

Clark County Quilters Newsletter

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President Block

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June is upon us, and spring finally did happen. With the season's change, and summer coming, there is great beauty to behold. What are your plans, your vision, for this summer? The guild's year is nearly ended, with new (and a couple returning) officers and committee chairs stepping up. That's exciting for me, as I change to a regular voting member and assist in guild activities. Before the June meeting is over, I hope we have a Vision statement for CCQ. And we will continue to make beautiful quilts.

Vision Statements sent in before the May meeting

Clark County Quilters: Making our Communities a Warmer Place.

Preserve the art of quilting in the Northwest and beyond.

Gather Make Friends Quilt

Follow in the craft of our quilting ancestors.

Vision: Quilting Inspirations

Linda Pritchard will be an amazing President. Even her name is indicative- my first years in CCQ, our Presidents were both named Linda, too. I am really looking forward to next year. We have talented officers, great committees headed up by very able volunteers, and the best quilters ever.

In closing, thank you ALL for making this the most outstanding of all my years with Clark County Quilters.



Sunshine and Shadows

Linda Pritchard ccq.pres.elect@gmail.com

Please send any Sunshine or Shadow items to me at the above email for inclusion in the newsletter and/or announcement at our Guild meetings.

SHADOW

Jim Scheurman is in Wisconsin with his family. As reported in April, he went to visit his terminally-ill brother. When he told me this, he also noted that they did not expect his mother to have much time left. Indeed, Jim's mother and brother passed within two days of one another. Please keep Jim and his family in your thoughts.

Pat Rushford is having open-heart surgery on May 31. She is optimistic that this procedure will alleviate her symptoms. Please keep her in your thoughts and give her a call or drop her a line during her recovery.

SUNSHINE

Cathy Erickson won an Honorable Mention at Paducah for "Summer Delights". Yay, Cathy!

CCQ received three thank-you notes recently:

From F.I.S.H., thanking us for our donation to their organization.

From Lucy Crouse, the young woman to whom we donated batting.

From Allison Rainboth, one of the certified-judging candidates in the class that worked our Quilt Show.

Saturday Workshop

Looks like we are going to have an even better Saturday Workshop Event in 2019 than before! A big THANK YOU to everyone who contributed great ideas on the SW Survey. What an outpouring!

The event is still scheduled for January 26, 2019 at Salmon Creek United Methodist Church. Look for great announcements regarding teachers and classes in September.

Have a Wonderful and Safe Summer!

Jean Seale - Saturday Workshop Coordinator

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New Year Classes are Beginning

**6918 NE Fourth Plain Blvd #110
Vancouver, WA 98661
360.882.9101**

Proprietress – Marcy Shindler

For Sale:

Quilt kit “At Home in the Woods” by McKenna Ryan. Purchased as block of the month, and I will not complete it. Includes fabric and patterns. Estimated investment \$300, for sale \$150.

Contact Robbe Sipe
(360) 574-9660 or rksipe@comcast.net.

Invitation to Exhibitors:

A very special birthday is coming, and you can help us celebrate!

My church, the Unitarian Universalist Church of Vancouver, will be celebrating the 100th birthday of our Steinway grand piano in the coming months. We plan to exhibit quilts with a musical theme. The show will run from November 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018. Items may be offered for sale.

If you are interested, please contact Robbe Sipe

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Quilt Study

Historian and filmmaker Ken Burns has been collecting antique quilts for a number of years. They are on display for the first time. Nebraska PBS has a short video available about his collection and The International Quilt Study Center and Museum at University of Nebraska-Lincoln, has a slide show of the quilts on display.

