

Flying Needles






LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Hello All!

Well here it is a cold and dreary day, I have a friend in the St Louis area who told me it started snowing at noon on Friday, and it's still snowing at noon on Sunday! Glad they got it instead of us.

I've been busy working on a top and have one more row to sew together and then add to the rest and the 1st top of



				
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*NEXT MEETING JANUARY 24TH AT
St Thomas Episcopal Church*

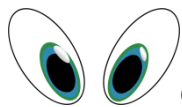
the year 2019 will be done! Do you make New Year's resolutions about quilting and finishing things? I usually do and by about March they're in a box with a unfinished project. The New Year is a time for fresh starts and new beginnings!

The meeting this month is presented by Dorie Hruska on the 24th. The workshop she is giving on the 25th is on free motion quilting on a domestic machine, and is a bargain at \$20.00 a person. If you're interested contact Tina Lockwood and sign up. The Quilt Show is about 3 months away! It's hard to believe that it's almost here. Susan Cleveland is our guest teacher and will have classes on Friday and Saturday. If you're interested, contact Laura Speer to sign up. Space is limited and it won't be long before it is open to the public. The Challenge this year is "Curl up with a Good Book." I hope everyone is working on a piece to enter in it.

Well I'd better run and get a few things started before I decide to take a nap.

David Moran

RESOLUTIONS AND REMINDERS



Our membership drive continues through January, we would like to get all of the renewals in by January 30, 2019 for the directory printing. We currently have 42 members that have renewed, that leaves over 100 of you that have not renewed for 2019. I will hi-light (in grey) the paid members on our January sign-in sheet as a reminder. Please bring your dues to the January meeting or

you can mail the check to me. My address is on the Membership form included in this newsletter. If you do not currently have a photo in the directory, please e-mail a photo to me – nothing fancy, just a simple head shot and I will include it in the directory (this is optional – but helpful for all us to get to know each other), please indicate that it is for the directory so I don't delete the e-mail in error. Mikki Stone, Membership

BOARD MEETING January 7, 2019

1. Permission for a vendor of *charms for scissor fobs* to set up a sale table at the guild meeting. Voted YES.
2. Finances
 - a. Budget 2018
 - b. Proposed Budget 2019
 - c. Profit and Loss Statements as listed in the newsletter
 - d. Balance sheets
3. Only 40 members have renewed as of today.
4. Download form for the quilt show advertisements in the q/s book
5. Quilt Show Items
 - a. Insurance for the show @ \$200.00
 - b. Stage
 - c. Chairs
 - d. Tables
 - e. Caterer
 - f. There are 4 restrooms at the venue
 - g. Registration for the class from Susan Cleveland opens next week.
6. Programs:
 - a. January 24: Dorie Hruska
 - i. Forever-quilting.com
 - ii. Workshop Friday January 25
 - iii. Location Emmanuel Lutheran Church
 - iv. Class Fee \$20.00
 - b. February 28: Leo Ranson – Portrait Shading

March 28: Lisa Erlandson, who is also the judge for the quilt show

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The pattern for the Super Saturday Sew-In on **February 16th is "Summer in the Park." More details will be available at the January meeting.

**The Quilt Show planning committee will be meeting at the Springdale Public Library on the 3rd Monday of January-March at 6pm. All interested in helping are invited to attend.

****January Guest Speaker:**

Dorie Hruska,

Website www.Forever-quilting.com

Dorie began like many of us, sewing clothing, then became interested in quilts, especially Hexies . Her quilts exhibit intense texture, and her trunk show promises to be a real showcase!

In 2006, after discovering a love for Hexagons, she started designing patterns and teaching classes on her method of hand piecing hexagon designs. Her quilt, Flourishing Garden, featuring layered hexagon has won multiple awards including Best Machine quilting at the Ozark Piecemakers 2011 quilt show in Springfield Missouri.



I would like to post a thank you note.

