



Volume 41, Number 4

June 2014

Lincoln Quilters Guild  
“Quilter’s Creative Spaces”  
Studio Tour

Saturday, June 7, 2014  
10:00am – 3:00pm

Admission: \$5 per person

Six local quilt studios  
Featuring the artists’ quilts and quilt spaces plus  
LQG Community Outreach projects and  
LQG Quiltfest displays

Three local quilt shops  
Featuring special promotions during the Tour

Studios:

Elizabeth Sterns  
Margrethe Ahlschwede  
Ronda Bieber  
Sheila Green  
Vicky Skuodas  
Kris Vierra

Shops:

Cosmic Cow  
Calico House  
Sew Creative

Tickets on sale at the door of each studio during tour



*Quilters’ Exchange*

Looking for help with 2 “almost” quilts.  
(1) Top needs finishing into a quilt. Stitching a little rough (hand sewn by my grandmother), may need some repair work.

(2) Squares need joining and sewn into a quilt. Looking for someone interested in either or both projects. Happy to discuss cost to complete each. Contact Sandy at 402.472.8261 (work number) or email ([peabody21@gmail.com](mailto:peabody21@gmail.com))

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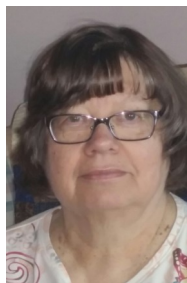
**Lincoln Quilters Guild  
Quilting since 1973**

Meeting the *second Monday*  
of the month

**2014 March—November  
Gathering at 6:30 p.m.  
Program & Meeting  
at 7:00 p.m.**

College View Seventh-Day  
Adventist Church  
4015 S 49th Street  
Lincoln, Nebraska

*On the Internet at  
www.lincolnquiltersguild.org*



## President's Message

Hello everyone.

It's hard to believe that June is almost here. My family is already operating on our summer schedule, which really is no set schedule at all. We all are off and running all over the place at all kinds of hours. Talking about schedules, remember there will not be an actual meeting of the Lincoln Quilters Guild in June. This year we're having a Studio Tour of the quilting studios of 6 of our members. I have my ticket and I really want to see all six. Who knows, maybe I'll see a really great organizing idea that I can use in my small, messy sewing room! I hope many of you will be able to see the studios of these amazing quilters.

Don't forget about the Quilt Show – Colors from the Prairie – on July 10, 11 and 12 at St. Mark's Church. Our next Guild meeting will be Monday, July 14, after the Quilt Show is over. Hopefully I'll see many of you at the Quilt Show, as always we'll have lots of beautiful quilts to admire. Please help support the Guild by attending the Quilt Show, purchasing raffle tickets, and helping at the Show.

If you find yourselves with a little extra time for sewing this summer, think about making a cuddle quilt or Quilt of Valor. Santa Socks will soon be looking for Christmas stockings. Hope you all have a great time during June and I look forward to seeing everyone back at our July meeting.

Linda

## Small Groups

Anyone is welcome to join these groups



### Day Groups

#### **Piecemakers**

The Piecemakers meet at Bernina Sewing Studio in the Piedmont Shopping Center on the fourth Thursday of each month except November and December. For more information: *Willa Smith* at 402- 420-2422. Please leave a message and I will return your call. Or email me: rswd660@inebraska.com

#### **Ladies of the Lodge**

**The Grand Lodge at the Preserve**  
80th & Pioneers Blvd. • 1:00pm, 3rd WEDNESDAY of the month. Enter North door and take the elevator to the 4th floor lounge. For more information, call Nancy Simmons 423-4947

#### **Cuddle Quilt Workshops**

**College View Seventh Day  
Adventist Church Resource Room**  
4108 Prescott Ave. •  
9 am-2 pm • 1st Friday of the month.

Vicky Skuodas, co-chair person.  
Join us in planning our Cuddle Quilts and also to pick up kits to work on during the month.

#### **Quilts of Valor**

We will have one meeting place and sew-in each month :

1st Sunday: Hancock's, 12:30 to 4:00pm

[Julia.Schroeder@govf.org](mailto:Julia.Schroeder@govf.org)

[Sara.Kenny@govf.org](mailto:Sara.Kenny@govf.org)

### Evening Groups

#### **The Northeast Lincoln Sew-and-Sews**

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday from 6:00-8:00 pm at the Anderson Branch Library, 3635 Touzalin Ave. For more information, contact Kim Shelley at 467-4266.

