

BOB-BOB-BOBBIN' ALONG



A message from our President

My March Madness Mavins!

It's that time of year of college basketball playoffs, daylight savings, spring break and the amazing beauty of spring! Such a time of change! Our winter has been so mild that the transition is hardly noticeable.

Our guild is experiencing a big change this month. Our meeting will not be at our usual place due to Easter services at

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St. Thomas. We will be meeting at Southside Church of Christ, 919 S. Dixieland, Rogers. Our meeting room is the gym located behind the church. There is a covered driveway between the church and the building and you will go in the west entrance there. There is parking on both sides of the building. If you want to help set up chairs, please come at 4 and join us! We have a national speaker coming. I have heard of Jacquie Gering for many years so I am excited to see her in person. There will be a \$5 charge for visitors. If you want to eat dinner with Jacquie that will be at 4:45 at Abuelo's, 4005 W Walnut, Rogers.

We had a great time at the Cuddly Quilts for Kids Workshop! We actually got a lot of quilting done, also. Janice Berry and Lou McClellan did a great job organizing the event. There was fun, food, friends and frenzied sewing!

I am looking forward to my Super Saturday Sew-In April 16 with my Queen's Apprentices. I plan to turn unassuming novice quilters into Super Duper Quilters! Join us! I have already sent out homework. I blame it on No Quilter Left Behind (that's for all my teacher friends)! Email me if you want to join us and I will send you Homework! I know--a dream come true!

Your Very Mad, Mad Majesty,

Kathy



Groups



7:00 PM

SOUTHSIDE CHURCH OF

CHRIST

ROGERS

EMPORARY

VENUE

NO

SNACKS

MARCH MEETING



SPEAKER:

JACQUIE GERING

"Rethink Quilting"

Jacquie Gering is known for her "out of the box" designs and unique style. Her work has been featured in both national and international publications, and she is the co-author of *Quilting Modern: Techniques and Projects for Improvisational Quilts.* Jacquie is a passionate advocate for modern quilting and brings 30 years of teaching, staff development and leadership experience to the Modern Quilt Guild Board. As co-founder and former president of the Kansas City Modern Quilt Guild, she helped build a dynamic, vital guild and her experience in guild structures, membership and programming is an asset to developing the MQG at the national level. She is now a member of the Chicago MQG. Jacquie blogs and shares her quilting knowledge on her popular blog, Tallgrass Prairie Studio and lives in downtown Chicago with her husband and black lab, Bruno.

MEETING CHANGE...

at Southside Church of Christ in Rogers



BIRTHDAYS



MARCH 24TH

"Rethink Quilting' presented by Jacquie Gering

MARCH 25TH

"Supernova" Workshop taught by Jacquie Gering

APRIL 28TH

"Stories and Trunk Show" presented by Jane Anderson

MAY 21ST

Super Saturday Sew-In: "TBD" taught by Grace Grame

MAY 26TH

"Airing of the Quilts" to be held at Loneta Blevins' home • 3302 Perry Rd, Rogers

2016CALENDAR

FINANCIAL REPORT

SUBMITTED BYROXANNA JUERGENS

February 1, 2016 to February 29, 2016

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Raffle Account to	date	\$6,645.02	
Quilt Backiı	ng	\$29.20	
Ending tota	ol in Raffle Account	\$6,615.82	
Money Market Acc	count	\$16,010.75	
Int	terest for February	\$1.27	
Total MM A	cct	\$16,012.02	
Checking Account		\$8,143.64	
Income			
Di	rectory Ads	\$192.00	
Me	embership	\$1,425.00	
MS	SQC Retreat	\$100.00	
Pro	ograms/Workshops	\$420.00	
TOTAL Inco	me	\$2,137.00	
Expense			
Ad	lministrative/Business Card	s \$53.44	
Me	embership/Directories	\$519.70	
Ne	ewsletter	\$52.96	
Pro	ograms	\$628.48	
Su	per Saturday Venue	\$50.00	
St.	Thomas Episcopal	\$150.00	
ТОТАL Ехре	enses	\$1,554.58	
Ending Tota	al in Checking Account	\$8,726.06	
TOTAL OF ALL 3	ACCOUNTS S	31,353.90	
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MEMBERSHIP NEWS

WOW we are up to 160 members now!
We had 7 more renewals (look for information on The Queen's email) and one brand new member.

