TOWPATH QUILT GUILD MONTHLY MINDER OCTOBER 8, 2019

WELCOME ALL MEMBERS, NEW MEMBERS AND GUESTS

Today we are pleased to welcome guests from Plank Road Quilt Guild. Our featured speaker is Heather Kojan who will describe her quilting journey "From Traditional to Modern". This afternoon she will lead a workshop showcasing the Metro Twist pattern using a quick curve ruler. On Thursday, October 10th, she will be leading a workshop at Plank Road: Modern Strings. Towpath members have been invited.

Treasurer's report – Bonnie Haaland

		10/1/2019 balance	\$16,254.75
Expenses	\$110.00	Total year expenses	<u>\$110.00</u>
Deposits	\$1,249.00	Total year deposits	\$1,249.00
Month of September, 2019		Sept. 1, 2019 starting bal.	\$15, 115.75

Holiday Luncheon - Donita Whelan, Committee Chair

The Holiday luncheon Committee is still collecting glass jars (to be used at the party/luncheon). Please bring washed 25 ounce GLASS pasta sauce jars to the meeting. Similar sized, round jars will also work (such as mayonnaise jars). lars must be GLASS.

SIGN UP SHEETS for the Dish-to -Pass HOLIDAY LUNCHEON will be on the back table. Please sign up to bring something to share.

The Holiday Luncheon Committee will meet briefly after the business meeting today. All committee members are asked to attend.

QCNY Passport update - Cathy Lee

Please bring the back page of your passport with the stamps from quilt shows you attended to the October and November meetings. Cathy Lee will collect them and will take them to the December Consortium meeting where they will be included in a prize drawing. Thank you and good luck!

November Newsletter Deadline - Noel Keith

The due date for all material for the November newsletter is <u>October 23, 2019</u>. Please note that Noel has a new email address (noelkeith@icloud.com). Her old address is no longer accessible. As always, you can call Noel with questions or if you need help with your article.

And don't forget your free want ad-- a great way to clear a space in your sewing room! We probably all have some stuff to pass on to others!!

SUPER HERO CAPES FOR THE CYSTIC FIBROSIS CENTER - NANCY SELLERS

Nancy will have kits available in the kitchen from 9:30-10:00 am (before the meeting) and during break. Please pick up a kit if you would like to help. Kits contain fabric, pattern, instructions, fusible web and Velcro. You will need thread, a sewing machine, scissors and an iron.

Samples of capes will be on hand for inspiration.

Finished capes will be due back by the March meeting.

JANUARY SERVICE PROJECT - MARYLOUISE MATTSON AND CINDY GRIFFIN, CHAIRS

We will be making quilts and blankets for the YMCA Men's Shelter in Syracuse. The service project work day is scheduled for January 14, 2020 at the United Methodist Church in Fayetteville.

NOVEMBER MEETING AND PROGRAM

The November meeting is scheduled for November 12, 2019 9:30-12:00. We will be joined by **The Quilt Lady, Cathleen Koons Wiggs**. The Quilt Lady travels in costume to share her unique, historically accurate tales as fictional characters tell the story of each quilt in her trunk!

FAT QUARTER EXCHANGE – FRAN O'DONNELL

The theme for November fat quarter exchange is shades of gray.