

Q.U.I.L.T.

Quips

September, 2017

SEW HERE WE GO!!!



A message from our President

Hi everyone!

I hope this letter finds everyone doing well and quilting up a storm! Just don't quilt up another hurricane!!! Please remember those affected by Hurricane Harvey and Hurricane Irma in your thoughts and prayers. April Wells is collecting quilts for Quilts of Compassion and those quilts will be sent to the hurricane victims. If you have a quilt you'd like to donate to this effort it needs to be turned in by October 21st; any questions please contact April.

Q.U.I.L.T. MEETING:
SEPTEMBER 28TH
6:30PM

ST. THOMAS' EPISCOPAL
CHURCH
SPRINGDALE

SEPTEMBER
BIRTHDAYS
BRING
SNACKS

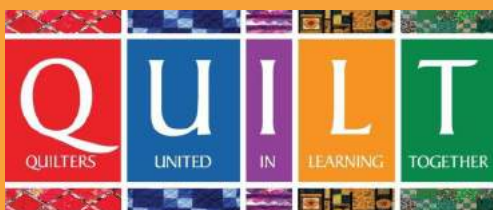
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That's one thing that I've noticed is that when a disaster happens, quilters unite and send gifts of love to help comfort people that have been through a traumatic experience. Quilters are a very caring bunch of people.

This year is quickly coming to an end and we still have lots of things to do before it does or at least I do. I've been busy sewing binding down and I go into my sewing room to look for something and get distracted by all the great things that I find. Sometimes I'll pick up one pile of fabric and find something that I've been looking for or even forgot that I bought and then I wonder what I was going to use it for. Maybe my New Year's resolution will be to get organized but I doubt that'll ever happen. Quilt Congress is coming up next month and we have a wonderful program this month so don't miss it! Well, better run and go check on my babies since they've gotten quiet and are probably into something.....

David Moran



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

SEPTEMBER MEETING



Join us this month as we oooohh and ahhh over the works of Betty, Barbara & Margie!

SPEAKERS:

BETTY WORKMAN, BARBARA HANCOCK & MARGIE LANGANKE

"Trunk Show Times Three!"

NEXT MONTH:

SPEAKER: JAN KRENTZ

"The Great Star Review"

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



NWA Quilters

BIRTHDAYS

September		
Diana Springer		1
Janet Noble		5
Lois Logan		9
Eiko Roby		9
Betty Taylor		9
Glenda Stephenson		14
Sharon Phillips		15
Cathy Reed		21
Diane Crandell		23
Carla Lesley		25
Cindy Peter		25
Linda Tramonte		25
Sandy Johnson		30
Joy Williams		30

SEPTEMBER 28TH

"Trunk Show Times Three!" presented by Betty Workman, Barbara Hancock & Margie Langanke

OCTOBER 24TH-26TH

"Quick Broken Star Expanded" three-day Workshop taught by Jan Krentz

OCTOBER 27TH

"The Great Star Review" presented by Jan Krentz

OCTOBER 27TH-28TH

Quilt Congress with Jan Krentz & Raija Salomaa

NOVEMBER 18TH

Super Saturday Sew-In: "Migrating Geese" taught by Pam Goggans

DECEMBER 7TH

"Christmas in Quiltville" (November & December meetings combined)

FINANCIAL REPORT

SUBMITTED BY JEANNE ROHDE

August 1, 2017 to August 31, 2017

Raffle Account to date	\$2,040.04
Expense	
Pattern & Fabric	\$227.78
Ending total in Raffle Account	\$1,812.26
Money Market Account	\$34,649.37
Interest for August	\$4.41
Total MM Acct	\$34,653.78
Checking Account	\$7,109.11
Income	
Publicity/Newsletter Ads	\$20.00
Program	\$140.00
Membership	\$157.00
Quilt Congress	\$3,335.00
TOTAL Income	\$3,652.00
Expense	
St. Thomas Episcopal	\$200.00
Benton & Wash. Co. Fair Awards	\$100.00
Programs & Workshop	\$1,612.65
Quilt Congress	\$60.00
Sunshine & Shadow	\$100.00
Admin	\$22.47
TOTAL Expenses	\$2,104.12
Ending Total in Checking Account	\$8,656.99
TOTAL OF ALL 3 ACCOUNTS	\$45,123.02



CUDDLY QUILTS

Saturday, September 23, 2017
10am - 5pm

NTI • 709 S Old Missouri Road • Springdale

It's a SEWING PARTY!

