

## Quilters 2 Newsletter #148 –

March 2014

### Charity Quilt Raffle

The drawing for this year's quilt will be held on Saturday, March 22 at the Voyager Morning Coffee.

### 2014 Quilters 2 Quilt Show

Our 7<sup>th</sup> annual Show was held on February 24<sup>th</sup>. 791 persons attended our show - 100 more than last year!

### Message from Co-Chairs Elaine Vanier & Louise Walton:

Rumor has it... Quilt Show 2014 was awesome, fantastic, wonderful! In fact, it was. Quilters 2 members pulled it off again this year! Thank you for your hands, your hearts, and your dedication. To all chairpersons, their workers, and anyone who helped with the show, we are truly grateful. This took commitment before, during and after the show. Many husbands helped with the hanging of quilts as well. They did a fantastic job. No matter how big or small your job, as Quilters 2 members or spouse, you came together as a whole, working the process to this special outcome. Congratulations and hooray to a great team!!

The team Leaders were as follows:

ANTIQUÉ DISPLAY:	Jan Tuttle
HOSTESS & DOOR VOLUNTEERS :	Sharon Garner, Kathy Peters
BALLOT CHAIRPERSON :	Carol Monthei
QUILTING, PIECING, EMBROIDERY DEMOS:	Jan Brink, Anna-Margaret Fountain, Cheryl Votapka
ENTRIES COMING & GOING:	Sally Turbett
ENTRY FORMS & PRODUCING SHOW TAGS	Mary Adams, Kris Curtis
PROGRAM:	Kris Curtis
HANGING/TAKE DOWN CREW & TABLE PLACEMENTS:	Donna Belknap
HANGING PLAN:	Joan Lichtenburg
ART QUILTS:	Norma Kindseth, Roger McKissick
WEARABLE ART & SMALL ITEMS:	Dorothy Koblin
MINI RAFFLE:	Patty Bennett, Lou Garno, Debbie McGraw
PHOTOS:	Adrienne Bortell
PUBLICITY:	Maria Brower, Carol Meier
RAFFLE QUILT TICKETS SALES:	Karen Anderson, Karla Falter

**Show Proceeds:** According to Treasurer, Adrienne Bortell, we raised a total of \$2117 (\$500 over last year) through all our efforts! The breakdown:

\$286 at the door

\$785 for the mini raffles

\$811 for quilt raffle sales (during Show)

\$155 for Victorian Wall Hanging

\$80 in donations

**Website:** Pictures of all 118 entries will be posted on the website in the next week or two, along with the descriptions, often telling an interesting story behind the quilter's item.

A big thanks to everyone once again for a job well done!

**Favorites in Show:** This year's favorites were announced at the Monday meeting following the Quilt Show. Awards were presented by the Ballot committee: Joan Buswell, Carol Monthei, and Cheryl Votapka.

Here are the results of the voting by Category:



Large Quilts: **Joanna Thorpe, # 101 Maroon Memories**



Medium  
Quilts:  
**Susan  
Prentiss -  
#87**  
Feathered  
Star



**Mini Raffle:** This year's was a great success. We raised \$784.50 which will allow Quilters 2 to continue with their quilt donations to charity.

A big "thank you" to Voyager RV Resort, several Tucson businesses and numerous Quilters 2 members for their contributions.

Donated By	Item	Won By
Barbara Salazar	Rooster Wall Hangings	Pat Rapp
Donna Camp	Four Quilt Books	Sandy Birkland
Vel Peters	Desert Wall Hanging	Mary Beth Lochner
Karen Anderson	Coffee & Tea Basket	Nancie Silis
Tom Fountain	Teddy Bear & Fabric	Farris Gray
Nanette McDoniels	Quilted Hand Bag	Becca*
Ann Ruelle	Monkey Sock & Wine	Adrienne Bortell
Patty Bennett	Southwest Mat Set	Arlene Carter
Barbara Salazar	Howler Coyote Set	Mrs Wilson*
Joan Buswell	Mesh Market Bag	Charlene Laughlin
Q2 Members	Pink Goodie Basket	Carol Young
Pat Rapp	Layer Cake & Lollipop	Karyn Lehman
Pat Rapp	Layer Cake & Lollipop	Louise Walton
Kris Curtis	Denim Tote Bag	Shirley David
Quilters Desert Patch	\$25 Gift Certificate	Sharon Kowalik
Quilters Desert Patch	\$25 Gift Certificate	Linda Gary
Quilters Desert Patch	\$25 Gift Certificate	Elaine Tharp
Quilters Desert Patch	\$25 Gift Certificate	Debbie McGraw
Q2 Members	Blue Goodies Basket	Carol Meier
Squirrels Nest	Perfect Thread Bag	Cathy Batty
Cactus Quilt Shop	Three Books	Janet Pugh
Quilt Basket & Q2 Member	\$10 Gift Certificate & Goodies	Linda Gary
Voyager RV	\$50 Gift Certificate	Joan Buswell
Patty Bennett	Iron Basket & Fabric	Kris Curtis
AZ Vac & Sew	Jelly Roll	Judy Thorpe
Cathey's Sew & Vac & many Q2 Members	Mystery Bag	Jan*
Q2 Members	Orange Goodie Basket	Anita*