Looking forward to March's meeting with Jacquie Gering. She was here a few years back before her first book came out when she took the Modern movement by storm! The benefit of membership is that you get to hear her for free. Everyone else needs to pay \$5.

She is now nationally known and recognized.

If you didn't pick up your directory last month or renew, both will be available at the meeting.

See you there! Barb Hamernik



SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

Jeanie Schneider has taken her last chemo treatment LoVina Payton had a recent hospital stay with ulcers Kim Dickinson and her husband are not doing well Diane Eaton has a new granddaughter

JACQUIE GERING WORKSHOP

SUPERNOVA IMPROVISED STITCH AND FLIP TRIANGLES TECHNIQUE

We hope you have already signed up for the Jacquie Gering Workshop as it is SOLD OUT! But there is always a chance of someone not being able to attend at the last minute, so if you are interested, but haven't committed,

FRIDAY, MARCH 25TH 9AM-3PM

ROGERS PUBLIC LIBRARY CHANGE

> COST: \$45 MEMBER, \$50 NON-MEMBER

get your name on a waiting list. Email Lori Jones at alliancelori@aol.com to explore this option. For those of you that are on the list, join us on Friday, March 25th from 9am to 3pm at the B Sew-Inn in Fayetteville for this wonderful workshop.

Modern quilter Jacquie Gering will be teaching this workshop on the Supernova. Cost will be \$45 for members and \$50 for non-members.

This workshop combines simple sewing with a bit of color work

and improvisation to make the explosive Supernova quilt. The Supernova design takes advantage of the ability of the stitch and flip triangle block to create shape. As you make the quilt, you'll learn about the importance of using value differences to create a design with depth and movement as well as how

improvisation can

create variety and unexpected shapes which lead to a dynamic design. The Supernova quilt for this class finishes at 54" x 54".

Supplies needed for this workshop are listed below:

FABRIC

Background (beige*): 2 yds

Colorway #1 (blues*): ¼ yd (fat qtr) each of 6 coordinating prints or solids in varying values

Colorway #2 (oranges*): ¼ yd (fat qtr) each of 3 coordinating prints or solids in varying values & ½ yd each of 3 addt'l coordinating prints or solids in varying values

*FABRIC RECOMMENDATIONS: Beige background, oranges and blues are for example only and are based on the inspiration quilt. Feel free to choose the colors of your quilt based on your preferences. Monochromatic prints (prints that read as a single color) or solids work best in this design. Feel free to combine prints and solids in one guilt. It is important that your colored fabrics contrast with your background fabric.

TOOLS

Basic Sewing/Quilting Supplies Rotary Cutting/Pressing Tools



Cutting Mat Acrylic Ruler Pins Neutral colored sewing thread

OPTIONAL PRECUTTING:

From Background Fabric cut:

(54) 6 ½" x 6 ½" squares

From Colorway #1 cut:

(31) 6 ½" x 6 ½" squares

From Colorway #2 cut:

(54) 6 ½" x 6 ½" squares

**be sure to bring all of your leftover scraps...you will need them for stitch and flips

FINISHING MATERIALS:

(not needed for the class) Backing Fabric: 3 yds Binding Fabric: ½ yd

Batting: 60" x 60" piece of low-loft

cotton batting





The Queen's Apprentices facilitated by Queen Kathy Garringer

Join us on Saturday, April 16th from 9am to 3pm at the First Presbyterian Church in Rogers for the inaugural Queen's Apprentices

SATURDAY, APRIL 16TH 9AM-3PM

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
1901 SOUTH 26TH ST. ROGERS

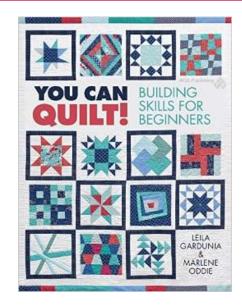
COST: \$10

Super Saturday Sew-In!

