

Quilters Unlimited Quarterly

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New President's Letter—Joanne Fitzgerald

COMING EVENTS:

- July 31-Aug 1—Hersey Quilt Odyssey, Hersey, PA
- October 4, 5, and 6—Sewing and Quilt Expo, Dulles Expo Center
- October 12—14, Gail Garber Workshops and Lecture
- November 1-4, International Quilt Festival, Houston, TX
- April 24-27, 2013—AQS Quilt Show, Paducah, KY
- May 31, June 1 and 2, 2013—40th Annual QU Quilt Show

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Let me introduce myself. I am Joanne Fitzgerald and you have trusted me with being the QU President for this upcoming year. I am honored and just a wee bit intimidated by it all. Even more important though, I am excited!

What a great year we have ahead of us – we are turning 40. If you start adding up all of the years of quilting experience we have – oh my goodness – it is staggering. I am a relatively new quilter compared to some of you – I have only been quilting for about 8 years, but I have learned so much from every friend I meet in the guild and love that we work every day to share all that knowledge and experience with each other and with new quilters.

We kicked off a couple of new things this past year, one of which was the Events Calendar that is

posted on our website and the other was our website survey. The comments we received from the survey are very helpful and your new Board will be taking action to follow up on those survey responses. In addition, we will have Guild Challenges this year in anticipation of our 40th Annual Quilt Show. You will see more about that in this newsletter. Much of this year will be devoted to positioning ourselves for success over the next 40 years.

I look forward to being the President of Quilters Unlimited for our 40th year. Please feel free to share your ideas, concerns and suggestions with your Chapter Presidents who will bring them to the Board meetings or directly with me at QUPresident2012@gmail.com.

Enjoy your summer and I look forward to us all being Fabulous at 40.

Letter from Karen Loftus, QU President 2012

I started this letter wondering how to put into words how much this year has meant to me. I was uncertain I'd be able to fill a page, and when I started to thank people, it became voluminous. I apologize for that, but there has been so much done on behalf of this organization, all of you volunteers. The work must be recognized. I also want to tell you it has been a joy and a privilege to be the President of QU this year

Since the last newsletter, we were fortunate to have Laura Wasilowski with us for our Annual Meeting and two days of workshops at the beginning of May. My work schedule kept me away, but I was regaled with many stories of how much fun Laura was, and the beauty of her art quilts and fun fusing techniques. Many thanks go to Diane Herbort, Jocelyn Corderot, Andrea Harles and Kath Haslep of Arlington for contracting with Laura, and for hosting her at the Annual Meeting, and also kudos to Vienna for setting up the details of the Annual Meeting.



I would be remiss not to speak about the great QU Board (pictured left) we had this year. Joanne Fitzgerald has been a great VP; working with me all year to support my efforts, but also to ensure she is ready to take the position next year.

Extremely conscientious and meticulous in everything she does, she is also delightful to work with and get to know. Joanne created a new calendar that allows us to better track all QU events in the 11 chapters, and in hopes that chapters can share speakers and get new speakers to the guild events.

Our Secretary, Peggy Knight, has done a tremendous job of keeping our records up to date, and provides wonderfully detailed minutes of our meetings. Our Newsletter Editor, Robyn Kampf, has been great at getting out our newsletters in a timely manner, and making sure she gets input from all of the chapters. Thank you, Cindy Pedder, for not only managing our membership roster, but bringing to light all of the nuances of membership that need resolution. Eileen Linares was able to line up a great new team for next year, and I very much enjoyed working with Kath Haslep, our President Ex-Officio, this past year. Andrea Harles created the QU Webpage survey that many of you filled out, and Joanne Fitzgerald has already identified a potential webpage designer. We are anxiously

Karen's Letter —cont'd

awaiting the look of our new QU webpage!

A special thanks to Carolyn O'Flaherty, Linda Jamrogowicz, and Virginia Hodge for serving as Presidents of Annandale, Haymarket, and Reston (respectively) for two years! Carolyn and Anne Westerfield deserve kudos for the Education section of the QU Show, and Linda and Virginia worked tirelessly last year on the QU Matrix. Shelia Teague (Vienna) was at every event personally selling tickets for Vienna's beautiful raffle quilt this year! And last but not least, a heartfelt thanks to our webmaster, Len Alfredson, for promptly and efficiently posting things to our QU webpage.

