I was so excited to receive my itinerary for the trip to Paducah! So looking forward to this, I have been saving my pennies. I am excited to spend time with many of you who will be going and getting to know people better. It will be here before we know it!

In the meantime, we will enjoy the Guild’s challenge quilts, “Spring Daffodils” and hear from their makers. Also, be sure to check out the Storybook Quilts which will be out on tables.

Linda Guilbert has been working very hard to get our Executive Board in place for 2017-2018. Currently all board positions are full, but we are still in need of someone who will be the Chair of the Historical Committee. This would involve housing historical items and occasionally recording events throughout the year. Talk to me about it if you have questions, this is an easy, fun position.

We had a great response of suggestions for future guild meetings and speakers, keep them coming! They will be very helpful as the new programs people set up future dates.

I will see you Thursday, April 6th at 7:00 pm!

Lisa Cole-Welby
“Creativity and Inspiration:”

APRIL 6TH MEETING
DAFFODIL CHALLENGE

Daffodils will be popping up at our April meeting. Join in and vote for your favorite, meet the designer and hear about her inspiration so you may be inspired. Storybook quilts will also be displayed for your enjoyment.

We have 20 signed up for the May 5th Charlotte Angotti class. Please send in payment as soon as possible. It just makes life easier to tidy up those loose ends.

See you in April!
OAKLAND COUNTY QUILT GUILD

2016 – 2017 Daffodils

CHALLENGE ENTRY FORM

All quilts must be completed according to the challenge rules to be eligible for entry in the 2016 – 2017 Challenge.

The following cash prizes will be awarded by Viewer’s Choice Selection at the April 6, 2017 meeting.

Prizes:

1st Place $75 & ribbon  
2nd Place $50 & Ribbon  
3rd Place $25 & Ribbon

Baste a piece of fabric over any identifying names that appear on the back, front or label of the quilt.

Quilts must have a sleeve on the back. If your entry is directional, please indicate the top.

Your entry with the entry form pinned to the front of the quilt must be dropped off between March 26 – April 4, 2017 at the following location:

Cyndi Anderson, 981 Norcross Drive, Rochester Hills 248-853-7878

** PLEASE CALL AHEAD TO ARRANGE A CONVENIENT DROP-OFF TIME **

Entries will not be accepted the night of the meeting.

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NAME___________________________________________________ PHONE_________________

TITLE OF ENTRY___________________________________________________________________________

QUILT DIMENSIONS:     WIDTH____________________     LENGTH_______________________

I agree to display my Daffodil Challenge Quilt entry at the April 6, 2017 meeting of the Oakland County Quilt Guild. I give permission for photographs to be taken of my entry. I agree to pick up my entry on April 6, 2017 after the meeting.

Signed___________________________________________________ Date_______________________

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Greetings from CAMEO Quilters Guild!

CAMEO Quilters Guild Presents
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June 2 - June 3, 2017
Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Admission $6
Madison Place Conference Ctr.
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Quilts, special traveling exhibits, vendors, silent auction, free demos, door prizes, raffle quilt and much more!
# OCQ Guild APRIL BIRTHDAYS

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Quilter To Quilter Sale

Presented by Great Lakes Heritage Quilters

April 22, 2017
10am - 2pm

1st Methodist Church of Troy
6363 Livernois
Troy, Mi 48098

Buy or Sell All Things Quilty
A Quilter's Paradise Reserve Your Table ASAP

Participants Include: Great Lakes Heritage Quilters Oakland County Quilt Guild
Macomb Quilt Guild

Please contact Karen Keller 248-877-9252 or get details at www.GLHQ.org
Great Lakes Heritage Quilters Presents
Quilter to Quilter Sale 2017
First United Methodist Church of Troy 6363 Livernois, Troy, MI 48098

Saturday, April 22, 10AM - 2PM

Table Rental Contract

The premise of this Quilter to Quilter Sale is to give sellers the opportunity to do a little spring-cleaning and get rid of quilting items they no longer want or use. Examples: fabric, thread, books, rulers, notions, UFO's, kits, sewing machines, quilt frames, etc. The buyers have the opportunity to buy those items at bargain basement prices.

Sellers rent a table for a nominal fee (see below) then keep all the money they make from their sales. There is a separate fee for each item brought to the supervised large item area.

