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### The November Newsletter is Available

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# **President's Message**

Adele Niblack, Co-chair Vice President, started off our October's meeting with a fashion show; the clothing line all had some sort of quilting in the garments, but the real show were all the quilts in the background. Then I read a brief history of Thimble and Thread Quilt Guild's 45 years. The next time you get to attend a meeting please see me, I handed out pens, commemorating our 45 years.

Adele then ran the program collecting numerous ideas from the members for ideas for our December meeting, (which the December meeting is on the FIRST Friday, December 2, 2022, not the 2nd Friday of the month). In addition to a written ballot to be completed by members, she then asked for ideas, topics, and teachers that we would like to see for future programs or workshops.

Finally, a few members brought some of their favorite tools to show. We had Free Table and Fabric Raffle back after a few months and it was fun to see that both Attendance Price items and Fabric Raffle had a Halloween Theme. Our annual retreat will be held at the end of October and hope those in attendance will have a great time and we get to see some of the creations they make for Show and Tell.

The annual budget for July 2022 - June 2023 was in the newsletter and received approval through voice vote of the membership in attendance.

Our next meeting is on Friday, November 11, 2022 at 7:00pm, doors open at 6:30 pm at Shrewsbury Community Center, and our program will be given in person by Miriam Murphy, Associate Textile Conservator of the St. Louis Art Museum.

This weekend don't forget Loose Threads' Quilt Show "**Celebrate with Quilts 2022**," November 5 and 6, 2022 at St. Charles Community College and Cornerstone United Methodist Church Quilt Show, October 1, 10 am - 3 pm, O'Fallon, MO.

Respectfully Submitted Denise Poepsel, President

Thimble and Thread Quilt Guild meets on the second Friday of each month (except Dec. 2022 meeting). Doors open at 6:30pm, meeting starts at 7:00pm at Shrewsbury City Center, 5200 Shrewsbury, Shrewsbury, MO. 63119.

Guild meetings are open to non-members free for first visit and \$3.00 per visit thereafter, unless programs given by National Speaker, then \$5.00 fee is charged. Membership dues are \$30.00 a year.

#### ITEMS TO BRING TO MEETING

- Masks are optional
- Name tag make personal handmade tag for yourself
- \$\$ for Fabric Raffle
- Show and Tell items
- Charity Quilts
- Only water bottles with screw caps are allowed

# **NOVEMBER MEETING**

The Associate Textile Conservator at the St. Louis Art Museum, **Miriam Murphy**, will share her knowledge of textile and quilt conservation at the next Thimble and Thread Guild meeting on Friday evening, November 11. **Her presentation, including slides from her work, will be about art conservation with a focus on textiles and best practices for caring for and displaying special textiles and quilts.** 



Miriam Murphy has been with the museum since 2017. She is a graduate of Wellesley College and has her Master of Arts in Textile and Costume Conservation from the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York City.

Following graduation, she was a Fellow at the Smithsonian's Museum Conservation Institute, then Assistant Conservator in the Costume Institute at The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York City. She returned to her hometown of St. Louis in 2015 to work as a conservator in private practice before joining the St. Louis Art Museum.

## December Guild Meeting Date Changed to First Friday

The Shrewsbury Community Center is not available on the second Friday in December because of the Shrewsbury Holiday Festival. The December Guild meeting will be on the first Friday, December 2.

The Board of Directors approved this change via email vote.

### Thimble and Thread Quilt Guild Workshop

#### Saturday, January 21, 2023, 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Creating Fabric to Use in Traditional, Modern, and Art Quilts

### By Jane Baumstark

Where: Jackman's Fabrics Classroom 1234 North Lindbergh, Creve Coeur, MO 63132

Cost: \$30 per person (includes paints, brushes, other tools) To register or if you have questions: contact Cynthia Clifton, 314-965-4516, cindyclifton@yahoo.com

You will learn:

- How to use brushes and other tools
- How paint reacts on fabric
- How to use stencils, stamping, gel plates
- You will create four of your own design pieces on "Prepared for Dying" white fabric

All brushes, paints and tools are provided.