Join us for a sewing party for charity quilts!

What you need to bring to the Workshop:

Rotary Cutter and Blades

Cutting Mat

at least a 10" Square Ruler

Straight Edge Ruler

Iron

Ironing Mat or small Board

For photos of quilts check out the [Cuddly Quilts](#) page on Facebook.

Contact: April Wells at 479-233-1835 or
sewdarncutequilting@gmail.com



SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

Lori Jones has a new granddaughter

Adele Atha's first grandbaby has arrived...a girl! Aunt **Suzanne Kittrell** is excited too!

WASHINGTON COUNTY FAIR WINNERS

submitted by Adele Atha

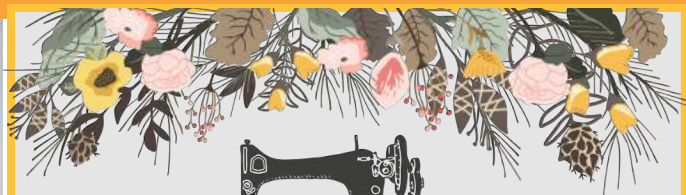
Best of Show/Grand Champion - Shelly Watson
Judges' Choice for Bed Quilts - Tammy Smith
Judges' Choice for All Others - Donna Thomas
Best Hand Quilting - Wanda Drummond
Best Machine Quilting - Adele Atha
Best Hand Applique - Rose Gardner
Best Machine Applique - Debbie Corter
Best Use of Color - Rose Gardner
Champion - Bed Quilts Hand Quilted - Rose Gardner
Champion - Bed Quilts Machine Quilted - Wanda Drummond
Champion - Wallhangings - Katha Carter
Champion - Quilt Tops, Quilt Blocks & Novelty - Diane Miller
Champion - Baby Quilts - Katha Carter
Champion - Lap Quilt or Throw - Donna Thomas
Champion - Non-traditional Quilt - Shelly Watson
Champion - Table Topper/Household Item - Dollie Restt
Champion - Group Quilts - Rebecca Ginger

BENTON COUNTY FAIR WINNERS

submitted by Elizabeth Ray

Judges' Choice: Joyce Kerr
Best of Show: Sharon Phillips
Best Hand Quilting: Eiko Roby
Best Pieced Quilt: Jan Taylor
Best Applique Quilt: Sharon Phillips
Best Use of Color: Gloria Broadbooks
Best Crib or Youth Quilt: Shirley Jenkins
Best Hand Embroidered Quilt: Joyce Kerr
Best Miniature Quilt: Debra Eversole
Best Wall Hanging: Debra Eversole
Most items entered in Quilt Department: Elizabeth Ray
Best Christmas Item: Patsy Graser
Best Mixed Techniques: Sharon Phillips

Sharon
Phillips'
Best
of
Show



Quilt Congress 2017

By the time you read this we will be 5 weeks away from Quilt Congress! Yikes!

I have a few questions for you:
Have you registered? You can't come unless you preregister. You can't hear two amazing quilt presentations if you don't preregister. You can't go to any of the fabulous break out sessions if you don't preregister. You can't have a delicious lunch prepared by a gourmet chef if you don't preregister! You can't shop the country store or silent auction if you don't preregister! You can't take part in the Star Quilt Challenge if you don't preregister! Do you get my point?
YOU NEED TO PREREGISTER!

I won't be able to be at the meeting this month--babysitting duty in Tulsa. I hope to be surprised by all the sign ups when I get back. There are several ways to preregister: Go on the guild website, Q.U.I.L.T. of NWA, go to the Quilt Congress blog, quiltcongress.blogspot.com, or if you don't have access to a computer or printer, pick up a form at the meeting or ask a friend to print you one.

After you PREREGISTER, sign up to volunteer an hour or two with Joe Ann Reaves. We need all hands on deck!!!!

Velina Straw is in charge of the Country Store and she will be having pricing workdays Wednesday, 10/4 and 10/18 from 1-4 at Velina's storage facility. She may also need folding tables. Email her at velina.straw@gmail.com if you can help or have tables. Also, get busy making items for the store and bring us some of the treasures you have hidden away in your sewing rooms.

My plan is to knock the socks off our visitors coming to Quilt Congress and I need your help to do it!