I would like to thank all those who sent prayers are good wishes to me on the passing of my

mother, Alberta Ann Baxter (Bert).

After I left home Mom moved into a small community where she was surrounded by her family. Her grandmother had taught her to quilt. She learned quilting the old fashion way. Using clothing scraps, tearing fabric, tying for quilting.

I was 12 hours away in the 70's when this happened. We only talked on the telephone at Christmas because of the cost. An

hour was around \$70.00. So I did not learn from her. I was too busy with life. Fast forward to 2005 I saw an advertisement for beginning quilter classes. I signed up and fell in love with fabric, design, everything about it. My Mother and I finally connected.

Thanks to my quilting friends for being my family, I love and treasure all of you.

Roxanne Birchard

Q.U.I.L.T. of NW Arkansas
01/09/19 Profit and Loss Budget Overview
January through December 2019

****PLEASE REVIEW THIS BUDGET. WE WILL VOTE TO APPROVE IT AT THE GUILD MEETING!****

Ordinary Income/Expense		Office Supplies	300.00
Income		Post Office Box Rental	70.00
Super Saturday Sew-In Income	200.00	Postage	25.00
Cuddly Quilts Donation	10.00	Total Administrative Expense	692.00
Advertising Income			
Membership Directory	196.00	Awards and Grants	550.00
Total Advertising Income	196.00	Cuddly Quilts Expense	125.00
Interest Earned	150.00	Membership Expense	
Membership Income		Directory Printing	450.00
Membership Dues	3,500.00	Newsletter Postage	50.00
No Badge Fee		Newsletter Printing	75.00
Q.U.I.L.T. Pins	2.00	Total Membership Expense	575.00
100.00		Programs Expense	10,000.
Total Membership Income	3,602.00	Properties Expense	
Newsletter Income		Hanger Ribbon & D-Rings	
Newsletter	60.00	Slat Wall Hangers	376.00
Newsletter Income - Other	0.00	250.00	
Total Newsletter Income	60.00	Storage	1,800.00
Program Income		Total Properties Expense	2,426.00
Workshop Income	1,400.00	Publicity Expense	
Total Program Income	1,400.00	Blog	40.00
Quilt Show Income		Total Publicity Expense	40.00
Class Registration Income	1,000.00	Quilt Show Expense	
Advertising	1,615.00	Cleaning	300.00
Booth Rental	1,200.00	Guest Speaker	3,000.00
Quilt Rafe Sales		Furniture Rental	2,000.00
Quilt Show Income - Other	2,000.00	Venue Rental	2,500.00
18,000.00		Venue Insurance	200.00
Total Quilt Show Income		Post Cards	450.00
23,815.00		Supplies	25.00
Total Income	29,433.00	Total Quilt Show Expense	8,475.00
Expense		Raffle Expense	
Administrative Expense		Raffle License	10.00
Bank Charges	50.00	Raffle Quilt Quilting	750.00
Bonding Insurance	121.00	Raffle Ticket Printing	425.00
General Liability Insurance	126.00		

Supplies	20.00	Venue Rental Expense	
Total Raffle Expense	1,205.00	General Meeting	750.00
<i>Special Program Expenses</i>		Super Saturday Sew-In Exp...	200.00
Round Robin		Total Venue Rental Expense	950.00
Pizza Boxes	40.00	Total Expense	25,328.00
Total Round Robin	40.00	Net Ordinary Income	4,105.00
Total Special Program Expen...	40.00	Net Income	4,105.00
<i>Sunshine and Shadows Expe...</i>	250.00		

BIRTHDAYS: PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE

Carol	Osburn	Dec	9
Donna	Murray	Dec	12
Grace	Grame	Dec	13
Jo	Kelley	Dec	14
Joy C.	White	Dec	14
Carrie	Stolz	Dec	15
Brooklyn	McCready	Dec	17
Liz	Ewing	Dec	19
Sue	Reeves	Dec	20
Donna K.	Thomas	Dec	24
Natalie	McCrary	Dec	29
Grace	Owen	Dec	30