And now onto the highlight of the year, the Quilt Show! Everyone in QU must know Cindy Grimord, our sweet and hard working Quilt Show Chair. Cindy and her team spent the entire year preparing for that show! It starts with identifying and sending contracts to the vendors; ads and program designs and printing; publicity which includes going to various venues and craft shows to drop off the flyers; figuring out the best way to layout the quilts and vendor booths at the actual show; set up and take down including volunteers and young paid labor - the list goes on. A special thanks to all of the team, including Sarah Entsminger (Reston) who did a fabulous job of layout this year - note that the quilts were front and center; there was room to move in between aisles and there were benches for the men folk! Dottie Dane (Fairfax) did a great job in charge of ads and programs; Linda Jamrogowicz (Haymarket) did a fabulous job of filling the volunteer slots (close to 100%) and instituted an online program for volunteering this year. Of course, our Treasurer, Gen Meyer, was "the queen in her counting house, counting out her money." Gen really had this under control, as she did throughout the year. Thanks to Sandra Rees for working with Dottie and all of the QU Show team, in whatever capacity was necessary, to get the job done. Pat Price (Burke) and Sandra had the difficult job of vendors this year, but worked hard and gave us some nice new additions to the show as a result of their efforts.

WELCOME to the new QU Board, the new Quilt Show team and all of the Chapter Presidents. You will have great fun and meet new friends!



Thanks to all of you for my beautiful quilt top! Special thanks to my Fairfax bee, Tangled Threads, for sewing the blocks together, and to Joanne for selecting the pattern. I plan to do an appliquéd flower border before the quilt is done, so I promise to get a picture of it on the webpage when it's done.

Quilt Show 2012 Wrap Up Quilt Show 2013—Here We Go!!

-Cindy Grimord, 2012—2013 Quilt Show Chair

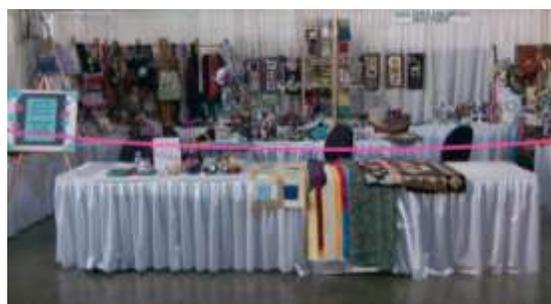
Show 2012 - another successful quilt show by Quilters Unlimited! Three cheers to Show Team 2012 (thank you for great memories!) and the many QU Volunteers who dedicated hours and hours of time and effort before and during the show; you made it happen! To our Quilt Exhibitors, oh, you made it so inspiring and beautiful! To our Corporate Sponsors and Vendors, thank you for participating this year and supplying us with the tools we need for our future creations! To Karen Loftus, our QU President, along with the QU Board, thank you for your generous support and commitment in carrying on this wonderful and important QU tradition! To our Show Attendees, we enjoyed sharing our quilts with you; come join us again!

The Show Team received over 500 exit surveys and they were overwhelmingly positive regarding our quilt layout, vendors, education area, chapter endcap displays and yes, even the benches and trees. We answered previous requests to add more concession seating, an information table and our vendors were especially pleased with the changes to our setup and takedown procedures. If you missed the show this year, you definitely missed a good one.

At our last Board Meeting, I was presented with a beautiful stained glass piece that was a replica of our 2012 Show Pin as a gift from the Board on behalf of the QU membership. I hope you got a chance to see it; our sister chapter Annandale had it made for the Education Area, our new show feature this year. I am honored to accept it. Serving as Show Chair 2012 has truly been a labor of love and I am so excited to be returning a second year to chair the Quilters Unlimited 40th Anniversary Quilt Show - "Fabulous at Forty."



Free quilting demonstrations were an **exciting part of this year's show**



The Boutique earned accolades and \$\$\$ for our chapters.



One of many beautiful displays.

Guild Challenge is On!

The challenge rules have been placed on our QU website, www.quiltersunlimited.org. They are also included in this newsletter on page 6. I will be talking more about them (and much more) on the show Facebook page: Quilters Unlimited Show 2013. Also on the website are the Vendor Announcement and Application forms. Show Team 2013 is fully assembled and will meet to begin the planning for your show on September 17, 2012.