SUPERSATURDAYSEW-IN

Folded Patchwork with Kathy Garringer

August 12, 2017



THE 40TH ANNUAL OZARK QUILT FAIR

submitted by Jan Murray Brown

There is some sweet news from the Shiloh Museum's 40th Annual Ozark Quilt Fair, held Saturday, September 9, 2017. It was a beautiful day and tremendously fun.

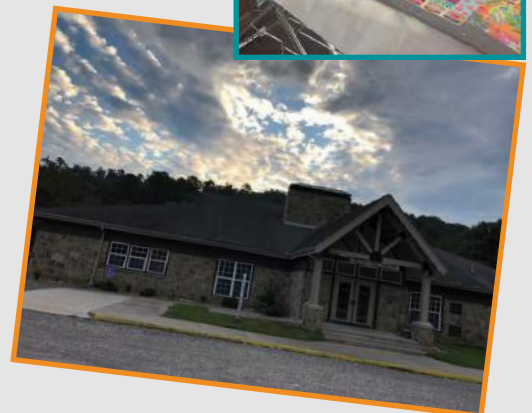
Two QUILT Guild members won prizes:

- Elizabeth Ray, Third Place, Contemporary Quilt Division for "Happy Circles"
- Jan Murray Brown, Second Place, Contemporary Quilt Division for "Center of the Universe"



2017 Quilter's R & R Retreat

August 25, 26 & 27, 2017





Retreat Portraits by Cindy Peter

I am enjoying every row of decorative stitches as the Mystery Quilt for the Children's Hospital gets quilted....one, two, three, until it becomes one more happy memory of the 2017 Q.U.I L.T. Retreat at Camp Egan last week [August 25-27th]. We had a blast, or at least I did. Liz took some great pictures, so I won't worry about that.

We cut, pinked, curved, stitched, and appliqued the Raised Garden by Lynn Hagmeier. She liked what we did, even down to some manic color combinations! Her technique produces a faster completed quilt top, yet retains the "WOW" of a handmade quilt. I felt like I'd accomplished a LOT! Then some did not finish their project, but then they ARE planning the layout.

The food was wonderful! We didn't have to prepare a thing, wash a dish, scrape a pot, wash a table, well you get the picture. Those people had some wonderful ideas, and the menu wasn't just the normal 1970s cafeteria fare, either. You gotta try it. You'll be thinking up a new cheer for them at the last meal, too!

Beds? Rest? Who needs sleep? Except for me, and I didn't look at the time when my roomies came to roost, but I know they did not get 8 hours.... Great beds, and there was LOTS of room for 3 people with two twin beds, and a monkey in the full in the middle.

GUILD MEETING MINUTES

SUBMITTED BY CINDY PETER

Q.U.I.L.T. Guild Meeting
St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Springdale, AR
Thursday, August 24th, 2017

David Moran began the meeting at 6:32 pm.

We had 86 members and one guest, Sandy Gray.

Quilt Show 2019:
Laura Speer told us about the Quilt Show 2019. We need people to sign up for the Country Store.

Please sign up by November. There will be a speaker at the Quilt Show: Susan Cleveland.

Elizabeth Ray told us that the donated raffle quilt on display was done by the Modern Quilt Guild.

Programs: Lori Jones
Lori Jones read off the list of speakers for the upcoming year, among whom are Kathy Kazner from Springfield, specializing in wool applique Dani Ives, a fiber artist whose painting could be translated into quilting techniques, Beth Helfter, aka Eva Paige Quilt Designs. (I believe she is also involved in a mini mug rug swap for ovarian cancer.) Workshop will be called "Iced In." June program is about ugly quilt rehab, July quilting on domestic machine, October Michelle Wilke, modern quilt style.

Tonight's Program:

Our speaker tonight was Lynn Hagmeier, a former social worker for child protective services. She and her husband Robert displayed quilts illustrating techniques she uses for applique, patterns she has designed, shortcuts, and templates available from her store. Her preference of style is the Civil War period, thus the darker colors and tans. She likes to use "Heat & Bond Light", Aurifill cotton thread 50/13.

Quilt Congress:

Kathy Garringer reminded us that Quilt Congress is coming up, and volunteers are still needed

Cuddly Quilts:

April announced a Cut & Sew planned for Saturday, September 23 at NTI.

Other Announcements:

Donation quilt by Shell Knob Guild.

