September, 2015

# **BOB-BOB-BOBBIN' ALONG...**



A message from our President

My Stupendous September Subjects,

I am writing to you from North Dakota. We took the kids wading in a lake today--it was 57 degrees and cloudy--not exactly bathing suit weather! I'm hoping to get to stop at a quilt shop tomorrow in Carrington, ND. It will be my reward for being a good girl!

I look forward to seeing all of you on the 24th. Alice McElwain will be doing our program about quilts and the

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Civil War, a subject I have been interested in for a long time. I will be interested to find out what her research has turned up about myths and facts concerning the role quilts played in that conflict.

I hope everyone enjoyed Jane Sassaman last month! Her fabrics are outstanding and her journey as an artist was inspiring. She was so down to earth and approachable. I wish everyone could have taken her class. Our program chairmen, both past and present, do such a good job bringing us people to inspire and entertain us. Be sure to let them know that you appreciate all they do.

As of the end of last month's meeting we have 189 members! Wow! Be sure to welcome anyone you don't know. They may be brand new or not. I

love that we are sharing our wonderful group with so many in the community, but I don't want us to sacrifice our warm, friendly "small town" attitude as we grow. I feel we are growing because we are welcoming to everyone and passionate about quilting--we don't want to change that!

Your Galavanting Grand-Poopah,

Kathy



Q.U.I.L.T. MEETING:

**SEPTEMBER 24TH** 

7:00 PM

ST. THOMAS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH SPRINGDALE

# SEPTEMBER MEETING



# SPEAKER:

"Civil War Quilts & the Underground Railroad" Alice McElwain has studied and passed exams for appraisal courses since 1986. She is a certified Quilt Appraiser through the American Quilter's Society and is also a member of the Professional Association of Appraisers of Quilted Textiles (PAAQT)

McElwain is also a member of the American Quilt Society as well as the American Quilt Study Group and continues to participate in continuing education for her profession.

In addition, she has been a quilt teacher since 1976, owned and operated a quilt shop in Southwest Kansas and participated in the Kansas Quilt Documentation in 1986. McElwain has judged quilt competitions and shows since 1989 at fairs, quilt guilds and private venues.

She continues to teach, lead quilt a local quilt study group, present programs, judge quilts, and appraise quilts. McElwain is also a member of M.O.K.A., a quilt study group of Missouri, Oklahoma, Kansas and Arkansas.

## VENDOR: RABBIT'S LAIR • ROGERS, AR

## NEXTMONTH: SPEAKER: KAREN KIELMEYER "Quilts for Show"

# **BIRTHDAYS**

Diana Springer	1
Sally Wiser	2
Janet Noble	5
	6
Carol Gray	Statistics of the second se
Sharon Phillips	15
Lois Anne Logan	16
Clara Cartwright	19
Linda Hancock	19
Sherron Hays	20
Machelle Lamb	20
Cathy Reed	21
<b>Eiko Roby</b>	22
Diane Crandell	23
Carla Lesley	25
Cindy Peter	25
Sonya Hodges	29
Lee Bower	30
Sandy Johnson	30
Joy Williams	30
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## **SEPTEMBER 19TH**

Super Saturday Sew-In: "Strings: a Few of my Favorite Things" taught by Grace Grame

## **SEPTEMBER 24TH**

"Civil War Quilts & the Underground Railroad" presented by Alice McElwain

## OCTOBER 9TH-11TH

Retreat to the Hills XV

## **OCTOBER 22ND**

"Quilts for Show" presented by Karen Kielmeyer

## **NOVEMBER 26TH**

No Meeting - Happy Thanksgiving!

## **DECEMBER 4TH**

"The Mystery of Christmas" (November & December meetings are combined)

**DECEMBER 24TH** 

No Meeting - Merry Christmas!