Please know who your Quilt Show Team Representatives are and thank them, in advance, for the many hours of time and commitment they will put in this year. We are adding classes back into the show and our Annual Speaker is on board, along with three other nationally known quilt instructors.

Now if that isn't enough information to get your head spinning, I have a very important announcement you must take into account as you are working on your show quilt(s) for 2013. Our Quilt Layout Chairs from Show 2012, Sarah and Jeri and our Show CD creator, Kay Burnett have indicated that we are ready to take another big step. We will use the pictures of the quilts from our registration program (the quilts that you, the quiltmaker, agree to be photographed) to produce the Show CD prior to the show and then be sold at the show; no more ordering. We were all very impressed with the job the quilt collectors did this year – thank you and way to go! It does mean, however, we all must have a commitment to make it work. For Show 2013, all Quilt Exhibitors must have finished quilts that will be measured and photographed by the end of the registration deadline in February 2013.

WE CAN DO IT! IT'S GOING TO BE ANOTHER GREAT QU SHOW!

Your Show Team 2013

Classes – Dottie Dane (Fairfax)	Publicity – Andrea Harles (Arlington)
Quilt Layout – Karla Vernon (Vienna)	Education – Kim Fess (Springfield)
Boutique – Maureen Gray (McLean)	Vendors – Connie Gallant (Haymarket)
Financials – Virginia Hodge (Reston)	Volunteers – Anne Winchell (C)
Program/Ads – Mary Johnson (Burke)	Raffle Quilt – Angie Miller (Mt. Vernon)
QU Treasurer – Jennifer McKinney (Reston)	QU Webmaster – Len Alfredson
Show Chair – Cindy Grimord (Springfield)	Special Projects – Sarah Entsminger (R)
Setup/Takedown – Anne Westerfield (A)	Special Projects – Sandra Rees (F, B)
Secretary—Gen Meyer (Burke)	

Volunteers Make this Show!!! Thank You

Many, many thanks to all of the 340 members who worked at the quilt show. We produced a **wonderful event and it couldn't have been done without all of you who participated.** Some of you work one two hour shift. Many, many others did at least two shifts. Several did five and more. Team leaders and many of their best friends worked all day all four days and we cannot thank them enough. The jobs sure would be a lot harder without everyone working together and not nearly as enjoyable. You all deserve a standing ovation.

The Volunteer Spot online signup was a success. Another thank you, for using the new method to volunteer, 90% of those who worked at the show signed up online.

“Fabulous at Forty”

QU 40th Anniversary Show – June 2013

Quilt Challenge Rules

Your quilts must be finished and photographed prior to the close of quilt registration for the 2013 show. You may enter as many quilts in the challenge as you wish as long as you do not go over the allowed number of quilts per quilter for the show. Unleash your creativity and help us celebrate our anniversary surrounded by beautiful quilts.

“Red, White and Quilted All Over”

Rubies are red and so are your quilts! Red and White are the colors to use in creating your quilt, any shade of red and any shade of white – but no other colors. You may use any construction method to complete a quilt with three layers, a noticeable quilting design on top and a finished edge. A sleeve and label to QU standards are required. There are no size restrictions but in order to hang the challenge quilts together in the show – no wearables for this challenge. **You may use an original design or give proper credit for using someone else’s design.**

“Celebrate Forty”

What does the number forty mean to you? Forty years, forty stitches or forty of something else? There are no size restrictions, no color restrictions and no wearables in this challenge but you are free to create any fabric art piece that speaks to you. Your quilt is to be constructed primarily of fabric, comprised of three layers, quilted and embellished in any way you wish. Any edge treatment may be used as long as there is no batting visible. A sleeve and label to QU standards are required. Do not include any internal or external structures, rods or hangers.



Virginia Quilt Museum
301 South Main St
Harrisonburg, VA 22801
Vaquiltmuseum.org

“Collections and Creations of Hazel Carter”

will continue at the Virginia Quilt Museum through August 18, 2012. Hazel (V, McL) is a founding member of Quilters Unlimited and the Quilter’s Hall of Fame.

The Summer 2012 VQM Newsletter included this description of Hazel Carter and her exhibit:

“The exhibit features antique quilts, miniature quilts, wall hangings, and bed sized pieces, almost all of which are hand quilted. Themes range from Christmas to geometric, with lots of stops along the way for pieces that tell a story of this woman who is still active in the quilt world today, appraising, preserving, and advising others in the world of quilting.”

