



Yuba Sutter

Valley Quilt Guild

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February 2015

Cooky crumbs . . .

I would really like to thank the 14 people who showed up at 9:00a.m. last Saturday to help do the lay-out for the Quilt Show. We all worked very well together and got a great show laid out in record time. Thank you for all of your hard

work. Thank you also, to all of the members who enter their quilts in the show. It is what makes our shows so wonderful every year.

I am in need of a volunteer or two to be on the nomi-

nating committee. They will be appointed at the March Board meeting. If you want to have a guild, we need help to choose officers for next year. Please let me know if you are interested.

At the next General Meeting February 25, Please don't forget to sign up to help at the Quilt Show and come early so you can vote on the challenge quilts.

Cooky

Challenge Quilt Voting

Come vote for your favorite challenge quilt at the meeting on February 25th between 6 and 7. Get there early so you peruse all the entries and pick your very

favorite. The voting will end and quilts taken down when the meeting starts.

If you are bringing your challenge quilt to be voted on, we need it there by 6

o'clock. If you can't make it by 6, you can get it to Dorothy or Delaina before then. Don't forget to pick up your entry before you leave that night.

Thanks to all for your participation.

Dorothy Lindsay and Delaina Watson



An Invitation to Guild Members

What: Quilt Show Judging

When: March 19, 2015
10:00 A. M.



Where: Yuba Sutter Fair Grounds
442 Franklin Rd.
Yuba City, CA

(Guild Members Only, Please!)

**February
Meeting**

February 25

Doors Open at
6:00pm

Meeting begins at

Programs and Speakers

In January there was a Newcomers Dinner at the Courthouse Café. We only had a few new members attend. They learned a lot by asking questions and just getting to know the board members and committee members. Thanks to all of you that attended.

The January meeting was Everything Quilt Show with bonus demos. We filled out and turned in all paperwork for the show. The demos were given by Jody Ohrt who showed us her red work, Diane Steele who showed us how to use our selvage and Shirley Mills presented making Chenille. We can't thank you enough for showing us your talents. **A HUGE THANK YOU** to each of you, a great job doing demos and for saying yes when we called. If anyone is interested in doing demos at meetings just let Claire and Cheryl know, we would like to have a list for future meetings.

Cara Gulati will be here in February with a lecture and workshop. The workshop will be Scroll-a-Luscious. To look at her beautiful work go to www.doodlepress.com. I now have two spots open for her class. Just give me a call (Cheryl) if you would like to take this class. (see picture below) Class will be at the Sew So Shop starting at 9:00 am Thursday the 26th.

March General Meeting will be Not Your Grandma's Quilt Show wrap up meeting.

April General Meeting will be with Rob Appell. He will do a Trunk Show for us. We will be having a class the next day on Thursday the 30th at the Sew So Shop. The class is a fusible seascape. We have heard from Rob that he no longer has kits and suggested we go fishing for the fabric.



I found a great website it is www.beautifulquiltfabric.com. Use the search and type in fish, ocean, whales, and sand. You can also check out his web site www.robappell.com. He still has



books available, Making Waves...the Adventures of a Surf Quilter. Did you see his new you tube video with Missouri Star Quilt Co.? He is now the MAN SEWING.

The Sew So Shop has the fabric requirements for our workshops. The information is in a binder at the front desk. So when you are in the Shop to purchase fabric for a particular workshop project, Jim, Nicky or Veronica will be able to assist you. (They have February and April class list now)

However they don't have fish fabric at this time. They do have the other supplies.

As always, please contact Claire regarding any speakers you might wish to have visit us and please contact Cheryl regarding workshop information.

Claire Poole
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671-2165

Cheryl Gaines
rcgaines@syix.com
671-7562

Helpful Hints from Alyce

✓ If using glue sticks for applique, store them in the fridge or freezer, and they will last longer.

✓ Instead of Prairie Points try using Half Circles. Place two circles of fabric right sides together and stitch a 1/4" seam all the way around.

Fold in half. At fold line cut the circle in half and turn each section right sides out. Press. Place raw edges in seam and stitch the same as for Prairie Points.