# **2015CALENDAR**

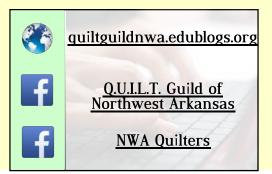
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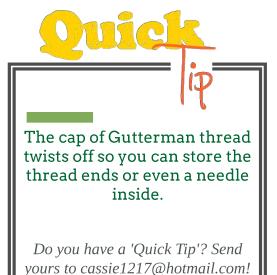
## August 1, 2015 to August 31, 2015

Raffle Account to date	\$6,645.02
No activity	
Ending total in Raffle Account	\$6,645.02
Money Market Account	\$16,002.67
Interest for July	\$1.36
Total MM Acct	\$16,004.03
Checking Account	\$11,001.75
Income	
Membership	\$150.00
Name Badge Fines	\$28.00
Programs - workshop deposits	\$119.00
MSQC Retreat	\$285.00
Outstanding Checks #1322, 13	30 \$100.00
TOTAL Income \$682.00	
Expense	
Program	\$1,887.45
Museum Donations	\$900.00
Administration - Stamps	\$14.70
Retreat to the Hills	\$500.00
Award - Benton Cty Fair Winner	rs \$50.00
Refund - Workshop	\$50.00
Membership - Bookmarks	\$54.90
Quilt Show Expense	\$214.00
Super Saturday Sew-In Venue	\$50.00
TOTAL Expenses	\$3,507.05
Ending Total in Checking Account	\$8,176.70

## TOTAL OF ALL 3 ACCOUNTS

\$30,825.75







Mary Lasley Glennis Treptow Debbie Cobb Jackie Hall Bobby Mills Jerri Lane Leslie Jones Sonya Hodges Susan Burghart Rachel Gilbert Dana Crocco



YAY!

submitted by Barb Hamernik

## SUPER SATURDAY SATURDAY SEW-IN Strings...Afew of my favorite things taught by grace grame

Join us this Saturday, September 19th from 9am to 3pm at the First Presbyterian Church in Rogers for our next Super Saturday Sew-In!

## SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH 9AM-3PM FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 1901 SOUTH 26TH ST, ROGERS COST: \$10

Guild member Grace Grame will be teaching this workshop on String quilting. Cost will be \$10 for members and non-members. Please contact Grace by email or phone if you would like to

attend. Her email is edgrame@swbell.net, home phone is 479-636-8058. We hope you can attend!

## Pick one or make your own combination







Supplies needed for this workshop are listed below:

### FABRIC

Strips, strings, scraps...bring some to share!

1 1/2 - 2 yds of background fabric: whites, lights, shirtings, lime green, something that's been in the stash too long

## TOOLS

Rotary Cutter Cutting Mat Cutting Ruler, large 12 1/2" Square Ruler Sewing Machine Sewing Machine Needles Neutral colored sewing thread Marking Pencil

## SUNSHINE And Shadows

Jo Ann Collier had good results from lung biopsy Diane Eaton's sister-in-law passed away Rose Lawrence is having knee replacement surgery this month Carol McCutcheon was on TV at the Today Show while in NYC David Moran's mother waiting to have a scan Jeannie Schneider had gallbladder surgery Jeanette Strickert's mom had a stroke Barb Hamernik's aunt passed away Dorie Rice had gall bladder surgery

## **RETREAT...TO THE HILLS XV** ANOTE FROM JENNIE WEHRENBERG

As of Friday, October 11th, we will have a waiting list for those that want to stay the whole weekend.

We are still accepting **Day Pass attendees. \$60.00/day** and you can pick which ever day you want to come, includes meals. (Note, Friday meal is only dinner)

It was a close call but at the last minute we prevailed. We have 34 people signed **Eureka Springs, AR** up and one person signed up for Saturday.

As a reminder to those that have signed up, you are officially responsible for your balance due, if you have one, and should you need to cancel, it will be up to you to sell your spot (if we have a waiting list, we can use that).

Rabbit's Lair has agreed to be our vendor this year.

**If you are teaching a class**, we ask that you email information to be sent out to everyone, no later than the 19th. This will give everyone 3 weeks to get supplies together.

Individual emails will be sent out to those with a balance due.

Should you have any questions or comments, please email quiltguildretreat@gmail.com or call or text Toni at 479-640-7553 or Jennie at 479-422-1252.

## October 9th - 11th Eureka Springs, AR



The Q.U.I.L.T. Guild of Northwest Arkansas

## Congratulations to our Washington County Fair Winners!















## **Bountiful Bouquets**



## August 28th, 2015

Jane Sassaman was an engaged instructor who worked with each of us as we constructed our own "still life" featuring large scale florals. Prior to class I had found a fabric printed with multi-colored caladium leaves as my starting point. In class I purchased a half yard of one of Jane's stylized fern prints that she identified as a vintage piece, that is, a fabric from one of her earlier collections. I knew when I saw it I wanted that unusual fern to go with my caladiums. No one else grabbed that piece, so I cut it up and arranged it in my black pot. To jazz up the pot I added a small band of black and gold lame gingham. When Jane saw that lame gingham she smiled and said she had some of that fabric in her stash.