2013 QU Raffle Quilt—Celtic Celebration

-Angela Miller, Mt. Vernon Raffle Committee Chair

The 2013 QU Raffle Quilt, Celtic Celebration, is being presented by the Mt. Vernon Chapter. Pictures of the finished quilt will be posted on the QU website and the Mt. Vernon blog: <http://mvquilters.blogspot.com> in August., at which time tickets will be available for sale. Committee members include: Rosemary Coller, Pat Alfredson, Mary Downey, Lynne Fishburn, Patricia Bolton, Libby Dudley, Mary Mazzuchi, Beth Smith, Ruth Morgan, Angela Miller, Joyce Keating, Anne Poulin, and Gigi Corbin.

The Raffle Quilt is constructed from 6-inch Batik blocks made by chapter members. Rosemary Coller designed the quilt layout **using the Bull's Eye block pattern, a favorite among Mt. Vernon members.** The center medallion and border, designed by Pat Alfredson, features appliquéd Celtic knots surrounding a central Celtic medallion floating over an array of colors. **The quilt top is constructed entirely of Batik fabrics, many of which were selected from members' coveted stash.**

These blocks were collected in the fall and winter of 2011. The Raffle Quilt Committee met to arrange them in February 2012. There, they were sorted, swapped, and transformed into a beautiful blend of fabrics. Mary Downey pinned the blocks in rows and expertly pieced the quilt top. Several Mt. Vernon members worked on appliquéing the borders and center medallion at weekly Bees. The appliqué sessions gave some members an opportunity to learn how to appliqué for the first time.



Lynne Fishburn's stunning pebble quilting is showcased in the spaces between the Celtic knots in the border and center medallion. The organic look and feel of the quilt inspired Lynne to use free motion meandering around the open areas of the appliqué and hook swirl quilting in the blocks. The top is being quilted with an HQ Avante 18 quilting system using three different So Fine thread colors. **This quilt is king size (106" x 106").** Patricia Bolton is binding the top, Libby Dudley is making the sleeve, and Carol Kunkel is machine embroidering the label.



From inspiration to creation, construction, and completion, the 2013 Raffle Quilt is truly a celebration of the quilting spirit in Northern Virginia. Look for it soon!

From the Desk of the QU Treasurer

-Gen Meyer

A great big "thank you" to all the ladies that helped me during the Quilt Show. I could never have done the "backroom operation" without you! Also, thank you to all the ladies for exercising great patience in completing forms and counting (and recounting and recounting) money. The deposits from the Quilt Show matched exactly what was recorded on the various data sheets.

Also, "thank you" to the membership for all the support you have given me over the past two years. I have enjoyed being your treasurer, but it is time to hand the reins to your incoming treasurer, Jennifer McKinney. Please give her your support in the coming year. I am sure that she will do a great job for QU.

Below you will find the financial statement for the fiscal year, 2011-2012.

Quilters Unlimited Financial Statement as of 30 June 2012	
	Actuals
Fall Workshop	\$ 2,990.00
Membership	\$ 8,972.50
Miscellaneous (Refund from Staples)	\$ 26.25
Pins	\$ 210.00
Quilt Show	\$ 120,560.50
Raffle Quilt	\$ 5,149.00
Sacred Threads	\$ 100.00
Spring Workshop	\$ 1,750.00
Total Income	\$ 139,758.25
Accountant	\$ 1,162.60
Administration	\$ 1,090.98
Annual Meeting	\$ 1,653.64
Contract Support (Mem)	\$ 1,700.00
Directory	\$ 2,358.38
Donations	\$ 5,000.00
Equipment	\$ 183.49
Fall Event	\$ 1,846.92
Fall Workshop	\$ 2,700.00
Insurance	\$ 1,126.00
Newsletter	\$ 1,001.47
Quilt Show	\$ 93,822.78
Raffle Quilt	\$ 966.01
Spring Workshop	\$ 1,404.33
Web Site	\$ 1,500.00
Total Expenses	\$ 117,516.60
Beginning Balance 7/1/2011	\$ 145,542.21
Plus Income	\$ 139,758.25
Less Expenses	\$ 117,516.60
Plus Interest Earned	\$ 243.71
Ending Balance 6/30/2012	\$ 168,027.57
Checking Account- BB&T	\$ 82,307.69
Minus uncleared checks	\$ 3,725.76
Plus Business IDA (...8714)	\$ 25,494.26
Plus Business IDA (...8889)	\$ 63,951.38
Balance 6/30/2012	\$ 168,027.57
Submitted by Genevieve Meyer, Treasurer, QU, 6/30/2012	

Gail Garber to Visit Quilters Unlimited!

