

NORTH PITTSBURGH QUILTERS GUILD

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Again, a great big thanks goes out to Loretta for providing the Guild with a great program on May 7 – Lecture and Trunk Show – Barbara Persing and Mary Hoover. The StrataVarious Quilts.

From Loretta – The Program for our September meeting will feature a trunk show by Vivian Benton, local quilter and teacher. Those of you who have been in one of

Vivian's classes know that she finds bright, colorful fabrics in most interesting patterns and uses them so effectively in her quilts. Seeing lots of her recent works should motivate all of us to "get quilting" for the coming year.

Hello Everyone from Muriel

I hope to see you all Tuesday at our annual dinner. I am looking forward to it and it will be my last official event. This has been a really fun and at times, very trying year. But definitely a learning experience that I wouldn't have missed for anything. I hope to see each of you in the coming year. I know Loretta has fun events planned and Donna has some great ideas also. This should be a very interesting year and I hope you don't miss a minute of it. I plan to participate as much as possible, but considering I have 3 grandkids playing ball on 5 teams (and I do my best to support them and not miss a game except when I can't be in 3 places at one) I think I will be quite busy and then there is still little Jacqueline to spend time and play with. I still have all my grand doggies and grand cats. But, I will do the best I can and support the guild when I can. Hope when I am not around that someone will keep me updated on what is going on and what is new. I'm counting on you all to do this. Anyhow, a HUGE thank you to my board members for sticking with me this past year, thru thick and

thin. For their help in making the year a success and thank you to all guild members for your support. Without all of you we could not have done what we did. I hope everyone had a fun year and also count the year as a success. I know I sure do. Thank you one and all!

Sincerely, Muriel

Greetings from your Vice President and future President

This is a gentle reminder to all present board members and future board members of the combined board meeting at my house on June 25 at 6:00 PM. This is an important meeting for all as we exchange information, materials and ideas to carry into another successful year. Please bring your favorite pot luck dish to share. I look forward to hearing from you.

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On another note, put **July 9** on your calendar to attend the annual picnic. We are in the same grove as last year (Beveridge Pavilion). This is always a fun event and a good time to get to know each other better. I hope to see all new members as well as “old” members. More information next month. Best wishes and happy sewing,
Donna.

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More Dates to fill up your calendar:

August 9, 2013 Quilt “N” Wilt

September 2-8, 2013 Lutherlyn Crafty Lady’s Getaway

October 19 and 20, 201 – Life is a Basket Full of Cherries Quilt Show In the Autumn Splendor at Lutherlyn – Prospect PA

Reminder – The 2013-2014 Membership is due.

New Members: \$25.00 Annual (July 2, 2013 through June 30, 2014)

\$12.50 if paid after January 1 (January 1 through June 30, 2014)



Renewing Members

\$25.000 if paid before August 15, 2013

\$30.00 if paid August 16 or later (\$5.00 late fee)

”The Carols” (Carol Beck and Carol Hartman have been very busy working on all the preliminaries for our Quilt Show to be held on April 25, 26 and 27, 2014. Let’s all support them by getting a quilt done for the show. Pick up a block for the Raffle Quilt. Volunteer to help on a committee. Join in – don’t miss out on all the fun. “The Carols” know how to get things done and have fun.