

BOB-BOB-BOBBIN' ALONG...



A message from our President

Dear Quilt Show Stars,

APRIL 27TH 6:30PM

ST.THOMAS'EPISCOPAL CHURCH

SPRINGDALE

BIRTHDAYS

BRING
SNACKS

As I walked the floor of the Quilt Show last week, I was really struck by the diverse people I have gotten to know through this guild. Many of our speakers come from various parts of the world and this country. Our members are from many compass points as well. We range from people of modest means to some with abundance. Our age range covers all stages of life, including little Lennox, who helped at the show set up. We have a sampling from almost every occupation, including the very best one--retirement! Our political, religious, and lifestyle preferences are

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QUILTERS UNITED IN LEARNING TOGETHER

The Q.U.I.L.T. Guild of Northwest Arkansas

wide ranging, yet we manage to get along most of the time. I have been visiting guilds lately selling raffle tickets and we have more men members than a couple of much larger guilds. We have married, single, divorced, widowed, childless, empty nesters, and those with young families. Could we be more diverse? Of course we could, but I feel our doors are open to one and all.

I hope all of you take the opportunity to get to know some of the other members of the guild that might not be familiar to you. I got to visit with several of you last week that I had not had the chance to talk to as of yet. I was surprised and touched to find out what was behind some of your sweet faces. I will not always remember all of your names, but I will

certainly try! I think a lot of you realized that helping out at the show helped you get to know quite a few new people. I moved some of you from "he or she looks familiar" to " I got to know her or him and they..." I'm kind of like Will Rogers when it comes to this guild--I never met a guild member I didn't like. I'm not kidding!!!!!

I know the Quilt Show is over and we are all recovering, but there are many exciting things to come. Get involved--volunteer, offer someone help, and most of all--keep quilting!

Your Divergent Dictator,

Kathy



Best of Show Winner Carla Gay's 'Atomic Bloom'

APRIL MEETING



SPEAKER: JILL WERNER

"How to Build a Successful Stash"

Jill Rumoshosky Werner has exhibited her artwork in museums, art centers and galleries around the U.S. and abroad and has won national and international awards. Jill received a Mid-Career Fellowship in Fine Arts from the Kansas Arts Commission and previously served on their Mini-Fellowship selection panel. She has curated two traveling exhibitions, one a national invitational exhibit and the other an international exhibit that was the signature exhibition for an international art organization. She was published in American Craft magazine, the Material Matters book from the Columbus Museum of Art and the Quilt Visions book from the Oceanside Museum of Art.

A native of the New York City area, Werner currently resides in Bella Vista, Arkansas.

CAROL GRAY ESTATE SALE

Beginning at 5:30pm at the meeting, Carol Gray's collection of sewing items will be available for purchase (Fabric, sewing notions & accessories, sewing & quilting books & antique sewing machines). All proceeds of this will go to the Breast Cancer Research Foundation in her honor.

NEXT MONTH:

AIRING OF THE QUILTS

the home of Loneta Blevins • 3302 Perry Rd • Rogers

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Q.U.I.L.T. Guild of Northwest Arkansas ប៉ា

NWA Quilters

BIRTHDAYS



Cindy Askins 2
Margie Langanke 6
Kathy Turner 21
Ann Adams 23
Janice Berry 27

April

APRIL 27TH

"How to Build a Successful Stash"