# Minutes of the Lincoln Quilters Guild – May 12, 2014

## College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church – Lincoln, Nebraska

President Linda Daiker welcomed members and guests and announced there would be announcements from the Quilt Show committee before the guest presentation as this is the last meeting before the Quilt Show on July 10, 11, and 12.

Mary Swinton and Lynn Weinhold demonstrated a map of St. Mark's Methodist church available parking and the church entrance where the quilt show will be held. They requested exhibitors register online, but a hard copy registration form can be mailed to Lorelee Novak at 2510 Jamison N, Lincoln, NE 68512 if online registration is a problem. They said that 85-90 volunteer openings are still available. Volunteers can sign up tonight or at Sheila Green's home during the Studio Tour on June 7. In addition, there are 2,899 tickets remaining to be sold for the raffle quilt.

Quilt show attendees can take photos of all the quilts as no CD will be sold this year.

Vicky Skuodas exhibited new **auction items** she just received for the Quilt Show and explained that the quilt on display by the raffle quilt will be sold at the live auction.

Kath Conroy requested members to help recruit male volunteers to assist with the heavy lifting involved in displaying the quilts.

Shirley Chaffin described the **lecture demonstrations** scheduled for both days, Thursday and Friday, of the quilt show. The same demonstrations will be held each day. At 1:30 each day Sandy Anderson will demonstrate a new method of applique with a take home project. At 2:30 the demonstration will be a men's club quilting panel with members and celebrity quilters for a question and answer session; 3:30's session will demonstrate quilts made from AccuQuilt Baby and Go Baby's. If members have quilts made with these, a show and tell can be part of these demonstrations.

Christina Chapman described the procedure for **quilt drop-off** at St. Marks on Tuesday, July 8 from 7:30 am – 7:00 pm. If members cannot personally drop off their quilt, they should make arrangements with someone else to drop it off at this time. A blue pick-up ticket will be needed to pick up the quilt

on July 12. If someone else is picking up your quilt, that person needs both the blue ticket and a signed note from the quilt maker giving them permission to pick up the quilt.

Sheila Green announced that Joan Yoder and Sheila have filled the **vendor mall** including a knife and scissor sharpening vendor.

Sue McKee announced the **quilt pick up time** will be from 4:00 – 6:00 pm on July 12. If quilts are not picked up by 6:00 pm she will take them home with her. Volunteers assisting with the take down and pick up can receive their quilts first.

Mary Sedlak introduced the speaker, Sue Daley and her presentation on "English Paper Piecing" and reminded members there is a vendor table of her merchandise available for purchase.

After the presentation, President Daiker called the meeting to order. There being no additions or corrections, the Minutes of the April 2014 meeting were approved as printed in *Plain Print*, and the April 2014 Treasurer's report was remanded for audit.

**New Business:** President Daiker announced that since there are no applicants for the scholarship, the board is asking for input from the members about whether to continue with the scholarship fund or whether the guild should look for other ideas to support quilting. Members can contact any board member with their ideas. The ideas will be submitted for a vote by the guild.

**Old Business:** No old business was discussed.

**Announcements:** Kathy Spitsen made the following announcements: A thank you was received from the IQSCM Center for the donation of proceeds from the sales of the Nebraska State Windmill pattern.

A quilt display of traditional and art quilts will be held during all of May at the Kimmel Gallery, Morton-James Public Library in Nebraska City, NE. The 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Black Hills Quilt Show and Sale is June 13 – 15 in Rapid City, SD.

Sue McKee will have a 1 day bus trip to Missouri Star Quilt Company in Hamilton, MO on July 19 for \$75.00. Six guests were present.

Sara Kenny announced that 64 tickets were sold at the meeting for the Studio Tour on June 7 and the upcoming classes include July's Dresden plate class and the String Blocks class in August. Members can sign up for any upcoming classes. In addition, more clues for the Mystery Quilt are on a table along the wall.