Our reigning Queen Kathy will be teaching this workshop! This is a workshop for novice quilters based on the book, You Can Quilt by Leila Gardunia and Marlene Oddie. The book is divided into Skill Building Sets which start with the basics and build into more complicated skills. Homework has already been sent to those who signed up, but there is still time to join us. Just email Kathy at kathygarringer@gmail.com. Hopefully this will become an ongoing, supportive, small group.

Cost will be \$10 for both members and non-members. We hope to see you there!

Supplies needed for this workshop are listed below:



TOOLS

You Can Quilt! book (available online and at local quilt shops)

Basic Sewing Supplies (list in the book) such as: Sewing Machine, Rotary Cutter, Cutting Mat & Ruler

FABRIC

Fat qtrs (¼ yd) are enough for most projects (see book)



I started quilting because I was in **total awe of the beautiful quilts that my mother-in-law, Darla Bates, made**. In fact, just recently I received a big box from her daughter of unfinished projects that she left behind when she passed. I hope I will be able to do these blocks justice and make quilts to give to back to Darla's great grandchildren.

Do you have a story? Send yours (in 4-5 sentences) to cassie1217@hotmail.com





one box of treasures

GUILD MEETING MINUTES

SUBMITTED BY ROSE LAWRENCE

Q.U.I.L.T. Guild Meeting St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Springdale, AR Thursday, February 25th, 2016

President Kathy Garringer called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m and welcomed 76 members; 4 guests: Barb Batz, LaVonne Clearman, Janice Blevins, and Katy Morgan and 6 renewals. She also welcomed our vendor Sew In Heaven from Fayetteville, AR

Sunshine and Shadows:

Jeannie Schneider - off Chemo now, waiting for results Kim Dickinson - her and her husband not doing well Carolyn Gaskill - send cards of encouragement. LoVina Payton - ulcers

Tonight's Program: Lori Jones

(Hearts and Hands - 19th Century Women & Their Quilts) This film represents a vital part of American history, the role played by women and their textiles in the nineteenth century. The many quilts the women made, the stories they told and the patterns they created such as the log cabin, FEBRUARY 2016 and crazy quilts to name just a couple are well-known and continued to be made to this day. They told stories of the great movements and events including the Civil War, the abolition of slavery, westward expansion, the suffrage and temperance of movements. In this film we were given an insight into the lives of extraordinary women such as Francis Willard and Abigail Scott Duniway. Francis Willard was an American educator, temperance reformer and women's suffragist. Her influence was instrumental in the passage of what became the WCTU (Woman's Christian Temperance Union) in 1879. Their colors were blue and white and the letter T was used in their quilts for the Temperance League. Abigail Scott Duniway, was an American woman's rights advocate, newspaper editor and writer and her efforts were instrumental in gaining voting rights for women. The New Northwest, a weekly newspaper devoted to women's rights, including suffrage. Her first issue published on May 5, 1871 and continued for 16 years. Quilts told their stories during this period of time.

Programs:

March 24th - Jacquie Gehring, Rethink Quilting This meeting will be held in the Southside Church of Christ in Rogers, located at 919 S. Dixieland. Go to the back building which is the Gym. (no snacks at this meeting) Workshop, March 25th: Supernova workshop is currently sold out but there is a waiting list you can add your name if interested and it will be held in the Rogers Public Library.

April 28th - Jane Anderson from Vinita, OK

Announcements:

Sherry Kelley brought freebies (materials, etc.)
Barbara Hancock brought fabric samples to pass out for projects like egg pincushions she brought as samples.