Break at 8:25

Board meeting minutes were approved by Kathy Garringer and Rose Lawrence.

Treasurer's report was approved by Karen Harmony and Anita Crosby.

Show & Tell began at 8:50.

AUGUST 2017

GUILD BOARD MEETING MINUTES

SUBMITTED BY TINA LOCKWOOD

Quilt Guild Board Meeting
Wendy's, Springdale, AR
Monday, August 7th, 2017

The board meeting was called to order at 6pm by David Moran.

Members present were David Moran, Jeanne Rohde, Mikki Stone, Cassie Robinson, Lori Jones, April Wells, Laura Speer, Kathy Garringer.

There were 164 members and 81 present at the meeting.

Treasurer: Jeanne Rohde

Quilt Congress money is coming in. \$140.00 was raised from the yard sale at the July meeting, which was 20% of the sales.

Membership: Mikki Stone

We are looking into ordering guild pins.
~150 members

~90 at the meeting

Newsletter: Cassie Robinson

The deadline for the newsletter is August 12th, 2017.

We will be printing in black and white now. The cost is significantly different than printing in color. Black and white is 0.25 cents per page, as opposed to \$1.25 per page.

Programs: Lori Jones

-The supply list has been sent to 16 people for the workshop at Camp Egan.

-Lynne Hagmeier from Kansas City Troubles Quilters is coming this month.

-2018 has one spot left for a speaker.

-2019 has four spots left for a speaker.

-We are awaiting confirmation for February 2018.

-Laura Weslowski, September 2019 hand dyes, hand quilting, she sings about her name.

AUGUST 2017

Continued...

- Quilt Judge, Lori East, who was referred by Alice McElwain (certified quilt appraiser) is being considered as a judge for the next Quilt Show in 2019.
- Cuddly Quilts: April Wells
- Pincushions and rotary cutters have been donated.
- 20 quilts will be donated on Wednesday, August 9 th , 2017.
- Sewing Day will be changed to September 23, 2017 (most likely) or September 30 th , 2017. It will be held in Springdale at the NTI building. These are Saturday dates.
- 36x36 and up to twin size are needed.
- We are looking for ribbon labels @ 0.50 cents a piece.

Quilt Show: Laura Speer

-Need a Quilt Show Treasurer: Tina Lockwood has volunteered.

SUBMITTED BY CINDY PETER

Quilt Guild Board Meeting

Wendy's, Springdale, AR

Monday, September 11h, 2017

David opened the meeting at 5:50 pm.
Present were: David Moran, Roberta Harris, Jeanne Rohde, Lori Jones, Cassie Robinson, April Wells, Mikki Stone, Kathy Garringer, and Cindy Peter

Treasurer: Jeanne Rohde

We have several signups for Quilt Congress. The storage unit is paid up to May 2018 @ \$92/month

Kathy reminded us that there are 20 free 5' round tables available to us. They are 5" deep when folded. At present the 10'x15' storage unit will not accommodate them.

Membership: Mikki Stone

Mikki corrected the membership from 164 to 165, and there were 87 present for the August meeting. Pin Peddler has been bought by Missouri Star Quilt Company. We want to order membership pins like those we have been using for 10+ years. Price \$705 for 300 @ \$2.95 each, which will easily be recovered in the sale of the pins @ \$5.00 each.

Newsletter: Cassie Robinson

Cassie reminded us that the newsletter deadline is Sept 12th.

Beginning in January 2018, those who choose to receive the newsletter printed in black & white by mail will be charged an extra \$30 with their membership dues.

Programs: Lori Jones

Lori reminded us that we have 3 local speakers this month. October speaker will be Jan Krentz. For the November/December meeting, we are to wear "celebratory" shoes decorated in the Christmas Theme. January speaker features Kathy Canseer on Wool applique. Her class is \$40, and the kit is \$80, which is a steal, considering the price of good wool.

- Chairs needed: Raffle Sales, Creative Hands Boutique
- The quilt is coming along.
- Judging may not be announced until the quilt show.
- We may raise prices to \$10
- There may be a possible November meeting.

Quilt Congress: Kathy Garringer

- There is a meeting September 18 and 25, 2017 at First Church United Methodist in Springdale.
- Registration and information has been made up. The deadline is October 5, 2017.
- We have 20 registered now, as of this meeting. We will have a maximum of 300.
- We will get a schedule out soon.

