



Notes from Jukebox

July 10, 2009

Happy July!

Finally, we're getting around to sending out a newsletter. There is a lot going on, so here's a quick update:

Jukebox

Cindy Cooksey has a great new pattern called Heart Strings available. You'll enjoy every moment of working on this whimsical quilt. We have actually made one that you can win! See the information about the Rocky Mountain Quilt Festival. This quilt is being raffled (\$1 per ticket, 6 for \$5) on August 23rd.

Another new fun pattern is available titled "Bad Boyz." I designed this after being entertained by the pelicans that visit the lake near our home. They remind me of my teenage son and his friends. Hope it brings you a smile.



Heart Strings by Cindy Cooksey
Pattern \$8.95



Bad Boyz by Kelly Gallagher-Abbott
Pattern \$8.95

Hoffman Challenge

The Hoffman Challenge entries are starting to pour in! We have a great team assembled to process the entries, and winners will be announced the first week of August on www.hoffmanchallenge.com. If you are preparing an entry to send to us, please review the information under the Current Challenge tab. There are new doll and group category rules, and important information in the frequently asked questions section.

For the second year, we are working hard on the Rocky Mountain Quilt Festival show! If you are entering Hoffman, enjoy looking at quilts or shopping at vendors, or just interested in visiting beautiful Northern Colorado, you've got to see this show! Every single traveling Hoffman entry is displayed – it is a wonderful treat to see the nearly 350 items all at once, including all 40 award winners. This is the only venue where we display them all together. The day after the show, they all hit the road in one of twelve different trunks. In addition, hundreds of other items will be displayed from Colorado fiber artists. Attendees raved about this show last year! We'd love to have you come, and are including a special admission coupon for you in this newsletter! We have

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fabulous teachers and there are still a few class openings, but sign up quickly! In addition to David Taylor and Patty Hawkins, we're thrilled to have past Hoffman winners Doris Moore (dolls) and Donna Brown (clothing) teaching. This is a great place to learn their secrets!

Patt Blair will also be visiting Colorado during this show. Make sure to stop by the Jukebox booth and say hello. She'll be happy to answer your ink questions, and has new CDs available with fun projects to work on if you've enjoyed her wonderful DVD "Painted Art Quilts."

On a personal note, life is always a wild ride! I continue to enjoy digitizing quilt designs and doing custom long arm quilting for customers, juggling Jukebox and Hoffman. Since the beginning of the year, I am also a full time student. I am working on my Masters of Science in Nursing, so I'm back to writing weekly papers on nursing topics and slogging through medical textbooks. I'm having fun (most of the time) and look forward to teaching nursing students at some point. There is a horrible shortage of nursing instructors, and since I love both the nursing profession and teaching, this seems like a good plan! As for the family, our oldest, Karlee, just finished her first year of college, and is hoping to start nursing school soon. Kyle is entering his senior year of high school, and the youngest, Ryan, is off to middle school! Time flies!

Hope to see you all at the show!

Kelly Gallagher-Abbot



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Fast and Furriest quilt by Kelly

Upcoming Lectures and Classes with Kelly:

Trunk Show, Victorian Sampler class and
Terrific Techniques class

October 1-4, 2009

Black Hills Quilters Guild Retreat

<http://www.blackhillquilters.com/retreat.html>

Terrific Techniques Lecture
Pieceable Friends Quilt Guild
October 20th, 2009
Greeley CO

Email kelly@jukeboxquilts.com for details

For more show
information, visit:

Rocky Mountain Quilt Foundation
www.rockymountainquiltfoundation.org

and

www.rockymountainquiltfestival.com

Show sponsored by CD Management

Rocky Mountain Quilt Festival

Saturday, August 22nd 2009
10:00a.m.-5p.m.

Sunday, August 23rd 2009
10a.m.-4p.m.

Classes continue August 24th and 25th



At The Ranch
Near I-25 and Crossroads
Loveland, Colorado

One day admission \$7, two day \$12

Under 16 \$2

See page 5 for a \$2 off coupon!

Featured artist:

Patty Hawkins

www.pattyhawkins.com



The Light of Day (2005) Patty Hawkins
Quilt Japan Prize 2007

Cash prizes for viewer's choice!

We welcome your entries.

See the websites for more information.

\$500 for 1st Place

\$300 for 2nd Place

\$200 for 3rd Place

Additional ribbons will also be awarded.

www.rockymountainquiltfestival.com

Show sponsored by CD Management

Enjoy over 500 quilts, dolls,
and garments!

Shop at over 75 vendors!

Sign up for great classes!

Please feel free to forward this
to others.



This is the only event
where the entire 2009

Hoffman/Sulky Challenge

Traveling Collection

will be on display!

Please visit www.hoffmanchallenge.com
for more information or for entry details.

See the class listings
on the next pages!

Rocky Mountain Quilt Foundation

www.rockymountainquiltfoundation.org

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Workshops

Patty Hawkins

Take a Concept! Collage It!

2 full days Monday, August 24th and Tuesday, August 25th, 2009
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM.

Description:

Collage offers a ROAD MAP to CREATE and TEST design ideas in small CLOTH and PAPER projects while exploring colors, values, shapes and visual textures. We will play, stepping away from our individual comfort zone of working in fabric; THROW ANGST out the window! Collage is trial-and-error composing, with no expectations, for fun and exploration. Small exploratory studies will lead us to fabric quilts. **\$125**

For more about Patty, see www.pattyhawkins.com



Getting Used to Dying Trees 2006
Patty Hawkins

Donna Brown

A Sampling of Sewing Related Embellishment Techniques

2 full days Monday, August 24th and Tuesday, August 25th, 2009 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM.

