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

QUILT GUILD OF NW AR  
PO Box 1364  
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<https://quiltguildnwa.edublogs.org>

NEXT MEETING March 28<sup>th</sup> AT  
St Thomas Episcopal Church

## LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Good Morning All!

Well here it is March and I think spring is right around the corner. What does everyone do in the spring? Work in the yard and plant some bulbs and maybe a road trip.

Hard to believe that the quilt show is in a couple of weeks! I always look forward to our quilt show, and this year it should be great! It's in a new venue in Springdale, and there are over 300 quilts to look at and get

inspired by. I would like to thank the Ladies of the quilt show Committee for the wonderful job and the hard work they have done to put this show together. The quilt show is in April and then the "Airing of the Quilts" in May.

Do you have new

projects in mind for the spring or will it be time to finish a project that's been neglected for a while? I have a few of those and several new ones to start.

Lots to do today so I'm going to get the day started so I can get them done and then enjoy the day.

David



Adele

Atha

March

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## MARCH BIRTHDAYS



David	Moran	March	10
Lora Ann	Neill	March	11
Pamela	Adamson	March	20
Lou	McClellan	March	21
Toni	Plake	March	24

## BOARD MEETING – MARCH 11, 2019

Members Present: David Moran, Mikki Stone, Roberta Harris, Laura Speer, Tina Lockwood, Joan Beyette, Donna Murray, Cindy Peter

Cuddly Quilts: Joan & Donna shared their visit with The Children's Hospital social worker and staff as reported later in this newsletter. We will continue outfitting Children's Hospital periodically while considering other sources of need in the area. Some of these include Magdaline Serenity House, Saving Grace, Peace at Home, Children's Advocacy Center, NWA Children's Shelter in Bentonville.

Membership: 129 members. Directories will be available at the March meeting.

Quilt Show: The presentation by Susan Cleveland on Saturday is a lecture/demonstration. Decision agreed upon by all board members to buy two "Wyze Lapse" motion detectors to monitor the entrances during the hours we are not open. The Banner for the front of the building has been ordered.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

<i>ASSETS</i>	
Checking/savings	
Money market account	\$32,922.67
Operating account	\$4,481.53
Raffle account	\$2,877.56
Total Checking/Savings	\$40,281.76
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>\$40,281.76</b>

<i>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</i>	
<b>EQUITY</b>	
Opening Balance Equity	\$41,054.00
Retained Earnings	-
	\$3,104.54
Net Income	\$2,332.30
<b>Total Equity</b>	<b>\$40,281.76</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	<b>\$40,281.76</b>

PROFIT & LOSS STANDARD – FEBRUARY 2019

## Ordinary Income/Expense

INCOME	
Advertising Income – Membership Directory	\$135.00
Interest Earned	\$30.28
Membership Income – Membership Dues	\$1225.00
Program Income – Workshop Income	\$250.00
Quilt Show Income – Workshop Income	\$95.00
Advertising	\$85.00
Booth Rental	\$1300.00
<b>Total Quilt Show Income</b>	<b>\$1,480.00</b>
Raffle Income	\$634.00
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>\$3,754.28</b>
EXPENSE	
Administrative Expense	\$29.50
Quilt Show Expense – Venue Insurance	\$257.09
Raffle Expense – Raffle Ticket Printing	\$131.40
Venue Rental Expense – General Meeting	\$150.00
Super Saturday Sew-In Expense	\$50.00
Total Venue Rental Expense	\$200.00
<b>TOTAL EXPENSE</b>	<b>\$617.99</b>
<b>NET ORDINARY INCOME</b>	<b>\$3,136.29</b>
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<b>\$3136.29</b>



## FEBRUARY GUILD MEETING

February 28, 2019

The meeting began with welcoming the members and guests, Sunshine & Shadows, and announcements regarding the MOKA meeting in April.

Quilt Show: Alice McElwain will appraise any and all quilts. Fee was not discussed.

The Nominating Committee: Joe Ann Reeves, Adele Atha, and Donna Murray recruited new officers for the next term.