Carolyn	Vest	Dec	30
Carolyn S.	Sherry	Jan	5
Darlene	Pedersen	Jan	13
Mary	Knipe	Jan	20
Marda	Schafer	Jan	22
Suzanne S.	Tourtlot	Jan	22
Barbara	Hancock	Jan	27
Karen	Harmony	Jan	30
Elizabeth	Ray	Feb	3
Betty	Blyholder	Feb	5
Paula	Dutton	Feb	7
Georgiana	Domingo	Feb	9

Ann Marie	Steenneck	Feb	12
	Krein-Slikkers	Feb	15
Nora	Williams	Feb	15
Raymond	Robinson	Feb	18
Cassie	Krajewski	Feb	19
Brenda	Reaves	Feb	19
Joe Ann	Rice	Feb	27
Doree	Clark	Feb	29
Onetta	Harmon	Feb	29
Norene		Feb	29

SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

*****Jeanette Strickert's** mother **Dorleen Nolder** passed away a week shy of her 98th birthday in November. Please keep her family in your prayers.

*** "I finished the two weeks of radiation treatments, but the pain and numbness in my right arm and right hand continue to increase. CT scan in the near future may give us more information. I've been on the oral chemo for almost two years and the regular CT scans seem to indicate that tumor has not increased but the symptoms are worsening which creates a mystery. Good news is that the intense fatigue has not returned. I do have to pace myself."
Paula Mariedaughter

*****Janice Berry** passed away in Hospice care. We will miss Janice who has been one of our most willing workers in the guild. Always with a smile on her face and a big hug! Please remember her daughter **Brenda Krajewski** and her family in your thoughts and prayers.

***We also lost another member, **Bob Harmon**. Here is a note from his wife **Noreen**:

"Thank you so much for your thoughts and prayers. They have really helped with the shock of Bob's sudden passing. One day he was helping deliver a Quilt of Valor, the next morning he was struggling to breathe. Trip to ER and found his aortic valve was blocked. After 3 balloon procedures that failed, (they said he was so weak from struggling to breathe that he wouldn't survive open heart surgery) they finally tried the open heart surgery and didn't survive.

I am just numb right now but I have the assurance he was ready to go, so I am not grieving as those who don't have that hope. Again, thank you so much for your prayers. I am facing a lot of adjustments." **Noreen Harmon**.

Here's a text from **Lori Jones** about her husband **Jeff** who just received a stem cell transplant:

"Jeff is almost 4 days since his new "birthday" and doing well for having 0.1 white blood cells. He has no immunity for now and will have to have all his baby shots repeated in 6 months.

This has been an amazing journey at an incredibly busy hospital. I have made a friend with a sheik and almost had the guts to take a selfie with him for you gals:) His wife is a patient here.

We are in the hospital now for probably another week and then will go back to the apartment for at least 2 weeks before heading back to Arkansas.

Our Address here is:

Jeff and Lori Jones
Vantage Medical Center Apt. #902
1911 Holcombe Blvd
Houston, TX 77030

Thank you all for the prayers, cards, and well wishes and also for the quilt blocks! I still don't have them together, but I know there are a couple more waiting in the mail at home and I don't want to leave any out!! I miss you all and we are both really looking forward to a nice spring in Arkansas with family and friends!!!"



Wonderful news **Lori** and **Jeff**! Cheers from your fan club here in Arkansas!

Here's hoping we have more sunshine next newsletter! If you have Sunshine or Shadow please let me know so we can send a card as well as let your quilting friends know. Joe Ann Reaves

2019 QUILT SHOW

Handsome Hand Quilting: Handmade with Needle & Thread



The team of Joan Beyette and Paula Mariedaughter is pulling together a special exhibit on hand quilted quilts for the show in April. Please consider loaning a hand quilted piece to include in this exhibit. Contact Joan or Paula to make arrangements. We want to display lots of quilts!

