



Guild Meeting Bonnie Kucera - April 11, 2016

Trunk Show - From Ugly Ducklings to Shimmering Swans

Bonnie is one of the Lincoln Quilters' Guild's very talented members. Bonnie said, "When I announced to my mother and grandmother that I was joining a quilt guild, they were both delighted and each gave me a box of scraps. I went to my first meeting and learned that they bought new fabric and cut it up.



So I went out and bought new fabric and cut it up. Soon those 2 boxes of scraps became 4 which became 8 which became 12. At that point, I decided that I needed to address that challenge and make something from those scraps.

My primary goal was to NOT make one that "Was-put-in-the-back-of-the-closet-to-be-found-after-i-died" but to make one that "People-stood-and-looked-at-and-said-Wow!" Thus began my journey. This program will share what I have learned on my travels and help you avoid some of my wrong turns. You will see what my first idea was and how it begat another which begat another until I found

Class - April 12, 2016 Bonnie Kucera teaching: Field of Dreams in Squares



If you love to play with fabric and create something that is insanely easy, this is the class for you. STEP ONE you get to combine two fabrics that enhance each other. You play with fabric until the combo sings and you want to show someone how awesome you are. Once you get about a dozen done, you have to make yourself quit and proceed to STEP TWO which is arranging your groups so they all play well together, or not. STEP THREE involves zinger! And last but not least, you can stand proud when you show off your one-of-a-kind creation.

Lincoln Quilters Guild
Quilting since 1973
 Meeting the *second Monday* of the month

2016 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

Lincoln Quilters Guild

April 12, 2016 Class Registration
Offering: Bonnie Kucera – "Field of Dreams"

Date/Time/Cost: Tuesday April 12, 2016 9:00am – 3:30pm
 Guild Members: \$35 per person Non-Members: \$45 per person
 Teacher is providing pattern

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

Your name: _____
Your address: _____
Your phone #: Daytime _____ Evening _____

Email: _____

Lincoln Quilt Guild member: Yes _____ No _____

Send check payable to LQG to:
Carol Curtis, 5615 S. 73rd Street, Lincoln, NE 68516 - (402) 466-5055 -
curtis1201@aol.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.

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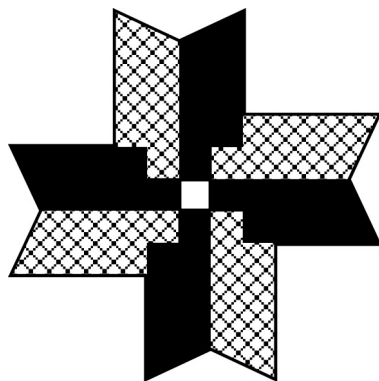
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Lincoln, NE 68512
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President's Message

Quilters are good people. I am continuously amazed by the time, energy, and care that quilters provide to others. At the March meeting of Lincoln Quilters Guild, I put out a call for members to serve on the Finance Committee. Before the meeting was over, two Guild members approached me and volunteered to help. Many other LQG members signed up to serve at future Guild meetings this year as "holders and folders." Vicky Skuodas announced that members of LQG have been providing Cuddle Quilts to the community for more than 30 years. On March 19,

numerous volunteers assisted Sheila Green with National Quilting Day at the International Quilt Study Center and Museum. For several years, Guild members have helped young parents at the Bryan Community Focus Program. As preparations continue for the LQG Quilt Show in October, I recognize that many more Guild members will share their time and talents.

These contributions are important, but just as important are the thousands of little things that quilters do without any public recognition. Recently, I participated in a quilting retreat. One quilter spent the entire weekend working on projects for others— tailoring and mending a dress for her niece, recovering a chair cushion for a neighbor, and quilting and binding two quilts for donation for people in need that she will likely never meet.

Mahatma Gandhi said, "Be the change that you wish to see in the world." Lincoln Quilters Guild and its members are making the world a better place -- one stitch, one quilt, one lesson at a time.