<https://bit.ly/2J9CHyU>

<http://www.quiltstudy.org/exhibitions/nowshowing/kenburns/uncovered.html>

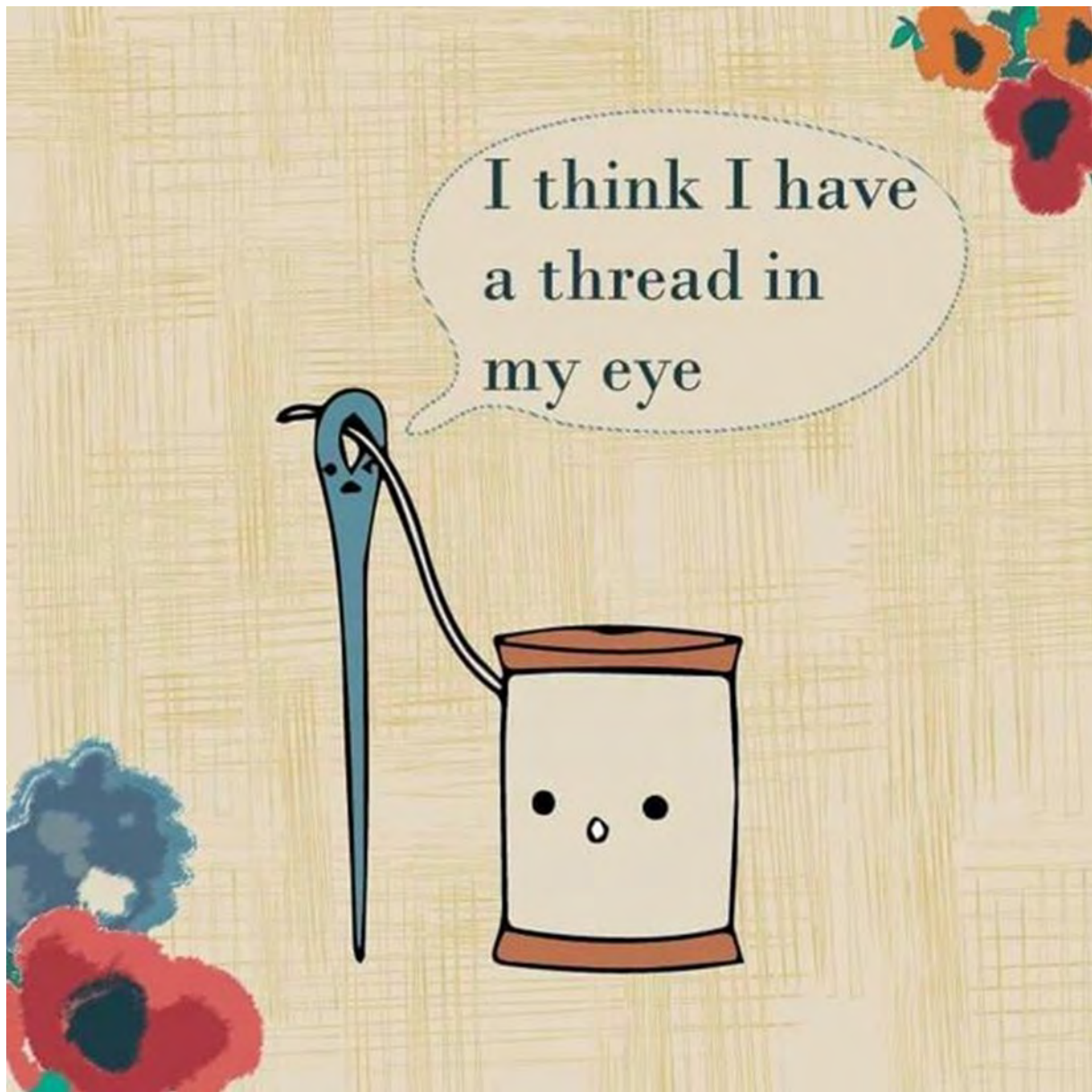
Treasurer Report

Beginning in May the guild started using the Square credit card processing system to accept payments for activities and purchases. We can accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express cards. We are looking to budget thermal printers for receipting in the next fiscal year.

Now that we are a registered 501 (c) 3 charity, if you itemize on your taxes, you may be able to deduct your dues, monetary donations and donations of items. You can also remember the guild in your will by contacting your financial planner.

Quilting humor

Found on Pinterest while writing my last President's Block. How apropos.



From National Quilter's Circle.

2018/2019 CCQ COMMITTEE OPPORTUNITIES !!

Hello Everyone!

It's that time of year, when we need to line up the cadre of volunteers who head up all the wonderful events and activities that make CCQ such an exciting and vibrant group! There are still a number of openings in next year's Board, which we need to fill before the June general meeting.

Among them are:

- Publicity
(promote our guild and events to the world!)