Joe Ann Reeves read off the slate of proposed new officers for approval for the 2019-2020 term:

President	Laura Speer
Vice Present	Adele Atha
Treasurer	Tina Lockwood
Membership	Mikki Stone
Secretary	Cindy Peter
Quilt Show Chair	Barb Hamernick
Quilt Show Co-Chair	Kathy Garringer

Betty Workman made a motion to approve these candidates and Pam Adams



made a second. President David called for a voice vote, hearing no nays, ruled the motion passed. The official vote will be made at the March Guild Meeting.

**Betty Workman** shared her masterpieces with us. Her sons made some pretty complicated requests, but Betty proved she was up to the challenges! The two half square triangle quilts with white background were spectacular.

**Barb Hancock's** patterns were beads, circles, chains, shadows, window panes, circles, and her "H" quilt! She loves oriental patterns, and showcased them well.



**Margie Langanke's** quilts feature fabric art, appliqué, and LOTS of BEADS! Tassels adorned the elephants' blankets, and we marvel at the work she did on the rooster! The quilting looks just like chicken wire! Then there were all the tiny kimonos! Beautiful silks!

**Cuddly Quilts:** Joan Beyette read a letter to the guild written by Rebecca Neely, the social worker at Children's Hospital that ended up at the Goodwill in Springdale recently. When the representative came to pick up what they could not use, the person in charge was absent, and some of our quilts were taken by mistake. The following letter explains the situation.

Other organizations that welcome donation quilts are: Ronald McDonald House, Peace at Home, Children's Advocacy, and foster programs.

Business Meeting: Karen Harmony made a motion to approve the February Board Meeting Minutes as described in the February newsletter, and Diana Springer made the second. President David called for a voice vote, hearing no nays, ruled the motion passed.

## **CUDDLY QUILTS**

Dear Members,

I just want to follow up on last Thursday night's meeting and emphasize that this was an unfortunate—but innocent—mistake by the Children's Hospital. I may not have made that clear, and I know it's also difficult to hear when we're shocked and angry.

After the meeting one of our members told me she volunteers at the hospital and had arrived right after Donna and I left. She said the volunteer coordinator, the social workers, and the other staff who had heard about this were all devastated that it had happened. They had no idea, and they were not taking it lightly.

She also said the social worker in charge of the quilts had been out sick for three days when the bag of intended donations of unusable items was removed from the closet. The custodian was not aware that only one bag was to be picked up, so he just cleared the closet of all of the quilts. Our contact

member emphasized to me that the quilts are handed out, that *the staff love distributing them, and that the children love receiving them*. Our work certainly does not go unappreciated at Children's. The hospital gives quilts to other nonprofits only when they're smoke filled, dirty, torn, old, or too tiny even to cover newborns. Our quilts do not fit any of these categories. They do NOT evaluate our quilts in any other way.

Donna, Carrie, and I will meet with the hospital reps, as we said. We will also check on various other venues in the area. There are many people in need. In addition, we will meet with our board members to consult and keep them updated and to have them a part of the decision-making process.

I'm writing this because I hope we as a group will return to the joy of making these quilts of comfort for children who need comforted, wherever they may be, and move past this bump in the road. Helping

the kids is, finally, what we're all about with Cuddly Quilts.

Joan Beyette  
Donna Murray

## SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

### Sunshine

We are all happy that Lori and Jeff are now back home and recovering with family and friends. May each day bring new healing.

We are glad to report that "Amazing Grace" Grame is just that! Amazing. She came through her surgeries without missing a beat and is out and about into her usual mischief! Keep getting better each day.

### Shadows

Former president Rosie Davis's husband suffered a stroke and prayers are needed.

Carol Osburn has been diagnosed with cancer and will be undergoing surgery soon.

If you have a Sunshine or a Shadow please let me know so we can send a card as well as let your quilting friends know. Hug those you love and enjoy each day.

Please keep her in your prayers for healing.

Jeanette Strickert's sister passed away after a long illness. Please keep her family in your thoughts and prayers.

Denise Gelinas stepped on an icy deck and took quite a tumble. She suffered a broken femur and re-injured *the* knee she has had surgeries on. Keep her in your thoughts and prayers.