You only need to bring one yard of white, Prepared for dying fabric (available at Jackman's And Hancock's of Paducah for \$7 - \$8 per yard)



Hand-painted flower and machine quilting



Hand painted flowers on fabric

## Minutes of the Thimble and Thread Quilt Guild October 14, 2022

The meeting began at 7:02 PM

Denise announced Adele to introduce the evening's program. A lively discussion of "Where do we want the Guild to go in the future?" ensued. Suggestions and ideas were recorded for use by the Program committee.

Committee announcements:

- Retreat Susan Sanders. Retreat still has openings.
- Workshops Susan Sanders for Cindy Clifton. Jane Unger-Baumstark will present painting
- fabric to use in quilts.
- Membership LaDonna Patterson. 27 members attended and there were three guests.
- Fabric Raffle Kay Lottes. Member donation from Kathy Sherrick.
- Charity Quilts Leigh Anne Huckaby for Jeanette Oesterly. Collecting Charity quilts. Kits are available. Donating to Home Sweet Home and Sweet Babies.

#### Break

The Business meeting was called to order at 8:31 PM.

#### Old business

There was much positive feedback from Ricky Tims' program. People found it motivating. There was a suggestion to send a card of appreciation to him from the Guild.

Equipment update – There should be 12(?) Rubbermaid totes of drapes. Art Kruse and Jeanette Oesterly should have them.

#### New business

The minutes of the September guild meeting as published in the newsletter were approved. Kathy Sherrick made the motion and Ruth Grimes seconded.

The proposed budget for fiscal year 2022-2023 was discussed. The discussion included a clarification of the costs of the Ricky Tims Special Event. The budget was approved. Kathy Sherrick made the motion and Leigh Anne Huckaby seconded.

The December meeting has been moved to December 2, 2022 in our usual venue due to a conflict with Shrewsbury events.

The website has been updated. Good job and kudos to our managers!

The newsletter deadline is October 21, 2022.

The next meeting is November 11, 2022.

Show and Tell

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Cynthia B Neville - Secretary

# **Membership Report**

We had 27 members and 3 guests at the October meeting. Welcome guests!

Thanks to 2 members for the wonderful Halloween attendance prizes! Thanks also to those of you who are continuing to donate items for prizes. We especially need patterns, quilting notions, and the like. Right now I do have a good supply of books, but current books are always welcome!

La Donna Patterson

## **TREASURER'S REPORT— SEPTEMBER 2022**

Checking Account	Starting Balance	\$7,332.55	
	Checks	\$4,450.73	Retreat balance, Ricky Tims fee & airfare
	Deposits	+ 1,350.24	Retreat, Membership, Ricky Tims tickets
	Ending Balance	\$4,232.06	
Savings Account	Balance	\$31.47	
Money Market Account	Balance	\$6,307.89	
6 month CD	Balance	\$6,183.42	
1 year CD	Balance	\$6,421.08	

By Ruth Grimes, Treasurer

## DEADLINE FOR THE DECEMBER NEWSLETTER IS FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2022

Patty collects the news and Kathy composes the newsletter and handles MailChimp service.

Please submit newsletter information to PATTY THOMPSON, <u>pat.thomps85@gmail.com</u>. Please do not use any fancy formatting as all formatting is removed before inserting in the newsletter. We prefer Word OR Plain Text documents and JPG's for graphics.

## For sale! BabyLock Destiny. Stitch count 234039.

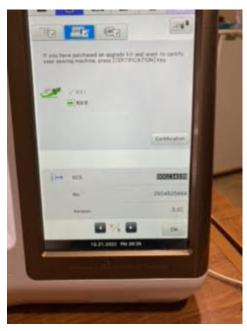
Reason for selling: I upgraded to Solaris 2.

I enjoyed this machine for sewing, quilting, FMQ, and embroidery. I never had any issues at all. It comes with all accessories and manuals present at purchase. I cross checked this information last week, and buyer is welcome to cross check as well if so desired.

Asking \$ 4800 serious offers accepted

Please contact me directly: Anne Perry 314-922-5965 anne\_perry@sbcglobal.net











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