- Auction
(Fun and Fabulous Fund-Raising)

These and other positions are still available. If they – or any other committees – pique your interest, PLEASE email me ASAP to volunteer. For more details, contact this year's chair. I know as well as anyone that it can be a little intimidating to do something new. But the people before you have systems, schedules and contacts in place, so you won't be starting from scratch. You'll be standing on the shoulders of giants!

The amazing things we do each year cannot happen without amazing people like you. Step up and be part of the action!

Linda Pritchard
President-Elect
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360-609-6087

Secret Pal

So we have reached the end of our current CCQ year and that means it's time for the big reveal. It's fun to finally find out who your Secret Pal is. This could lead to a new treasured friendship and at the least you will know one more person from the guild. Please meet me at 6PM in the lobby before the meeting for your personal reveals. I'm looking forward to your reunions, aren't you?

If you have any questions, please feel free to call or email me.
Pat Mathison, 360-608-5353, or pattym47@yahoo.com

CCQ Fat Quarters

Sharleen Rainville
srain1@verizon.net

Pat Rushford prushford@comcast.net

There is no Fat Quarter table for June.
Pat and I would like to thank all those members who participated throughout the year.

CCQ QUILT SHOW RAFFLE

BASKETS

Thank you to everyone who donated items to put in the raffle baskets. If you donated items and haven't gotten a donation receipt yet, please see Debby Potter at the guild meeting.

Mary Newhouse
maryfnewhouse@yahoo.com

Debby Potter twopotters@juno.com

Upcoming Events!

Quilt Canada 2018
May 31 – June 2
Canada's premier annual national quilt conference.
Canadian Quilters' Association
Vancouver Convention Centre, Vancouver, BC
<https://canadianquilter.com/>

Sunshine & Stitches Shop Hop
June 2 – 16, 2018
Portland to Salem
www.stitchesshophops.com

Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show
July 14, 2018
Sisters, OR
www.sistersoutdoorquiltshow.org

Sunbonnet Sue Quilt Club's
32nd Annual Quilt Show "In Bloom"
July 20 – 22, 2018
Sequim, WA
www.sunbonnetsuequiltclub.org

Western Washington Quilt Shop Hop Assoc.
June 23 – July 1, 2018
<http://www.washingtonquiltshophop.com/>

Membership

Joanne Adams Roth joanneroth12@yahoo.com

Karan Brooks brooks3663@msn.com

We are up to 483 members! Aren't you glad that you get to participate in everything the guild has to offer? Renewals of membership started in April at the quilt show and will continue through the rest of the year. Don't forget that the membership goes up to \$40 for the 2018/2019 fiscal year, so when you renew this time, it'll be a little more. Thank you for showing us your membership cards, which are required at the meetings. And if you have a friend that might enjoy our group, bring them along or invite them to come to our next meeting.

Fall Retreat 2018

Mark your calendars for Oct 25-28, 2018 for our annual Fall Quilting Retreat. We had over thirty quilters register for retreat at the May meeting and still have a few spaces left.



You may register by mail or at the June meeting. You'll find a copy of the registration form online under Programs and Events/Fall Retreat and we will have them available at the meeting. (We can't accept credit cards via mail—checks only.) However, at the June meeting, you may use cash, checks or pay by credit card.

If you choose to register by mail, make your checks out to Clark County Quilters and send to PO Box 5857, Vancouver, WA 98668-5857. The balance will be due by the September meeting.

Our theme this year is, *Falling into Color*, celebrating the brilliance and beauty of the fall season. We'll be back at the beautiful, woodsy Aldersgate Retreat Center in Turner, OR. The cost is very reasonable at \$240 per person, Thursday through Sunday. The food is good, rooms are large, well appointed, beds comfortable and each has its own bathroom. And no upper bunks.

Please let us know if you would like to contribute gifts or participate in some way. We have a great team working to make our retreat a unique and wonderful experience.

Chair: Pat Rushford prushford@comcast.net

Assistant Chair: Melanie Sellar msell15020@yahoo.com

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Deposits are made, up to four times per year, (February, May, August, November) for donations generated in the previous quarters. The treasurer will report this to the board and the general membership via the usual report.