presented by Jill Werner

MAY ZUIF

Super Saturday Sew_in: "Duffle Bag" taught by Toni Fenton

MAY 25TH

Airing of the Quilts

JUNE 21ST

"Supernova" Workshop taught by Jacquie Gering

IIINF 22ND

"Rething Quilting" presented by Jacquie Gering

2017CALENDAR

FINANCIAL REPORT

SUBMITTED BY ROXANNA JUERGENS

March 1, 2017 to March 31, 2017

Raffle Account to date	\$3,695.04
Income	75,075.04
Ticket Sales (Cutter & Lyric)	\$75.00
Quilt Sales	\$796.00
TOTAL Income	\$871.00
Expenses	J071.00
Night Depository Bag	\$10.00
Ending total in Raffle Account	\$4,556.04
Ending total in Native Account	<i>\$4,550.04</i>
Money Market Account	\$21,031.73
Interest for March	\$1.87
Total MM Acct	\$21,033.60
Checking Account	\$9,831.25
Income	
Membership	\$175.00
Programs	\$515.00
Quilt Show Program Ads	\$240.00
Quilt Show Quilt Entries	\$1,040.00
Quilt Show Sponsor Ribbons	\$175.00
Quilt Show Vendors	\$400.00
TOTAL Income	\$2,545.00
Expense	
Admin	\$9.80
Admin - Night Deposit Bag	\$10.00
Programs	\$29.46
Programs - Dinner, Class Refun	d \$78.94
Programs - March Speaker	\$238.55
Publicity - Newsletter	\$60.55
Quilt Show Judging	\$452.55
Quilt Show Sponsor Ribbons	\$104.25
Quilt Show Venue	\$4,100.00
Sunshine and Shadows	\$0.70
TOTAL Expenses	\$5,084.80
Ending Total in Checking Account	\$7,291.45
TOTAL OF ALL 3 ACCOUNTS	\$32,881.09



THE AWARDS! THE SET-UP! THE DISPLAYS! THE GUILD STORE!
THE QUILTS! ALL OF THIS & MORE IN NEXT MONTH'S
NEWSLETTER...DON'T MISS IT!!

Don't forget to send a wrap-up of your experiences if you held any chair position for the quilt show!

Send in by May 12th to cassie1217@hotmail.com

Who
Would
YOU
like
to
see??

Do you have a favorite quilter or artist that you would like to see present at a guild meeting? If so, Lori Jones wants to hear from you! Lori is our Program

Coordinator and she would love to get some fresh ideas on who to have speak and inspire us.

Contact Lori by email at alliancelori@aol.com.

Also, Lori needs a helper! If you would like to lend a hand in coordinating our monthly programs, give her a shout!



Lovina Payton is currently in hospice careRaija Salomaa recently underwent surgeryJo Kelly's stepson had a quadruple bypass

2017 QUILT Retreat to the Hills - NEW VENUE! a note from liz ewing

Amy Rollins and I visited Camp Egan which is located East of Tahlequah, OK 26633 HWY 62. It is a Methodist Camp and Retreat Center located in the rolling hills of Eastern Oklahoma. Travel time from NWA, depending on where you live, is from 45 minutes to 1 hour 30 minutes. Most of that is on four lane road until you get to Westville, OK and turn West on to HWY 62. The two lane road is well maintained and has little traffic.

The main room (sewing room) and hotel style rooms are located under one roof. It has a **small kitchen** with a refrigerator and ice machine. The **sewing room** is huge and has excellent lighting. They have about 30 long tables and plenty of chairs. There are **two small areas with leather chairs** and couch where people can sit comfortably to do handwork/knitting. The small

sitting areas also have great lighting. **Each room** has a bathroom, two single beds and one queen. Linens and towels/washcloths are provided.

The fee depends on how many people in a room. Four per room plus 6 meals will run about \$130 per one person. One per room plus 6 meals will be about \$240. They do have 2 handicap rooms.

The **dining hall** is the next building over and has an elevator to go to the dining room down stars. Food is served cafeteria style.

They do provide for special dietary needs if given that information a week before the retreat. They do NOT use any nuts in their kitchen and do provide food with diabetics in mind. I understand that they do have a salad bar at lunch and dinner and a yogurt bar at breakfast.

We can have the building for 3 whole days- all day Friday, Saturday and Sunday afternoon until 3 pm. It does not have wifi and the connectivity is spotty...They do provide a land line should you need to make contact with the outside world.