Kimberly Shelley, LQG President 2015/2016

Small Groups

Anyone is welcome to join these groups



Day Groups

Piecemakers

The Piecemakers meet at Bernina Sewing Studio in the Piedmont Shopping Center at 1:00 PM 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 each month. Enter North door and take the elevator to the 3rd floor craft room. 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

Monthly sew—ins:
2nd Saturday: IQSCM, 10—3:30
Questions? Contact Linda Daiker -
lmdaiker@Windstream.net, Sara
Kenny -Sara.Kenny@govf.org or
Ginny Harvey -ginny.h@neb.rr.com

Evening Groups

The Northeast Lincoln Sew-and-Sews

Meets the 3rd Monday from 6:00-
8:00 pm at the Anderson Branch
Library, 3635 Touzalin Ave. For
more information, contact Kim
Shelley at 402-467-4266.

MINUTES OF THE LINCOLN QUILTERS GUILD –MARCH 14, 2016

College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church—Lincoln, Nebraska

President Kim Shelley called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone. Guests were recognized and were invited to join the Lincoln Quilters Guild. Kim stated that she hoped membership dues had been paid for the year and encouraged people to pay if they hadn't so their names and information can be placed in the membership book. Starting next month, in April, guests will be charged \$5 to attend Guild programs. There will also be a check-in process for members as they arrive.

There were no additions or corrections to the minutes, so they were approved as they appeared in the Plain Print newsletter.

There were no additions or corrections to the treasurer's report, so it was remanded for audit.

New Business

Kim acknowledged that many Guild members are involved in many of the Guild's activities and committees, but there is a need for some additional help. A clipboard was circulated for members to sign up to be holders and folders at Guild programs. The more people that sign up, the fewer times they will need to help with holding and folding.

There is also a need for a couple more members to serve on the finance committee. The committee consists of the Guild president, president-elect, treasurer, and treasurer-elect. Some representation is needed from the general membership to help create the Guild budget. This does not involve a big time commitment—probably one meeting. Members who might be interested should see Kim.

Kim reported that there had been a request from the Alzheimer's Association in Lincoln for some assistance at an event they will be hosting on June 20th. They would like to have some quilters on hand to make quilts, pillows, or bags from Alzheimer T-shirts as mementos for folks in that organization. If there are Guild members interested in helping at this event, please see Kim. If there are no interested members, then the Guild will decline to participate.

Pat Kant and Carol Curtis, vice-presidents in charge of programs, announced that there were still a couple of openings for Peg Pennell's class the following day—Tuesday, March 15th. They also showed samples from Bonnie Kucera, who will be teaching the class in April. Cathy Geier will be teaching the class in May. Two landscape samples from Cathy were shown. She will have kits available for \$15 in a choice of two color ways. The techniques will be fusible as well as sewn-on. Pat and Carol also showed a sample sent from Yvonne Hollenbeck, who will be teaching the class in September on how to make an orphan block calendar. Members who take classes and complete the class project will receive a "get 'er done" mug coaster.

Committee Reports

Kathy Morgan, one of the Quilt Show chairs for this year, announced the Quilt Show dates are

October 6-8, 2016. She requested that members put these dates on their calendars. Kathy reported that Quilt Show committee chairs have been meeting during the three months the Guild has not met. More information about the Quilt Show will be shared in the future. However, she announced that there is a need for a publicity chair. The publicity chair would be in charge of news releases and getting the word out about the Quilt Show. See Kathy or Sherry Taylor if you are interested in being the publicity chair. Kathy reminded the group about the "pin cushion challenge" put forth by the Quilt Show chairs. Sale of the donated pin cushions will a fundraiser during the Quilt Show. Kathy Sus Spitsen donated the first pin cushion. Kate Laucomer and Martha Lane are the Quilt Show live auction chairs, and they will accept donations for the auction up to and including the September meeting.

Phyllis Higley and Kristie Jarchow are the Quilt Show Challenge Quilt co-chairs. They announced that the theme of the Quilt Show—"Celebrate Community"—is also the theme of the quilt challenge. Phyllis shared many of the challenge quilt guidelines/rules. These will be published in the Plain Print. The Challenge Quilts will be judged by Roxanne O'Hare. There will be more information about the Challenge Quilts in the future.

Sheila Green reported on National Quilting Day, which is March 19th. She stated that the committee had been working on the event since December of 2015 and that all volunteer slots had been filled. If a member had not signed up and wished to be contacted in case of an opening, let Sheila know. One of the lectures at the International Quilt Study Center and Museum is "Go Tell it at the Quilt Museum", presented by Holly Zemke. Sheila has contact information if there are people who would like to share their quilt stories. This program is sponsored by the National Quilt Alliance. There will be free museum admission and free parking anywhere on East Campus. Lunch may be purchased at the museum. Sheila referred to small green flyers with information about the event which were placed on chairs. She said that the Guild's outreach program of Cuddle Quilts will be featured, as well as about 40 quilts from the Lincoln Modern Quilt Guild.