Tina Lockwood also took a tumble from a ladder while rescuing her cat. She has shattered her wrist and several other injuries as well. She had surgery and is healing nicely. Prayers for fast healing.



*Pick up your chance for the quilt show  
drawing of the Jazz Sewing Machine,  
with trolley, extension table, and an  
extra 17 foot kit in addition to the ones  
that come with the Jazz. \$1 each, \$5 for  
6, or \$25 for 30 chances. Roberta  
Harris*

**QUILT SHOW 2019**





1. Raffle Tickets: Please turn in money and ticket stubs and/or unsold tickets at the March QUILT meeting.
2. Janet Rice is still accepting items for the Country Store
3. Adele Atha is still accepting quilts for the Small Quilt Auction
4. A big thank you to Therese Ramsey for the beautiful thread and bead ropes she created to use at the quilt show (and beyond)
5. If you have not signed up to volunteer - please see Joe Ann Reaves (before she sees you)
6. There are still openings in the Susan Cleveland workshop - Piping Hot Curves – Friday 9-12; \$40 for members includes the kit.



It's close, everyone! We are going to have such fun. Laura Speer and Roberta Harris

## ***HANDSOME HAND QUILTING: HANDMADE WITH NEEDLE & THREAD***

THE TEAM OF JOAN BEYETTE AND PAULA EXHIBIT ON HAND QUILTED QUILTS FOR THE SHOW. PLEASE CONSIDER LOANING A HAND QUILTED PIECE TO INCLUDE IN THIS EXHIBIT. CONTACT TO DISPLAY LOTS OF QUILTS!



MARIEDAUGHTER IS PULLING TOGETHER A SPECIAL IN APRIL. PLEASE CONSIDER LOANING A HAND QUILTED JOAN OR PAULA TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS. WE WANT

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 TIME SPAN QUILTS MEANING THEY WERE BEGUN BY ONE WOMAN AND FINISHED BY ANOTHER WOMAN LATER.

We are excited about the quilt show to be held on Friday, April 5 and Saturday, April 6. The set-up will begin on Thursday, April 4 and all the information and times are listed on the sign-up sheets as well as the attachment to this newsletter.

Thanks for taking time to sign up at our last meeting but we still have many more places available. We did have more sign up this year than we usually do. Thanks!

We will have the sign-up sheets at the meeting so start thinking where you would like to volunteer. You will receive free admission to the quilt show on the day you volunteer for working 4

hours. Our sign-ups are for an hour each so you are free to work, to shop and to see the quilts as you choose.

Please invite your friends to help volunteer also. We have had many volunteers who enjoyed meeting new friends and later joined your guild. We have many spots to fill and welcome all volunteers.

Thanks for your help. Let's work together to make this our best quilt show ever! Please call me if you have any questions. Joe Ann Reeves 479-619-9204

## **Small Quilt Auction**

It's not too late to make a quilt or two for our Small Quilt Auction which takes place on Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup>, at the Quilt Show. We will still be accepting

your small quilts at the February 28<sup>th</sup> and March 28<sup>th</sup> guild meetings. The Auction is always a highlight of the Show, and bidding has been known to

be fierce! The Small Quilt Auction is one of several ways that the Quilt Show generates monies that are used over the next two years to bring in our

monthly programs and speakers. Join the fun by making something for the auction . . . and if you're lucky, you'll take home a small quilt made by someone else. No size is too small! We ask that each

quilt have a sleeve on the back for hanging at the show. Please fill out a form identifying your small quilt(s). The yellow forms are available at the check-in table at our monthly guild meetings or on our blog. For

quilt turn in and any questions, contact Adele Atha at (479) 409-6539.

## Tomorrow's Heirlooms XVII

6 pm – Show closes for the day

Q.U.I.L.T. of NW Arkansas 2019 Quilt Show

### Encore Event Center

1106 N. Old Missouri Rd, Springdale  
Arkansas

### Schedule of Events

Special Exhibits: Cuddly Quilts, Handsome Handmade Quilts – Old & New, Memorials, and Quilts of Valor

#### **Thursday, April 4 th :**

9-5(ish) -- Quilt Show setup

#### **Friday, April 5 th :**

8:30 – Students for Susan Cleveland's 9am class may enter to set up workspace

9 – Quilt show opens

9 to 12 pm – Susan Cleveland class: Piping Hot Curves (*Preregistration required*)

10 am to 2 pm – Spring Street Grill providing food

1 pm – Quilting Treasures (Bed Turning) – Joan Beyette, Paula

Mariedaughter, Lila Rostenberg, Sandra Vetter will be showing and talking about their quilts.