We are very excited to have Gail Garber visit QU on October 12—14. The workshops described below will be held on Friday, October 12 and Saturday, October 13. Both are full day classes.

On Sunday, October 14, Gail will lecture on “Liberalism in Quilting: Free-form Art Quilts.” This lecture will be held at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church, 8601 Wolftrap Road SE, Vienna in the DeSales Hall. There is plenty of free parking. The lecture begins at 2:00 p.m.

In Gail’s own words: “Never one to adhere to rules, I began breaking the quilting edicts soon after I learned the basics necessary to create an original design. Problems with bindings on corners? Just leave the corners off! It’s fun and easy to be your own designer, and to break away from the tedium of repetitive block design. I will lead you on a journey of exploration, from the valley of tradition, along the rocky road of great ideas gone wrong, to the rainbow peaks of increased creativity in quilts!”



Goose is Loose — Designing with Free-Form Shapes — Friday Oct. 12

This is Gail’s most popular class, by far! It introduces the student to original design in free-form shapes. Learn the drafting and piecing techniques for flying geese in the round, loose curves, or swirls. It is sew easy to do; students are often surprised at the simplicity of the technique, taught with no scary math words! These designs can be simply designed and easily stitched using freezer paper piecing techniques. \$7.00 workbook fee.



Designing Circular Borders — Saturday, Oct. 13



Explore, draw, design and play. Students will stitch samples and learn freezer paper foundation techniques.

It’s not magic! It’s easy, using simple drafting techniques, with Gail’s sure fire, no “scary math words” teaching style. Learn to draft circular flying geese, spirals, big n’ little, and more. Students will learn drafting techniques for a variety of circular borders. \$5.00 workbook fee.

QU Commitment to Our Communities

Shimmer Quilt to Hang in Warrior Transition Battalion (WTB) of the New Fort Belvoir Community Hospital

-Gay Bitter

The Bound and Determined Bee, part of Burke Quilters Unlimited Chapter, presented a quilt to LTC Renee Joseph at the Warrior Transition Battalion of the new Fort Belvoir Community Hospital (FBCH) on June 26, 2012. This quilt will hang in the entry area, as a visible display of encouragement, support and appreciation to all wounded service members who pass through the Battalion. The Warrior Transition Battalion provides a centralized, coordinated operational healing environment within the Fort Belvoir Community Hospital (FBCH) and Service Wounded, Ill and Injured (WII) program for recovering Warriors and their families. This Bee chose the **"Shimmer" pattern as a group donation project to the Quilts of Valor Foundation, a national grassroots community service effort, connecting the home-front with our wounded combat warriors and veterans.** Air Force Master Sergeant Jen Cox, also a member of Burke Quilters Unlimited, volunteered to do the quilting for this project.

Quilters Unlimited members throughout our guild make hundreds of charity projects each year, many of them going to the Quilts of Valor Foundation (QOVF), local transitional housing organizations, hospital preemie units and other causes where a handmade quilt can lend comfort. The QOVF mission is to cover all combat service members and veterans touched by war with comforting and healing Quilts of Valor - **a tangible reminder of America's appreciation and gratitude that unequivocally says, "Thank you for your service, sacrifice and valor."** Quilts often go to military hospitals where Chaplains award them to service members and caregivers. They may also be presented to entire service units returning from combat deployments. Since 2003, 65,400 quilts have been awarded.

However this project became personal when one member's husband became a wounded warrior. Diane Murtha proposed the quilt be donated as a wall hanging to the Warrior Transition Battalion, where she spent time with her husband, an Army officer, during his recovery. Ms. Pamela Winn-Lovelace, WTB Outreach Coordinator, accepted our offer and helped make it a reality as she knew the comfort the quilt would provide to wounded service members.



The Shimmer quilt size was modified to accommodate the display wall, therefore the extra Shimmer blocks made by the Bee will be constructed into a second quilt to be donated to Quilts of Valor to lend comfort to another soldier, sailor or marine who has served our country.