Description:

Hands-on workshop, participants will have the opportunity to learn a variety of sewing-related embellishment techniques that can be used to individualize clothing, home furnishings and/or quilts. Techniques taught will include such things as decorative seam inserts, cutwork, ribbon techniques, faced shapes and windows, fringing techniques and using fabric and trim scraps. This class requires at least basic sewing skills. **\$125**



Garden High Tea
(2008)
by Donna Brown
Model Melissa Ratzlaff

David Taylor

Pictorial Appliqué

2 full days Saturday, August 22nd and Sunday, August 23rd, 2009
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM.

Description:

David will demonstrate how to adapt a photograph or drawing into a quilted wall hanging, using hand and machine piecing, appliqué and quilting techniques. Students should not expect to have a finished piece at the end of the class. Detailed art quilts can take months to produce. Students are encouraged to bring multiple designs to choose from to discuss their choices during class. **\$125**

Photoshop for Quilters

4 hours 9:00 AM. to 1:00 PM. Monday, August 24, 2009
This is an introductory class for Adobe Photoshop. Learn how to properly open, save and resize your photos; edit and crop images; adjust and enhance color; and compose new images through layering and merging. This is a demonstration class, although students may bring laptops if they wish to follow along for better understanding. David Taylor has been a professional graphic artist for more than 25 years and now uses these skills to produce his art quilts. **\$40**
For more about David, see www.davidtaylorquilts.com



Sally at the Window
(2006) and Little S'Tinker
(2009) by David Taylor



Doris Moore

Doll Making: From Start to Finish

2 full days Monday, August 24th and Tuesday, August 25th, 2009 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM.

Description:

Learn to create a basic flat-chested seated doll. Head, facial, arm, hand, and leg construction will be covered. Techniques for attaching arms, legs, and head to the torso, armatures, clothing, and embellishments will be taught. Doris will also review altering patterns to change the position of a doll. **\$125**

He Loves Me...He Loves Me Not...
(2007) and "Oops!" Mrs. Peacock
was overheard saying as she left the
ballroom holding a smoking revolver
(2008)



Kelly Gallagher-Abbott

Curator's Tour of the Hoffman/ Sulky Challenge

Sunday, August 23rd at 9AM
Join Kelly for an hour long discussion about the Hoffman/Sulky Challenge. She will share the history and process, and will provide interesting stories in a walk around tour about the traveling entries. See www.hoffmanchallenge.com for more information. **\$10**



The Winner's Circle
By Nancy Dickey
First Place Applique, 2008

Quilt Appraisals available by

Jeananne Wright

Call 303-772-7684 or visit the foundation website for appraisal request form.

There is still time to enter our general display, or the Hoffman/Sulky Challenge!

Workshop space is limited.

Sign up now!

www.rockymountainquiltfoundation.org

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More classes available from
www.rockymountainquiltfestival.com:

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elinor will be teaching two one day workshops August 22nd and 23rd. For more information, see www.rockymountainquiltfestival.com



Other classes by designers:

Barbara Crawford

www.crawforddesigns.net

Susan Schrempf

www.victorianventure.com

Irena Bluhm

www.irenabluhmscreations.com

Paula Doll

is www.quiltingdoll.com

Sue Ann Iman

Jamie Grant

www.ingoodcohanddyes.com

Helen Gibb

www.helengibb.com

Sherrill Lewis

www.sherrillmlewis.com

and more! Please see
www.rockymountainquiltfestival.com
for more information.

crafterTV.com

The Warm Company

[Sew On TV.com](http://SewOnTV.com)

QuiltersTV

Bring this coupon for \$2.00
off the admission price!



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Nine guilds are
participating in this event and
will be showcasing their
members' work!

The following organizations are participating:

Columbine Quilt Guild

www.columbinequiltguild.org

Arapahoe County Quilters

www.acqcolorado.org

League of Northern Colorado Quilters

www.lncq.org

Longmont Quilt Guild

www.longmontquiltguild.org

Colorado Quilt Council

www.coloradoquiltcouncil.org

Piecing Partners Quilt Guild

www.piecingpartnersquiltguild.com

Front Range Contemporary Quilters

www.artquilter.org

Pievable Friends Quilt Guild - Greeley

Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum

www.rmqm.org

You could win this
"Heart Strings" Quilt!

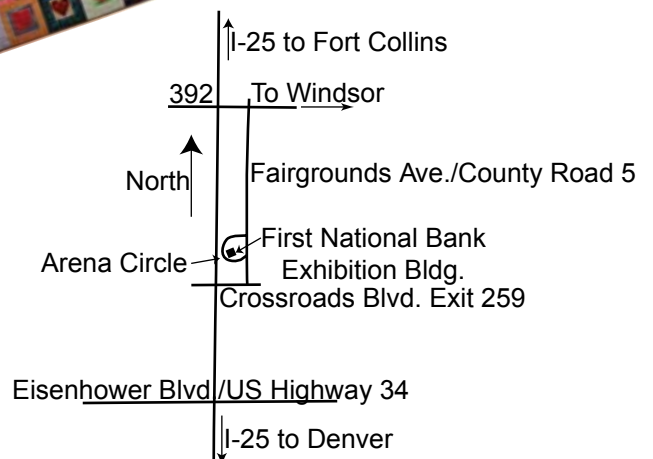
Drawing held on

Sunday, August 23rd at 3p.m.

Designed by Cindy Cooksey

Proceeds benefit ChildSafe of Ft. Collins,
CO

For tickets, email kelly@jukeboxquilts.com



First National Bank Building at The Ranch

City of Fort Collins
Fort Fund

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