

Hi Girly Girls!

Can you believe it is December already! That weird snowstorm threw me into a discombobulated heap and am just getting my head around what season I am currently in. Yes girls, it is winter and it is December!

This month can be such a wonderful time of the year with all the celebrations going on. Our potluck party is coming up next week, as I am sure many other events of the season. Take time to spend with friends, family and yourself, and try not to get sucked into the craziness of the 'other' material world.

Wishing you all a wonderful Christmas, Hanukkah and Festivus! Stay healthy, be happy and hope to see you at the party.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday to Becky, Gretchen and Peg. Have a wonderful celebration on your special day.

THIS MONTHS MEETING

Potluck Party

Hope you have been thinking about what to bring to the potluck party. Just writing about it is making me hungry! This is a great time to try a new recipe before making it for one of your own parties, or to share a favorite family dish, or that special something from your fav market. Over the years we have had some wonderful culinary dishes presented to us, which I have made many times since. Let's keep the tradition going and put your chefs hat on OR go to your favorite market and let's have a yummy party.

Thank you Kelsey for hosting the party.

Yankee Swap

This year we are having a Yankee Swap. You have a choice of making something or purchasing a quilt related item for about \$10.00. Bring the gift all wrapped up to the party. Those not familiar to this, directions will be given before the swapping begins.

Woolly Items

In the past we collected toys for tots but this year, to change things up a bit, we are collecting hats, mittens and scarves. They will be donated to Project Just Because.

JANIACS

Last meeting, if I remember correctly, Bea had over 50 Dear Jane blocks made. Well, I am still at four but will try to make at least one more before our next meeting.

Sarah sent around an e-mail asking for a Sunday that works best for the Janiacs on a regular basis. We will bring it up at the potluck and make a decision on when our January meeting will be. Give it a thought and let Sarah know.

FOOD PANTRY

This month we will be collecting for the Ashland Food Pantry. They do not have what their needs are for December on the website yet, but they probably can use everything from food items to paper/toiletry products. Please bring what you can, thank you.

THINGS TO REMEMBER

- A yummy, decadent potluck dish to share
- Yankee Swap gift
- Ashland Food Pantry donations
- Hats, mittens or scarves

- Show and Tell