



Lincoln Quilters Guild - Quilting Since 1973 - Meeting second Monday of each month September through May, 7:00 p.m.

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Patricia Hammond...

... an upbeat, energetic designer and president of Hearthstone Designs, has been quilting for over 15 years. This self-taught entrepreneur divides her time between teaching, lecturing, designing, and managing her fast-growing appliqué and mixed technique pattern firm.

Her lecture will be "Appliqué-Quick Tips and Trade Secrets to Improve Your Workmanship".

Hostesses for the May Meeting

Doni Boyd, chair, and
the Scrap Happens Group

**Don't forget,
we will have the
1999 - 2000 budget vote
at the May meeting.**

Memo Board

Meeting: May 10, 1999
7:00 pm
at College View Seventh Day
Adventist Church, 49th & Prescott

Please Return those
Library Books.
Thank you.

Remember to Bring:

1. Fabric name tag
2. Coffee mug
3. Friendship Blocks
4. Show and Tell
5. Money for Mini Raffle
6. Check to pay Dues
7. Library Books

A Message from Anne

This is my last opportunity to address all of you in the *Plain Print*. During all the years I have belonged to this Guild, I have looked forward to the newsletter each month. I don't know how many years Carol Curtis has been getting it to my mail box! Thanks Carol. Thank you, too, to Connie and Kate for a job well done this year.

Thanks seem to be in order all around. To the Executive Board who each did their job, thanks. Thank you also to my committee chairs. Each of their positions is vital to our success. To those of you who listened to me whine, thanks. To those of you who care so much about LQG, and were there for me with quiet advice and support, thanks.

Quite a lot of my time and energy during my year as your President was spent finding a new Resource Room. Because that process was long and frustrating, it is important to me that we all work together to make this new situation work for the Guild. I hope each of you will make use of the room in the future. We will need to be creative and flexible. We will need to practice cooperation and good communication. We can make this work!

My advisor promised me that I would learn a lot this year. Thanks to Connie, I have. I hope the things we have accomplished this year will help make next year run smoothly for Lora and her Board. With continued support from the membership, we have a bright future. Won't it be fun to see all that LQG can be in the next century?!

Anne

Dues are Due!!

It's that time of year again... time to pay our dues for next year. Membership forms will be available at the meeting. Please take time to fill one out and pay your dues at the membership table at the May meeting.

Let's ALL get this done early so we can print an up-to-date membership book will ALL our names in it! (And save the expense of the extra printed update sheets☺)

Morning Workshop in May

The Morning Workshop will meet on Monday, May 24th, at the new Resource Room located at 60th and South Streets, in the Knights of Columbus Building. Please use the west entrance.

This month we will start at 9 am. The topic is Trapunto by Machine. Please bring Show and Tell !!

Cuddle Quilt Workshop

The next Cuddle Quilt workshop will be:
June 3rd, 4th, and 5th
9 am – 4 pm

at the Resource Room, 60th and South Streets in the Knights of Columbus building. Please use the west entrance. Remember to bring your sewing basket, rotary cutting supplies, and batting and/or fabric donations.

Quilt Challenge

There will be a Quilt Challenge in conjunction with LQG Quilt Show 2000. Plans are still on the drawing board but word has it - "Think pink, think wall hanging!". Look for details at the May meeting.

We're Gone !!

With this issue, Kate and Connie will be hanging up their keyboards and retiring as typesetter and editor of *Plain Print*. Call Lora Rocke, 488-1670, for deadlines and other information for the next issue.

Patricia Hammond Class

Baltimore Album Appliqué arrives in Lincoln!

Come join us in creating an original Vintage Sampler floral block. Students will learn traditional appliqué techniques to create 1/4" bias stems, perfectly pointed leaves, lovely simple flowers, and invisible appliqué stitching. Professional results are guaranteed!

The class fee of \$20 includes a collection of 12" block designs, template plastic, general

appliqué supplies, and written instructions. All appliqué enthusiasts – from beginner through advanced skill levels - are welcome!

