

# Alpine Quilters Newsletter-November 2011

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**Next Meeting: November 21, 2011** The meeting will be held at the Rockland Community Church, 17 S. Mt Vernon County Road, Golden, Colorado, 80401. Check website for cancellations. Social hour begins at 6:30 pm and the meeting starts at 7pm.

This is our annual holiday potluck. Everyone is to bring a finger food to share with the group.

We will also be revealing the 2011 Quilts for our challenge entitled "We are Family". The quilts are made by those members who have chosen to challenge themselves and enter this contest. I have attached a copy of the rules for this challenge.

## **From Irma Wolf: The Rotary Gallery Quilt Display**

**WHEN:** January 2 – February 27, 2012

**WHERE:** Rotary Gallery at our "Center Stage" Theater to coincide with the play "Quilters"

**LOCATION:** Walls in Rotary Gallery. (Signs will be posted, "Please do not touch quilts")

**THEME:** No Specific Theme, any size is OK.

**JURIED:** No, however, if more quilts are submitted than there is room for, we'll select a few from each submission—**sale quilts will get first priority for display.**

**INSURED:** Yes, for 60% of value – see below.

**FOR SALE:** Items need not be for sale, but must have value placed on them. Your item(s) will be included in an inventory, listing the value, and the price if your item is for sale.

Inquiries re quilts will be referred to Center for the Arts, Evergreen, **who will take 40% of the sale price.**

**SUBMIT DATE:** By **Friday, December 30 or earlier** to Irma Wolf, 2279 Hiwan Drive, 303-670-3402. Or deliver to Rotary Gallery at 9:00am on Jan.

2. You'll need to fill out a form or attach a label giving title of quilt, maker's name, quilter's name, value, or price if for sale.

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**WHO HANGS:** Irma and 2-3 other club participants **on Monday, 1/2.** Submit quilt with rod & sleeve. If no sleeve & rod, push pins will be used!

**CONTACT:** Call Irma Wolf, 303-670-3402, if you can help hang. [irmasonny@aol.com](mailto:irmasonny@aol.com)

(Irma will not be at the November meeting so would appreciate your contact in December.) Thank you.

OPENING RECEPTION: None planned at this time.

### **From Charlene Wilderman**

At the October meeting I resigned as chair of the membership Committee, and asked for a volunteer to serve in my stead. I am grateful to Cathy Rundle for coming forward and volunteering to fill the position. I also want to thank Sharon Klump for all the assistance she gave me the past two years and express my gratitude to her. Out resident computer tech! Sharon, you rock! Also, at the October meeting, I presented my memory quilt at Show and Tell. I wish to pass along the name of the printing company that helped me transfer my photos to fabric. They did a fantastic job, are reasonable priced, and, are experienced in transferring pictures to fabric for quilters. They used their computer to print pictures on photo cloth, but also transferred pictures directly onto muslin I supplied. The company is: Finely Finished Custom tees, Van Bibber Center, 12500 W., 58 Ave., Unit 201, Arvada, CO, 80002. Telephone number is 303-463-7994. They are located in an office building, one block west of Ward Road, on 58<sup>th</sup> Avenue, in Arvada.

We wish you the best, and will be thinking of you during and after your operation, Charlene!

*Just to see who reads the newsletter, I have a prize for anyone who brings the oldest quilting book to the meeting. Let's see, mine is dated .....you will have to wait and see.*

### **What's Happening Around Town?**

Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum: "Stars! A Study of 19<sup>th</sup> Century Star Quilts by the American Quilt Study Group" and "Out of This World: Contemporary Star Quilts". These exhibits are on display from October 31, 2011-January 21, 2012.

The Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum is open Monday-Saturday from 10 to 4 pm and Sundays from 12-4pm until Christmas.

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## **Colorado Quilting Council**

December 3, 2011, Cindy Needham Thread Facts and Fiction, Arvada. Workshop-December 4, Open Thread Bar, Wheatridge.

See the entire 2012 schedule at [www.ColoradoQuiltCouncil.com](http://www.ColoradoQuiltCouncil.com). Yearly dues are only \$25, which entitles you to 10 nationally known speakers, an informative newsletter, access to the CQC library and many other perks. Meeting quest fees are \$6.00.

Speakers and locations are subject to change so visit [www.ColoradoQuiltCouncil.com](http://www.ColoradoQuiltCouncil.com) for meeting details and maps. Pre-registrations is required for classes. Contact Lynda at [labnurse@msn.com](mailto:labnurse@msn.com) to register.

Colorado Quilt Trails, sponsored by the Colorado Quilting Council. Downtown Littleton now has quilt blocks hanging in 18 merchants windows. Golden has 6 locations, including the visitor's center, Golden Quilt Company and RMQM. Each has a 24" wooden square with a block that has historic, meaningful and personal significance for that location. Stop by either location and take the tour. More merchants are signing up to display blocks and block painters are needed. Contact Betty LaPan at 303-374-4569 to volunteer.

Submitted, Kathy Gill