Bonnie Kucera reported on the Nebraska State Quilt Guild [NSQG]. The NSQG convention will be held in Lincoln at the Cornhusker Hotel, July 28-31, 2016. Bonnie is co-chair and will be reporting more information in the future. Information can also be found on-line at NSQG.org. Click on "Guild activities" and from that link look up "Quilt Nebraska." A color brochure created by Dorothy Heinemann-Nelson will give information about the event. Kathy Sus Spitsen spoke on behalf of Sara Kenny for Quilts of Valor [QOV]. She invited

all members of LQG to make 2016 their QOV year and to make at least one QOV. The Quilts of Valor committee has put together a few kits, if a member would like to make a quilt top. The committee will quilt the top and present the finished quilt to a veteran touched by war. When you turn in a quilt top, you will receive an awesome commemorative gift as the QOV Committee's thanks for your support.

Vicky Skoudas reported on Cuddle Quilts. She told the group that we had missed the 30th anniversary of Cuddle Quilts, which was started by LQG president Sue Volkmer in 1984-85. Sue thought there was a need for Cuddle Quilts in Lincoln. Originally, all the fabric for Cuddle Quilts was cut into squares. Patterns have expanded quite a bit, especially with the internet as a resource. They started off with about 100 Cuddle Quilts per year and now "we're up to almost 500 every year"! The original stipulation that the quilts remain in Lincoln, is still in place, except "Bags of Love" are being distributed a little outside of Lincoln. A church puts together backpacks including Cuddle Quilts which are given to children removed from the home by police. In 2015, 49 Cuddle Quilts went to the Bags of Love program. Health and Human Services received 173 Cuddle Quilts. The People's City Mission received St. Mary's Catholic School received 30. Clinton Elementary, 4th graders, in conjunction with Discover Nebraska, received 84. Bryan LGH requested 10 Cuddle Quilts. Vicky asked for a show of hands of people who had contributed to making Cuddle Quilts. There was a lot of participation. The Cuddle Quilts Workshop meets the 1st Friday of every month from 9-2 at the College View Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Lois Wilson reported on the OLLI class, which she had announced at the November 2015 LQG meeting. It was entitled "Quilts: Layers of Meaning." The class was planned by Rosalind Carr, Wanda Hein, Susan Macy, Neshia Schumann, and Lois. Three of the planners are members of LQG, and two are volunteers at the Quilt House. Some are both! The class was full and received rave reviews from those who attended. Lois thanked the Lincoln Quilters Guild for sponsoring the class. Lois shared how proud she was when four LQG members and one Quilt House volunteer presented to the OLLI class the Guild's several outreach programs that inform and share the influence and comfort of quilts.

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Lois asked members to stand if they had participated in any of the following programs (with each program chair in parenthesis): Discover Nebraska (Sheila Green), Cuddle Quilts (Vicky Skuodas), Quilts of Valor (Sara Kenny), The Young Quilt Artist Project (Elizabeth Sterns), and The Quilted Conscience (Ruth Campbell—who is a Quilt House volunteer). Lois continued to read other LQG activities from a resource list that was prepared for the class—lectures, quilt classes, quilt show, \$1000 scholarship, quilted wall-hanging donations to new Habitat for Humanity families, and small quilting groups and workshops.

Announcements

President-elect Joan Yoder presented general announcements. Joan read a new member message from Christina Chapman and Sherry Taylor for members who may have joined the Guild after 2013. The next new member meeting is Wednesday, March 16th in the meeting room of the Panera at 201 N. 66th St. The meeting will start at 7 p.m., but come early if you'd like to buy dinner at 6:30. If you have questions, please contact Christina at 402-450-1217.

Joan shared that the America Quilts Expo will be May 26-28, 2016, in Des Moines, Iowa. The event will be held at the Iowa Events Center and will be supporting Quilts of Valor. Flyers are at the information table.