Tuesday, May 11, 9 A M to 4:30 P M at the new Resource Room, 60th & South St. (in the Knights of Columbus building). Please use the west door. Bring a sack lunch. A refrigerator is available for our use and a pop machine is in the building.

If you are interested in attending this class, send your check for \$20 payable to LQG to: Martha Lane, 6121 S. 48 St., Lincoln, 68516. Questions? 421-2135

Lincoln Quilters Guild Revenue & Expenditures March 16, 1999- April 15, 1999

General Fund:

Revenue:

Interest from CD	\$ 266.29	
Plain Print Ads	30.00	
Judy B. Dales class	<u>480.00</u>	
Total Revenue		\$ 776.29

Expenditures:

Administrative	\$ 199.47	
Room Rents	300.00	
Misc.	739.22	
Newsletter	189.21	
Program & Class	1,251.38	
Spring Tea	448.52	
Library	125.41	
Quilt Show 2000	<u>20.00</u>	
Total Expenditures		\$ 3,273.21

Net Income/Decrease **\$ <2,506.92>**

Designated Funds:

Revenue:

Mini Raffle	\$ 266.75	
Cuddle Quilts	<u>28.00</u>	
Total Revenue		\$ 294.75

Expenditures:

Class Scholarships	\$ 150.00	
M R for Cuddle Quilts	<u>113.25</u>	
Total Expenditures		\$ 263.25

Balance in Funds:

Mini Raffle	\$ 568.12
Cuddle Quilts	\$ 141.25

Good News - Bad News

- from Joan Biasucci

The good news is one of my wall quilts, "The Turning Point," is featured in the New/Works section of the current issue of *Art/Quilt Magazine*.

The bad news is "Not Quite Monet's Garden," has been rejected by the Museum of Bad Art (MOBA) of Boston, Massachusetts. According to the museum's curator, they could not accept the piece because they do not have the expertise to preserve textiles. However, it is my personal feeling that the piece was not bad enough to meet their rigid standards. Rejection can be so humiliating.

May Exchange Blocks

54-40 or Fight & 4 Patch - 9 Patch Variations

Colors - Black and Red

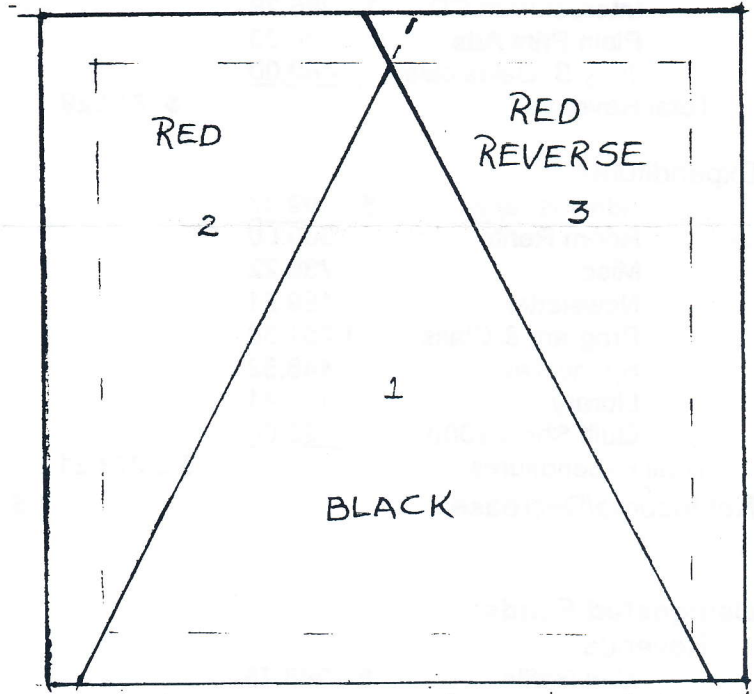
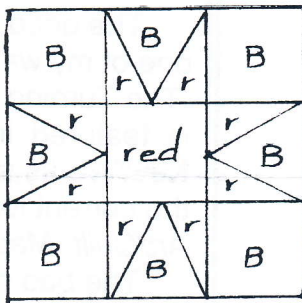
Block size - 9 1/2" unfinished

Star Block -

Cut - 3 1/2" squares of black (4)

3 1/2" square of red (1)

Reds in the stars are all the same fabric but the blacks are all different. Make 4 sets of star points using paper piecing or by making templates for this part of the block only. I tried both methods and found the paper piecing to be faster and more accurate.