I tried the fused appliqué technique Jane favors—thanks to Adele Atha sharing her fusible backing with me. The design process went smoother, too, because Suzanne Kitrell shared her roll of over sized tracing paper. (This is a product I found very useful.) However, at home I decided that fusibles are not for me and finished the project by piecing the background and hand appliquéing the top. I finished it on the 14th, using both hand and machine quilting. Sewing with quilting friends made the class fun, but we did miss Nora Krein who had been the one who last this class.



### -Paula Mariedaughter



My overall experience was that I laughed and learned a lot. The facility was great and the staff was friendly and helpful. The food was yummy and satisfying and there was plenty of chocolate. **My favorite aspect was the opportunity to be around such talented quilters**...especially Jane. The technique I learned was to look at fabric design and to keep different design motifs together (vs. mixing design motifs). I learned about two sisters (one from OK and one from Fayetteville) who came for the workshop. I observed their different styles for quilts and what inspires them. My inspiration for my project was Jane's presentation for QUILT. I did NOT finish my project but I plan to have it finished in time to donate it for the small quilt auction...ha,ha,ha.

- Kate Allen



## **Bountiful Bouquets** August 28th, 2015

- Kathy Garringer





I really loved the Jane Sassaman workshop. The facility at B-Sew Inn was great. They had ironing boards and cutting stations set up, tables for all of us, plenty of plug ins, a screen for the video presentation, and a wonderful lunch. After showing many examples Jane taught us her collage technique of fussy cutting and appliquéing to create a picture with fabric. She was very hands on and went around the room several times giving us feedback and helpful critiques. Her fabrics were the inspiration--they are so gorgeous. I have not finished mine, but I had sewing machine issues and then left for North Dakota. I want to thank Nora Krein for bringing us this Super Star and Lori Jones for taking good care of her while she was here.





# **GUILD MEETING MINUTES**

## **SUBMITTED BY ROSE LAWRENCE**

Q.U.I.L.T. Guild Meeting St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Springdale, AR Thursday, August 27th, 2015

President Kathy Garringer called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and welcomed 112 members, 35 guests and 11 new members; Mary Lasley, Glennis Treptow, Debbie Cobb, Jackie Hall, Bobby Mills, Jerri Lane, Leslie Jones, Sonya Hodges, Susan Burghart, Rachel Gilbert and Dana Crocco. 158 people attended tonight's program.

### Sunshine and Shadows:

Diane Eaton – sister-in-law passed away Rose Lawrence – having knee replacement in September Jo Ann Collier – good results from lung biopsy Carol McCutcheon – while in NYC was on TV at the Today Show

President Kathy made and presented Barb Hancock with her very own version of Barb's pincushion. President Kathy also presented Brooklyn McCready with her own name tag holder.

### Programs – Lori Jones:

September 24th – Alice McElwain: Demystifying Underground Railroad October 22nd – Karen Kielmeyer: Quilts for Show

## Tonight's Program: Jane Sassaman - Quilting Against the Odds

Lori introduced Jane Sassaman, After a varied career in the design world, Jane began to quilt in 1980. She found these satisfied the draftsman, craftsman and the artist in her. She is now a dedicated guilt artist and fabric designer. Jane produced a slide show of her life through the years, what and who inspired her, her family and their life in the early years in Chicago. She also mentioned that while dating she met her husband's mother and she was the first quilter she knew. She and her husband always knew they would be artists just not sure what kind....She didn't find her "medium" until after graduation and she saw the quilt on the cover of "American Craft"....this was where her dream began and she immediately began making quilts. She joked that her first seams were 5/8" because that is what you learned in sewing in school. She learned many new techniques through the years to become the artist she is today. Her art quilts have been shown in many national and international exhibits, including Quilt National 1989-2005 and Contemporary American Quilts, the first major exhibit of American art quilts in England. Her quilt "Willow" was named as One of the 100 Best American Quilts of the Century and she is also the author of "The Quilted Garden". This book

includes 20 years of her work and exercises for making nature-inspired quilts. Her love of historic decorative arts can be seen in all facets of her work, but especially in the fabric she is currently designing for FreeSpirit. Every line of her fabrics has a story in them. Jane says that if you really want to do something you will find a way, and you never know where your path will take you. She stated, let the fabric do the work for you.