Susanne Blue, executive director of Matt Talbot Kitchen and Outreach, sent a thank you letter to the Guild "for your generous gift of Christmas stockings, knit hats, and personal care items." Midwest Machine Quilters with Penny Roberts will be at the spring meeting in Grand Island on April 2, 2016, at the Blessed Sacrament Church. Information is available at the information table. A Gallery Quilt Show by the Piecemakers Quilt Group will be held March 1-April 9, 2016, at the Bernina Sewing Studio located in the Piedmont Shopping Center. A reception will be held on March 22, 5-7p.m.

Bill and Evonne Williams sent a thank you letter to the Guild for supporting the Gold Star Kids Honor Flight with quilts for the Gold Star Kids. The Williams stated that they believe this event was the first of its kind in the country. Sixty family members participated in the weekend events. Cheryl Kupcinski presented the **Mini Quilt Raffle** drawing. Winners were instructed to go to the Mini Quilt Raffle table and pick up their prize from Kay Hoff. Cheryl encouraged members to sign up to donate items to the Mini Quilt Raffle. An art quilt kit, donated by Bev Routh, was won by Judy Slama. The book *Four Seasons at Minglewood*, donated by Bev Routh, was won by Caroline Forstrom. Spotty Hen Kit, donated by Barb Brown, was won by Jeanie Buhrman. A fabric bundle, donated by Bev Routh, was won by Linda Daiker. A charm pack, donated by Pat Kant, was won by Kathy Sus Spitzten. Peg Pennell donated her book *Portfolio 21*, which was won by Jeri Brainerd. Cheryl reported that \$90.25 was raised for the Guild through the Mini Quilt Raffle.

Lois Wilson filled in for Judy Lane, IQSCM liaison. Lois announced a new exhibition at the In-

ternational Quilt Study Center and Museum features the work of internationally renowned Japanese artist Shizuko Kuroha. "Blue Echoes" gives a unique take to familiar patterns using antique indigo-dyed textiles and traditional *sarasa* fabrics. The exhibition will on display at the Museum through May 25, 2016. Kuroha will speak about her quilt-making on Friday, April 1 at 5:30 p.m. at the IQSCM. As a First Friday event, admission to Museum and the talk are free of charge. There will also be a book talk from historian Teresa Duryea Wong at 4 p.m. and a book signing by Kuroha and Wong in the Museum Shop at 4:30 p.m. Kuroha will also give a demonstration on Saturday, April 2 at 11 a.m. The demonstration is free with paid admission to the Museum.

Lois also announced three unique workshop opportunities this June at the IQSCM. "Pattern Play Improv" with Victoria Findlay Wolfe will be on Thursday, June 9 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost: \$75 for Museum members and \$85 for non-members. "Beginning Rug Hooking Class" with Polly Minnick will be held Sunday, June 12 from 12-4 p.m. Cost: \$35 for members and \$50 for non-members. The kit fee is \$100. "Designs From Your Stash: Cut, Compose & Sew" with Linda Colsh will be on Sunday, June 12 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost: \$50 for members and \$60 for non-members.

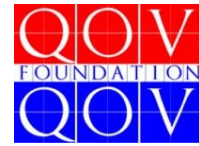
Program

Carol Curtis introduced the evening's speaker, Peg Pennell. Peg is from Nebraska and has won over 200 ribbons and awards for her quilting, both internationally and locally. Her program was entitled "You've Come a Long Way Baby". President Kim Shelley asked if there was any additional business. The meeting was adjourned to show and tell.

Submitted by Pam Wakeman, LQG secretary

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

Lincoln Quilters Guild continues to present a house themed wallhanging to each new Habitat for Humanity family. Turn that orphan block into a wallhanging! Size should be about 18" x 24". A pillowcase is also given to each family member. A HUGE thanks to all who have generously donated pillowcases, especially Linda Daiker who brought 18 to the March meeting. We need about 10 wallhangings and 50-60 pillowcases per year.



A few updates for Quilts of Valor: due to the closing of Hancocks, we are no longer meeting there. Accordingly, our meeting times are:

2nd Sat: IQSCM from 10:30-3:00. Sew-in, and bring a sack lunch
NO meeting at IQSCM in April, however

3rd Friday: VA Coffeehaus in the Auditorium at the VA Campus in Lincoln, 11:00am to 1:00pm; QOVs are awarded at this time.

All are invited to attend.

Lincoln QOV has awarded 96 QOVs at VA Coffeehaus to date, and many of those QOVs were made by LQG members.

