



# Winter ~ Spring 2017

Dear Friends,

This just may be my favorite evening of the whole year. We just finished inventory. Yes, we counted every last thing in a single day! Every spool of thread, pack of needles, yard of fabric,... - can you guess what that means? I get to work on any project I want for the next several days! I'm sitting at my table surrounded by tempting new patterns, graph paper and pencils and several awesome quilts that only need binding to be complete. Should I work on the piece that is needed first, or just the one that will be the most fun?

Or maybe it should be the one I will learn the most from - what a wonderful dilemma to have! I hope your table is heaped with just as many goodies as mine!

Wishing you many happy moments (and lots of stitching!) today and in the new year!

Mary Beth

## Quilters Corner Quilting and Needlework Day at Trax

Saturday ~ March 11th ~ 10:30am-4:00pm

We are busy researching new topics and making wonderful samples for our 2017 Quilting and Needlework Seminar. The day will feature 28 different sessions (sorry, you have to select seven from the list, which will be available after February 11th), yummy box lunch, quilt display, goodie bags and door prizes. So much to see and do - you don't want to miss it!

Fee: \$39.95 (please register as soon as possible to avoid disappointment - the space holds only so many guests and sells out fast!)

### Dates to Remember

January 21	Fat Quarter Fling
January 21	QC 2017 Applique Saturday Sampler begins
January 28	QC 2017 Saturday Sampler Pieced begins
February 5	Game Day Super Sale
February 19	2016 Block-of-the-Month Show and Tell
March 11	QC Quilting and Needlework Seminar at Trax
March 16	WPA Shop Hop Passport Premiere Day
March 24-26	Pittsburgh Knit & Creative Arts Festival
April 27-29	Three Rivers Quilters Show
May 5-6	QC Anniversary Celebration
May 26-27	QC Mini Marathon
May 29	closed - Memorial Day
June 4	4-4-U Day
June 13-17	Western PA Shop Hop

## Fat Quarter Fling

Saturday ~ January 21st  
10:00am-5:00pm

The fat quarters will be flying mid January here at Quilters Corner - figuratively and literally! Why?! Because this party creates quite the stir! All pre-cut fat quarters in the shop (yes, even those in our gorgeous fat quarter stacks) will be \$1.29 each! At this incredible price they fly - well, actually it seems like they evaporate! We also enjoy literally tossing a little fabric. You get to take aim and toss away - make a "basket" and keep both the piece you threw and another, miss and keep the one you tossed. Everyone wins on this fun day - smiles and new projects abound - we would love to have you join the festivities!

## Western PA Shop Hop Passport Premiere Party

Thursday ~ March 16th ~ 10:00am-9:00pm

We are terribly excited to be part of the Western PA Shop Hop scheduled for June 13th to 17th this year. A new theme (Fun and Games), a new progressive quilt, new technique demonstrations, new shop treats and door prizes will fill every minute of the Hop. The best way to begin your hop travel plans - with a visit the first day passports are available! You will get a peek at what will happen in June and a little gift for stopping in. This year, the gift is a coupon good for \$5.00 off admission to the Pittsburgh Knitting and Creative Arts Festival held March 24th - 26th at the convention center. The passport will even have a spot to note your Creative Festival visit in order to be entered in an additional drawing at the end of the June hop. The organizers of the festival have been working to expand the crafts they showcase and quilting is becoming a huge focus for them - it will be fun to see all they have planned (Did you know that everyone who attends the Pittsburgh Knitting and Creative Arts Festival gets a little gift? Sounds like fun to me!). We hope to see you in the shop on the 16th of March, and downtown the following week!