\*Sorry we are missing some last names!



Small Quilts: **Anna-Margaret Fountain - #42**  
Country Quilts



Art Quilts: **Tami Albrecht - #4** Pueblo Portal

Others that donated to the Mystery Bag or Goodie Baskets: Anna-Margaret Fountain, Carol Gruenke, Judy Heeg, Maureen Herran, Susie Johansson, Norma Kindseth, Sarellen Loomis, Debbie McGraw, Sue Patch, Susan Prentiss, Joanna Thorpe, Jan Tuttle, Fran Walthall, Louise Walton, and one anonymous package.

We also appreciated all the women that stepped up to work the raffle table - hope you had fun!

Thanks so much to all of you from Patty Bennett, Lou Ann Garno & Debbie McGraw.

### 2014-2015 Coordinators Elected

Margo Berenberg presented the slate of candidates on behalf of the other Nominating Committee members (Billye Reynolds, Jan Tuttle, Gloria Colgrove). Norma Kindseth made the motion to accept the candidates. Adrienne Bortell seconded. Motion was passed by an overwhelming majority.

Head Coordinator	Susan Prentiss
Program	Barbara Salazar
Fabric/Closet	Shirley Gugan
Charity	Alice Kelly and Bev Polito
Raffle Quilt Production	Lynne Jensen
Raffle Ticket Sales	Joan Buswell
Education	Joan Cavers
Membership	Kris Curtis
New Member	Marion Rathwell
Social	Louise Walton
HQ Long-Arm	Audrey Young (with HQ maintenance assistance from Jan Tuttle)
Purchasing	Cheryl Votapka
Treasurer	Ann Jacobucci
Assistant Treasurer	Julie Young
Recording / Corresponding Secretary	Sharon Garner
Librarian	Joan Lichtenberg
Photographer/Historian	Kathy Peters
Communications	Mary Adams & Kris Curtis
Quilt Show Chairman	Cari Secord

### Tips

In case you missed them in the weekly emails:

Karen Anderson: Use baker's parchment paper between iron and fabric when ironing on fusible web to protect the faceplate of your iron.  
Bette Corneliuson: After making a quilt, copy the pattern and store in a loose leaf binder along with a scrap of material used in quilt. Remember to add any changes to pattern.

Cheryl Votapka: Dry erase pens can be used to mark an acrylic ruler to make it easier to find the size of strip or square needed for the quilt. When the project is completed, the mark can be wiped away leaving your ruler ready for the next project.

### Arizona Quilt Documentation Project

Document your quilts in 2014 and be part of history! There are two locations if you want to take part.

Ethel Berger Center, Sierra Vista, AZ  
 Saturday, March 22 & Saturday, April 26

Arizona History Museum, 849 E. 2nd Ave.,  
 Tucson, AZ  
 Saturday, April 5

An appointment is recommended but there is no fee. For an appointment contact [azquiltloc@yahoo.com](mailto:azquiltloc@yahoo.com) or call (480) 395-4340.

### Classes

Lots of classes have been scheduled for March. Check the Calendar which is posted on the mirror in the Palo Verde Room or view / print your own copy on the Quilters 2 website (under **Classes & Events** tab). <http://www.quilters2.com>

### Emails

Emails are being sent on a regular basis with reminders, classes, meeting agenda items and other useful information. Not receiving them? Please check the Membership List or contact Kris Curtis to update your information.