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Form 990-EZ

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code
(except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

► Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds, organizations that operate one or more hospital facilities, and certain controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990 (see instructions). All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$200,000 and total assets less than \$500,000 at the end of the year may use this form.

► The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

OMB No 1545-1150

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A For the 2011 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2011, and ending , 20

B Check if applicable:
☐ Address change
☐ Name change
☐ Initial return
☐ Terminated
☐ Amended return
☐ Application pending

C Name of organization
Valley Quilters Guild

Number & street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street addr) Room/suite
PO Box 2582

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4
Palmer AK 99645

D Employer identification number
92-0112029

E Telephone number
(907) 746-0991

F Group Exemption Number ►

G Accounting Method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual Other (specify) ►

H Check ☒ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

I Website: ► N/A

J Tax-exempt status (check only one) -- ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) () ◀ (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527

K Check ☐ if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization or a section 527 organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$50,000. A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required though Form 990-N (e-postcard) may be required (see instructions). But if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, line 25, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ► \$ 31,814

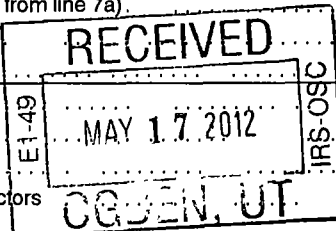
Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I. ☐

REVENUE	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	375
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3	3,860
	4	Investment income	4	22
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
	6	Gaming and fundraising events		
	a	Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000)	6a	4,588
	b	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000)	6b	14,260
	c	Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	15,699
	d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d	3,149
	7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	7,648
	b	Less: cost of goods sold	7b	418
	c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	7,230
	8	Other revenue (describe in Schedule O)	8	1,061
	9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8	9	15,697
EXPENSES	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	
	11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	204
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	6,428
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	1,616
	16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16	5,449
	17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	13,697
ASSETS	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	2,000
	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	10,671
	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20	
	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 18 through 20	21	12,671

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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Part V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V.) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V. ☐

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O		X
34 Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)		X
35a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?	X	
b If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	X	
c Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III		X
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. ▶ 37a		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?		X
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved. 38b		
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39a		
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39b		
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶; section 4912 ▶, section 4955 ▶		
b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		X
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶		
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T		X
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. ▶ AK		
42a The organization's books are in care of ▶ See attachment #2 Telephone no ▶		
Located at ▶ ZIP + 4 ▶		
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		X
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶		
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts .		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the U.S.?		X
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶		
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 -- Check here ▶ ☐		
and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 43		
44a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
b Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?		X
d If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O N/A		
45a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
45b Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)		X

	Yes	No
46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I		X

Part VI

Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only. All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI ☐

	Yes	No
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II		X
48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E		X
49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?		X
b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?		X

50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and title of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
NONE				

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 ☐

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None"

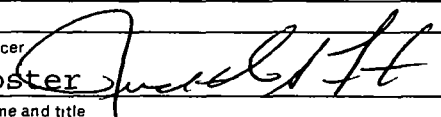
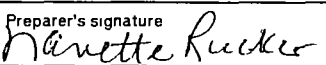
(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 ☐

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note:** All section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1)

nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A ☐ Yes ☒ No

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	Signature of officer 		Date <u>5/14/12</u>
	Judy Foster Type or print name and title		Treasurer
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name Nanette Rucker	Preparer's signature 	Date 5/12/2012
	Firm's name H&R Block	Firm's EIN	PTIN
	Firm's address 391 E PARKS STE C	Phone no 907-376-3555	Check ☐ if self-employed

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions. ☒ Yes ☐ No

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Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II.