If you are interested in attending the retreat, I need to know which dates you like. They are holding these dates open until we decide which one our membership prefers.

Dates are:
August 25-27

or

DECEMBER 1-3

(BOTH ARE FRIDAY - SUNDAY)

Please contact me at liz1111ewing@cox.net, liz4018ewing@gmail.com, or cell 479-531-3441 with your preferred date and any questions.



sewing room

GUILD MEETING MINUTES

SUBMITTED BY ROSE LAWRENCE

Q.U.I.L.T. Guild Meeting St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Springdale, AR Thursday, March 23rd, 2017

President Kathy Garringer called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. and welcomed 86 members; 5 new members; Kathleen Thompson, Joy Williams, Susan Whorton, Glenda Stephens and Rex Reynolds; and 3 guests; Nora Jones, Joe Ann Conlan, Joyce Daniel.

Sunshine & Shadows:

Paula Mariedaughter Jeannie Schneider Raija Salomaa

Tonight's Program: Lori Jones

Lori introduced tonight's speaker Donna Harrison, Quilt Judge from Wichita, Kansas – 'What I Look for in Judging' Some of the things that Donna looks for in her judging is, do you have a square quilt, does your center match up, do you have darker seams showing through to other piece, do you have pet hairs on your quilt, composition of your quilt. She looks at all parts of the binding, is there any puckering, does your batting fill out the binding, hand stitching and are your corners mitered 45 degrees.

Donna has always been fascinated with her grandmother's quilts. The first quilt she made was for her daughter and she hand tied it, her second one was a queen sized log cabin and she decided to hand quilt it. For ten years she made only queen sized quilts not realizing that you could make other sizes. After a several years she bought herself a long-arm quilting machine. She brought several quilts to show the guild, some were old, some appliqued and others were pieced, but each one was beautiful.

Future Programs

April 27th – Donna Werner, How to Build a Successful Stash

May 25th - Airing of the Quilts

Announcements before Break

Quilt Show Winners: Roxanne Birchard

Children's Quilts – Tonya Liffingwell 'Imagine Hope' Best of Show – Carla Gay 'Atomic Bloom' Judges Choice – Barbara Hamernik 'Farm Girls Go Red & White'

There are still spots available for quilt appraisals.

Therese Ramsey mentioned she has about 60-65 quilts for the auction.

Volunteer Opportunity

Get with Kathy Garringer if you are interested to help at Randall G. Lynch Middle School. The East Lab Class are really enjoying learning to make quilts and the ones they are making will be given to the Children's Hospital.

APRIL 2017

Business Meeting:

Karen Harmony made a motion to approve the February 23rd Guild minutes as printed in the March Newsletter and Lois Logan made the second. President Kathy called for a voice vote, hearing no nays, ruled the motion passed.

Betty McKee made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report from February as printed in the March Newsletter and Charlotte Ralston made the second. President Kathy called for a voice vote, hearing no nays, ruled the motion passed. The Treasurers Report will be filed for audit.

2017-2019 Officer Nomination:

President: David Moran

Vice President: Tina Lockwood

Secretary: Cindy Peter Treasurer: Jeanne Rohde

Quilt Show Co-Chairs: Laura Speer & Roberta Harris

Grace Grame made a Motion to approve the nominated Slate of Officers and Karen Harmony made the second. President Kathy called for a voice vote, haring no nays, ruled the motion passed.

Reminders:

The next Board meeting is Monday, April 3rd, 2017 at Wendy's in Springdale at 5:45 p.m. and all members are invited to attend.

The next guild meeting is Thursday, April 27th, 2017.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 p.m., followed by Show & Tell.

GUILD BOARD MEETING MINUTES

SUBMITTED BY ROSE LAWRENCE

Quilt Guild Board Meeting Wendy's, Springdale, AR Monday, April 3rd, 2017

Meeting was called to order at 5:51 pm by Kathy Garringer. Members present were David Moran, Barbara Hamernik, Cassie Robinson & Brooklyn McCready, Betty McKee, Roxanne Birchard, Roxanna Juergens, Lori Jones, Roberta Harris, Janice Berry, Tina Lockwood and Rose Lawrence.

