



# Paintbrush Piecers' Quilt Guild

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## Officers 2018

President\*: Marybeth Richardson  
Vice Pres\*: Barbara Pike  
Secretary\*: Jeanne Dycus  
Treasurer\*: Lili Turnell  
\*elected  
Newsletter: Linda MacDonald

## Committees 2018

See the Program Book or Website [By-Laws](#) for a description of each committee. Be an active member. [Join](#) a committee.

Program: Kathi Charles, Betty Cunningham, Sue Sironen  
Social: Ben Engelhardt  
Service: Dianna Baker, Barbara Harrison & Linda MacDonald

Sunshine: Betty Cunningham

Challenge:  
Flower Power, Barbara Pike

Soup & Sew: Ann Trosper

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

## BIRTHDAYS

May  
02 - Barbara Harrison  
14 - Vicki Mollett  
19 - Sue Sironen  
23 - Jeanne Dycus  
28 - Betty Jo Burgess  
30 - Michelle Quick

## June

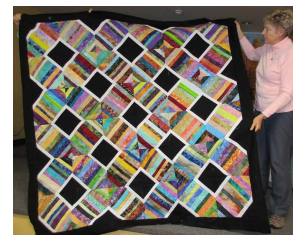
12 - Rose French  
15 - Pat Larsen  
29 - Lylia Livingston

**MEETING: May 21<sup>st</sup>** at the Cody Senior Center, Cody, 6:00 pm  
YQF meeting at 5:00 pm (before the Guild meeting).

**PROGRAM:** Checkerboard Dresden Plate demo with Ann Trosper.

## ITEMS TO BRING:

- ✂ Bring a Guest
- ✂ Show & Tell. What are you working on?
- ✂ Sewing related items for the Give-Away table (recycle)
- ✂ Veterans' Quilt Block of the Month



Ann T's batik scraps

## FROM OUR PRESIDENT - Marybeth Richardson

Hey, Hey , it's middle of May.....outdoor planting starts today!! You can have beautiful flowers in the yard or better yet, on a quilt. Remember the challenge for PPQG is "FLOWER POWER" so you can get your "bloom on" either way. Reveal day is at the Aug meeting.

The raffle quilt for YQF will be traveling and hopefully we can get a lot of tickets sold and advertising for the quilt show. Thank you, Barbara Pike, for all the work on and the worrying about the Quilt Show. Your organizational skills blow me away.

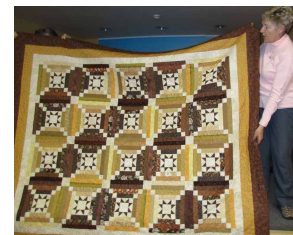
Ann Trosper will demonstrate the Checkerboard Dresden Plate at Monday's meeting. We should learn a new trick or two.

You might want to mark your calendar for the Town and Country Quilt Guild quilt show in Red Lodge on June 22-23 (10 - 5) and June 24 (10 - 4) at the Old Roosevelt School at 517 Broadway Ave South, Red Lodge Mt. For more info call: 406-425-8922. Road trip anyone??

Hope to see most of you at the meeting....in the meantime, keep your needle threaded. Marybeth



Judy's purse



Ann T's Brown & Gold

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

Beginning Balance:	\$1,904.75
Deposits: Dues: 2 @ \$15.00	30.00
under charge on check	.60
Ending Balance:	\$1,935.35

Lili Turnell, Treasurer



Vicki's program on Block-Lock

**PPQG MEETING MINUTES for APRIL 23, 2018** The April Meeting was called to order at 6:07pm by our-President, Marybeth Richardson. There were seventeen (17) Members in attendance which includes our new newest member, ROENA B. HALBUR! and our Guest Roxy (Herman) Trimble. Welcome Roena to our Group!

**SECRETARY'S MINUTES:** A motion was made and seconded to accept the March 2018 Meeting Minutes as recorded in the Newsletter.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** The Treasurer's Report was accepted as recorded in the Newsletter. A reminder to anyone with a bill for reimbursement, to see Lili. There are just a few Members who have not yet paid their dues for 2018. You can mail your \$15.00 to Lili @ 496 County Road 4EU, Meeteetse WY 82433. OR pay her at the May Meeting.

**OLD BUSINESS:** In March we had a show of hands to see how many members were interested in participating in Secret Sisters for 2018. There were 5 or 6 expressing an interest, so far only one person has responded! Let me know if you need a sign-up form.

