

Siouxland Samplers Quilt Guild Newsletter September 2016

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President's Message:

I write this message with my embroidery machine humming in the background and thinking happy thoughts about the holiday coffee creamers that I noticed in the store yesterday, YUMMY! This can mean only one thing.....QUILTING FOR CHRISTMAS is about to begin. As in years past I have my projects all thought out and my intention this year is to actually SEW THEM! So, pumpkin spice wishes and peppermint dreams to all of you as you contemplate what projects you will accomplish during the busy sewing season.

President's Challenge:

December: Ugly Sweater Block

2016 Board Members

President – Andrea Hsu
Vice President – Sheila Rogeness
Treasurer – Lynn Morgan
Secretary - Mary Stoneburg

Committee Chairs

Greeting Card Chairman – Mary Pointer
Membership – Sue Block/Michelle Matney
Newsletter – Anietra Janssen
Quilt Show Chair – Vicky Johnson/Frayed Knots
Sunshine Quilts – Alyce King
Webmaster – Mary Anne Nooney

BIRTHDAYS

9/8 Michelle Matney
9/8 Erline McNaughton
9/16 Paula Kohn
9/20 Helen Ericksen
9/24 Lynn Morgan
9/26 Karen Kounas
10/2 Marcia Kuehl
10/3 Vickie Wilson

Next Meeting

Monday, September 12, 2016

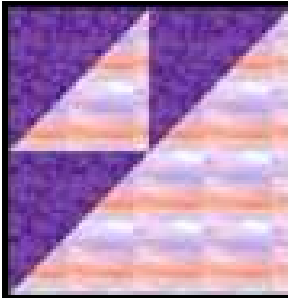
7:00 p.m.

Redeemer Lutheran Church
So. Lakeport.

Program

We will be having another movie night.
“Thread Therapy With Dr. Bob, Tension.”

Popcorn will be served, bring something to drink!
Sheila says this is not a mistake.



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Greeters: Marlys Britton

August monthly mini made by: Betty Pratt

August monthly mini winner: Betty Pratt

September monthly mini will be made by: Teri Mevius

September Greeters: Teri Mevius, Vicky Johnson, Joan Mansfield

Andrea Hsu, President, called the meeting to order. Andrea welcomed everyone. 46 members and 2 guests DeeDee Johnson and Cathy Murphy were present.

Andrea asked if anyone had any joyous events or concerns they would like to share.

- Sandy Bradstreet celebrated their wedding anniversary.
- Andrea Hsu won the "Row by Row" quilt contest from quilt shop in Beresford, S.D.
- Vicky Johnson won the Heart & Hand "Row by Row" quilt challenge.

Correspondence: Shesler Hall would appreciate donations of house hold items.

Sherry Book offered to take care of the mittens and scarves to be donated to a needy school. Bring the items to Guild for Sherry to hand out when the weather gets cooler. Hats, mittens & scarves, homemade or store bought.

Meeting Minutes: There being no changes noted, the minutes were approved as printed in the newsletter.

Treasurer's Report: Approved as printed in the newsletter.

Committee Reports:

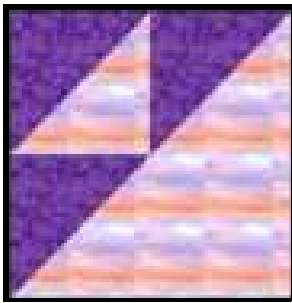
Girls Inc: JoAnn Sadler reported the group will start meeting again September 13th from 6:00-7:00 p.m. The girls enjoy learning to sew and it is a very rewarding service. JoAnn could always use ladies to help out with rotations, or come once a month. JoAnn would like to set up a schedule of ladies who would help. Contact JoAnn Sadler if you would like to try out this service project.

Sunshine Quilts: Alyce King took 3 quilts to the Senior Center, Hospice of Siouxland, and Casa De Pas. She has received the 80/20 batting. If you would like batting to finish a Sunshine Quilt, contact Alyce with the batting measurements you need and she will cut it to size. Please sign the sheet at the sign in table to keep track of the number of sunshine quilts being donated.

Quilt Show: Vicky Johnson, Quilt Show chair, reported the dates of the show are October 19-22, 2017. The raffle quilt is almost done. Guild members will need to sell at least \$20 of raffle tickets to enter a quilt in the show. Willa Yates will be in charge of the Boutique and Sherry Book will oversee the Small Quilt Raffle. There will be a challenge fabric that costs \$2.00. Either the show judge can judge your quilt for \$5 or the committee can judge at no charge. "Best Use of Fabric". Michelle Matney will be in charge of the vendors and sponsor board/publicity. The committee is looking for bids to quilt the raffle quilt, contact Vicky.