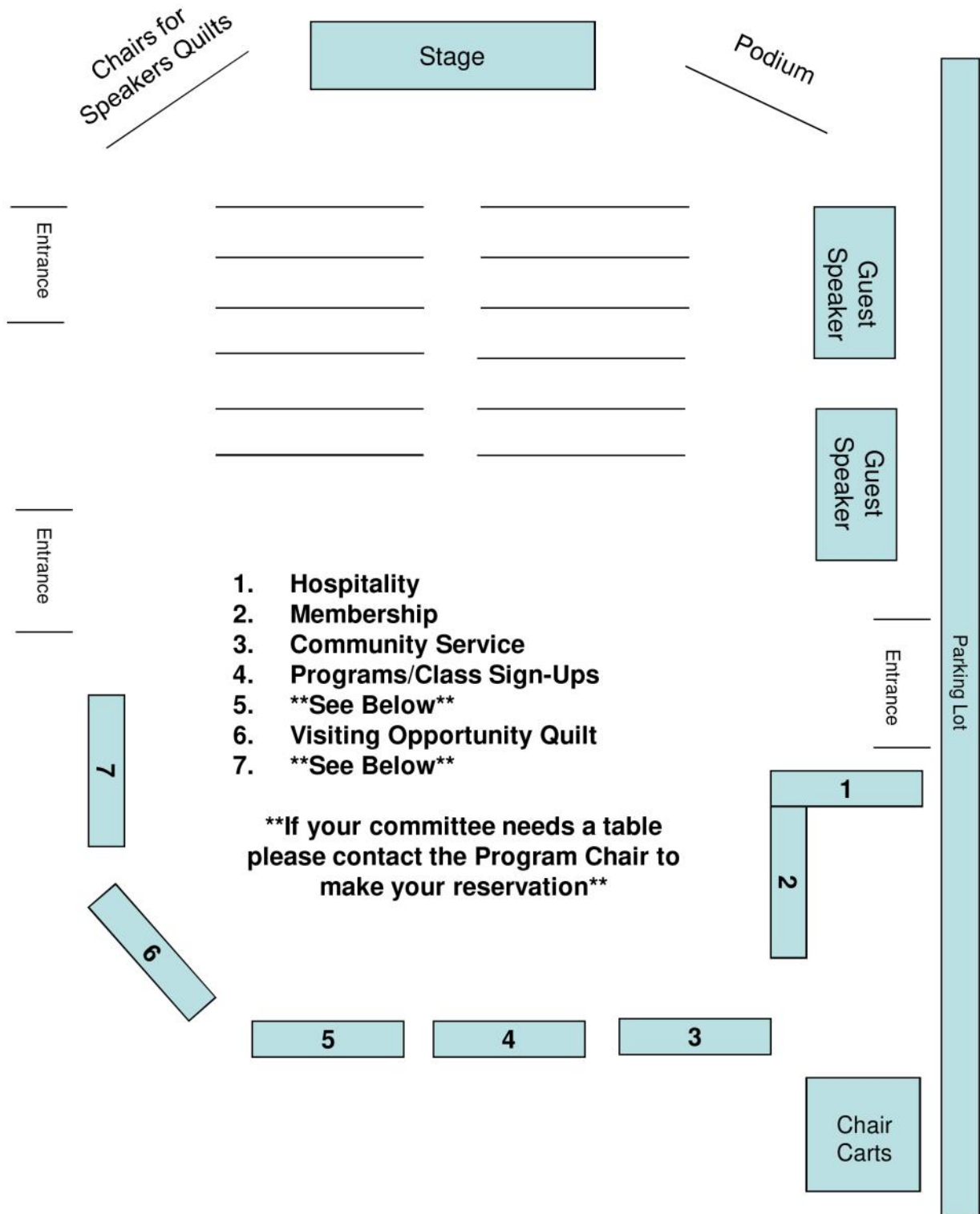
✓ The formula for adding borders to a quilt is that the

pieced border should not be more than one half the size of the block. Example: a 12" block can have up to 6" of a single fabric border.

✓ To change up your border, try using a striped or polka dot fabric.

Meeting Room Layout

Here is the layout for our monthly general meeting room at Cal-Trans. To facilitate continuity, this is how the room will be set up and utilized at every meeting.



Board Meeting Minutes

VALLEY QUILT GUILD BOARD MEETING

February 11, 2015

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Cooky Amarel, Claire Poole, Cheryl Gaines, Wendy Cockrell, Linda Matsumoto, Margaret Brazelton, Delaina Watson, Carleen Hagen, Nancy Wilson, Sharon Easter, Kim Buzolich, Diana Tatro, Jody Ohrt, Joann Thomas, and Ginger Benham.