Block drive: QOV is doing a block drive. Pattern for the block is available at QOV table. Please make blocks and return to QOV table.

QOV is challenging all Guild members to make a QOV. We have a limited number of QOV kits (pre-cut!) to help you get started. Take a kit, make a quilt and return to QOV. When you do, you will receive an AWESOME prize!

For more info, contact Julia Schroeder (julia.schroede@qovf.org), Ginny Harvey (ginny.r@neb.rr.com) or Sara Kenny (sara.kenny@qovf.org)

Thank you for all you do for our veterans and their families.

DISCOVER NEBRASKA

Do you love to work with 10 year olds, know how to cut and paste and have a little free time? We are looking for more classroom helpers for Discover Nebraska presentations in the 4th grade classrooms. You select the times you help. Each school is about a 2.5 hour time commitment. The first couple times you will observe in the classroom to learn what we do. Information, including our schedule, is on our website www.DiscoverNebraska.org If interested, contact Sheila Green (sheilagreen@windstream.net) or 402-483-0453

LQG Treasurer Report -February 2016

Beginning Cash Balance 1/31/16	\$ 41,668.98
RECEIPTS	
CD Interest	\$ 11.82
Programs & Classes	\$ 47.00
Checking Interest	\$ 0.57
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 59.39
DISBURSEMENTS	
1. Operations Expenses	
Insurance and Bond-	\$ 34.59
Other Operations	\$ -
2. Educational Services	
QS2016 raffle quilt	\$ 162.00
Meeting room	\$ 555.00
Dues	\$ -
Other Educational	\$ -
3. Community Service	
Other Community	\$ -
TOTAL DISBURSE-	\$ 751.59
TRANSFERS	
CD transfer to check-	\$ -
ing	\$ -
CD value	\$ -
TOTAL TRANSFERS	\$ -
NET CASH IN/(OUT)	\$ (692.20)
Ending Cash Balance 2/29/16	\$ 40,976.78
Current Checking Balance	\$ 12,800.08
Current CD Value	\$ 28,176.70
Total Cash 2/29/16	\$ 40,976.78

National Quilting Day 2016

The 7th annual National Quilting Day was held Saturday, March 19, 2016. The event attracted over 700 guests and volunteers from a several state area to come out and enjoy the day. A big THANKS to our 99 volunteers, the Quilt House staff, and our sponsors: Lincoln Quilters Guild, the Nebraska State Quilt Guild, Aurifil, Handi Quilter, AccuQuilt, and local shops Calico House, Cosmic Cow/Udder Store and Sew Creative.

We were pleased to show off the newly expanded galleries at Quilt House! Our lectures, each repeated twice, received rave reviews and filled the room to capacity! Thanks to Holly Zemke ("Go Tell it at the Quilt Museum"), Jonathan Gregory ("Man Made Quilts" exhibition), Sheila Green ("Modern Quilting") and Leslie Main of Country Traditions of Fremont ("Times They are a Changing").

All of our offerings related to exhibitions in our galleries. The Lincoln Modern Quilt Guild had a fabulous display of quilts featuring improvisational techniques. Their members demonstrated and visited with guests. We featured a variety of Handwork demonstrations and invited visitors to Sit and Stitch, a popular activity for the youngest quilters. Quilts by five of our local guys were displayed over the 1st floor reception area. Cuddle Quilt volunteers had a workshop and showed a large number of quilts that will be donated throughout our community. Cuddle Quilts were hung all the way up the grand staircase. Guests had an opportunity to show a special quilt and have their quilt story recorded, "Go Tell it at the Quilt Museum, " a project of the Quilt Alliance. The Conservation Workroom was open to watch how IQSCM volunteers care for quilts in the collection. How fun it was to have your photo taken in the giant Photo Frame. The museum offered a la carte lunches for our guests to purchase. Lincoln Quilters Guild and Nebraska State Quilt Guild's raffle quilts were on display in the museum's foyer.

We hope you're able to join us for National Quilting Day 2017 to be held March 18, 2017, at the International Quilt Study Center & Museum!

National Quilting Day 2016 Steering Committee
 Sheila Green, Chair Shirley Chaffin
 Holly Zempke Wanda Hein, LQG
 Sheila Beins, NSQG Dean Young, IQSCM
 (pictures from the event on page 7)

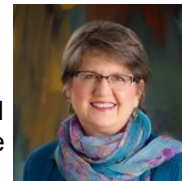


Remember to Purchase your Raffle Tickets!