Meeting adjourned @ 6.52 pm.

SEPTEMBER 2017

Cuddly Quilts: April Wells

April showed us samples of labels to order for the Cuddly Quilts donation quilts. They may read: A gift from Cuddly Quilts/Q.U.I.L.T./Northwest Arkansas. We will order 1000 @ (how much?)

There is a sewing/cutting party planned at NTI in Springdale on September 23. We plan to donate quilts to the hurricane victims, as well. Deliver them to Quilts of Compassion; we are to meet at Mountain Home, Texas, October 21.

Charlotte Ralston said we could use their church for Cuddly Quilts

Quilt Congress: Kathy Garringer

Kathy said that the Quilt Congress committee will be meeting on the 18th & 25th. Classes will be held at both the Rogers Library and the Church where the event is held.

Other Business:

David was given a Singer Sewing Machine. We could use it for a raffle, a door prize at Quilt Congress, or the Silent Auction with the bid starting at \$300. It was totally refurbished in 2015.

Private vendors are interested in selling at some of our meetings.

Maybe we could do a pizza box Round Robin at the monthly meetings.

Calico Cutups' speaker on September 25th is Trish Price. Ms Price is known for her "tree of life" quilt.

We need a volunteer for the office of Property Chair for the guild, which involves the equipment used at the fairs and events, and managing the storage rental.

AREA EVENTS



Size: 103-103

QUILT SHOW 2017

Special Exhibit: "Men Can Quilt"

Town and Country Quilters of Joplin
& Joplin Parks & Recreation

SEPTEMBER 22-23, 2017

Friday: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday: 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

JOPLIN MEMORIAL HALL
212 W 8th St. • JOPLIN, MISSOURI

100 Plus Quilts on Display • Certified Quilt Appraisers

"The Market" • Silent Auction • Bed Turning
Donation Quilt • Basket Walk • Vendors

Admission:
\$5.00

For information, visit: www.townandcountryquilters.com
Or Call 417-624-2291



"Autumn Leaves" Quilt Show 2017

presented by

Country Fare Quilter's Guild



October 20 & 21, 2017

Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Claremore Community Center

2301 N. Sioux Avenue
Claremore, Oklahoma

Cash Prizes awarded to Winning Quilts

Special Carol Thurman Award

Judged & Non-Judged Quilt Categories

Vendors • Donation Quilt

Prize Baskets • Small Quilt Auction • Apron Auction

Demonstrations • Christmas Bed Turnings

Member Crafts • Food Concession • & More . . .

Admission \$5/Children under 12 Free

Quilt Entry Registrations Due by September 15

Details and Registration Forms available:

www.countryfarequiltersguild.org

or contact Steve Anna True, Quilt Show Chair
918.697.5408 / quiltshow@countryfarequiltersguild.org

AREA EVENTS



Quilting with the Stars

hosted by QUILT of Northwest Arkansas

Quilt Congress 2017

Friday,
October 27th

Doors open at 4:30pm; program at 7pm

&

Saturday,
October 28th

registration at 8am; first breakout session at 9am

Southside Church of Christ
919 South Dixieland Road Rogers

\$35

(plus cost
of workshops,
if so desired)

Speakers:



Jan Krentz

Quilt Designer & Teacher

Two ½ day workshop options:

- Water Lily
- Eight Point Intersection

Raija Salomaa

Pattern Designer & Teacher

Two ½ day workshop options:

- Corner Beam Magic
- Intro to EQ7



All ½ day workshops are \$25 + any kit charges

Workshops at 9am and 1:30pm on Friday; visit the website for specific instructor & workshop times

for more information, visit quiltcongress.blogspot.com

*a fun, educational two-day
gathering of quilters, speakers,
workshops & vendors!*



LOCAL GUILDS & SMALL GROUPS



Dogwood Quilters

WHEN: 1st Saturday of the Month, 9:30am - 3pm
WHERE: First United Methodist Church, Siloam Springs
WHO: Suzy Mathews, dogwoodquiltersguild@gmail.com
 (bring a sack lunch)



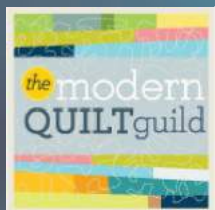
Anytime Stitchers

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: Denise Galinas, dkgelinas@hotmail.com or 479-531-2597



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