

Plain Print

Lincoln Quilters Guild • Quilting Since 1973 • Meeting second Monday of each month • Sep. through May, 7:00 pm.

Lincoln Quilters Guild meets at: College View Seventh Day Adventist Church
4015 South 49th Street -- in the lower level.

January Meeting

January 11, 1993

7:30 pm

Business Meeting

Program: "Have Thimble - Will Travel" by Shelly Burge

Shelly will present a lecture and slide show of her trip to the 1992 Quilt Expo Europa in The Hague, Netherlands. See Shelly's article in this issue of Plain Print.

Things to Bring:

1. Mug
2. Any overdue library books !!!!!
3. Cuddle quilt donations.
4. Name tag
5. Friendship block
6. Show and tell quilts

January Serving Committee

Jean Davie, chair
Sandra Firestone
Linda Laker
Sharon Minear
Kay Wilcox
Donna Wurst

Ruth Dennis
Cathy Meyer
Ruby Mohr
LaVonne Myers

The Hearts and Hands Quilters meet the 4th Monday (1:00 pm) at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 2325 S. 24th Street. Call Wave Hanson, 423-3852, for more information.

The Evening Star Quilters meet the 4th Monday of each month (7:30 pm) at Heritage Presbyterian Church, 35th and F Streets. Bring \$1 donation for rent of room. Call Carol Curtis, 466-5055, for more information.

JANUARY '93

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
December '92	January '93				1 First Quarter	2
	3 9 a.m.- 3 p.m.	4 9 a.m.- 3 p.m.	5 9 a.m.- 3 p.m.	6	7 9 a.m.- Noon	8 Noon - 3 p.m.
	10	11 9 a.m.- Noon	12 Noon - 3 p.m.	13	14 9 a.m.- Noon	15 9 a.m.- Noon
	17	18 9 a.m.- 3 p.m.	19 9 a.m.- Noon	20	21 Noon - 3 p.m.	22 Noon - 3 p.m.
	24 1-3:30 p.m.	25 9 a.m.- Noon	26 9 a.m.- Noon	27	28 Noon - 3 p.m.	29 Noon - 3 p.m.
						30 First Quarter

Treasurer's Report

from Pat King

Checking

Balance Forward
10/1/92 \$2,614.82
Receipts:
Dues 339.00
Raffle Tickets 1,426.00
Library 3.50
% MaryEllen
Hopkins Sales 152.50
MaryEllen Hopkins
Workshop 990.00
Plain Print Ads 114.00
Cuddle Quilts 42.43
LQG yearbooks 2.00
Quilt Show 6,728.88

Total Receipts...9,798.31

Disbursements:

Officer expenses 27.93
Mtg room rent/ins. 235.00
Newsletter Exp. 219.01
Programs 353.17
Workshop 626.22
Drapery for
Wonder Frames 70.30
Photography 46.01
Sales Tax 13.51
Quilt Show 6,111.47
Returned check &
charges 61.95
Total
Disbursements 7,764.57

Balance 10/31/92 \$4,648.56

Money Market

Balance 10/1/92 \$23,955.29

Receipts:
Interest 62.02
No Disbursements

Balance 10/31/92 \$24,017.31

NQA Proceeds \$14,794.06
Scholarships 437.20
LQG General
Fund 8,786.05
\$24,017.31

Minutes of the November 9, 1992 Meeting of LQG

Sonja Schneider called the meeting to order and welcomed nine guests. The minutes of the Oct. meeting were accepted as printed. The Treasurer's report showed \$4,648.56 in the checking account and \$24,017.31 in the money market account.

Roxanne O'Hare made a special presentation of a fruit basket to Bob - the custodian who sets up for our monthly meetings as our way of saying "Thanks."

The Guild is donating \$50 to the University Place Art Center.

The Resource Room is open and the Nov. schedule was printed in the Plain Print and flyers were available at the Nov. meeting showing the Dec. schedule. Guild groups can use the room at no charge and any non-Guild groups would be asked to give a donation. Liability insurance has been secured at a cost of \$150 for 8 months. The policy of the Resource

Room suggests that everyone sign in the notebook provided, no smoking will be allowed, leave the room as clean as you found it, and remember that only Guild members will be allowed to check out Guild library books.