Treasurer's report: Roxanna JuergensReview of financial report and budgets,
Board Approved.

Quilt Show funds: it was discussed how much each section of the quilt show would need in cash; Roxanna will get the money and give out Friday morning.

Properties: need to get account set up for David.

Board approved paying \$50.00 for the ad for the booklet for Quilt Congress

Lori Jones made a motion for Board Members to get access to the Tax ID number for future needs, Cassie Robinson made the second. Board approved.

Newsletter: Cassie Robinson

Deadline for turning in information is April 12th.

Cassie presented the Board with a request from a member that wishes to run ads in our guild Newspaper, the board agreed with the following motion. Roxanna Juergens made a motion to begin offering advertising in the guilds Newsletter in June, 2017; cost each month will be \$20 for a half page and \$30 for a full page. Roxanne Birchard seconded. Board approved.

Programs: Lori Jones

April 27th – Build Your Stash – Jill Werner, Art Quilter May 25th – Airing of the Quilts/new officer installation June 21st – WorkShop with Jacquie Gehring, Super Nova from 9-3pm

June 22nd - Jacquie Gehring

Cuddly Quilts: Janice Berry, Lou McCellan, Diana Gilchrist

Janice is going to try and set up a Workshop at NTI for May. She also mentioned that she will be quitting Cuddly Ouilts.

Quilt Show: Roxanne Birchard

Roxanne reported that the banners for the Quilt Show will be put out on Wednesday. We received a \$100 gift

card donation from Wal-Mart. This money will be used as an expense while purchasing supplies for the show.

Retreat to the Hills: Liz Ewing

Liz is going to be in charge of this retreat, but it will not be one that is run through our Guild. More information will be provided at a later date.

Sunshine & Shadows: LoVina Payton

Paula Mariedaughter
Jeanne Schneider
Jo Kelly's stepson had quadruple bypass

Super Saturday Sew-In: Amy RollinsMay 20th – Toni Fenton, First Presbyterian
Church in Rogers

Vendors: Betty McKee

Vendor list update and given to David Moran

Carol Gray Estate Sale: to benefit the American Cancer Society. Her husband said he might need some help in getting this ready to sell. He would like to hold this at the next Guild meeting.

Membership: Barb Hamernik

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Barb reported membership numbers are 153 and we had 92 members at the meeting in March.

Donation: Kathy Garringer

The Guild received a donation of \$101.25 from Kathy Rose yard sale.

Quilt Congress 2017: Kathy Garringer

Jan Krentz and Raija Salomaa – October 25, 26, 27, Southside Church of Christ Chairman Kathy Garringer, they will meet and have a walk through on April 10th.

Possible Name: "Quilting with the Stars" Friday evening program – soap opera/reality show with award winners from our quilt show.

Vendors booths for Friday and Saturday: fee \$75.00.

Donation quilt for Quilt Congress: guild members will be able to be part of this and it would be a blended raffle quilt. More information will be given out at the next meeting.

Adjourned at 7:12pm

AREAEVENTS



Quiltfest 2017 Pieceful Friends presented by Hot Springs Area Quilt Guild

Friday, July 14th - Saturday, July 15th 10am to 4pm Hot Springs, AR

\$7 Entry Fee

NACQJ Judged Show

Over 200 Quilts on Display

Best of Show and 1st place prizes

Vintage Friendship Quilts display

Vendor Mall

Quilts of Valor Booth

Guild Boutique

Enter your Quilts: for Information and quilt entry forms, visit www.hsaquiltguild.com or contact Dottie Atkins at 501-760-2922



Two-Day Seminar!