Super Saturday Sew-In – Amy Rollins: September 19th – Grace Grame: learning and piecing String Quilts 1st Presbyterian Church in Rogers, 9-3pm (bring lots of strips to share)

**Retreat to the Hills:** October 9-11, 2015, Eureka Springs. Spaces are still available, we need 45 and currently have 26 signed up. They are also offering daily rates \$60.00 per day and this includes meals. Contact Jennie Wehrenberg or Toni Fenton to register.

### **Reminders:**

Calico Cut-Ups, Quilt Congress: September 25-26, Bella Vista \$35

AUGUST 2015 Pieces and Patches: September 21st

Modern Guild: September 16th

Longarm Group-Up in Arms: 2nd Wednesday, September 9th at 1pm at Southside Church of Christ.

**Washington County Fair:** Saturday, August 29th from 9-5pm is the last day to turn in quilts; pick up is Sunday September 6th. Fill out registration online and contact Adele Atha if you can volunteer.

**Thank You Note:** Jewel Crawley is 85 and she won the prize for Best Pieced Quilt and she wanted to thank the Guild.

**Benton County and Madison County Winners:** Best of Show, Nora Krein and Therese Ramsey.

**Ozark Folkways:** Fiberarts Show and Festival – October 11th, \$5.00 registration, judging and \$100 prize awarded

**Quilt of Valor Contest:** It's for Arkansas and goes to a veteran.

### **Business Meeting:**

Barb Hancock made a Motion to approve the July 23rd, 2015 Guild minutes and the August 3rd, 2015 Board minutes as printed in the August 2015 newsletter, Nora

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Krein made the second. A voice vote was called by President Kathy, hearing no nays, she ruled the motion passed.

Barb Hancock made a Motion to approve the treasurer's report from July, 2015, as printed in the August 2015 newsletter, Karen Harmony made the second. A voice vote was called by President Kathy, hearing no nays, she ruled the motion passed. The Treasurer's reports will be filed for audit.

**Thank you:** Peel House and Rogers Museum sent a thank you for the money received from the Guild.

**Sound System:** the board is looking into getting a new sound system for the Guild.

Membership and Door Prizes: Barb Hamernik Barb is going to revamp the membership form and put it in the September newsletter.

Winners of the door prizes were: Betty McKee, Kathy Turner, Adele Atha, David Moran, Brooklyn McCready.

Next Board Meeting – 5:45 p.m. on Tuesday, September 1st (this is a Different Date this month so the Board has time to discuss the Retreat in Eureka Springs) at Wendy's in Springdale.

Next Guild Meeting – 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 24th, 2015\_ Meeting Adjourned at 8:47 p.m., followed by Show & Tell.



**AUGUST 2015** 

# **GUILD BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

## SUBMITTED BY ROSE LAWRENCE

### Quilt Guild Board Meeting Wendy's, Springdale, AR Tuesday, September 1st, 2015

President Kathy Garringer called the meeting to order at 5:50 p.m. Those present were: Kathy Garringer, Roxanne Birchard, Roxanna Juergens, Barbara Hamernik, Lori Jones, David Moran, Betty McKee, Jennie Wehrenberg, Cassie Robinson, Janice Berry and Rose Lawrence.

### Treasurers Report: Roxanna Juergens

Roxanna passed around the thank you cards from Mrs. Crawley, Peel House and the Rogers Museum for the Board to view. Roxanna Juergens also presented the financial report and budget. The Board reviewed the financial report and budget, stated it looked good, had no questions and approved the reports as presented. Roxanna asked that everyone start working on their budgets for 2016, she will be asking for them soon.

### Newsletter: Cassie Robinson

Deadline is the 12th of the month for articles to be placed in the Newsletter. We need a picture of everyone with their projects that Jane Sassaman taught for the newsletter.

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### **Programs and Speakers: Lori Jones**

August 27th – Jane Sassaman, this was a great program and workshop. The workshop at B-Sew Inn was a great choice, the place was very nice.