Judy Lane, guild liaison with the IQSCM announced that all small groups are invited to participate in Saturday sewing at the IQSCM. Please call and get on the calendar for space on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. The June *Plain Print* will have contact information. Equipment will be furnished except for rulers and rotary cutters. Visitors enjoy seeing people quilting so the IQSCM is interested in having members participate. The building expansion will begin in June, but the IQSCM will remain open. Summer hours are in place now.

Sandy Anderson announced the 29<sup>th</sup> Fall Retreat will be October 23 – 27 at the 4-H Center near Gretna. This will be either 3 or 4 days. The theme is "What is Your Color." The August *Plain Print* or the web site will have information. Members can contact Sandy Anderson, Leslie Reed or Martha Lane if they are interested.

Cheryl Kupcinski and Kay Hoff announced the proceeds from the mini-affle were \$90.50 and will go to the Young Artist's program. Sandy Gruntorad won pin cushions donated by Sandy Younger. Barb Brown won the yo-yo flower mini quilt and the bus trip to Missouri. Barb also won the basket with sewing notions donated by Sherry Taylor.

President Daiker adjourned the meeting to Show and Tell.

Minutes submitted by Wilma Daddario, LQG Secretary

## LQG Treasurer Report - April 2014

<b>Beginning Cash Balance 4/1/14</b>	<b>\$ 36,721.03</b>
<b>RECEIPTS</b>	
Checking Interest	\$ 0.49
Membership`	\$ 220.00
Mini Raffle Quilt	\$ 74.50
Programs and Classes	\$ 1,150.00
Quilt Show 2014	\$ -
Vendors	\$ 925.00
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$ 2,369.99</b>
<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>	
<b>1. Operations Expenses</b>	
Administration	\$ 19.60
Insurance and Bonding	\$ 30.42
Meeting Room Rent	\$ 200.00
Membership Book	\$ 20.71
Newsletter Printing and Postage	\$ 134.20
<b>2. Educational Services</b>	
National Quilting Day	\$ 35.88
Programs and Classes	\$ 1,500.98
Friendship Blocks	\$ 11.50
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<b>\$ 1,953.29</b>
<b>NET CASH IN/(OUT)</b>	<b>\$ 416.70</b>
<b>Ending Cash Balance 4/30/14</b>	<b>\$ 37,137.73</b>
Current Checking Balance	\$ 11,952.64
Current CD Value (next maturation date 9/4/2014)	\$ 25,185.09
<b>Total Cash 4/30/14</b>	<b>\$ 37,137.73</b>

## Santa Socks 2014

Thanks to all of you who have donated items to the 2014 Santa Sock outreach program. We have contacted several agencies who have suggested a few additional items that are needed:  
**BACKPACKS, BAGS, BIKE LOCKS, HAND WARMERS AND FOOT WARMERS.**

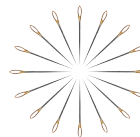
Please continue to make Santa socks and bags!  
 We appreciate your support in making the 2014 Santa Sock outreach program a success.

Joan Ogle & Ginny Harvey  
 Santa Sock Committee



• Quilts of Valor is still in the process of awarding QOVs to the 136 Nebraska Korean War veterans who made an Honor Flight in October 2103. We are focusing our efforts this summer on Lancaster and Douglas counties as most of the other counties in the State have now been covered.

- Hancock's Fabrics in Lincoln will be sponsoring a Quilts of Valor display over Memorial Day weekend. Please stop by the store to see the lovely QOVs made by our Lincoln quilters.
- QOV continues to support the VA Advisory Council's monthly Coffeehaus. We award one or two QOVs each month at this event. Upcoming Coffeehaus dates are June 20 and July 18 at the Lincoln VA. If you would like to get involved with the Coffeehaus event, please contact Cheryl Kupinski or Sharon Minear.
- QOV will have a presence at the Veterans Freedom Music Festival Saturday June 14, Lincoln VA Campus, 600 South 70th Street. The Music Festival is an all day event, beginning at 11:00am and closing at 8:00pm. The public is invited (bring lawn chairs or blankets, and no coolers or alcohol please) to this family friendly fun-filled day.
- QOV will be hosting a booth at the Lancaster County Super Fair August 7-9 at the Lancaster County Events Center. We still need volunteers for this event. For more information, contact Laura Lenzen. Thank you for your help.
- QOV will be hosting a booth at the Family Motor Coach Association Midwest Rally August 27-30 at the Lancaster County Events Center. The Rally brings RVers and Campers from all over the country together for fun and fellowship. We still need volunteers in the booth for this event also. For more information, contact Sara Kenny.
- QOV will attend the State Fair on Saturday August 30 to "receive" the 2014 4-H Quilts of Valor from across the State. If you happen to be at the State Fair that day, stop by the 4-H Building at 10am to see the presentation.