Publicity

Being the Publicity Chair is fun and challenging! If you are interested in promoting our wonderful guild and its activities, please call, text, or email Rosanne. It helps to be somewhat computer literate, easy-going and not freaked out by deadlines, organized (or have a helper who can keep you organized), and be willing to take calls from media personalities. What Publicity does is works with the different committee chairs to create the advertising for all the guild events, write the monthly meeting press release, prepare the mailings of each event for distribution through guild members and the USPS. There is a Facebook Page that you update monthly, as well as any other social media you are on, (I am only on Facebook and Instagram, so you don't need to be on all of them). Create the monthly PowerPoint for the pre-meeting social hour 9 of the 10 months and promote the guild and its activities every chance you get. We use Google g-mail for composing press releases and receiving email. There is an Avery Label account with all the mailing labels completely updated ready to go. Almost everything can be done from home. Contact me so I can explore with you if Publicity is a good fit for your volunteer heart.

Rosanne
360-836-6800 (call or text)
rosanne_hatfield@yahoo.com

Speaker and Workshops

Historically, our June meeting has been a culmination of our busy and productive year filled with successful activities and also a celebration looking forward to the next year with the installation of new officers and committee chairs.

Sometimes members are tempted to skip the meeting because they are lured away by the beautiful June weather. But this June, make sure you are at the meeting so you can register for the 2018-2019 classes. There are classes for all levels of quilters and a variety of interests. Costs are a bit lower this year since all the teachers are from Oregon, Washington, and California so their travel costs will be less.

Study the 2018-2019 brochure or look up the new schedule on the CCQ web site.

Fill out your 2 part registration form and come with cash, check, or credit card.

Member registration will begin at 6 p.m. and end at 7 p.m.

Committee chairmen who work during the social hour may sign up at 5:30

Members may also mail in registrations after the June meeting.

Non-member registrations begin after July 15.

Thanks for all your support for programs this past year. And thanks to Lyn Denkers and Sharleen Rainville for their support as assistants. Next year's speaker programs and workshop team will be Sharleen Rainville and Del Drake.

COMFORT QUILTS SUMMARY: CCQ, via the Comfort Quilts group, between November 2017 and early May 2018, donated 662 quilts to 29 organizations. How'd we do that? Well, with lots and lots of help. From the list below, some folks donated supplies, some cut and prepared kits, others made tops; we assembled "quilt sandwiches" and somebody quilted 'em. Still others have done binding, labeling, photography, packaging, record-keeping, and delivery. And a very special few help at every stage of the work. Whatever your contribution, **THANK YOU!** [Alvera Gaskins and Laura Stephens, Comfort Quilts Co-Chairs, 2017-2018]