Entry fee for buyers will be $4 for the first hour of the sale (10AM to 11AM) and $3 thereafter (11AM to 2PM).

Set-up will be precisely from 4PM till 8PM on Friday April 21, 2017. All set-ups must be completed by 7:45PM Friday. You will not be allowed to set up Saturday morning.

Sellers will be allowed to pre-sale at each other's tables from 9AM - 10AM before the doors open to the public. After that, sellers are to be at their respective tables to sell their items to outside shoppers from 10AM to 2PM. Sellers or their representative are expected to remain at their tables until 2PM and may not begin to pack up before that time.

Sellers are required to remove any and all unsold items from the premises no later than 3PM. Please leave your space the way you found it when you arrived.

ALL ITEMS MUST BE QUILT RELATED

Sellers are expected to provide their own change and bags. GLHQ will not provide these items. Sellers are also expected to act as their own security for items they bring to sell. GLHQ and/or the FUMC of Troy will not be responsible if items or money are stolen from the seller. You may not affix anything to walls.

Each seller will be provided with the specific table(s) they have rented and one chair per table. Extra chairs are available upon request before the day of the sale. Sellers must only use tables and chairs supplied by the church. The seller must keep their items in the area assigned and not have items protruding out into walkways where they may be a trip hazard. There are also 2 suite’s for available. A Suite consists of a corner location with two 6 foot rectangular tables and a 10 foot accordion wall that you may hang items on.

Items for sale must be clean and free from stains and odors. If items are being sold as a kit, all parts must be included or otherwise noted.

There will be a separate large items area. Anything larger than 2 x 2 x 2 (note that this is a cube) will be considered a large item. You may not display large items on or under your table. All large items must be quilt related. You must pre-register your large items and pay $2 for each
You must also fill out the large item sheet. We cannot guarantee that we will be able to accept additional large items not listed on your sheet the day of set-up. All large items must be checked in by 7:45 PM Friday evening to allow organizers time to arrange the area.

Bring your best stuff, price it reasonably, and you should do well. Submit your contract early for a prime space. We only have a limited number of tables and they are on a first come, first serve basis.

WE CANNOT HOLD TABLES WITHOUT PAYMENT AND A COMPLETED CONTRACT,

NAME: ________________________________
ADDRESS: ______________________________
PHONE: ________________________________
EMAIL: _________________________________

Number of 6 foot tables $20 each _______ (25 available)
Corner Suites $60.00 each ________________ (2 available) Number of 60 inch round tables $15 each (30 available)

Large items ______ $2 each ($10 if you are not renting a table)

Total enclosed $ __________

Please make checks payable to your quilt guild: GLHQ. There are no refunds.

I agree with all the rules and regulations listed in this GLHQ Table Rental Contract:

Signed:

Date:

Mail your completed contract with check (Made out to GLHQ) to GLHQ, c/o Karen Keller, 1843 Village green Blvd #105, Rochester Hills, MI 48307
All payments must be postmarked by: March 21, 2017

If you have any questions, please contact: Karen Keller, karen@patchwork-earth.com or 248- 877-9252

LARGE ITEM LIST

Items 2' x 2' x 2' (cube) or larger.

Sellers are required to provide your Quilter to Quilter Sale representative with a detailed list of each large item and the asking price. (Remember, there is a $2 fee per item, prepaid either with your Table Contract or at drop off, $10 if you do not have a table). We will provide tags that you need to fill out with the following information: Your name, table #, (if applicable), cell phone #, item # _ description of item, asking price. You will be required to attach it to your item. See our website for copies of these tags.

All large items must be dropped off on Friday April 21 between 4PM and 7:45PM. We will not accept any large items after that time. We reserve the right to refuse items that are not quilting related or are in a state of disrepair.

The large item room will be supervised at all times. When an item sells, our volunteers will put the tag and the money for that sale into an envelope designated for that seller.

You may pick up your money and/or unsold items at 2:30 on Saturday. You must pick up your unsold items no later than 2:45. Great Lakes Heritage Quilters Quilter to Quilter Sale AND/OR FUMC ARE not responsible for disposing of your unsold items you must remove them from the premises.

The large item room will be supervised at all times, however, GLHQ and FUMC will not be held responsible for any lost or damaged items.