If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")	6,225	4,650	4,095	4,082	4,235	23,287
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose	37,585	35,790	33,178	32,489	27,557	166,599
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5	43,810	40,440	37,273	36,571	31,792	189,886
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						189,886

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	43,810	40,440	37,273	36,571	31,792	189,886
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	151	132	69	35	22	409
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975.						
c Add lines 10a and 10b	151	132	69	35	22	409
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	43,961	40,572	37,342	36,606	31,814	190,295
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ☐						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2011 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	99.79 %
16 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	99.74 %

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2011 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)).	17	0.21 %
18 Investment income percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

19a 33 1/3 % support tests -- 2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3 %, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3 %, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☒

b 33 1/3 % support tests -- 2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3 %, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3 %, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions. ☐

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

► Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

OMB No. 1545-0047

2011

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Name of the organization

Valley Quilters Guild

Employer identification number

92-0112029

Orgazational Expenses \$500

Rounding -\$

990 CURRENT OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES, AND KEY EMPLOYEES

Attachment 1: page 1 - 990-EZ Page 2, Part IV

Open to Public Inspection		For calendar year 2011 or tax period beginning , and ending		
Name of Organization Valley Quilters Guild				Employer Identification Number 92-0112029
(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week devoted to position	(C) Compensation (Form W-2/1099-MISC) (if not paid, enter -0-)	(D) Cont. to employee ben plans & def comp	(E) Expense account & other compensation
Mary Thompson PO Box 2582 Palmer, AK 99645	President	0	0	0
Joyce Fish PO Box 2582 Palmer, AK 99645	Vice President	0	0	0
Diana Fraley PO Box 2582 Palmer, AK 99645	Treasurer	0	0	0
Cathy Buirge PO Box 2582 Palmer AK 99645 Palmer, AK 99645	Secretary	0	0	0

990 BOOKS ARE IN CARE OF

Attachment 2 - 990-EZ Page 3, Part V, Line 42a

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2011 or tax period beginning _____, and ending _____	
Name of Organization Valley Quilters Guild		Employer Identification Number 92-0112029

Part V - Line 42a

Individual Name Judy Foster
 or
 Business Name: _____

Street Address PO Box 2582

U.S. Address

Zip code 99645 City Palmer State AK
 or

Foreign Address

City
 Province or State
 Country
 Postal code
 Phone Number (907) 746-0991
 Fax Number

990 GAMING/SPECIAL EVENTS BOOKS AND RECORDS

Attachment 3: Sch G Page 3, Part III, Line 14

Open to Public Inspection	For calendar year 2011 or tax period beginning	, and ending
Name of Organization Valley Quilters Guild		Employer Identification Number 92-0112029

Part III - Line 14

Individual Name Judy Foster
or
Business Name

Street Address PO Box 2582

U S Address:

Zip code 99645 City Palmer State AK

or

Foreign Address

City

Province or State

Country

Postal code

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Valley Quilters Guild
92-0112029

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STATEMENT #1 - Printing, publication, postage (990 EZ PG 1 Line 15)

Newsletter Expense.....	1,566
Postage.....	50

TOTAL CARRIED TO 990 EZ PG 1 Line 15.....	1,616
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STATEMENT #2 - Other revenue (990-EZ PG 1 Line 8)

Ad Sales and Table Rental.....	230
Quilt Class Income.....	450
Magazine Income.....	180
Name Tag Income.....	151
No Name Tag Assessment.....	25
NSF Fees Collected.....	25

TOTAL CARRIED TO 990-EZ PG 1 Line 8.....	1,061
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STATEMENT #3 - Professional Fees (990-EZ PG 1 Line 13)

Tax Preparation.....	204
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TOTAL CARRIED TO 990-EZ PG 1 Line 13.....	204
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STATEMENT #4 - Occupancy, Rent, Utilities (990-EZ PG 1 Line 14)

Facility Rental.....	4,600
Cleaning.....	1,100
Storage.....	728

TOTAL CARRIED TO 990-EZ PG 1 Line 14.....	6,428
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STATEMENT #5 - Other expenses (EOEZ Pg 1 Line 16)

Bank Fees.....	26
General Operating Expenses.....	263
Insurance.....	494
Name Tags.....	163
PO Box Rent.....	116
Sales Taxes.....	125
Service Projects.....	1,499
Subscriptions.....	180
Website.....	20
AK Fair Expenses.....	2,080
Hospitality.....	183
Judges Awards.....	250
Licenses and Permits.....	50

TOTAL CARRIED TO EOEZ Pg 1 Line 16.....	5,449
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STATEMENT #6 - ()

TOTAL CARRIED TO 7,648