**International Quilt Study Center & Museum**

### Come quilt at Quilt House (IQSCM)

All small quilt groups in LQG are invited to participate in the Saturday community sewing opportunities at Quilt House. These groups include the small quilting groups within the guild, LQG outreach committees, and any informal group of quilters who would like to have a sewing session at the IQSCM (Quilt House). Saturday sewing takes place on the second floor in the Reception Hall. Time frame is 10:00 until about 2:00. To schedule a session for your group, please contact Mary Ourecky at 402-472-6549 or [mourecky2@unl.edu](mailto:mourecky2@unl.edu). These sessions must be on the Quilt House calendar.

Equipment available for your use includes: 24x36 and 18x24 cutting mats, iron, table-top ironing board, and extension cords. You may put lunches in the 2nd floor kitchen refrigerator, use the microwave, and get ice from the ice-maker. The staff wants you to be as comfortable sewing at Quilt House as you are in your own home. Why do this? Visitors at the IQSCM enjoy seeing quilts being made by all of you. It is educational, informative, social, and fun. You are doing a community service when you share your skills and love of quilting with the larger public. If you have questions, contact [judithblane@yahoo.com](mailto:judithblane@yahoo.com) or Mary Ourecky as listed above.

\*Building expansion is scheduled to begin this summer and will take approximately 8 months. Quilt House will be open throughout.

\*Additional open hours for summer are Sundays, 1-4 pm. Monday through Saturday hours remain same as always

# Quilt R Done

## Quilt R Done Club (as of May 2014)

Sandy Anderson  
Linda Daiker  
Mary Swinton

Anita Dover  
Ginny Harvey  
Kathy Spitsen

Sara Kenny  
Susan Heath  
Kathy Cather

Reminder: to join the Quilt R Done club, simply finish a project you began in any LQG class and bring it to the Guild meeting to show and tell. Membership in the Club is free and entitles you to a special Quilt R Done charm and your name is added to the Quilt R Done poster.



### Diane Harris Lecture/Trunk show

### Associate Editor at Quiltmaker July 14, 2014

#### 100 Small Quilts

“One Hundred Small Quilts” is a trunk show of more than 100 small quilts I have made and collected over the past 30 years. There are doll quilts, hanky quilts, antique quilts, ugly quilts, art quilts and many more. I use the quilts to talk about value, color and design, the evolution of the fabric industry, and my own creative journey from crafty kid to 4-H dressmaker to quilting industry professional. After the trunk show, the quilts will be on display for closer inspection



### Diane Harris Workshop

### July 15, 2014

#### All Drezzed Up

Learn to make classic Dresden Plate blocks in several sizes and then decide on a project in which to use them. Choose between the full-size All Drezzed Up quilt, a fun wallhanging, or diminutive Dresden Plate baskets with rickrack handles. Another option is to use Dresden Plates in a border. Dresden Plates are great for using up scrap fabrics. Cutting is made easy with acrylic templates (or you can make a plastic template).

Leave with a head start on a Dresden Plate project of your choice (you can even design your own if you wish). Watch out, these are addictive!

<http://www.pinterest.com/quiltmakermag/diane-harris-qm-interactive-editor/>

(Pinterest Board)

[http://www.quiltmaker.com/about/diane\\_harris.html](http://www.quiltmaker.com/about/diane_harris.html)

(Quiltmaker Magazine)

### July 15, 2014 Class Registration

Offering: *Diane Harris* teaching “All Drezzed Up”

**Date/Time/Cost:** **Tuesday July 15, 2014** 9:00am – 4:00pm  
Guild Members: \$30 per person Non-Members: \$40 per person  
Teacher is providing pattern and template

**Location:** College View Seventh-day Adventist Church, 49<sup>th</sup> and Prescott Ave  
Come in door number 2 on the south ground level

**Your name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your phone #** Daytime \_\_\_\_\_ Evening \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

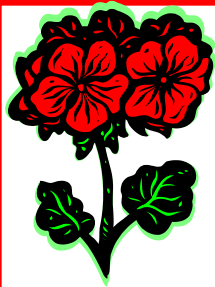
**Guild member:** Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**Send check payable to LQG to:**

Sara Kenny, 21902 A Street, Eagle, NE 68347 \* (402) 960-6560\* [sarakenny@yahoo.com](mailto:sarakenny@yahoo.com)

Please make check for the amount of the class only.