Pictured left to right: Jan Cox, unknown soldier, Pat Price, Gay Bitter, LTC Renee Joseph, Libby Fritsche, Diane Murtha

Chapter Directory

Annandale (A)

3rd Wednesday of the month, 10am
Sleepy Hollow United Methodist Church

3435 Sleepy Hollow Road
Falls Church, VA 22044

President: Angela Barnes
Quilter.retliuq@verizon.net

Arlington (AR)

2nd Monday of the month, 7:30 pm

Goodwin House Bailey's

Crossroads
3440 South Jefferson Street
Falls Church, VA 22041

President: Cindy Chavez

Burke (B)

2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month, 7:30pm

Cherry Run Elementary School

9732 Ironmaster Drive
Burke, VA 22015

President: Erica Robertson

Centreville (C)

2nd Thursday, 7:30pm
Colin Powell Elementary School
13340 Leland Road
Centreville, VA 20120

President: Galena Seiler

Fairfax (F)

1st and 3rd Thursdays, 10am
5th Thursday—Charity Work
St. Peters In the Woods
Episcopal Church
5911 Fairview Woods Drive
Fairfax Station, VA 22039

President: Jeanne Coglianese

Be sure to contact the chapter before you attend an event to make sure there have been no unforeseen changes

Haymarket (H)

1st Thurs every month ,6:30 pm
Early Bird, 7:00 pm Meeting & Program at the Evergreen Volunteer Fire Department
3510 James Madison Highway
Haymarket, VA 20169

President: Pat Widener
hqu.president@gmail.com

McLean (MCL)

4th Tuesday of the month 9:30am
McLean Baptist Church
1367 Chain Bridge Road
McLean, VA 22101
President: Starla Phelps

Mt. Vernon (MTV)

2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 12:30pm
Hollin Hall Senior Center
Room 216
1500 Shenandoah Road
Mt. Vernon, VA 22308

Presidents: Ruth Morgan
MQUPresident@gmail.com

Reston (R)

2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 7:30pm
Armstrong Elementary School
11900 Lake Newport Road
Reston, VA 20194

President: Jamie Sculley
restonqu@gmail.com

Springfield (S)

1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 9:30am
Greater Springfield Volunteer Fire Department
7011 Backlick Rd
Springfield, VA 22150

President: Jill Warren

Vienna (V)

3rd Tuesday of the month, 7pm
Vienna Volunteer Fire Dept
400 Center Street S.
Vienna, VA 22180

President: P J Porter
vqupresident@yahoo.com

Quilters Unlimited 2012 – 2013 Membership Form

Annual membership runs from July 1 – June 30. A membership form is required each year for all categories. Membership payment must be received by September 30th for inclusion in the Annual QU Directory.

Name		Home Telephone	
Address			
City	State	Zip Code + 4	
Email Address		Birthday (Month/Day Only) optional	
Work phone – optional		Cell phone – optional	
Work/cell phone numbers will not be included in the QU directory.			

Circle "Yes" or "No" for each question below (if blank, YES is the default):

QU may put my e-mail address in the Big QU directory	YES	NO
QU may e-mail the Big QU Newsletter to me	YES	NO
QU may e-mail my chapter newsletter to me	YES	NO

	Renewal	New Member	Date
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Membership Categories (check one)	Dues
Regular	\$20
Senior - Age 65+ by June 30, 2012	\$10
Life - Age 75+ by June 30, 2012 (Eligible after first year of QU membership)	No charge, but must submit membership form each year.)
Family - two or more people at the same address Please list names at the top	\$30
Associate – primary membership in other QU chapter	\$10 (Free to Life members.)
Name of primary QU chapter:	

\$	Membership Dues
\$	QU Membership Pin @ \$5.00 each, if desired
\$	TOTAL ENCLOSED

Please circle the chapter you wish to join. If you wish to join more than one chapter, you must complete a separate registration form and make separate payment for each.

If no chapter is selected, this form is invalid and will be returned to the name listed at the top.

Annandale Arlington Burke Centreville Fairfax Haymarket
McLean Mt. Vernon Reston Springfield Vienna

Please bring this completed form and payment to a meeting of the chapter you wish to join.

Make your check payable to the chapter you are joining (for example, Springfield QU).

Include an SASE, if you wish to have your membership card mailed to you.

Details on meeting times and days are available from our website: <http://www.quiltersunlimited.org>