



# Concord Piecemakers' Grapevine June 2016

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Wednesday, **June 8**, 7:00 pm  
At Harvey Wheeler Center, West Concord, MA

Piecemakers' Calendar  
2016

**Jun 8**- Guild's 35th  
Celebration

**Sept 21**- Timna Tarr

## President's Message Pam Cincotta

### June President's Message

*Things to bring to the  
meeting:*

- ✓ **NAMETAG**
- ✓ **LIBRARY BOOKS**
- ✓ **CPM Challenge  
Quilts**
- ✓ **Pillowcases**
- ✓ **Nickel Squares**

Before we say goodbye for the summer, I just want to thank all of you for making this past year an enjoyable experience for me. Friendships, activities, quilting, and workshops make being a member of CPM so wonderful.

I know I am not alone in preparing for the Vermont Quilt Festival; many of our members are also planning to attend. Whatever quilt shows, workshops, activities or travels you have planned to fill in your summer days, may you have a happy, healthy, and safe summer.

What better way to "officially" begin your summer by attending our CPM 35 Years Celebration on June 8 starting at 7pm. We will have discussion with some of our founding members and past presidents, and a cake. The opportunity will be available for all to share a favorite memory of their years as a Piecemaker. And don't forget! We will be sharing our CPM Challenge Quilts! Lastly we will hold our end-of-year Show-and-Tell.



## PROGRAMS

**Wednesday, June 8, 2016**

*CPM's 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*

Our June meeting, June 8 starting at 7pm, will be dedicated to celebrating the Guild's 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

You won't want to miss this walk down Memory Lane featuring founding members, past presidents, and the opportunity to share with the group one of your favorite moments or memories of the guild. Plan to bring your CPM Challenge quilts and other items to share during our end-of-year Show-and-Tell. And what would a celebration be without cake! Please join us in the celebration!

### MEMBERSHIP NEWS Cassy Bosworth

Welcome to our newest member!

Our newest member is Robin DeMott. We are looking forward to learning about her quilting experience. Members who have not yet renewed their dues, please do so by the June meeting. The dues for the 2016-2017 year are: Full membership \$25 and Associate membership \$15.

You may download a registration form from the website [concordpiecemakers.org](http://concordpiecemakers.org) or pick one up at the membership table. Payment may also be made by sending your completed registration form and check to:

Membership Chair c/o Concord Piecemakers PO Box 1381, Concord, MA 01742-1381.

### Pillowcase News Maura Cain

Please return pillowcase kits from last month.

Also please consider making some over the summer with your stash fabric. They really put a smile on the kids faces who are sick. Contact Maura with any questions!



**Message from your Librarians**  
Sheila Macauley, Sharon Perko, Judy Jacobsche

June is here! Would all members please return their borrowed books to the library at the June meeting as the inventory has to be done during the summer and we need all the books to do the inventory.

Thanks,

Sheila, Sharon and Judy

**Nickel Squares**

We continue to accept nickel squares this month, and please remember nickel squares over the summer! Hope you have fabric scraps to spare for our popular 5 inch squares. Please save your selvage strips and your contribute them with squares. We will use them to tie the bundles. Nothing goes to waste!

Suggestions for fabrics: Background fabric in beiges, yellows and light blues; character fabric, 30's, civil war reproductions, batiks, florals, oriental, flannel, modern. Try to make the fabric squares of current material.

Barbara Weiss, Suzanne Knight, and Linda Merwin - and anyone else who wants to sort and package. Please get in touch if you want to volunteer.



Kathleen McIsaac reports that the folks at Rosie's Place were thrilled with the journals and other donations this past month. She and Lola plan to make the next trip after September's meeting. Please save your items at home until then.

Again, thank you all.

Lola Chaisson and Kathleen McIsaac

## Comfort Quilts Nancy Maldari

***From September 2015 to June 2016 we donated 142 quilts!***

Recipients included Bethke Cancer Center, Project Linus and friends and families.

Over the summer I am available to call for quilts.

If you are sewing in an air conditioned room and want to make a comfort quilt think about one for a veteran in Bedford. We did not donate any to the VA this year.

In any case have a healthful, restorative summer.



### UPCOMING QUILT SHOWS

Quilt Show	Location	Dates/Times	Admission	For more Information
Quiet Valley Quilters' Guild "Bennington Quiltfest 2016"	Mount Anthony Union Middle School 747 East Road Bennington, VT	Sept. 17 - 18, 2016 Sat. 9 am - 5 pm Sun. 9 am - 4 pm	\$7	<a href="http://www.benningtonquiltfest.com">www.benningtonquiltfest.com</a>

*Please consider chairing our Quilt Show 2017.*

**HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!**