If you do not have email, please include a business-sized stamped self-addressed envelope so we can send you the supply list for class



*"I volunteered to help at the quilt show and it lasted 20 years!"*

Saying "yes" to serve on a quilt show committee can have a positive and lasting effect on each of us. The Faded Blossoms served on the committees for the quilt show held at the Cotner Center in 1994. The theme was a flower garden and we had real and synthetic geraniums everywhere, even on our shirts! We made and sold cans of yo-yo's. The challenge colors for quilts hung was red/white/black which were the colors of the raffle quilt.

Connie Strobe was the chairman and the committee members were encouraged to feel part of the group. We began regular planning meetings far in advance. Not that there was much actual work to do early on, but we got acquainted with each other.

On the day of the show, Connie's philosophy became apparent. She asked that when volunteers come, we give them a job immediately. She did not want them to feel that they gave up another activity just to stand around. So each volunteer was met at the door and taken to a place where they could help.

After the show, about twenty of us decided to continue meeting monthly and chose the 'Faded Blossoms' as our name. It was appropriate with the geranium theme. Each time one of us hosted the group, we put the synthetic geranium out front for all to see. This continued for over ten years until it mysteriously disappeared.

We set goals and for our tenth anniversary we decided to go to Paducah. So that all could go without having a budget problem, we raised funds so all costs of the trip were covered. We held garage sales over several months at different locations. We joked about how much we would have raised with a bikini car wash! Considering the ages and shapes of our members, it would have been a sight to see. We planned the trip. Duties were assigned such as bus, lodging, snacks, games, meal plans, etc. What memories!

For our fifteenth anniversary we took a trip to Denver and each paid her own way. Shopping, talking and eating rank high on our activity list. This year, for our twentieth anniversary, we are planning outings closer to home rather than a big trip.

Our friendships deepened with the sharing of events. We have had tragedies with the deaths of Connie Strobe and Linda Mager. Way too soon, they became angels looking over us. Most of us have had medical issues to discuss. We lend a sympathetic ear and learn from these happenings. We have shared joyful events of children's weddings and births of grand and great-grandchildren.

Many of our group have cheerfully been involved in more volunteer jobs within the Guild.  
YES! We are the Faded Blossoms and we rejoice in the fellowship we share!

Submitted by Lucille Lenz, Martha Dennis and the rest of the Faded Blossoms



**Martha's 2 Day Amish Quilt Tour  
to Jamesport & Hamilton Missouri**

**Friday & Saturday, September 12 & 13**



Day 1 — We will travel through the beautiful rolling hills of Missouri to Jamesport for an Amish lunch. After lunch we will go on a guided tour to visit some Amish sights and have the opportunity to see quilt demonstrations. Our last stop will be the Quilt Barn and Bakery. We will travel to Chillicothe for dinner and will stay the night at the Comfort Inn & Suites.

Day 2 — After breakfast we're to Hamilton and the Missouri Star Quilt Company. They have lots of fabric between their 4 different stores. In the old city Library, across the street, you can observe the long arm quilters at work. Not to worry there will be tons of room on the motorcoach for your purchases. If interested, you can visit the J C Penny museum. Hamilton is his childhood home.

**\$330 double — \$375 single — Payment due by August 5**

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visit our Website: [www.halltours.com](http://www.halltours.com)

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## Lincoln Quiltfest 2014: *Colors from the Prairie*

July 10-12, 2014

St. Mark's United Methodist Church

Go to [www.LincolnQuiltersGuild.org](http://www.LincolnQuiltersGuild.org) for all the information and updates!

Steering Committee: Carolyn Garner 402-464-7923, Sheila Green 402-483-0453, Pam Rowland 402-261-3193

Meylonie Schatz 402-742-5244, Mary Swinton 402-423-1022, Lynne Weinhold 402-474-3537

Call any of us if you have questions!