**September 24th – Alice McElwain** – Civil War Quilts and the Underground Railroad, she will not be holding a workshop.

**October 22nd – Karen Kielmeyer** – Trunk Show and Quilts for Show

Lori asked if it was ok to not have a workshop and the board stated that every speaker doesn't hold one. Since there are several opening for 2016, the group discussed future ideas for speakers and workshops. Also mentioned was the idea of providing a beginners workshop too.

## Cuddly Quilts for Kids – Janice Berry

Janice mentioned they turned in 9, received another 8 the other night and 12 are ready for quilting.

## Library – Sheri Shaw

Kathy said that Sheri has received some books from the estate of Carolyn Ford and if she has any duplicates then we can use them as door prizes.

## Kitchen Committee – Carolyn Sherry

Kathy said that we are pretty well stocked up with paper goods.

## Quilt Show 2017 – Roxanne Birchard

Roxanne asked if the Board was ready to book the MetroPlex in Springdale for 2017. The Board discussed the venue and decided to go forward and secure this venue for the 2017 Quilt Show. Several ideas were passed around concerning the possibility of acquiring sponsors to help with awards, publicity, adding some decorations, having some educational areas, etc. Quilt Show dates are April 7-8, 2017. Roxanna is going to set up her meeting with MetroPlex owner to discuss and secure the contract then begin scheduling meetings with the Quilt Show Chairs.

### Retreat to the Hills – Jennie Wehrenberg

October 9-11th, 2015, are the dates for the retreat. So far 24 have signed up and we need at least 45 in order to have the retreat. The Board agreed to pay \$200 if needed for this retreat. Jennie will wait until the deadline then if there is not enough signed up; she will cancel and get the deposit back from the Hotel.

## **Sunshine and Shadows**

LoVina Payton Rose Lawrence – knee replacement in September David Moran's - Mother waiting to have scan Jeannie Schneider - is having gallbladder surgery Jeanette Strickert – Mom had stroke Barb Hamernik – her Aunt died

## Super Saturday Sew-In: Amy Rollins

September 19th, Grace Grame will be demonstrating String Blocks. Bring lots of strings to share with others for a variety.

### Vendors: Betty McKee

September meeting is Rabbit's Lair in Rogers October doesn't have one set December is Bittersweet out of Joplin, MO

### Membership: Barbara Hamernik

Membership total to date is: 189

She will send out the new member's contact information in an email then just their names will be published in the newsletter.

Name Tags: it was discussed to have another way of doing them such as paper piecing and possibly have a tutorial at the next meeting. Barb will have an email sent out with the information.

### **Other Business**

### **Business Cards:**

President Kathy mentioned that Raija Salomae has a person that will print 5,000 business cards for \$64.35 or 2,500 for \$43.15. The board agreed to authorize Raija to design and come back with the ideas then we can place an order.

### Helping new and beginner quilters:

Kathy brought up the subject of having, before the guild meetings, small projects for new and beginner quilts to help them learn. This could be very simple projects or just informational meetings to help them get started.

### Portable Sound System:

Cassie Robinson had information from Amazon on several different kinds of sound systems, wattage, microphones and cordless headsets, etc., they range anywhere from \$150 and up. President Kathy will bring to the next Guild meeting the information presented by Cassie for member discussion possible approval.

### **Church Chairs:**

President Kathy will be discussing purchasing chairs for the Church.

**Ozark Quilt Association – Quilt Congress** Roxanna Juergens and possibly Kathy Garringer will be our representatives.

### Jenny Doan Retreat, 2016:

The retreat is full and President Kathy has started a waiting list. As the time gets closer, things change so if you are interested, put your name down in case someone cannot make it.

### **Next Board Meeting:**

The next board meeting will be Monday, October 5th at 5:45 at Wendy's by I-49 in Springdale.

Board meeting adjourned at 7:11 p.m.