4 Patch - 9 Patch Variation -

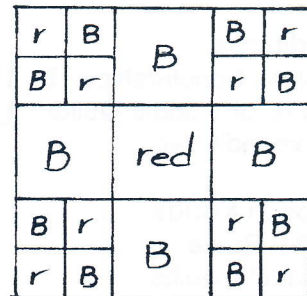
Cut - 3 1/2" squares of black (4)

3 1/2" square of red (1)

2" squares of both red and black

(8 each color)

Mix as many possible fabrics as you can of both the red and black in this block for more interest.



The International Quilt Study Center invites you to attend a gala event celebrating the important influence of botany on the art of quilting.

Friday, May 21, 1999

Morrill Hall, University of Nebraska—Lincoln
14th & U Streets

6:30 pm Cocktails

7:00 pm Private showings of the exhibit

"Fanciful Flowers: Botany and the American Quilt"

7:30 pm Dinner & Live Auction

8:30 pm Remarks by Michael James,
renowned quilt artist

Cocktail reception and dinner are \$100 per person. Approximately \$50 is a tax-deductible donation. Please RSVP by May 1. Seating is limited. Business/Cocktail attire.

For more information, contact Carolyn Ducey at 472-6301.

Complimentary parking available for guests in University parking lot located directly north of Morrill Hall.

Anyone who wishes to purchase a ticket could do so by simply mailing a check and the following information to the address below.

International Quilt Study Center Gala Event

I/We will be able to attend the dinner on Friday, May 21.

I/We will not be able to attend the dinner, but a contribution to support the Center in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.

My preferred name:

My guest's preferred name:

Special needs or meal requirements:

Checks may be made payable to the International Quilt Study Center.

Mail check and reservation to:
International Quilt Study Center
Dept. of Textiles, Clothing & Design
University of Nebraska—Lincoln
Lincoln, NE 68583-0838

"Memories in Material" Quilt Show

The show, "Memories in Material," will be held May 29th and 30th at Memory Lane Museum in Weeping Water, Nebraska. (Weeping Water is 30 minutes east of Lincoln.)

They will have approximately 100 quilts on display throughout the Museum complex. Some new quilts, some old quilts, some from near and far.

A number of vendors will be offering many unique quilt related items. Vendors from as far away as Alabama are planning to attend.

If you have any questions or need to make arrangements for a group, please call Mary Wise 402-267-5139 (evenings) or Mary Wise, Memory Lane Museum, P.O. Box 313, Weeping Water, NE 68463.

Afternoon Workshop Change

Please note: The "Hearts & Hands" Afternoon Workshop will meet on May 24 (rather than the date listed in the yearbook). 1:00 p.m. At St. Matthew's Episcopal Church. Come join us! - from Marilyn Rembolt

NQA Omaha Day Trip

Sponsored by University Place Art Center
Saturday, June 26 9 A M -6:30 P M

Tour includes the National Quilters Association exhibit at Omaha Civic Auditorium, lunch at the Upstream Brewing Co. in the Old Market, and Quilts by the Masters exhibit at the Durham Western Heritage Museum.

Cost is \$45/person, which includes lunch, entrance fees, and travel arrangements. Seating is limited. Call 466-8692 for reservations by June 15.

Congratulations and Thank You !!

At the April meeting, we raised \$153.50 for the class scholarship fund. The quilts were made and donated by Phyllis Horn, Heddy Kohl, and Jean Barney.

Thank you, thank you, thank you to everyone who bought tickets this year!!!