### **Little time is left before Quiltfest! Here's what you need to do:**

#### **Attend the Quilt Studio Tour on Sat., June 7!**

Two of the homes on the Studio Tour will feature Quiltfest displays!

At Vicky Skuodas' home, you may see quilts donated for the live quilt auction and you may drop off items to be sold at our Attic Treasures!

Stop by Sheila Green's home to see and purchase tickets for the Raffle Quilt, sign up to volunteer at Quiltfest and drop off items to be sold at our Attic Treasures!

#### **Sign up to Volunteer!**

Help is still needed for Quiltfest. When you help, you're entitled to free admission at the show that day, or a day of your choice if you help before or after the show hours.

Contact Carolyn Garner to see how you can help! 402-464-7923 or [cargarner@gmail.com](mailto:cargarner@gmail.com)

#### **Enter your quilts!**

**Show Quilts** (general quilts, Men's Quilts, Intergenerational Quilts and Modern Quilts) need to be entered online by July 1! If you are not able to enter online, use the entry form (attached) and mail in by June 28 to ensure delivery by July 1 to Lorelee Novak, 2510 Jameson North, Lincoln, NE 68512. Contact Lorelee Novak 402-423-3863 if you have questions.

**Challenge Quilts (Tradition with a Twist Challenge)** need to be entered online by July 1 (same procedure, different form, than above). If you are not able to enter online, use the entry form (attached) and mail to Pam Wakeman by June 28 to ensure delivery by July 1.

#### **Donate Auction Quilts and Attic Treasures**

Contact Vicky Skuodas (402 261 6176) to donate Auction Quilts or bring to her home during the Studio Tour.

Our live quilt auction will be held on Saturday, July 12, 1pm. Linda Underwood is our outstanding auctioneer. Come prepared to bid and invite your friends to join us. How many times have you been asked, "Is that quilt for sale?" and the answer is "no." This is an excellent opportunity for us and our guests to actually be able to purchase quilts!

Contact Pat Ghormley (402-423-1467) or Phyllis Higley (402-486-3901) to donate gently used treasures (anything and everything a quilter would want) can be donated for resale! Your items can even be brought to the Studio Tour on June 7 to Vicky Skuodas' or Sheila Green's homes.

Guests will be able to purchase the pre-priced treasures and take them home right away! New items will be added as the show progresses. All sorts of quilting, sewing and needlework related items are wanted: fabric, finished and unfinished projects, kits, quilt blocks, small quilts, pillows, books, patterns, quilting and/or sewing notions, lights, magnifiers, yarn, quilt related decor OR, other items quilters would like: candy, tea/coffee, bed or bath items (lotion, shower gel, etc.). No magazines, please.

#### **Invite your friends to Quiltfest!**

Contact Pam Rowland or Sheila Green for bookmarks or flyers. We will not be offering a Quilt Show CD, so bring your cameras to take all the photos you want!

#### **Sell Raffle Tickets!**

Contact Pam Rowland (402 261 3193) to get more raffle tickets. Be sure to turn in all stubs at Quiltfest. The drawing for the quilt, "My Heart is Home" will be Saturday, July 12. Our raffle quilt will be featured at the Studio Tour on Saturday, June 7, 10am-3pm at Sheila Green's home. Stop by and purchase your tickets! The quilt will also be at the Under Store in Seward, NE on the 4th of July! Tell your friends! We all need to support our guild by purchasing Raffle Tickets, just \$1 each.

#### **Quilt Drop-Off**

Drop-off will be at St. Mark's Church on Tuesday, July 8 between 7:30 am and 7:00 pm. The church is located at 84<sup>th</sup> & Pioneers and we recommend entering the church campus by turning North at 86<sup>th</sup> & Pioneers. The main entrance for the quilt show will be at the East end of the South side of the building. A sign will be posted near the door to indicate where to enter the building.

If you are not personally able to deliver your entries, please make arrangements for someone to do so during the quilt drop-off period.

When you drop off your quilts, we will confirm your entries on a master list and then give you a blue pick-up ticket. You will need this ticket to pick up your quilts at the end of the show on July 12. If someone other than you is going to pick up your quilts, they must have this pick-up ticket PLUS a note from you with your signature authorizing them to pick up your quilts. Quilts will not be released to anyone other than you if they do not have the pick-up ticket and your signed note.