3 pm – Susan Cleveland will present "My Eclectic Quilt Pageant" (registration not

required)

#### **Saturday, April 6 th :**

9 am – Quilt Show opens

9:30 am to 11:30 am – Susan Cleveland lecture/demo: Quilt Bindings Simple to

Spectacular (\$10 per person – prepaid or at the door)

10:00 am – 2 pm – Spring Street Grill providing food

1:00 pm – Small Quilt Auction

3:00 pm – Raffle drawings for the quilt and the sewing machine package

4:00 pm – 2019 Show closes.

4:00 pm until finished – Take down the show, clean up the building area, etc.

Quilts may be picked up after the show has been taken down

Just a few reminders:

- Lots of vendors (check out our Facebook page to see who is coming)
- Alice McElwain, AQS Certified Quilt Appraiser – Contact Lori Jones for an appointment time
- Susan Cleveland – will be selling her quilting tools and signing her books

Thank you to all QUILT members, their families, and others who have helped or will help to make this show a success. Above all else – HAVE FUN! Laura Speer & Roberta Harris

## VOLUNTEERS: VOLUNTEERS TO BE:

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### SHOW HOURS ARE

FRIDAY, APRIL 5

9AM TO 6PM

And

Saturday, April 6

9am to 4pm

**REWARD:** YOU WILL RECEIVE FREE  
ADMISSION TO THE QUILT SHOW FOR  
WORKING A TOTAL OF FOUR HOURS EACH  
DAY!

QUILT HANGING

Thursday, April 4 at 10am

Quilt Rack & Quilt Take Down

Saturday, April 6 at 4pm.

Admission Table

Collect \$8 admission fee

Children 12 & under free.

No senior discount.

Creative Hands Shoppe

SELL! SELL!! SELL!!!

RAFFLE QUILT TABLE

SELL TICKETS

VOLUNTEER TABLE DUTIES:

DIRECT volunteers to their stations;

Hostess ribbons to be worn while volunteering.

SMALL QUILT AUCTION SET UP AND AUCTION

Set up – Thursday, April 4 at 11am.

Auction – Saturday, April 6 at 1pm.

AVAILABLE FOR FILL-IN

Let us know if you are available to fill in if needed.

WHITE GLOVES OR QUILT ANGELS

A really fun place to volunteer!

Duties include:

Monitor your assigned area;

NO FOOD OR DRINK;

Assist patrons wanting to see the back of quilts.

Remember: Oil from skin will damage quilt;

Protect quilts from ink stains;

Protect quilts from spills.

Most importantly – SMILE!

Call Joe Ann Reeves at 619-9204 cell, or e-mail at

[JoeAReaves@aol.com](mailto:JoeAReaves@aol.com) for the above sign-ups.





# MOKA

**MOKA ARKANSAS** - APRIL 12-13, 2019 – Entry Deadline: March 22, 2019

**Butterfield Trail Village: 1923 E. Joyce Blvd., Fayetteville, Arkansas**

Cost: \$35.00 per person for every MOKA attendee

Saturday lunch, snacks and drinks provided with Registration fee.

The Trials of Sunbonnet Sue

Hot NEW Stuff from 1930's

Show and Tell

Two international speakers!

❖ Linda Pumphrey – Author of *Mountain Mist Historical Quilts*

❖ Margo Krager - Owner/Designer of Reproduction Fabrics.com

For RESERVATIONS, CONTACT: CAROL BOURQUE>>> [CBOURQUE@GMAIL.COM](mailto:CBOURQUE@GMAIL.COM)

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MOKA-Missouri, Oklahoma, Kansas, Arkansas Quilt Study Group, is a regional quilt study group open to anyone interested in the study of quilts, quilt history, quilt patterns and quilt makers, past and present.