SO THANK YOU: Ada Levins, Alice Pofahl, Alvera Gaskins, Anita Jern, Ann Robertson, Annabel Sagert, Anne Gillihan, Arden Sheldon, Barb Carson, Bertie Bailey, Betty Muñoz, Bev McGuire, Bev Woodard, Birgitta Scofield, Bonnie Jackson, Bridget Noland, Candy Mackey, Carol Strong, Carolyn Nichols, Carolyn Walwyn, Catherine Kuehn, Cathy Binder, Cathy Taylor, Charlotte Mason, Christina Aguilar, Colleen Anthony, Colleen Garrison, Connie Doiel, Darlene Angelatos, Daune Spritzer, Dawn Smith, DeAnn Perrigo, Deb Mason, Deena Morgan, Dell Drake, Diana Stack Roberts, Diane Corbin, Diane Rutherford, Dianne Kane, Donn Lawty, Dortha Terrill, Evelyn Plamondon, Felida Friends, Freida Buller, Gale Schultz, Gina Nelson, Ginnie Beamguard, Glenda McCune, Hazel Greene, Helen Schuerman, Hilda Krebs, Jan Buzzzi, Jan Warbington, Jane Dudley, Jane Ratcliff, Janice Harding Harris, Jill Dykehouse, Jim Scheurman, Jo Trout, Joan Lawty, Joanne Roth, Jodi Pruett, John Hatfield, Joy Morton, Judy Arnold, Judy Duncan, Judy Oakes, Karen DiModica, Karen Mack, Karen Streeter, Karmen Ray, Kate Griffith, Kathy Chicocca, Kathy Geyer, Kathy Stonich, Katiree Armstrong, Kaye Hill, Kim Carroll, Kristen Morgan, Ladonna Pasini, Laura Stephens, Laurel Koch, Linda Bryant, Linda Doughty, Linda Guenther, Linda Heglin, Linda Lyons, Linda Padilla, Linda Richman, Lisa Link, Lori Winn, Lorraine Spreadborough, Louanne Fuller, Louise Sethmann, Lyn Nelson, Lynn Miller, Lys Leitner, Maggie Barr, Marcy Shindler, Marilyn Cornett, Marsha Gregor, Martha Shehorn, Marvalee Nance, Mary Dougherty, Mary Morey, Mary Reed, Mary Sanderson, Mary Wenger, Maxine Kinne, Melba Zelke, Meredith Reid, Monique Clark, Nancy Tubbs, Naomi Lynch, Nina Bailey, Nona Scheurer, Norma Beale, Norma Harvey, Norma Shamberger, Pam Grindell, Pam Klase, Pat Gale, Pat Mathison, Pat Rushford, Pat Stephens, Patti Puckett, Patty Lodmell, Paula Albee, Peggy Muhly, Peggy Nelson, Phyllis McIntosh, Rae Levine, Randy DeKraai, Rebecca Paris, Rita Allen, Rita Brizendine, Robbe Sipe, Robbie Bertram, Rosanne Hatfield, S. Ainsworth Smith, Sandi Miller, Sandie Hollister, Sandy Emerson, Sandy Jandik, Sara Striker, Sara Waldal, Shannon Isbell, Sharleen Rainville, Sharon Bishop, Sharon Lowe, Sharry Olmstead, Shelly Brands, Sheri Baglio, Shirley Brandenburg, Shirley Ezetta, Sonja Hughes, Stephanie Harland, Stephanie Haythornthwaite, Su Holmes, Su Scott, Sue Richard, Susan Hudson, Susan Lopera, Suzi Grunau, Teen Outreach, Teresa Palmer, Terry Knott, Thomas Park, Tina Zaccanti, Virginia Will & Wilma Scott.

THANKS also to these generous businesses: Beverly Woodard Designs, Blue Heron Quilts, By the Vines Quilting, DELL-ightful Quilts, Just for Fun! Quilting, Quilted Treasures, Quiltthyme Studio, SH Quilted, LLC, She Quilts It, Vera Lane Custom Quilting & Embroidery,

This successful program continues, of course. Let's support Darlene Angelatos as we transition the Comfort Quilts program to her leadership in the 2018-2019 guild year.

Next year's Quilt Show Theme:

We don't have a forever name for the quilt show yet, but we do have a theme for next year!

BLUES AND LIGHTS; QUILTERS' DELIGHT.

Blue Sapphire is the gem and color of a 45th Anniversary celebration. Next year (2019) is the Guild's 45th Anniversary: 1974 – 2019. So we are commemorating the year with the theme of Blue and White quilts. (However, it is not our 45th quilt show; it is only the 44th annual quilt show. What was it with those charter members not putting on a quilt show that first year???)

The big Houston Quilt Show will be celebrating their Sapphire Celebration in 2019, so you will be able to enter your quilt in their show right after ours is finished. I called the people in charge of the Sapphire Celebration for their criteria for color. They said: "Anything that **READS** Blue and White." And they require the quilt to be at least 50" square. So because there are so many more blue colors than there are RED, you can make your quilt out of many blues and creams, tans, gray and whites.

Here is a sample from Laundry Basket Quilts' blue and "whites". Of course, there are brights and batiks and calicos and repros. Go for it!



https://i0.wp.com/www.laundrybasketquilts.com/blog/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/IMG_6825.jpg?w=450&ssl=1

Nancy Pietzold and I, as next year's as Quilt Show Chairs can't wait to see what you sew up.

Arden Shelton and Nancy Pietzold

Three for One

Jackie Campbell

jmckeycampbell@gmail.com

The quilt shop is:

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Clark County Fair Quilt Contest

Guidelines for the Quilt Contest is here:

<http://clarkcofair.com/documents/Contests/CCF%20Contest%20Guidelines.pdf>

Registration Form is here:

<http://clarkcofair.com/documents/Contests/CCF%20Entry%20Form.pdf>

See you at the Clark County Fair!