**SOUP & SEW & STITCH:** Ann Trosper has scheduled another Soup, Sew and Stitch to be held Saturday, May 12th @ 8:30 at the Weed and Pest Control Building between Ralston and Powell. Let her know if you're interested in attending.

**SUNSHINE COMMITTEE:** To request a card be sent out, i.e. Get Well, Congratulations, or Encouragement, call Betty Cunningham @ 307-587-3358 or email her @ [bettyc2203@icloud.com](mailto:bettyc2203@icloud.com)

**SERVICE COMMITTEE/COMMUNITY QUILTS PROJECT:** Betty Cunningham has volunteered to make a quilt for the Senior Center. Linda MacDonald has some Veteran's "Block of the Month" kits available.

**CHALLENGE QUILT:** The quilt challenge this year, to be displayed at YQF is "FLOWER POWER". The limit on the circumference of a round quilt is 144" or if a square quilt, it's 36" per side. It seems most quilters avoid the colors ORANGE and PURPLE, so to add to the challenge, you must include these colors in your quilt.

**SOCIAL COMMITTEE:** Ben Engelhardt is our chairperson for the Social Committee. Thank you Linda MacDonald and Barbara Harrison for this evening's goodies! The volunteers bringing snacks in May are: Ann Jefferis and Evelyn Browning.

**SHOW AND TELL:** We always look forward to this part of our meeting when we can see all the beautiful quilts and/or projects that our Members are working on. Thank you Ladies for sharing! and being an inspiration to the rest of us!

**EVENING PROGRAM:** Vicki Mollett presented our Program this evening, demonstrating the Block Lock for making flying geese. Very innovative and something to add to our Sewing Rooms! Thank you Vicki!



Vicki &amp; Betty

**NEW BUSINESS:** .We were reminded that the Hyattville Quilt Show is coming up Saturday, May 26 and Sunday, May 27. If you have any questions, please call Marylou Doyle @ 30-469-2253. Entry forms are due for each quilt entered by May 18th!

Our Guest, Roxy Trimble explained that this is their 4th year of taking 40 foster kids (ages 6-11) camping in the Big Horn Mountains for a week in July. This year it will be the week of July 2nd. Some years they request pillow cases for each of the kids, this year they have requested quilts. The average size to be 40"x50" for either boy or girl. They were getting close to reaching their goal, but could still use a few more. If interested in helping, contact Roxy or Terri Lange.

**OTHER BUSINESS:** . We had our YQF Meeting @ 5:00pm prior to our regular PPQG Meeting @ 6:00pm. A reminder that the theme is "WY SKY" for the challenge blocks. We went thru the Committees and what the job entails and some of the Committees are in need of more volunteers. The next YQF meeting will be May 21 @ 5:00pm before the PPQG Meeting. Barbara Pike that Raffle Tickets will be available next month for last year's challenge quilt.

The Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by **JEANNE DYCUS/Secretary 2018**

### **OPPORTUNITIES for fun and INTERESTING STUFF**



**CHALLENGE QUILTS** - This year's challenge is called "Flower Power." Barbara Pike randomly picked this topic from the suggestions made at the February meeting. These are small projects, so the limit on the circumference of the quilt is 144" (this is 36" per side for a square quilt) and each quilt must use the colors purple and orange (these seem to be colors that most quilters avoid). The Challenge Quilts will be hung together at YQF and will be entered as a separate category.

**YELLOWSTONE QUILT FEST (YQF)** - The Guild will sponsor YQF in 2018 with new leadership and with continued help from all. The theme for the challenge blocks and decor will be **WY Sky** and will include our gorgeous Wyoming vistas. There will be monthly meetings ahead of the Guild meetings to discuss what each committee is doing and what help is needed to prepare for the event.



### **MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

May 27-28 - Hyattville Cowboy Quilt Show

June 22-24 - Town & Country Quilt Guild, Red Lodge, MT 406-425-8922

July 12-15 - Quilt Wyoming, WY State Quilt Guild, TBA

Aug 26-Sep 3 - [Nine Quarter Circle Ranch Retreat](#) MT with Georgia Bonesteel & Charlotte W Andersen

Oct 19-22 - Friends & Company Fall Retreat, Holiday Inn, Cody.

Oct 24-28 - Quick Quilt Retreat, Holiday Inn, Cody. Michelle [quicksfamily@gmail.com](mailto:quicksfamily@gmail.com) 307-587-2576

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