Don't forget to purchase raffle tickets for the 2016 LQG Raffle Quilt, "American Pride," made and donated by LQG member, Laura Lenzen. Please do your part by committing to sell 10, 20, or more raffle tickets and help us reach our goal of selling all of the tickets – all 2,499 of them - raising \$4,998 for our Guild's treasury!

Raffle tickets are \$2 each and are available to purchase at every Guild meeting or by contacting the Raffle Quilt Moms, Joni Sauter (402-499-1858) and Joan Yoder (402-525-6826). We hope to see many of you stop by our table at the meeting.

Coming in May.... Cathy Geier - May 9, 2016 - "Patchworks that Praise"



Cathy Geier is an award-winning quilter, author, teacher and lecturer who specializes in landscape quilts. Her quilts have been juried into national shows, won national and regional ribbons, and have been featured in *American Quilter*, *Quilter's Newsletter*, *Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting* and *Quilt World* magazines. She is the author of several articles and a book, *Watercolor Landscape Quilts* (Krause Publications). Cathy currently owns and manages Patchworks that Praise, an online quilt shop specializing in fabrics for landscape quilting.

Cathy invented and patented a new piecing technique using a tear-away foundation. This technique enables quilters to sew together multiple squares and half square triangles very quickly, easily and (most importantly) accurately. She then went on to adapt the method to sew strip-pieced and string-pieced landscapes.



Class: Aspen and Maple Tree Trunks by Cathy Geier
May 10, 2016 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

In 3 hours, students will construct one very simple landscape on a whole cloth background and learn to shade tree trunks and draw simple saplings. This is a very fun 'freeing' class and introduces an easy technique for students wishing to add something special to their landscape

quilts. Kits are required.

May 10, 2016 Class Registration

Offering: Cathy Geier - "Aspen and Maple Tree Trunks"

Cathy's website: www.cathygeier.com

Date/Time/Cost: Tuesday May 10, 2016 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Guild Members: \$35 per person + Kit \$16 = \$51

Non-Members: \$45 per person + Kit \$16 = \$61

Location: College View Seventh-day Adventist Church, 49th and Prescott Ave
*Directions to a **different** classroom will be provided.*

Your name: _____

Your address: _____

Your phone number: Daytime _____ Evening _____

Email: _____

Lincoln Quilt Guild member: Yes _____ No _____

Send check payable to LQG to:

Carol Curtis, 5615 S. 73rd Street, Lincoln, NE 68516 - Contact her at (402) 466-5055 - or
curtis1201@aol.com with questions

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.



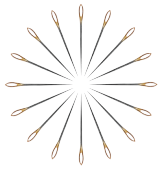
*"Harmonics in the
Community Showcase"*

This showcase will be on exhibit March 22-April 16 at the International Quilt Study Center & Museum, 33rd and

Holdrege, Lincoln. Harmonics, a textile arts group including Zita Schneider, Marty Eischeid, Lois Wilson, Judy Lane, and Margrethe Ahlschwede, will be exhibiting all new pieces. The reception for this exhibit will be on the First Friday, April 1, 4:30-7:00 p.m., and members of the Lincoln Quilters Guild are especially invited to this event. No admission charge on First Friday beginning at 4:30 p.m. May through October IQSCM hours are 10-4, Tuesday-Saturday and Sundays 1-4.

QUILTNEBRASKA 2016

QuiltNebraska will be held in Lincoln at the Cornhusker Hotel, July 28-31! Full registration information is now available on the Nebraska State Quilt Guild website www.nsqq.org We have classes by some of our favorite Regional Teachers and National Teachers: Karla Alexander, Missie Carpenter, Patty Hawkins, Susie Monday and Jane Sassaman. Quilt History Day will be led by Dr. Carolyn Ducey at the Quilt House. Plus, there will be Quilt Displays, a fabulous Vendor Mall, and a Quilt Auction featuring Brenda Groelz. We'd love to have you register for the entire convention, including classes and lectures. But if you can't, you can still come to the Cornhusker to shop the Vendor Mall, view the Quilt Displays and even take part in our Live Quilt Auction (Friday night after the banquet).