MOKA Quilt Study Group meetings are held two times a year at a location in one of the four states we represent.

Membership is open to all who are interested and there are no yearly dues. However, there is a fee to attend each meeting.

## DRIVING DIRECTIONS and MOTELS

From the North:

Take I-49 (71) South to Exit 67B (Johnson exit)  
Stay in the right lane to 71B South; stay in the right lane to stop light and turn right at that stop light onto Millsap Road; go about 300 yards to La Quinta on the right side.

**LaQuinta Inn** 749-587-8600

720 Millsap Rd., Fayetteville, AR 72703

Ask for MOKA room rate: \$99 per night + tax.

**Deadline is March 29, 2019**

**Sleep Inn** 623-209-7626

728 Millsap Rd, Fayetteville, AR 72703

Ask for MOKA room rate: \$89 per night plus tax

From LaQuinta Inn and Sleep Inn to Butterfield Trail Village

Take Millsap Road left to the stop light at 71B (College Ave.); turn left on 71B to Joyce Blvd.

Staying in the right lane and taking turnout to East Joyce Blvd; Turn right on Joyce for about 1 mile through 2 stop lights. After you pass Chambers Bank on your right, take the first

driveway to the right; 1923 E. Joyce Blvd, Butterfield Trail Village. \_\_

**Fairfield Inn**

755 E Van Asche Drive, Fayetteville, AR

479-551-9270 (or 315-560-3600)

Ask for MOKA room rate: \$119 per night + tax

**March 12 Deadline**

**Courtyard by Marriott** 479-571-4900

600 E Van Asche Dr. Fayetteville, AR

Ask for MOKA room rate: \$129 per night + tax.

**March 29 Deadline**

From Fairfield Inn and Courtyard to Butterfield Trail Village

Take Van Asche Drive to stop light; turn right onto Mall Ave and continue about one (1) mile to stoplight and turn right on Joyce Blvd; continue on Joyce Blvd about 1 mile through three (3) stop lights; After you pass Chambers Bank on your right side, take the first driveway to the right; 1923

Joyce Blvd, Butterfield Trail Village.

# MOKA QUILT STUDY GROUP – Arkansas Spring 2019

## Registration Form

Friday & Saturday, April 12 & 13, 2019

Butterfield Trail Village, 1923 East Joyce Blvd. Fayetteville, AR  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

Conformation email will be sent back to you. If no email, you will receive a call.

Per Person	\$35.00
Accompanying Guests or Spouse	\$35.00 per person
Total Enclosed	_____

A catered lunch on Saturday is included in the registration fee.

**Refund Policy:** Cancellations will be accepted for a total refund if received by the Treasurer (15) days or more before event. If cancellation is received 15 days or less, the registration fee will not be refunded.

Questions? Contact Ardith Wharry, 479-936-4026 or  
[ardith.wharry@gmail.com](mailto:ardith.wharry@gmail.com)

**Make check payable to: MOKA QUILT STUDY GROUP**

Send completed registration form to:

Carol Bourque, 33 Quantock Hills Dr., Bella Vista, AR 72715

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER**

**MARCH 22, 2019**

## 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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We are offering INDIVIDUALS or VENDORS an additional opportunity to participate in the upcoming Quilt Show by a special ribbon you will attach to a quilt of your choice, if you so choose. All will be listed in the Quilt Show Booklet as well. Each ribbon will have your name and the one you are giving the ribbon for or the category you select. The types will be as follows:

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MEMORIAL Ribbon or HONORARY Ribbon or SPONSOR Ribbon at \$25.00 each

Circle Ribbon selection above:

Given by \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Type Contact me below for options available

Should you have any questions, please feel free to e-mail me at [robribs@att.net](mailto:robribs@att.net) or give me a call at 479.756.5962 or text. I will gladly meet with you at your convenience and answer any questions you may have. Mail to: Roberta Harris 2710 S Morlan Ave Springdale AR 72764.

Deadline February 29, 2019

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION

AND PARTICIPATION IN OUR QUILT SHOW

Roberta Harris, Vendor Chairperson