If you have questions, please contact Judy Lane at [judith-blane@yahoo.com](mailto:judith-blane@yahoo.com) or Christina Chapman at [cchapman@bkd.com](mailto:cchapman@bkd.com)

#### **Vendor Mall**

Let's all support our Vendor Mall!

Here's the list of vendors:

Among Friends, Topeka, KS

Calico Cottage, Hastings NE

Hudson Bowls, Seward NE

Jewelry by J. Elizabeth, Lincoln, NE

Just Sew, Wayne NE

Just Wright Sharpening, Lincoln NE--bring scissors and knives to be sharpened!

More Sew for You, Omaha, NE

Quilt Cabin, Colby, KS

Quilts & Textile Collections, Overland Park KS

Sew Be It, Hebron NE

Sew Long Ago, Papillion NE

Show Me Quilting, Raytown, MO

Tanzanian Treasures, Omaha, NE

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**Coming in August.....**



**Class Title: "String Quilts" with Mary (Mollie) Johnson**

**Class Date: Monday, August 11, 2014**

**Fee: \$20**

**Kit: No kit fee**

String Blocks are the foundation (no pun intended) for Heartstrings Quilts. In this class, we will learn how to make string blocks and how to use those scraps, strings, and bits of fabric we all seem to have leftover after making other quilt projects, from which we will create beautiful and comforting quilts to donate to causes near and dear to our hearts.

Mollie will share tips on how to create string blocks, assemble string blocks into quilts, and how to incorporate sashing into string block quilts. She will also share tips on how to organize strings and design our own string quilts.

**Supply list:**

**10 inch square foundations. Muslin or other 100% cotton foundations are acceptable. When using a foundation other than muslin make sure it's not going to shadow through your strings.**

48 foundations will make an adult size lap quilt that is 54x72 inches

24 foundations will make a small child size quilt that is 36x54 which can be enlarged by adding a small border if desired.

**2 inch wide strips in a single color to be the focus color in the block. These can be from a single fabric or multiple fabrics in the same color if you prefer.**

1 yard will provide centers for a 48 block quilt. ( If I'm using a single fabric and wish to bind the quilt in it also I start with 1 and 1/2 yards)

**A variety of leftover strips and strings from 1.5 to 3 inches wide.**

Make sure you have wider strings for the corners or you can do as I do and cut 5 inch squares on the diagonal and use these triangle pieces on the corners.

**Sewing machine, thread, scissors, pins**

**Rotary cutter, rotary cutting mat,**

**Rulers (9 1/2" square ruler would be very helpful but is not required); the blocks will be squared up, however so a square ruler larger than 9 inches is needed**

**August 11, 2014 Class Registration**

**Offering: *Mary Johnson* teaching "String Blocks"**

Mary's website: [Blog.maryquilts.com](http://Blog.maryquilts.com)

**Date/Time/Cost: Monday, August 11, 2014**

**9:00am – 4:00pm**

\$20 per person (no kit fee)

**Location:** College View Seventh-day Adventist Church, 49<sup>th</sup> and Prescott Ave  
Come in door number 2 on the south ground level

**Your name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your phone # Daytime** \_\_\_\_\_ **Evening** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Guild member: Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_

**Send check payable to LQG to:**

Sara Kenny, 21902 A Street, Eagle, NE 68347 \* (402) 960-6560\* [sarakenny@yahoo.com](mailto:sarakenny@yahoo.com)

Please make check for the amount of the class only.

If you do not have email, please include a business-sized stamped self-addressed envelope so we can send you the supply list for class

**Quiltfest news con't**

**Lectures & Demonstrations**

This year we are planning a small change in our Lecture/Demo program for the LQG Quiltfest. The plan is to have three different programs, but each done on both days. We will have a 1:30, a 2:30 and a 3:30 on each day. This is what is planned for your entertainment. First, Sandy Anderson, one of our own LQG members, will have a hands on (that means you will be involved) demo of a different way to appliqué! I know that this information was new to me! Secondly, I am planning a panel of our men quilters from our guild, plus some surprise men quilters. My plan is to ask them fun questions, like: Where do you start to plan a project? Color, design, size. What was your first sewing machine experience? Etc. And third, for our afternoon is going to be a quilt demo from AccuQuilt. Not how to do the Go Baby machine, but, quilt results. In other words, A Quilt show and tell!



