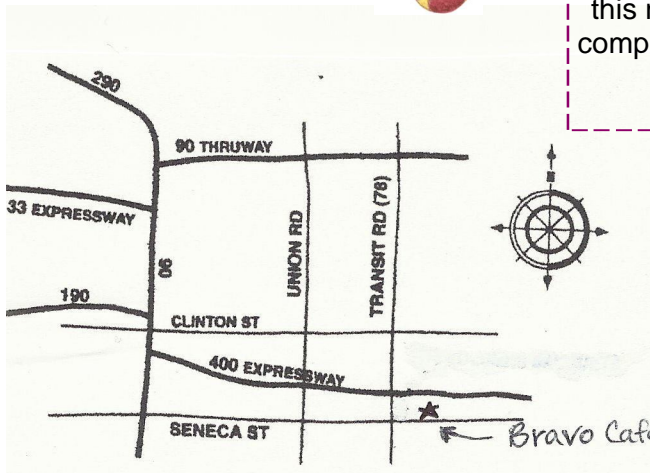
Huggie Quilts

Nancy Jozwiak
652-0841



Block of the Month
Agnes Gates

The December BOM is later in this newsletter. Please bring completed blocks to the Christmas party.



Recipes to share would be appreciated.

Quilt Show 2010	
Receipts	
Admission	\$2,120.00
Quilt Raffle	2,365.00
Boutique	1,258.85
Vendors	885.00
Lunch Donations	26.00
Camera Sales	65.00
Mum Sales	115.00
Total Receipts	\$6,834.85
Disbursements	
Raffle Quilt	\$ 175.00
Special Exhibits	165.94
Publicity	192.13
Postage & Printing	319.45
Boutique	42.78
Awards	237.23
Mums	149.68
Kitchen	354.74
Misc. Supplies	58.40
Chairman Gifts	50.00
St Matthias	500.00
Martin Bergmann	150.00
Parking (2 Churches)	50.00
Total Disbursements	\$2,445.35
NET PROFIT	\$4,389.50
(Profit 2008 \$1,506.64)	



The World Wide Web of Quilting (& More)

Christmas Quilts & Accessories:

http://quilting.about.com/od/quiltpatternsprojects/a/christmas_quilt.htm

The North Pole (great site for the family) <http://www.northpole.com/>

Free Christmas Quilt Patterns <http://www.freequilt.com/Christmas.html>

More Freebies <http://www.bellaonline.com/articles/art6345.asp>

Pinwheel disappearing 4 patch <http://www.quiltingboard.com/t-68180-1.htm>

Disappearing 4 patch tutorial

<http://sewwonderful.blogspot.com/2010/02/disappearing-4-patch-or-4-to-9-patch.html>

The Quilter's Message Board Quilting Patterns, Lessons for Free

<http://www.quiltingboard.com/>

Great tutorial for a **pressing board**: http://www.ohfransson.com/oh_fransson/2010/01/a-woman-a-plan-an-inexpensive-tv-tray-new-pressing-board.html

Check out this site to see the quilts at the **Houston Quilt Show**. Penny McDowell

<http://www.quilts.com/fqf10/enVivo/>



Quilty Lady

I canceled out the paper.
I stopped the milkman, too.
I fired my trusty gardener.
My own hair I now do.
The only things I buy now
Each time the eagle flies.
Are the necessary groceries
And a ton of quilt supplies.

Marge Little



Million Pillowcase Challenge

Haven House and the Veterans Hospital will be the recipients of a total of 153 pillowcases. I'm sure they will be very happy to receive the beautiful pillowcases that you made. Thank you for your response to this challenge.

Jackie Cholewinski

Ways n' Means – Mary Hagen and Terry Doyle

\$1/5 Chances/Meeting

November's prize was won by Barbara Augustine

Education

Chris Barsottelli
655-0323

Library – May Lou Corelli and Patti Baehre



Newsletter

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Newsletter submissions will be due by the 2nd Friday after the next meeting December 17, 2010

The minutes of the meeting and a copy of the Newsletter will be posted on the Guild Web Site:

<http://www.morningstarguild.net>



Round Robin

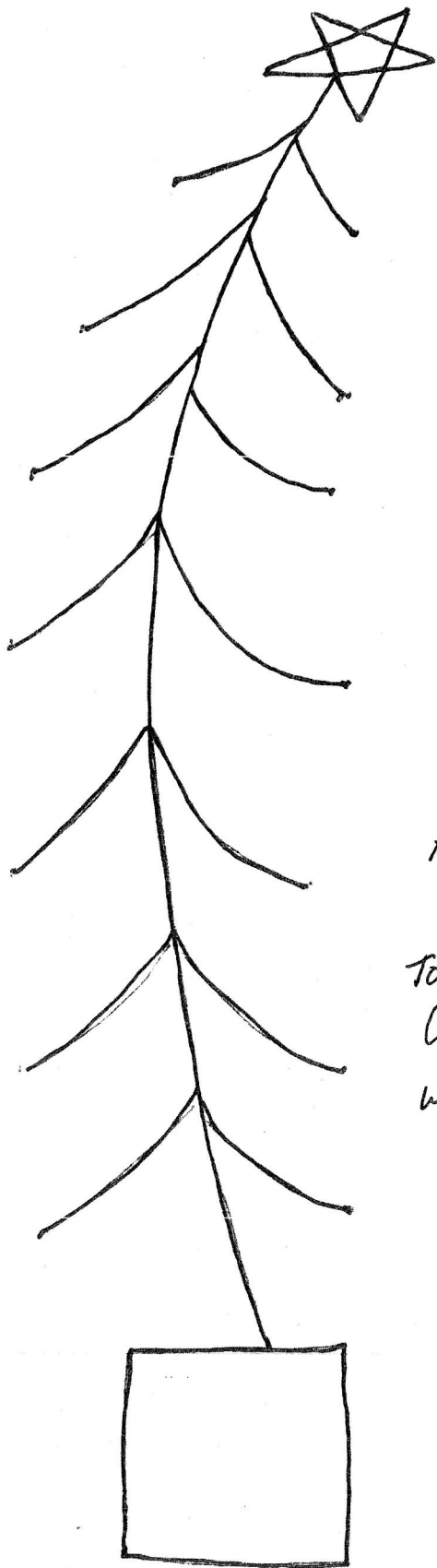
Virginia Davey

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

2010-11 Officers

President - Terri Kumro - 652-5290
Vice President - Irene Benbenek - 656-9648
Secretary/Historian - Janice Carter - 992-9436
Treasurer - Linda Frick - 674-1044





Trace pattern
on 12 1/2" background
fabric of your choice
Use stitch of your
choice

Use 2 strands of floss
in colors of your choice
Embellish as desired
Winner takes all

Hint:
Use a 01 pigma pen
to trace stitchery patterns.
Any fine line marker-pencil
will do.

December Block of the Month

**Please bring completed blocks to the
Christmas party.**

Thanks, Agnes

Merry Christmas