Filling out this form confirms that you are acknowledging that you have read this form, understand it, and will abide by our rules.

Name ___________________________ Table # _______ Cell Phone # ___________________________

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Number of items sold_____ Total amount due seller_______

Sellers Signature: ___________________________

By signing I acknowledge that I have received any/all money that is owed to me.
Oakland County Quilt Guild
General Meeting Minutes
March 3, 2017

Lisa Cole-Welby calls meeting to order at 7:00.
February minutes approved with no changes or corrections.
A simple SURVEY was placed on chairs asking for our guild members’ input for future speakers/programs.
After completing them, they were to be deposited in the Suggestion Box.
Our guild has been approached asking if there is anyone interested in teaching quilting in the Orion and Oxford areas. Contact Lisa for details.

Maria MacDonald gives the Treasury Report: all the facts and figures, saying if there is ever any questions or concerns at this time or ever feel free to contact her. (announces she just welcomed her 6th grandchild, a healthy little girl, Amber; born a micro-preemie at 1 lb. 7oz. Amber is in NCCU, coming home in June.)

Linda Guilbert speaks concerning the Library Exhibit this May.
*If you still have a quilt to display just let her know and she will need it a week before the showing.
*Insurance forms will need to be completed and a 3 inch sleeve, please (4 inch for quilt shows).
*In the display case at the library, along with some quilts, there is room for some cute, sewing items.
If you have some things to lend, please bring to the April meeting.
*The guild will be manning a table the duration of the display to address any questions about the quilts or our guild. Dates are Thursday, May 4th and Friday, May 5th. Please sign up if you can help out or e-mail Linda.

*Need Programs, a big, fun, manageable important position.
(Taken on during the break by the volunteers for Getting to Know You committee.)
*Need members for Getting to Know You, Assistant Treasurer (2 year commitment) and Historical.
*Concerning the Historical Committee. Many albums hold photos from past years. An anniversary disc was made by Ruth’s husband in which many items were scanned. This DVD is in our guild’s library. A question presents itself: How should we go forward in these times of Facebook and Social Media with recording our history and preserving past years? Something for us to think about and address at a future time.
*Storybook Quilts Committee will be under/part of Communication Committee.

Marlee Smearing; Charity, read 3 beautifully written, sincere thank you notes from: Days for Girls, Crossroads and Wilson Cancer Resource Center. Thank you, members, who give your time and talent to Charity!
Cathy Leinonen reminded us of the workshop in May with Charlotte Angotti: What’s in Your Closet $145.
Ruth McCormick- Daffodil Challenge Quilts are to be dropped off with Cindy Anderson. (3 inch sleeve)
Sarah Bush- 75 members present and signed in with 1 guest
Kathy Beguin- Orders for products are due tonight. She will not be present for the next 2 meetings.
Karen Keller and Pam Thompson from Great Lakes Heritage Quilters gave us details for their Quilter to Quilter Sale.
Find information in past Thimble Thoughts.

Fifteen Minute Break/ reconvene at 7:50.

Lisa Cole-Welby informed us that the Troy Historical Village is hosting a program, THREADS, in August featuring a traveling play among their 10 building along with quilts; historical and present day, workshops, etc.
At this point our guild has supported this endeavor with a check. More details will be published when the information becomes available.

Program: Rita Weitendorf- I’m so Blue and (Yellow and White)
Rita shared her adventure in quilting, her quilts and stories beginning with her very own baby quilt made by her granny (a granny is a great grandmother)! Rita has come across many beautiful quilts that favors her yellow, white, and blue preference. Her quilting journey has included being a member of different quilting groups, teaching, collecting and designing.
WHAT A TRULY INTERESTING PROGRAM!

Door Prizes: 11 winners: Rachelle Martin, Lisa Reynolds, Lisa Taylor-Nalette, Cathy Leinonen, Jacque Martinez, Carol Gillespi, Rita Weitendorf, Jan Stepp, Kathy Reagan, Rosemary Reeves, Colleen Monti
Show and Tell- delightful! Such a variety a patterns, color choices, and sizes! So much talent and skill!

Meeting adjourned at 8:50 Respectfully submitted by Colleen Monti, recording secretary
Our next meeting
April 6, 2017
at 7:00 PM at the
First Congregational Church
1315 North Pine Street
Rochester, Michigan
48307