

Smoky Mountain Quilters Guild

2016 Quilt Show Boutique Challenge

July 2015

It's never too early to begin planning for our Quilt Show. We want the 2016 Quilt Show Boutique to be the most successful ever! With that in mind, each month you will be provided with a pattern, an idea, a website for inspiration. With every item logged in to the boutique, you will receive a chance to win a great prize (ok, it's early yet, so prize has yet to be determined!) And remember, with every item sold at the boutique, the Guild receives 15% and the rest goes to YOU!!! If you choose to DONATE your item for sale instead, you will receive THREE chances toward the grand prize! Winner will be chosen at random after the close of the quilt show when all sales have been tallied.

To get you started, the July 2015 Challenge Project is to create a Pin Cushion (or ten!)

Here are a couple of great idea to get those creative juices flowing:
(PDF patterns are attached to this email)

The long-time favorite Hen Party Chick Pincushion



The gorgeous Cathedral Window Pincushion

If one of these pattern doesn't tickle your fancy, there are many wonderful free pin cushion project ideas to be found online. For example, here's a website with 100 FREE PINCUSHION PATTERNS – something for everyone! <http://thesewingloftblog.com/pincushion-patterns/>. Take a look and see what inspires YOU!



Thanks for your help making the 2016 SMQG Quilt Show Boutique a tremendous success!

~Susan Skuda