Quilt Registration *Lincoln Quiltfest 2014: Colors from the Prairie*

July 10-12, 2014 St. Mark's United Methodist, 84th & Pioneers

**"Tradition with a Twist" Challenge**

Take a traditional quilt block and make it your own! Use the quilt show name, "Colors from the Prairie" as an inspiration! Embellish as you like! The maximum size is 16" x 20". One entry is allowed per person and one entry is allowed per group (more than one person). Challenge quilts are separate from show quilts and will not count against the number of show quilts allowed. Registration, drop off and pick up is also separate from show quilts. We have a "celebrity" judge who will judge all the challenge quilts based on use of theme, color, eye-appeal, not necessarily on workmanship. Hanging sleeves optional.

Quilt Drop Off will be Wednesday, July 9, 7:30 am to 8:00 pm at St. Marks United Methodist Church. Please submit this registration form by July 1, 2014. (See information below.)

Questions? call Pam Wakeman at 402-826-2944 (Crete) or email at [cv44355@windstream.net](mailto:cv44355@windstream.net) or Gloria Smith at 402-489-0062 or email at [windyourbobbin@hotmail.com](mailto:windyourbobbin@hotmail.com)

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NAME of Guild Member(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Item \_\_\_\_\_

Person who will pick up the quilt, if other than the maker(s) \_\_\_\_\_

**WHAT WAS YOUR INSPIRATION FOR THE QUILT?**

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By my signature below,

- \* I agree to abide by all rules and conditions.
- \* I understand and acknowledge that Lincoln Quilters Guild nor St. Mark's United Methodist Church insures this entry and are not responsible if it is lost, stolen, or damaged.
- \* I understand that if I desire to have this item insured, it will be my responsibility to insure it.
- \* My entry(s) will be clean, smoke, and odor free.
- \* A label will be permanently attached to my entry.
- \* By entering this item in this quilt show, I give permission for photos to be taken of my entry,

I authorize the Lincoln Quilters Guild to use a photographic image of my quilt and the registration information as stated above, as an identifier of this quilt on their website or any public venue.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration Due: July 1, 2014**

You may register online at [www.LincolnQuiltersGuild.org](http://www.LincolnQuiltersGuild.org)  
Or, fill out and mail to: Pam Wakeman, 760 Franklin Dr., Crete, NE, 68333

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**Please read the Quilt Entry Guidelines before completing this form.**

**A separate entry form must be completed for each item.**

**Limit of three entries per member + intergenerational entry(s)**

(Challenge Quilts do NOT use this entry form)

**NAME** of Guild Member(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Item \_\_\_\_\_

Owner of Item (if other than maker) \_\_\_\_\_ Quilted by (if other than maker) \_\_\_\_\_

Pattern Source: Book /Magazine used \_\_\_\_\_ or Original Design \_\_\_\_\_

**\* Item must not have been shown in a previous Lincoln Quilters Guild show.**

**CATEGORY** (please check one)

1. General (circle one of the following) Dimensions: **W** \_\_\_\_\_ x **L** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Single quilt** OR **Series** (up to 4 piece series counts as 1 entry) (across the top) (down the side)  
**3-D item** (describe--jacket, journal, purse, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_
2. Intergenerational Quilt (limit 1 per child-most work done by child with help of LQG member)  
Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_
3. Young Artist

**TECHNIQUE** (Please check all that apply)

- Hand pieced  Hand appliqued  Hand quilted  Other techniques: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Machine pieced  Machine appliqued  Machine quilted

**DESCRIPTION:** Write a short description (40 words or less) of your quilt. Tell us your quilt's story!

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Every attempt will be made to display all quilts submitted for the show; however, in the event of a space shortage, LQG reserves the right to make the final decision on the number of quilts per person that are displayed.

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Emailing this entry serves as my electronic signature on this form.

**SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**General Quilt Registration Due: July 1, 2014**

Online Registrations preferred at [www.lincolnquiltersguild.org](http://www.lincolnquiltersguild.org)



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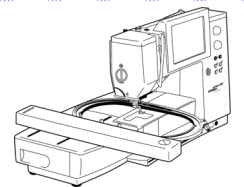
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