Janiece Gain reminded members of the exciting programs yet to come.

Roxanne O'Hare and Jean Ang read a thank you they received as chairpeople for A.Q.S.G. The note was filled with appreciation and thanks to everyone involved.

The winner of the Guild's raffle quilt, Nadine Goertes sent a thank you.

Both food and cash donations were being accepted for the food bank.

Lora Rocke asked that we remember the Tannebaum Festival in Nov. If you have things that will be displayed, please drop them off at Lora's house Nov. 18-22. Her address is in the book.

Name tags left from the Quilt Show are available to anyone who needs one -- see Dee Edgar at the meeting.

The Nov. 16 atting workshop will be held at the Resource Room.

Kathy Stahl thanked her serving committee.

40+ ornaments were exchanged at the meeting.

Mickey Andersen invited Guild members to her home the 2nd Monday of December for a cookie exchange.

The book Quilt Groups Today has been released by the American

LQG Minutes (cont)

Quilt Society. See Sanja for more information.

We enjoyed a delightful Show and Tell and then followed the Fall Boutique and mini-lessons taught by Guild members. Thanks to Carole Montgomery for a job well done in organizing such a wonderful evening.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha Lane

Speaking Out

by Sanja Schneider

I was puzzled when I started my year as president to find so little in the way of official written policy other than the Guild By-Laws. However, after researching the minutes of meetings from past years, I now see the wisdom. With a few very well written rules, each year's officers are given the freedom to make decisions that affect their year in office. These decisions may or may not affect the subsequent years.

When preparing for the voting at our September meeting, I used as guidelines the By-Laws, Robert's Rule of Order, and one very important policy found in the Presidents' File. This policy states:

Motion April 13, 1987

"Any unbudgeted expenditure over \$500.00 shall be voted on, and approved by the majority of members in attendance at the Guild meeting, when the expenditure is presented."

Motion was recommended by the finance committee, approved by the Guild board, and voted and carried at the April 13, 1987 Guild meeting.

With these guidelines, our Guild has been successful in changing with the times while still living up to the traditions of the past.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact me.

THANK YOU'S for Donations/Loans for the Resource Room

MonaJeanne Easter
Kahy Stahl
Kathi Kinnaman
Carroll Dischner
Millie Fauquet
MOM Extension Club

And a special thanks to Martha Fink for donation of a large artificial Christmas tree to the Guild.

Thanks to all who helped...we donated 85 pounds of stuff to the Food Bank.

Quilt Expo Europa

by Shelly Burge

It was such an honor to be named the first winner of the Jewel Pearce Patterson Scholarship. I still pinch myself to make sure it was all real and not a wonderful dream. I could not believe it could happen to me, the chance to attend Quilt Expo Europa in The Hague, Netherlands.

As I think back on my trip there are so many memories. All the beautiful quilts, especially the displays featuring the quilts by European quiltmakers and the annual show of the Netherlands Quilters Guild. There were exciting and inspiring workshops taught by instructors from England, Canada, and the Netherlands. The merchant's mall with all the gorgeous fabrics I just could not resist. There was also the chance to explore the city of The Hague filled with so much old world charm and history.

It was a quilter's dream come true and an experience I will never forget.



NSQG Library Project

by MonaJeanne Easter

"Your program of giving to libraries is really wonderful--and the books are used frequently."

"Thank you so much for the recent gift of quilt books...They are a wonderful addition to our collection. We appreciate the thoughtfulness and generosity of your group."

"We thank you for this fine gift. It will be enjoyed by many of our patrons and we are very appreciative to your guild for remembering our library."

"Gifts such as yours help us to offer the fine services which our users find so beneficial."

"Thank you for the many quilt books you have donated...Because of your faithful donations and the donations from our local quilting clubs, we have a excellent collection of quilting books. They are well-used and much appreciated by our local quilters and even non-quilters, like myself."
(The librarian)

"The donated quilt books are a valuable addition to our collection. Thank you very much."

"Thank you so very much

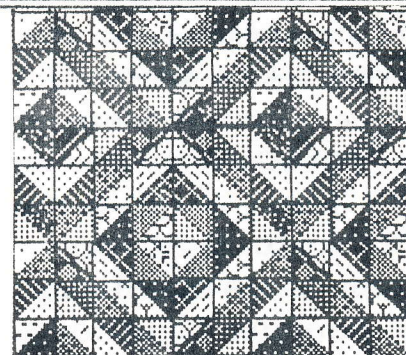
for the ...books on quilting you donated to our library. They are popular items."