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 3.37 pm by President Cooky Amarel.

SECRETARY:

A motion was made and seconded (Cockrell/Gaines) and unanimously voted to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the January 14, 2015 Board Meeting. A motion was made and seconded (Watson/Tatro) and unanimously voted to approve the minutes as written. A thank you note was received from the Airman and Family Readiness Center at Beale AFB, thanking us for the toy donations from our Christmas party. The toys benefited 49 children from 24 families at their Holiday Party.

TREASURER:

The checking accounting has a balance of \$7,263.99 and the savings account has a balance of \$16,061.59.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Cooky presented a timeline list of crucial dates for Quilt Guild Business. She is asking for further input from Board and Committee Chairpersons for their respective jobs to add to this list.

Jody is still working on obtaining the 310 pins.

Wendy is still pursuing the purchase of the microphone for the Guild.

A motion was made and seconded (N.Wilson/Matsumoto) and unanimously approved to purchase Past Presidents pins and to fund them from "Special Projects" in the budget. A new line item will be created under Guild Pins, but funded from the Special Projects budget allocation. Wendy will be obtaining these pins.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Yuba Sutter Fair's theme this year is "Where Fun Grows".

The monthly Board meetings will move to another suite within the complex for next month's meeting. It will be located on the west side of Kenzo's Sushi restaurant and will be available at no cost to the Guild.

A discussion was held on the Guild's website and whether the number of "hits" and use of the site warrants the cost to maintain the site. Ginger will investigate the number of monthly hits. The most expensive cost of establishing the site has been paid and the monthly update cost is nominal for the site.

Delaina presented several changes to the annual membership form.

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Minutes continued. . .

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

The Quilt Show Challenge Quilts will be displayed and voted on at the February General Meeting. A reminder will go out to the participants to have them brought to the meeting by 6:00 pm and balloting will only last until 6:55, right before the meeting begins. Because we have a speaker this month and we don't take a break during the meeting, ballots will need to be completed BEFORE the meeting begins. Get there early to get your votes in!!! There are two spots left in this month's workshop by Cara Gulati. There is also still room in the workshop by Rob Appell for later this year.

A layout for each month's general meeting has been prepared. This will help with locating tables (i.e. membership, Community Service, etc.) each month as the table should be in the same spot each time.

QUILT SHOW:

Wendy reported that the vendor spaces have been filled. The layout is done and we have 202 entries. It was discussed that our annual tribute to deceased members at the quilt shows will be for members that have passed away in the prior calendar year. Anyone that passes after December 31 of the prior year will be honored at the quilt show the following year.

General Meeting: Wednesday, February, 25, 2015 at 7:00 pm

Board Meeting: Wednesday, March 11, 2015 at 3:30 pm

The meeting was adjourned at 4:58 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Matsumoto



310 Club

Congratulations to Shirley Miller. She has created two more quilts for the 310 Club. Shirley's "Grandmothers Fan" quilt measured a total of 332.5 inches and her "Red, White & Black" quilt measured 311 inches. The 310 Club includes the following members:

310 Club Members prior to 2001

Donaner Pemenel
Charlotte Graham – 5
Maria Anderson
Heather Chambers – 2
Merlyn Rudge
Sue Gossett
Beryl Burtis
Millie Berryhill – 3

Nancy Trammel – 2
Mary McCune – 2
Jerrie Lachman
Pat May
Cheryl Abinante – 2
Melanie Harmon
Diane Reimers
Shirley Murray
Cecilia Finley
Connie Sanford – 4
Clara Midwood - 2
Kate Mackensen
Cynda Cox
Delores Daundivier Olson
Vera Smith
Pam Davies

*Name spelling was copied from list in notebook. Sorry if there are misspellings.

310 Club Members 2001 to Present

2001
Millie Berryhill
2003
Susan Gossett
Marc Milani
Diane Steele
Jody Ohrt
Nicki Lura
2004
Pattie Heape
Theresa Mihalyi
2008
Jan Perry
2009
Jan Selter
Pat Jensen
Monique Figlietti
Heather Chambers
2010
Kathy Mackey

Cathy Evans
2011
Nicky Davis – 2
Cathy Evans – 3
Mary Ann Hayre
Diane Deaver
2012
Cathy Evans
2013
Shirley Miller – 2
Joanne Thomas
2014
No records
2015
Shirley Miller - 2

Jody Ohrt, Chairperson

Community Service

THANK YOU! A new record was set by the guild this month. We gave 91 quilts to Foster Care, 9 quilts to Camp Singer, 8 quilts to Juvenile hall and 1 quilt to a terminally ill lady for a total of 109 quilts. We also gave 50 walker/wheelchair bags to Shriner's Hospital.