Festival of Trees: LaToma Hauff showed the tree skirt that Lorri Schuller had finished. LaToma is making the tree topper. Someone has already donated several ornaments so LaToma showed them. Any form of handy work will be accepted. Ornaments are due by the October Guild meeting.

Sweat Shop: June DeVries reported the event will be August 13th starting at 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the Sgt. Bluff United Methodist Church. Bring a dish to share at potluck lunch. Will be sewing 9 inch squares (8 inch square batting) into rag quilts. Tell June if you can think of any place there is a need for quilts.



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Quilting Bee: Everything is coming together for the February 4th event to be held at the Merville Community Center. Be thinking about what you will donate to the event.

Carol Joy Holling Retreat: Still have room for a few more quilters. Event is scheduled for Sept. 30—Oct. 1. It is always a fun time to get to sew your own projects and visit with other Guild members and their friends. The retreat is in Gretna, Nebraska at the Lutheran Church Camp.

Announcements:

- The Yankton Prairie Quilt Guild is hosting a program with Eleanor Burn's sister, including a trunk show and all are welcome to come and enjoy on August 29, 2016 in Yankton.
- The Fons & Porter magazine is having their special on magazine subscriptions and renewals, or \$20 you get a full year of magazines and the Guild will get \$5 as a fundraiser. Get your renewal in to the Guild by the November, 2016 meeting.
- Barbara Beernick reported that on December 3, 2016 there will be a Holiday Quilt Open House with at least 160 quilts hanging in an old home. Proceeds will be donated to the Family Crisis Center of Iowa. Bring a cleaning product, it will be donated to the Center to give to their clientele. There will be a quilt challenge, theme is "Patriotic" so enter a small quilt 120" max size, stars, red, white & blue, stripes. They have \$900 worth of gift certificates to go to 4 winners. If interested in participating in the quilt challenge, have the project finished by November 10th and drop off at Roeloff's quilt shop in Sioux Center, Iowa. (see page 4)

There will be an election of officers in November. Positions open are:

- Vice President - takes care of organizing Guild programs, setting up for the program, helping with pot lucks.
- Newsletter - takes care of updating any change in meetings or programs, publishing the newsletter, emailing/ mailing out the newsletter.
- Secretary - takes minutes at Guild meeting and forwards them to the newsletter chair for inclusion in the newsletter.

These will be two year commitments, please be thinking of which position you would like to fill. New office holders will assist in December to find out what all they will need to do and get the materials needed to proceed forward in January. Thanks in advance for your support on this!

Sheila Rogeness reported the September meeting program will be the DVD on bobbins, October program will be Vivian McPherson, November will be learning to make "Best Press" so bring a bottle and your favorite scent, and December will be the potluck.

Sheila introduced Lynn Doyle the creator of "Blooming Minds" from Council Bluffs. Lynn brought lots of cute quilts with personality to show us that she had made patterns for. Lynn brought patterns and fat quarters for sale that included quick quilts for each season. Lynn told very funny stories about her inspiration or some of her patterns. She had 260 patterns.

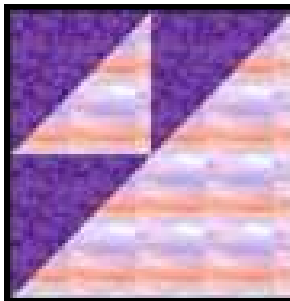
We enjoyed Show and Tell.

Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Mary Stoneburg, secretary

If you would like to help our area school children stay warm this winter, we will collect hats, scarves, hats and mittens at our next few Guild meetings. These can be purchased or handmade, as many of our members love to knit and crochet too! Bring your items to the October or November meeting, as well as any ideas of a deserving school. Thanks for your help.

Sherry Book



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Saturday, December 3, 2016
Open 9am - 4pm
Address

Suggested Viewing Donation: \$5
Patriotic Theme! Enjoy cider & goodies!

All new quilts! (No repeats)

★ **Quilters Rummage Sale** ★

We'll have great priced fabric available for sale!

★ **Raffle Quilt** ★

Receive an entry for each cleaning product or laundry detergent that you donate!

★ **Quilters Challenge** ★

Open to everyone! **Over \$500 in prizes** - details on the back!