Make sure your public library is on the NSQG list for a gift book in 1993. Talk with your librarian about the acceptability of a gift book on the subject of quilting, then write to me, telling me that you did. Include the librarian's name and telephone number, and the name and address of the library. Nominations must be in my April 1993, but there's no need to wait. Do it now.

MonaJeanne Easter, chair
NSQG Library Project
3430 S. 29th St.
Lincoln, NE 68502

LQG BUS TRIP

Mark your calendar now and look forward to an exciting Quilter's Holiday the weekend of April 23, 24, 25, 1993. Complete details will be published in the February issue of the Plain Print.



(above, partial picture of Dutch Inspirations)

WORKSHOP: Dutch Inspirations by Shelly Burge

This class was inspired by antique quilts made in Holland during the early 1800's. The beautiful multi-fabric pattern is simple to create with 1/2 square triangles. By using today's modern quick piecing techniques and rotary cutters, recreating this striking design is a fun and easy project. Participants will begin a large wallhanging or can make additional blocks to create a bed size quilt. Several variations will be demonstrated.

January 11, 1993
9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Lancaster County
Extension Office
444 Cherrycreek Rd.

Bring sack lunch - coffee and tea provided.

For a supply list, send \$15 and a SASE to:
Janiece Goin
RR1 Box 135
Hickman, NE 68372-9727
788-2241

NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
PHONE _____

Meet Janiece Goin !

by Carole Montgomery

Lincoln Quilter's Guild Vice President and Program Chairperson, Janiece Goin, is a native Nebraskan and avid quilter whose interests expand far beyond the realm of tradition.

Living in a peaceful country setting south of Lincoln near Hallam, Nebraska, she and her husband Phil live off the land and fruits of their labors as much as convenience dictates. Daughter Angela is a grad student at Longwood Gardens and son Quentin is a sophomore at Iowa State in Ames. Another daughter, Cindy, will make Janiece a first time grandmother in January.

Remodeling and upgrading their lovely farm home these past 16-1/2 years, they have recently added to their list of endeavors the fine art of Emu ranching! Now concerned only with breeding stock, the four pair of tall feathery birds resembling ostriches, will begin laying their leathery green eggs from December through March. Janiece's sewing room is the incubation hub of the operation and tucked between the wizzy wackers, #10 needles and material

stash is next year's emu offspring awaiting their grand entrance into the world. Once established, the emu business will expand to using 98% of the birds' marketable parts. For now, the pets roam at will behind 8 foot high mesh fences inviting the curious stares of guests at the Goin farm.

The word deadline took on a new meaning to Janiece three years ago when she became a writer with a weekly by-line in THE VOICE NEWS based in Hickman, NE. Her parenting articles deal with current and constant situations concerning parents and their children. Janiece's articles are just part of her literary skills, she is also involved with her church's newsletter.

An Image Consultant for Beauty Control Cosmetics, Janiece practices what she preaches. Her ability to project color analysis into a complete beauty make-over for her customers is enhanced by her own attention to her personal beauty aids.

Soft spoken and ever friendly with a ready smile, Janiece is an attribute to the LQG board. Her favorite part of quilting revolves around original design and color choice. In 1987, as she

hosted a friend from Costa Rica who was interested in quilting, Janiece signed up for one of Mary Obrist's classes. A three year member of LQG, Janiece considers Jenny Beyer her most interesting quilt figure, favoring Jenny's style, coloring and scrappy construction technique.

Considering the job almost overwhelming when first asked to be program chair, Janiece found some month's programs easily planned themselves. Given the amount of talent in LQG alone, she was aided considerably by the cooperation of the members. Finding that members came to her with suggestions made her task of selecting programs to suit everyone's taste that much easier.

Baking 70 loaves of bread each week in the summer time for Farmers' Market in the Lincoln, Janiece aids son Quentin's efforts towards his summer job. In exchange for her yeast breads, Quentin trades farm chores like yard work and gardening.