WAY TO STEP UP TO THE BAT LADIES! I AM SO PROUD OF ALL

OF YOU!

Margaret Brazelton – 1 quilt top; binding on 1 quilt
 Beryl Burtis – 2 quilts
 Sharon Easter – 8 quilt tops
 Liz Haag – 1 quilt top
 Gladys Harris – Binding on 3 quilts
 Kathie Hodge – 1 quilt top
 Camille Jauregui – 1 complete quilt
 Alyce Kauffman – Fabric

Sharon Koslosky – 1 quilt
 Diane Leighton – 1 quilt top
 Marilyn Likes – 1 quilt
 Nicki Lura – 1 quilt
 Willie Miller – 2 quilt tops
 Thea Norum – 1 quilt
 Brenda Reeves – 2 quilts
 Melanee Vierra – 3 tops
 Delaina Watson – 1 quilt
 Leann Weldon – 2 quilt tops

I have lots of fabric (now sorted by color) or batting if you need any for com-

munity service quilts! Please call me at 530-701-5410 and let me know what you need.

Thank you for all your help and looking forward to seeing how many quilts we can finish for Community Service in the next six months (end of fiscal year) because you are all awesome with what you accomplish!

Dee Jagerhorn

Fons & Porter ~ New Offer!

The offer is a one-year subscription to *Love of Quilting* with FIVE FREE BONUS GIFTS: *Fons & Porter's Scrap Quilts* booklet, *Fons and Porter's 10 Gift Ideas*

booklet, and THREE FREE spools of Sulky thread.

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new or a renewal subscription. Just send your check to me at 769 Rice Way in Yuba City,

Don't miss a single issue:

send your check. The expiration date for this special offer is March 15, 2015.

Sharon Easter

Quilt Show Entry Reminder

It's getting closer to Quilt Show time, Quilt Show Layout has been done, and we have 200 Entries for the Show this year!

Please be sure to stop by the Entry's Table at the February General Meeting and pick up your Receipt/Entry Number Card, with your Quilt Label (s). The label with your name and entry number must be sewn to the back of your quilt in the lower right hand corner. Please put your card in your wallet, you will need this card to claim your entry's after the show on Sunday.

Important things and Dates to

Remember:

Delivery of Judged Quilts –

Judged quilts only must be delivered to the Yuba Sutter Fairgrounds on Thursday, March 19th between the hours of 8:30 and 9:30 a.m.

Delivery – Your Quilts - must be delivered to the Yuba Sutter Fairground on Friday, March 20th between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and are to arrive no later than 10:00 a.m.

Pickup – Quilts must be picked up on Sunday, March 22nd, 2015 after the show from 5-5:30 p.m. **Don't forget to bring your Card/ Receipt to claim your Quilt**

Entry.

If your quilt is over 36" inches wide, please remember to sew on a sleeve for hanging on. (Refer to Rules of Entry). Please remember to fold your quilt so the label is facing up for faster check in.

Looking forward to another wonderful Quilt Show ... "Not Your Grandma's Quilt", March 21st & 22nd 2015.

Pat May - 674-2930
 Cooky Amarel – 673-6653
 Jody Ohrt (Judged Quilts)
 743-0329

Northern California Quilt Council

The topic for the January meeting was “Helping Others – Quilts that work in synergy”. Five women spoke about various ways that the guilds and their members can contribute to community services. Among the ways were contributing to the Cancer Auction. Many of us already do

that and help the Cancer Center raise a lot of money for research. Another spoke about “Foster a Dream”. This was all about making a pillow case and filling it with a stuffed animal and a blanket, all going to foster children. Another project had “The Art in the Red-

woods Quilt” which raises funds for Art education in the schools.

The Children’s Quilt Project is 35 years old and just last year they donated 1,300 quilts to children in Northern California. And the last woman spoke about teaching sewing arts to the women at

Woman’s Federal Prison in Dublin. As you can see, there are many ways to do your share in contributing to community service. We can all do something...it doesn’t have to be anything big. Just DO SOMETHING!

Sharon Easter, Rep.