**International Quilt Study
Center & Museum**

A new exhibition at the International Quilt Study Center & Museum features the work of internationally renowned artist Shizuko Kuroha.

“**Blue Echoes: Quilts by Shizuko Kuroha**” is the first ever solo exhibition by a Japanese artist at the IQSCM. For more than 30 years, Kuroha has been a leader in the Japanese studio quilt movement. She gives a unique take to familiar patterns using antique indigo-dyed textiles and traditional *sarasa* fabrics. The exhibition will be on display at the museum through May 25.

Kuroha will speak about her quilting on Friday, April 1 at 5:30 p.m. at the IQSCM, 1523 N. 33rd St. Admission to the lecture is free in conjunction with First Friday. In addition to the lecture, the evening will serve as a grand opening for her exhibition, feature a book talk from historian Teresa Duryea Wong at 4 p.m. and a book signing by Kuroha and Wong in the Museum Shop at 4:30 p.m.

Kuroha will return to the Museum on Saturday, April 2 at 11 a.m. to give a demonstration.

The International Quilt Study Center & Museum is open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Admission tickets are \$8 for adults, \$6 for students and seniors. View the online exhibition for “Blue Echoes” at <http://www.quiltstudy.org/exhibitions/nowshowing/kuroha/>.

The International Quilt Study Center & Museum is pleased to offer three unique workshop opportunities this June. The workshops will be provided by acclaimed artists Linda Colsh, Polly Minnick and Victoria Findlay Wolfe.

- “Pattern Play Improv” with Victoria Findlay Wolfe on Thursday, June 9 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost: \$75 for members, \$85 for non-members.
- “Beginning Rug Hooking Class” with Polly Minnick on Sunday, June 12 from 12- 4p.m. Cost: \$35 for members, \$50 for non-members plus \$100 for kit.
- “Designs From Your Stash: Cut, Compose & Sew” with Linda Colsh on Sunday, June 12 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost: \$50 for members or \$60 for non-members. Visit www.quiltstudy.org/visit/programs/workshops.html or call 402-472-6549 for more information about these workshops and to reserve your spot.

Fiber Works (a group of 12 fiber artists from eastern Nebraska) will exhibit “Material World” at the International Quilt Study Center & Museum, April 12—May 15, 2016.

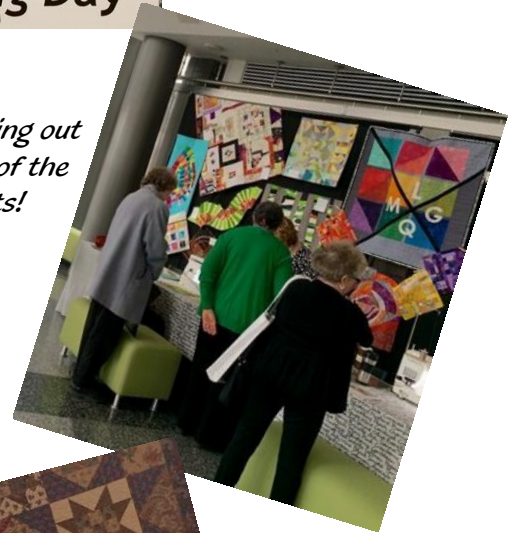
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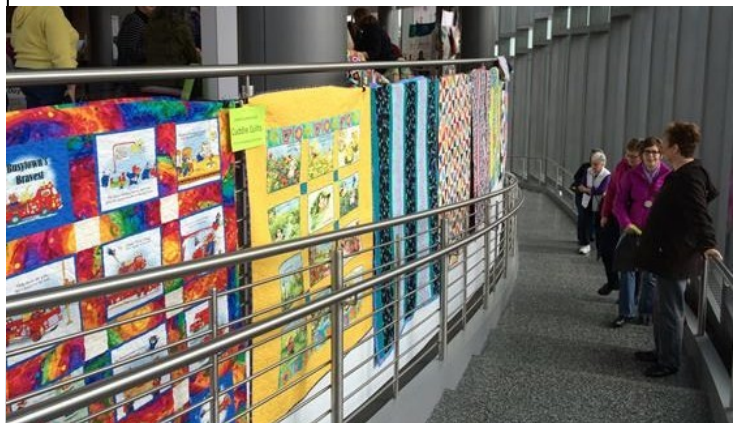
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