September 15-16, 2017 Tulsa, Oklahoma

Glenpool Conference Center 12205 S. Yukon Ave., Glenpool, OK 74033

Early bird deadline: July 28, 2017 Registration deadline: September 1, 2017

Signup on Ricky's website

rickytims.com/quilt-luminarium/about-quilt-luminarium

A comprehensive quilt symposium that demystifies seemingly complex concepts, teaches mastery of unique techniques, and harnesses the power of the ever-elusive muse of creativity.

www.facebook.com/RickyTims

Sponsored by Green Country Quilters Guild

LOCAL SHOPS & MORE

Patty's Quilting Market 1400 West Walnut Quarter Shopping Center Rogers, AR

The Quilt Market has several classes available:

On April 15th, Sandra Vinson will teach a **QUILLING** class. Class is \$30 which includes supply kit. Class begins at 10am.

On April 22nd, Grace Grame will teach **IRISH CHAIN** quilt. Class is \$30 and begins at 10am. Bring machine and call for a list of supplies 479-340-2757.

On May 20th, Beverly Spencer will teach **BARGELLO** Lap quilt. Class is \$35, includes pattern. Call for a list of supplies 479-340-2757...

THANK YOU,
PATTY'S QUILTING MARKET.
479-340-2757.

Your
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could
be
here!

See page 12 for more info

NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

Q.U.I.L.T Guild of NWA

Dear Q.U.I.L.T. Advertiser,

Welcome to a wonderful advertising opportunity to reach the members of Q.U.I.L.T. Guild of NWA! Our newsletter reaches our current member base on a monthly basis with news pertaining to our guild. Your advertisement can reach them too!

Below you will find the various ad sizes and their associated costs. Please return the bottom portion with your advertising wishes. Please send your ad copy to the email listed below in .png, .jpg or .pdf formatting.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Cassie Robinson (Newsletter Editor) by email at cassie1217@hotmail.com or by phone at 479.225.2380.

Newsletter Advertising Rates

1 Issue 12 Issues

1/4 page \$10 \$100

1/2 page \$20 \$200

full page \$30 \$300

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LOCAL GUILDS & SMALL GROUPS



Dogwood **Quilters**

WHERE:

1st Saturday of the First United Methodist

WHO:

Suzy Mathews, Month, 9:30am - 3pm Church, Siloam Springs dogwoodquiltersguild@gmail.com

(bring a sack lunch)



Anytime Stitchers WHEN:

3rd Wednesday of the Month (except Nov & Dec), 10am

WHERE:

First United Methodist Church, Bella Vista

WHO:

Retha Kiphen, rethakiphen@sbcglobal.net



Loose **Threads** WHEN:

1st Wednesday of the Month, 9:30am

WHERE:

Washington Co. Extension Office, Fayetteville

WHO:

Carla Gay, 479-305-8336



Modern

WHEN:

3rd Tuesday of the Month, 6:30pm

WHERE:

Rogers Historical Museum, Rogers WHO:

Elizabeth Ray, elizabethkray@gmail.com



NWA **Up in Arms** Longarm Guild

WHEN:

2nd Wednesday of the Month, 1pm - 3pm

WHERE:

Southside Church of Christ, Rogers

WHO:

Carol Osburn, 806-220-4007



Pieces 'N **Patches**

WHEN:

1st Monday of the Month, 12:30pm (lecture); 3rd Monday of the Month, 10am (workshop)

WHERE:

First Presbyterian Church, Rogers

WHO:

Sharon Phillips, dlsjphillips@gmail.com



Calico Cut-Ups WHEN:

4th Monday of the Month, 1pm

WHERE:

First United Methodist Church, Bella Vista

WHO:

Grace Moritz, amazinstitches@gmail.com



Sew Happy **Quilters**

WHEN:

2nd Saturday of the Month, 10am - 2pm WHERE:

Harris Baptist Church, Elkins

WHO:

Martha Brown, 479-387-8138 or dardabrown@msn.com