Upcoming Quilt Shows

2015

Mar 21 & 22 Valley Quilt Guild
Yuba Sutter Fairgrounds
Yuba City, CA
Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4

Mar 21 & 22 North Wind Quilters
Fairfield Senior Center
1200 Civic Drive
Fairfield, CA
Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4

Apr 25 & 26 Sun Country Quilters
Tehama Co Fairgrounds
Red Bluff, CA
Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4

Nov 7 & 8 Annie’s Star Quilt Guild
Silver Dollar Fairgrounds
Chico, CA
Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4

Quilt Guilds of the North Quarter

Wow! We had the largest gathering ever for a North Quarter meeting: 81 people in attendance. Redding did a great job and had a really good turnout. Our speaker for the day was Cris Rohn Hartman and the subject was “Tips to Create a Travelling Quilt Challenge”. Not only did she have a multi-page handout of those tips, she presented a slide show of the two challenges she and Patti Aberg coordinated in the last few years. One

was the “River of Quilts” creating a continuous view of the Sacramento River for about 50 miles, all created in 20X24” quilts. The latest challenge featured the 150th anniversary of the California State Parks. Fifty-seven quilts were created in 20X30” quilts. They will be on a traveling display for about two years. If you haven’t seen them, they will be on display at the Mt. Shasta-Sisson Museum from May

28 until July 26, 2015.

Our next meeting will be April 19 at the Ord Community Center. This will be similar to the NCQC meeting for “Meet the Teachers”. We would like to have local North State people tell us what they are good at: lectures, workshops, trunk shows, or whatever they think guilds and shops would be interested in showing their members/customers.

If you are interested in being a presenter, contact me for an application form.

Sharon Easter, Rep.



Bernina For Sale

Hi I have a Bernina quilt motion for sale & was wondering if any of your members may be interested in it? I paid over \$5000 for it & will sell it for \$2500, It takes the Bernina 820 or 830 to run it.

I live in Browns Valley. My name is Sarah Zorne, it is still all together, so you can try it out! If interested please call me at 530-749-0200 anytime, it is like new and used very little.

Thank You, Sarah




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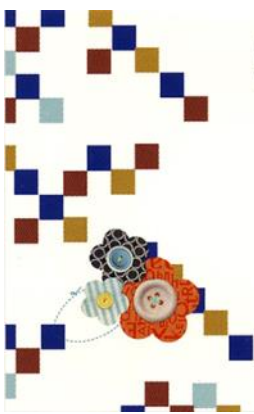
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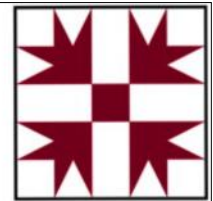
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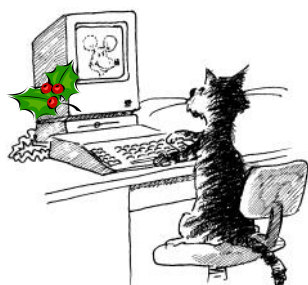
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Classroom, instructions, mini retreats



Officers and Chairpersons for 2014-2015

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2 nd Vice-President		
	Cheryl Gaines	671-7562
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<u>Chairpersons</u>		
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Challenge 2015	Dorothy Lindsay	846-0421
Christmas Party	Wanda Horn	743-6805
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310 Club	Jody Ohrt	743-0329
Webmaster	Ginger Benham	674-5943



VQG Info

Purpose:

To contribute to the knowledge of quilting, to promote the appreciation of fine quilts, to encourage quilt making and collecting and to contribute to the growth and knowledge of quilt techniques, textiles, patterns, history and quilt makers through educational meetings and fellowship.

Meetings:

Meetings are held the last Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Cal-Trans Building at 703 B St. in Marysville. Doors open at 6:15 p.m. Copy ready submissions to the newsletter are **due the by the 7th day of the month by 5:00 p.m. to the**

Newsletter person. Please direct any questions or comments to the Yuba-Sutter Valley Quilt Guild, P. O. Box 1463, Yuba City, CA 95992. Web site: www.valleyquiltguild.com

Membership:

Membership is open to anyone interested in quilts and quilting regardless of skill level. You are urged to join and learn with us. Dues are \$20.00 payable annually. Membership is from July 1 through June 30. Membership entitles you to a newsletter, to an annual membership roster (which is confidential), and to the use of the library of quilt books, patterns and stencils. Affiliate membership fee is \$24.00 with a business listing each month. Affiliate members receive 10% discount for paying a year of ads paid in advance.

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