Find more quilt show info & learn about FCC at familycrisiscenters.org/events.php



Proceeds and supplies donated to FCC to serve victims of domestic violence, human trafficking, homicide & violent crime.

Quilters Challenge Guidelines

1. **Size:** Total perimeter measurements of entry must not exceed 120". May be smaller but NO larger.
2. **Color:** Entry must include red, white & blue fabrics or a variation of these colors such as navy, burgandy, beige & gold. Any extra colors may be included.
3. **Design:** Your entry must include **at least** one star block that is either pieced **OR** appliqued. Your entry must also **include stripes** which can either be pieced or a striped fabric can be used.
4. **Deadline:** Entry must be submitted in complete form: pieced, quilted, bound and labeled, by Nov. 15, 2016. Entries will be in the show.
5. **Winners:** 4 winners will be chosen. The 'Peoples' Passion' and the 'Members' Master' awards for 1st & 2nd place in each category. The first is a popular vote of quilt show attendees and the next is voted by club members only.
6. **Prizes:** There are **over \$500 in prizes** that will be awarded according to place. This includes gift cards from: Always Your Design, Calico Hutch Quilt Shop, Crafty Corner, Homespun Quilt Shop, Old Alley Quilt Shop, Prairie Woolens, Quilters Headquarters, Quilting on Main, Quilt n Kaboodle, Roelof's, Seams to Me, Scotch Studio, The Dutch Rose, The Sewing Basket, & The Shanty Stitchers.
7. **Rules:** The quilt show committee can disqualify any entry that doesn't meet the requirements listed. It will still be displayed, but any votes will not count.
8. **Entry Fees:** Each entry requires a payment of \$5 to accompany the quilt. Checks can be made payable to FCC. Limit 2 entries per person.
9. **Drop Off/Pick Up:** Completed entries can be dropped off at Roelof's in Sioux Center, IA on or before Nov. 15, 2016 and picked up at the same location on or after Dec. 5, 2016.
10. **Keep your entry a secret!** Be creative & have fun!

Questions?? Call Barb at 712.441.2140 or email her at cmbarb@mtcnet.net.

You Are Invited!
Bring Your Own Projects
& Bring Your Own Refreshments.

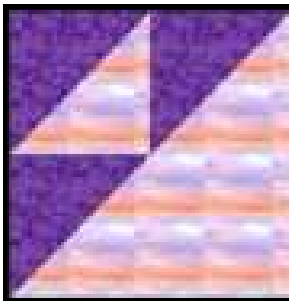
*The 4th Nite
Hand Quilters
& Appliquers*

Thursday, September 22nd, 2016
Come as early as 4:15pm or when you can . . .
And quilt until 8:00ish.

On the Campus of Sunrise Retirement Community., 5501 Gordon Drive East
IN THE HEALTH CENTER'S BOARD ROOM

Questions? Call Mary Pointer in the afternoons at 276-3821, Ext. 3114.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE: Thursdays, Oct. 27th, 2016 & Jan. 26th, 2017
NOTE: NO MEETINGS in November & December — due to the Holidays.



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Siouxland Samplers Quilt Guild Financial Statements For the Month Ending August 31, 2016

Assets

Current Assets

Checking Account - SNB	\$	13,645.28		
Pinnacle Bank - CD	\$	6,171.30		
Total Current Assets			\$	19,816.58

Current Liabilities

Girls Inc. Payable	\$	2,150.28		
Total Current Liabilities			\$	2,150.28

Asset - Liabilities

\$ 17,666.30

Income & Expenses

		August		Year to Date This Year
Income				
Membership Dues	\$	25.00	\$	1,130.00
Monthly Mini	\$	58.00	\$	247.60
No Name Tag	\$	1.75	\$	21.25
National Quilt Day			\$	177.00
Sweatshop			\$	100.00
New Letter Advertising			\$	5.00
Bonnie Hunter Class			\$	2,465.23
Misc (Batting Donation)			\$	145.60
Interest Income	\$	0.55	\$	13.72
Total Income	\$	85.30	\$	4,305.40
Expenses				
Rent			\$	240.00
Quilt Show Exp	\$	62.33	\$	62.33
Bonnie Hunter Class Expenses				
Guild Expenses, (Stamps, Envelops, Etc.)	\$	-	\$	432.03
Speaker Expense	\$	94.00	\$	1,567.94
Quilt Show Exp (Voided Outstanding Check)			\$	(123.00)
Total Expenses	\$	156.33	\$	2,179.30