Jeannie Schneider – Loneta Blevins (entry for the Arkansas Treasure)

Jeannie interviewed Loneta for the Arkansas Treasures entry. She read the History of Loneta to the members and guests at the meeting, which outlined her many accomplishments and interests. Loneta was not the winner for the Arkansas Treasure but the Q.U.I.L.T Guild all voted her our Arkansas Treasurer.

Ozark Country Quilters:

The Ozark Country Quilters from Cassville, Missouri brought their raffle quilt and sold tickets. Their quilt show is scheduled for April 1st & 2nd.

Quilt Show – Roxanne Birchard The first meeting will be held on the 2nd Monday, March 14th at 5:45 p.m. at Wendy's in Springdale.

Super Saturday Sew-In:

April 16th – Kathy Garringer, Queen's Apprentices Kathy brought a signup sheet for members interested in taking this class. This class is for novice quilters or even advanced, and she wishes to build a group of new quilters to our group. The book she is using is "You Can Quilt" and the meeting will be held at the 1st Presbyterian Church in Rogers.

Cuddly Quilts for Kids Workshop:

March 12th at NTI, doors will be open at 8:30 am – bring food and there will be door prizes. 27 quilts were given out in January.

Retreat to the Hills:

October 7-9th at Eureka Springs, more details to follow later.

Calico Cut-Ups: 4th Monday

Pieces & Patches: March 7th "quilters use crayons" and March 21st

Modern Guild: March 15th, Ellen Medlock and workshop on 16th. 6:30 p.m.

Longarm Group, Up In Arms: 2nd Wednesday, March 9th at 1pm, Southside Church of Christ in Rogers.

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Eureka Springs Quilt Show: May 6 & 7th at their Convention Center.

Challenge Quilt for Quilt Show in 2017: Sheila Bayles "Who Done It"! she brought more "clues" given in the assigned packets. Minimum size 30" maximum size 40"

President's Challenge: Queen Kathy brought 51 fat quarters, sign up and use them to make something for the Quilt Show. Small quilt auction, country store, any show category and the guild will vote on them at the January meeting. The winner will receive a President's Basket of Goodies. If you take a fat quarter and don't make anything for the show then you need to donate \$5 to the guild at the January meeting.

Business Meeting:

Barb Hancock made a motion to approve the January 21st Guild meeting minutes and the February 1st Board meeting minutes as printed in the February Newsletter; Karen Harmony made the second. President Kathy called for a voice vote, hearing no nays, she ruled the motion passed.

Sonja Koch made a motion to approve the Treasurer's

Report from January, 2016 as printed in the February Newsletter; Roxanne Birchard made the second. President Kathy called for a voice vote, hearing no nays, she ruled the motion passed. The Treasurers Report will be filed for

Reminders:

The next Board meeting is Monday, March 7th, at Wendy's in Springdale at 5:45 p.m. and all members are invited to attend.

The first Quilt Show meeting is Monday, March 14th at Wendy's in Springdale at 5:45 p.m. and all members are invited to attend.

Membership & Door Prizes: Barb Hamernik Several members won great prizes.

The next Q.U.I.L.T. Guild meeting is Thursday, March 24th, 2016. Remember this meeting will take place at the Southside Church of Christ, 919 S. Dixieland in Rogers.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 p.m., followed by Show n Tell.

GUILD BOARD MEETING MINUTES

SUBMITTED BY ROSE LAWRENCE

Quilt Guild Board Meeting Wendy's, Springdale, AR Monday, March 7th, 2016

President Kathy Garringer called the meeting to order at 5:50 p.m.

Those present were: Kathy Garringer, Roxanne Birchard, Barbara Hamernik, Lori Jones, David Moran, Betty McKee, Cassie Robinson, Janice Berry and Rose Lawrence.

Treasurers Report:

Roxanna Juergens was absent at this board meeting but she emailed the February 2016 financial report to each board member to review and discuss. President Kathy went over the accounts and budgets. The Board reviewed the financial report and approved.