A spirited and dedicated wife, mother, and quilter, LQG is fortunate to have the volunteer services of Janiece Goin.

LQG Scholarship Award: \$250

Again it is time to apply for the LQG Scholarship Award.

Eligibility:

The award is to be made to:

- 1) a person engaged in graduate studies in the area of textile history or textile conservation at the University of Nebraska, OR
- 2) an individual engaged in the study of quilting outside the academic community.

Requirements:

Applicants are requested to submit:

- 1) a completed application form
 - 2) written recommendations from three persons acquainted with the scholastic or professional work of the applicant.
- > The award may not be used to purchase equipment which will remain with the scholar when the project is finished.
- > The applicant cannot knowingly derive financial or commercial gain from this award.
- > The successful applicant will be expected to report to LQG within a year following the award.

Application deadline is February 1, 1993.

Application is available from:

Lou Lessman
Chairman of Scholarship Committee

P.O. Box 6861
Lincoln, NE 68506
(402) 489-3492

WHAT IS THAT STUFF ?

by Linda Mager

Have you noticed recently that there is an addition to the Guild merchandise? Along with the pins, notecards, and other merchandise are little plastic containers with fabric bows -- what is that stuff?

That stuff is Orvus...a soap used on horses...and quilts! It is a very gentle soap that treats our quilts the way they need to be treated. Orvus will clean your quilts and not harm them.

I recently washed a quilt that had three different kinds of pencil markings on it-- regular lead pencil, red quilt marking pencil, and white quilt marking pencil. It only took one washing with Orvus and all of the markings were out and the quilt was spanking clean.

You may purchase a container of Orvus for one dollar from the Guild at the meeting or at the Resource Room. The instructions for

use are on the the container. Each container has enough Orvus to wash about three quilts.

Orvus can be used in the washing machine or in the bath tub.

Try it -- you might like it!!

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

I would like to volunteer

Name _____

Phone _____

Time Available: _____

mail to:

Donna Jensen
1416 N. 67
Lincoln, NE 68505

The Plain Print official mailing address is the Post Office Box listed as the return address. HOWEVER, all articles and announcements for the next issue of Plain Print (to be mailed the later part of January) should be mailed to Kate Laucomer

1351 S. 37th St.

Lincoln, NE 68510

Deadline for next issue of Plain Print is Jan. 4, 1993.

Make a Memory Box for 1993

By Ann Nonamus

A recent idea came in the mail concerning making memories, and what are we quilters if not memory makers!

Take a box, shoe box, stationery box, whatever you like and cover it with either a favorite material, wall paper or gift wrap and throughout the year collect the important momentos to store in it for future reference. Mark the box top with the appropriate year and let your creative juices flow when it comes to the design of the label and covering choices.

In your box of memories, store things that are important to you from that year. Wedding and birth announcements, photos, report cards, newspaper articles, valentines and other holiday cards. Perhaps dried flowers from a favorite bouquet. Locks of hair, ticket stubs, hospital bracelets, kids' and grandkids' school art. Maybe a postcard or paper placemat from a vacation spot. Letters written on vacation placemats to friends back home as a sure fire attention getter too!

Perhaps a miniature of a recent quilt, swatches of

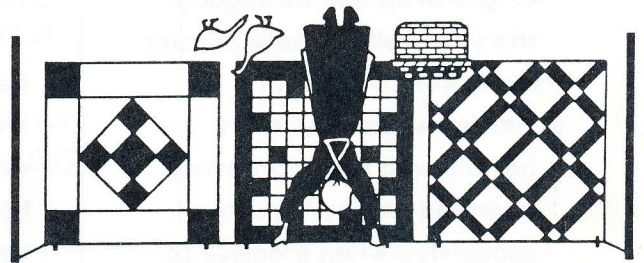
material and references as to what was created with a photo of the quilt?

The list goes on and on and you will have fun creating your own, I'm sure. As the boxes gather in orderly measure on your storage shelves, think what a delightful way to spend a family reunion or the day after Christmas in some future year it would be!

Start planning your personal MEMORY BOX and it will be fun to hear what treasures from the heart you have included in yours!

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University Place Art
Center exhibit: "Among
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2601 N. 48th St.
Dec. 15 - Jan. 15, 1993
For more information, call
Margaret Berry, 466-8692.