Hospitality - Felida Friends quilt group.

Mary Reed at mbrspokane@gmail.com

Once a year, each CCQ member is asked to bring snacks for the social time before the general meeting begins. Please bring finger friendly items.

The first letter of your last name determines the month for you to bring your treats. Bring your treats as close to 6 p.m. as possible. After the meeting, please pick up your dishes and any leftovers.

If you miss your month, you can bring snacks the next month.

Water will be provided at the meeting. Please bring any other liquid refreshments that you desire.

June

T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z



Mystery Quilt

Thank you for participating in the mystery quilt program this year. Please remember to bring your completed tops to the June general meeting. They do not need to be quilted. We will show them as a group during "show and tell".

Rosemary Griggs

agriggs7@comcast.net

Library

The CCQ Library book liquidation sale continues!

There are two ways to buy books:

1. Stop by the library table at the June meeting to browse books recently retrieved from the CCQ storage unit. New selections “arriving monthly.”
2. Between now and the June meeting, go to our online catalog, Tinycat, look at the books in our inventory, and request a particular book. A librarian will try to retrieve books that members request and bring them to the June social hour meeting for you. Prices of Tinycat requested books are \$7.50 for hardback, \$5.00 for paperback, except materials the library committee determines are collectible will be higher priced. If you do not know how to use Tinycat, log on to the members' only section of the CCQ website and use the tutorial link on that page.

All purchases (Tinycat and at social hour) are first come, first served.

STASH BAZAAR

The fall stash bazaar will be held October 6th at Salmon Creek United Methodist Church located at [12217 N.E. Hwy. 99](#) in Vancouver. Many tables have already been reserved for this event, but there are many still available for rent. Payments are being accepted at this time, partly due to the fact that the bazaar will be upon us before we know it. There is only one fall meeting before this fun sale.

If you are interested in renting a table, please contact Diana Stack Roberts, the new chair.

Diana Stack Roberts
dstackrob@aol.com
Janice Harding Harris
jkwltz53@gmail.com



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Lyn Berkley	06/01
Barbara Brokop	06/01
Sandy Heresa	06/01
Carley Schriever	06/03
Hilberta "Bertie" Bailey	06/05
Dell Drake	06/05
Bernice Jehnsen	06/05
Jean Seale	06/05
Bonnie Craig	06/06
Beth Heurlin	06/06
Marcy Shindler	06/07
Gladys Nold	06/08
Mary Sanderson	06/08
Sharon M. Dean	06/11
Patti Turner	06/11
Janet Scott	06/12
Roberta Peterson	06/13
Vivian (Kippy) Crane	06/14
Barbara Neill	06/14
Judith Phelps	06/14
Contessa Timmerman	06/15
Sandy Christofferson	06/18
Esther Chun	06/18

Louanne Fuller	06/18
Margaret Gordon	06/18
Anne Gillihan	06/19
Phyllis McIntosh	06/19
Angie Bunch	06/20
Cora Maddix	06/21
Sharlene Schollmeyer	06/21
Candy Mackey	06/22
Sherry A Cook	06/24
Gwen Gotshall	06/24
Delcine Schmitke	06/24
Carolyn Berg	06/25
Stephanie Hettman	06/25
Marilyn Devries	06/26
Rosanne Hatfield	06/26
Patricia Repp	06/26
Elaine Barsotti	06/27
Jean Ludeman	06/27
Barbara Stewart	06/27
Linda Padilla	06/29
Ladonna Pasini	06/29

Next Board Meeting: May 3rd, 2018 at 6 pm; Clark Regional Wastewater District Building, 8000 NE 52nd Ct., Vancouver, WA.

Next General Meeting: May 10, 2018
Social Time 6:00-6:55 PM, Meeting and Program 7:00 PM

General Meeting Location:
Warehouse 23, 100 Columbia St #102, Vancouver, WA 98660

Meeting Cancellation Policy: To ensure the safety of all the members, emergency cancellation of general meetings will be at the discretion of the President and Executive Board. Cancellation or postponement of a general meeting will be communicated via email and social media by 3 p.m. on the day of a meeting. In addition, every effort will be made to notify each board member, new member, and contact person of each small group to help pass the information to as many members as possible.