Newsletter: Cassie Robinson

FEBRUARY 2016 Deadline is the 12th of the month for articles to be placed in the Newsletter. Cassie stated she is trying to get her email list updated; she received a new list from Barb Hamernik and is working on it. Since she emails so many people she is down to just mailing out 5 newsletters in regular post. Cassie also mentioned that March 19th is National Day of Quilting.

Programs and Speakers: Lori Jones

March 24th- Jacquie Gering, Tallgrass Prairie Studio (alternate meeting location, Southside Church of Christ located at 919 S. Dixieland Rd in Rogers) When Kathy gets permission from the church, Rose will place a sign on the door in case some members didn't get the notice of the location change telling them where it's at. 4 p.m. is when they will begin setting up in Rogers and volunteers are needed both to set up chairs and put them away. Non-Members will have to pay a \$5 fee for this program and Therese Ramsey will fill in for Lori at this meeting.

April 28th – Jane Anderson Trunk Show - from Oklahoma May 26th - Airing of the Quilts, the board discussed ideas to encourage more members to attend this special event.

Kitchen Committee: Carolyn Sherry

Carolyn wasn't here but Kathy thought they were well stocked at this time with paper goods.

Library: Sheri Shaw

Sheri wasn't here but it was mentioned that we may have more books.

Publicity: Leeanna Walker

Leeanna wasn't here but things are going well.

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Blog: Sheila Bayles

Sheila wasn't here, remember to send her anything that needs to be included or corrected in the blog.

Cuddly Quilts for Kids: Janice Berry

Janice reminded everyone that March 12th at 8"30 a.m. at NTI will be the next workshop; don't forget to bring food and there will be door prizes.

Quilt Show 2017: Roxanne Birchard

Roxanne mentioned the label for the raffle quilt is being created then the quilt will be finished. The Quilt Show meetings will be held on the 2nd Mondays of the month. The first meeting is scheduled for March 14th - 5:45 p.m. at Wendy's by I-49 in Springdale.

Retreat to the Hills: Toni Fenton & Jennie Wehrenberg October 7-9th, 2016, is still the date; no other information available at this time.

Sunshine and Shadows: LoVina Payton

LoVina Payton – ulcers

Jeannie Schneider – has taken last chemo treatment

Super Saturday Sew-In: Amy Rollins
April 16th - Kathy Garringer (The Queen's Apprentices)
1st Presbyterian Church in Rogers
May 21st - Grace Grame
August 20th - Paula Mariedaughter
September 17th - Nora Krein

Vendors: Betty McKee

Scheduling vendors will be discussed each month at the Board meetings and decided.

Membership & Directory – Barbara Hamernik

We currently have 164 members. Barb will send out via email contact information on our newest members that joined after the directory was printed.

Other Business:

Storage – Barbara Hamernik

We currently have a storage unit 10x15 that we rent for \$85. We need to find another location that is cheaper but still secure. Cassie will look into this and report back at the next meeting her findings.

President's Challenge – Kathy Garringer Kathy brought 51 fat quarters at the last meeting and she still has some left over, she will bring those to the next guild meeting.

Quilt Congress in 2017 – Kathy Garringer Kathy mentioned she is talking with people to help with this and also the venue where it will be

located. This will be discussed again at the next meeting. Next Board Meeting:

The next board meeting will be Monday, April 4th, 2016 - 5:45 p.m. at Wendy's by I-49 in Springdale.

Board meeting adjourned at 6:47 p.m. Several members have not renewed. The directory is going well.

Other Business:

Presidents Challenge – Kathy Garringer She has some ideas on this fun challenge and will be giving out more information at a later date.

Quilt Congress in 2017 – Kathy Garringer Kathy mentioned someone will need to be in charge, we need help with it. This will be brought up at the next meeting.

The next board meeting will be Monday, March 7th at 5:45 p.m. at Wendy's by I-49 in Springdale.

Board meeting adjourned at 6:45 p.m.