# LOCAL GUILDS & SMALL GROUPS

	Dogwood Quilters	<b>WHEN:</b> 1st Saturday of the Month, 9:30am - 3pm (bring a sack lunch)	<b>WHERE:</b> First United Methodist Church, Siloam Springs	<b>WHO:</b> Debbi Moore, 479-248-7499 or dmoore@nwti.edu
	Nyte Time Quilters	<b>WHEN:</b> 3rd Monday of the Month, 6:30pm	<b>WHERE:</b> United Lutheran Church, Bella Vista	<b>WHO:</b> Michele Lee Clark, michelemmc@cox.net
	Loose Threads	WHEN: 1st Wednesday of the Month, 9am	WHERE: Washington Co. Extension Office, Fayetteville	WHO: Carol Parrish, mtcomfort@cox.net
the modern QUILTguild	Modern	<b>WHEN:</b> 3rd Tuesday of the Month, 6:30pm	WHERE: Rogers Historical Museum, Rogers th	<b>WHO:</b> Therese Ramsey, erese.ramsey@gmail.com
	NWA Up in Arms Longarm Guild	WHEN: 2nd Wednesday of the Month, 1pm - 3pm	WHERE: Southside Church of Christ, Rogers	<b>WHO:</b> Carol Osburn, 806-220-4007
	Pieces 'N Patches	WHEN: 1st Monday of the Month, 12:30pm (lecture); 3rd Monday of the Month, 10am (workshop)	<b>WHERE:</b> First Presbyterian Church, Rogers	<b>WHO:</b> Sharon Phillips, dlsjphillips@gmail.com
CUT-UPS OTIO BELLA VISTA	Calico Cut-Ups	<b>WHEN:</b> 4th Monday of the Month, 1pm	<b>WHERE:</b> First United Methodist Church, Bella Vista	WHO: Sharon Moravits, smoravits@att.net
<b>Sew</b> Lappy	Sew Happy Quilters	<b>WHEN:</b> 2nd Saturday of the Month, 10am - 2pm	<b>WHERE:</b> Harris Baptist Church, Elkins	WHO: Martha Brown, 479-387-8138 or dardabrown@msn.com

# AREAEVENTS



AUTUMN IN THE OZARKS – 2015 HILL 'N HOLLOW QUILTERS GUILD October 22 – 24, 2015

Baxter County Fairgrounds – Educational Building 1507 Fairground Drive Mountain Home, AR

Thursday & Friday – 9:30 am – 5:00 pm Saturday 9:30 am – 4:00 pm

General Admission: \$5 – under 12 Free

Pre- Admission: \$4 each for groups of 10 or more

Contact Diana Arikan: 870-424-7801 tyarikan@hotmail.com

For more information contact Show Chair Maureen Forster – 870-491-7567



## Check Out Our Bloomers Quilt Show

A Judged Quilt Show September 19 – 20, 2015 at Shell Knob Elementary School on Hwy. 39 north of the bridge

Quilt Turnings, Boutique, Demos, Vendors, Children's Class, Silent Auction, Opportunity Quilt, Mini-quilt auction on Sunday to benefit Shell Knob Library Building Fund.

Admission \$5.00 for both days, Saturday 9–5, Sunday 9–3

## Special Display - The Supper Quilt



Made by Donald Locke, DDS, depicting DaVinci's "The Last Supper" painting. The quilt measures 67" x 183", contains 52,816 half-inch squares, 350 different fabrics and took about 1,200 hours to complete. It was

professionally quilted by Linda Taylor. The Supper Quilt has been displayed in 37 states and several foreign countries. Meet in person, Dr. Locke and his wife who enjoy explaining the inspiration and how it was made.



Town and Country Quilters Quilt Show

September 18th 10am - 5pm & 19th 10am - 3pm

> \$5 Admission Downtown Joplin, MO

\*Donation Quilt \*Silent Auction \* "The Market" \*Basket Walk \* Drawings on Saturday \* Vendors!!! \* Certified Quilt Appraiser \* 100 Plus Quilts on display

For more information call 417-624-2291

## **2015 Quilt Congress**

Hosted by Calico Cut-Ups Quilt Guild Bella Vista, AR



## September 25th - 26th

Assembly of God Church 1771 Forest Hills Blvd • Bella Vista, AR

## \$35 Registration Fee

\$35 registration fee includes Friday evening program, Saturday lunch & lectures

Additional fees for Linda Pumphrey & Lynne Hagmeier's workshops that occur on Friday morning and afternoon

Visit quiltcongress.blogspot.com for more info & to download registration form



The *Freedom Quilt Experience* was commissioned to provide a backdrop for an exhibit of twisted pieces of metal from the World Trade Center. Originally designed for the 10th anniversary of 9/11, it is made from ten unique quilt panels, one panel for each of the ten years that had passed since 9/11/01. When put together, the quilt panels form a display 16 feet high and nearly 30 feet wide. Each panel was designed and sewn together by a different individual or quilt guild.