Special Exhibit: Hand quilting offers a unique texture that machine quilting cannot duplicate. Please examine the detail and admire the skills used in all these hand quilted quilts! Some quilters have a profound kinship with the needle and thread which they use to manipulate miles of thread to secure the three layers of a quilt together. Most hand quilters have a favorite thimble she considers part of the tools she uses to create her stitches that grow into designs. Some of these quilts are antiques. Others are contemporary. A few of the quilts are TimeSpan quilts meaning they were begun by one woman and finished by another woman later.



The Quilt Show is coming up very quickly. All of this information can be found on our website as well -- <https://quiltguildnwa.edublogs.org>. You can also contact Laura Speer or Roberta Harris.

1. Go to our website to register your quilts – registration open until March 1st.

@@@There will be someone at the meeting with a laptop to help you with registration if you need help,

2. Registration for the classes at the quilt show will be available at the January meeting. If you cannot come to the meeting, contact Laura Speer to register.

At this time registration is open only to Q.U.I.L.T. members, but will open to all other interested people on Friday, January 25. The 3 hour class is limited to 20 participants.

The Saturday morning demo class does not have a limit. There is information and photos about this on our website.

3. The Small Quilt Auction – Adele Atha is taking donation quilts.
4. The Country Store – Janet Rice is taking the donations and will need help pricing them – please contact her if you can help.
5. Raffle Tickets – Please turn in the money if you have already sold your tickets. You may pick up more tickets at the Jan-Mar meetings.
6. Vendors - we have lots of new vendors at this show. Thanks to Roberta for getting all this together.

7. CHANGE OF VENUE! Don't forget that we are having the show at a new location - **Encore Event Center**. 1106 N Old Missouri Rd **Springdale, AR 72764**

STASH AND STOCK

Since we are looking for inspiration, Pinterest has a host of interesting creations! Some of these little projects look easy and "distinguishable."

<https://hellocreativefamily.com/5-minute-kleenex-holder-sewing-projec-inspired-by-babylock-at-snap/> (Pocket Tissue Holder)

<https://www.incolororder.com/2011/09/guest-post-holiday-bake-craft-sew.html> (Cup Cozy)

<https://firstlightdesigns.com/?p=6726> (Rotary Cutter Coat)

ADVERTISING + SERVICES

I am opening my own longarm quilting shop, "Laurie's Longarm Quilting & More". I have worked with Pat Coppola at Village Quilting for the past 10 years and she, I feel, has taught me well. I won't officially start until after Village Quilting finishes up business, but I will be in the same building, the northern end, #103. I am able to take in quilts at this time so I'll be ready to start up quickly. For now, you can call me at my new number, 479-321-0456, or see me at Village Quilting. Thank you and I hope to be able to work with you on your quilting projects.

Laurie McCracken



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Membership



New ____ Renewal__ 80+__ 18 or younger ____

Date_____

Name_____

(Please Print)

Address_____

City _____ State _____ Zip_____

Home Phone_____ Cell_____ Work_____

E-Mail Address_____

Birthday: Month____Day ____ Are you on Facebook ?

Program Suggestions: _____

Contact Box APP Yes ☐ No ☐ Maybe (need to know more) ☐

Please send completed membership form and check or money order for **\$25.00 annually or \$15.00 from July 1st to Dec 31st. Under 18 dues are \$10.00.** Please make payable to **Q.U.I.L.T. Of NW AR.**

Can mail to:

**Mikki Stone
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Bella Vista, AR 72715
479-366-5959**

Dues **must** be paid by January 30, 2019 for your name and information to appear in the next year's directory.

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Date Paid_____ Cash _____ Check #_____ Amount Paid \$_____

Member Kit_____ Directory ____ Newsletter_____ Photo Taken ____

Notes _____

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