Mark Your Calendar! And QUILT away!

Spend this Saturday (March 19th) celebrating the National Day of Quilting! Take a snapshot of how you spend the day and send to cassie1217@hotmail.com for a feature in the April newsletter!

AREAEVENTS



Quilts - Enduring Treasures Quilt Show presented by Eureka! Quilters

Friday, May 6th - Saturday, May 7th 9am - 4pm Admission: \$5 Eureka Springs, AR

Come to Eureka for Mother's Day and May Festival of the Arts and enjoy The Art of Quilting. Eureka! Quilters will present a Quilt Show with more than 150 quilts on display, special exhibits and demonstrations with our featured "Treasures"- locally well-known teachers & quilters. Shop with our vendors, buy chances to win our "Opportunity Quilt", and other goodies.

This a wonderful addition to your 2016 Mother's Day weekend!

Contact Margy at thousandpinesmargy@gmail.com for more info.



Ozark Country Quilters Quilt Show

Friday, April 1st 9am-5pm & Saturday, April 2nd 9am - 3pm

Admission: \$5 Cassville, MO

Call 479.359.1356 for more info

Norman Area Quilters Guild Quilt Show

Friday, April 8th & Saturday, April 9th 9am - 5pm

Norman, OK

Visit normanareaquiltersguild.blogspot.com for more info

SPRING FLING

March 31, April 1 & 2, 2016

Thur.-Sat.



9am-6pm



This year we will once again have an Apple Blossom Print and a special background print by Quilting Treasures Fabrics exclusively for our shop hop. The colors this year are teal and purple.

Available <u>ONLY</u> from Spring Fling shops!

Register and pick up your FREE PASSPORT at any participating shop during this 3 day event. Be sure to have your passport stamped at each shop.

Passports stamped at ALL participating shops will be eligible for the drawing for the Grand Prizes

PRIZES:

Grand Prize Basket filled with goodies \$500 value
Velocity Compact Generator Iron—\$220 value
Ott Lamp and Caddy—\$65 value
Portable Ironing Board—\$43 value
Scissor Set—\$30 value
7 - \$50 Gift Certificates (one from each shop)

Participating shops listed on reverse side

Participating Shops:

CROOKED CREEK QUILTS

479-996-5808 1736 W. Center Greenwood, AR 72936 www.crookedcreekquiltshop.com

MAMA'S LOG HOUSE

479-928-1600 or 883-0254 3715 E. Clarks Chapel Rd. Huntington, AR 72940 www.mamasloghousequiltshop.com

THE QUILT CORNER

479-298-3006 110 S. Hibler St. Sulphur Springs, AR 72768

THE RABBIT'S LAIR

479-636-3385 116 S. 1st St. - Historic Downtown Rogers, AR 72756 www.therabbitslair.com

SAGER CREEK OUILTS & YARNWORKS

479-524-5244 304 E. Central Siloam Springs, AR 72761 www.sagercreekquilts.com

SEW A STITCH

479 621 0000 1311 W. Hudson Rd. Rogers, AR 72756 www.sewastitch.com





June 16-18, 2016

10am - 5pm Century II Expo Hall

Admission: Wichita, Kansas

\$10 per day

LOCAL GUILDS & SMALL GROUPS



Dogwood Quilters

WHEN:

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)



Nyte Time Quilters

WHEN:

3rd Monday of the Month, 6:30pm

WHERE:

United Lutheran Church, Bella Vista WHO:

Michele Lee Clark, michelemmc@cox.net



Loose **Threads** WHEN:

1st Wednesday of the Month, 9am

WHERE:

Washington Co. Extension Office, Fayetteville

WHO:

Carol Parrish, mtcomfort@cox.net



Modern

WHEN:

3rd Tuesday of the Month, 6:30pm

WHERE:

Rogers Historical Museum, Rogers WHO:

Therese Ramsey, therese.ramsey@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

WHO:

Alice McElwain, Church, Bella Vista alicequiltappraiser@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