Thank You Thank You

The quilt is quilted!! And beautiful!!

A big thank you!!! to all who helped to accomplish it's completion so quickly. Millie Fauquet and Wendy Ray marked the quilt top and The "Hands Across 'O' Street" group basted the quilt into the frame. Quilting began February 3, 1999, with Millie (appropriately) putting the first stitches into the quilt. During the next 7 weeks (with 1 week idle while Marilyn Rembolt went skiing) 109 quilters quilted for 360 hours to finish the quilt. Also a "thank you" to Louise Howey for helping call to schedule quilters and a very big "thank you" to all of you who called to schedule yourself! Of the 109 quilters, 92 members quilted for 323 hours, and 17 non-members quilted for 37 hours. The quilt was taken out of the frame on March 24, 1999, with Millie putting the last stitches into the quilt. Wendy Ray and Anne Parrot put the binding onto the quilt. A label is attached to the back of the quilt. It lists Millie Fauquet as the designer and maker of the top, and also lists all (hopefully) the names of the quilters.

The quilt was on display at the April meeting and it is beautiful ! Raffle tickets will be available in May and the quilt will begin traveling. The drawing for the quilters' "thank you" small quilt will be held at the May meeting. . . so the suspense continues... good luck to you all! Get ready to sell, sell, sell !

Salad Supper

Wednesday, May 26th

6:30 pm

Resource Room (Knights of Columbus)

60th and South Streets

use the west entrance

All 1998 – 1999 and 1999 – 2000 officers and committee chairs are invited to attend this end of the Guild year wrap up. It is always a fun event. All 1998 – 1999 committee chairs should bring their committee folders with a completed report to be passed on to the new committee chair.

Please bring a salad and/or a dessert (a chance to share your favorites) and your own table service. Iced tea and cups will be provided.

Please bring "summer theme" quilts for show and tell.

If you have questions, call Anne at 476-8314.

LQG Resource Room
Knights of Columbus Building
60th & South Street (west entrance)
Coordinator: Barb Schlegelmilch 483-2751
To reserve our room for your small group meetings or to access the library, contact Barb, or Lora Rocke, 488- 1670.

"Undulations and Other Rhythms"

... will be the featured exhibition in the Robert Hillestad Textiles Gallery April 23rd - May 10th, 1999. Throughout the semester advanced students in textile and apparel design have been evolving new forms and combinations of textiles to create apparel and visual environments representative of an invented people. The artists will transform the gallery space into a magical environment that will captivate the viewer using sound, light, and a wide array of materials and constructions. You will be able to observe the mystic land of the butterfly. Be jolted when you witness the genesis of the apocalypse: ice, toxic fumes, isolation. Discover an island with tropical island dwellers and prehistoric peoples. Within the deep rainforest lies a worship site with god totems, cave paintings and amulets.

A reception with the 17 student artists is planned for Friday, April 23 from 6-8 pm. The public is invited. Refreshments in the spirit of the exhibition will be served. The gallery is located on East Campus of the University of Nebraska Lincoln in the Home Economics building on the second floor. The Gallery is open M-F, 10-4:30 and on selected Sundays. Call 472-2911 for more information.

LQG General Meeting
April 12, 1999, 7:00 pm, College View SDA
Church
Presiding Officer Anne Parrott, President

Anne Parrott: Welcome. No meeting in
March due to bad weather.

Nancy Pierce: Time to renew membership
for next year (dues \$25).

Marilynn Rembolt: Raffle Quilt is on display.
Quilting was completed March 24th.

Janiece Goin: Names drawn and Birthday
gifts. Guild's birthday is usually celebrated at
the March meeting.

Martha Lane: Introduction of Judy B. Dales.
Judy B. Dales' Presentation.

Lore Rocke: Announcements.

Sat. June 26 bus trip to NQA.

Summer workshops at the University.

Randy Dinzdale Quilt show. For more
information, call 474-3555.

Suggestions for Executive Board send to:
P.O. Box 6861, Lincoln, NE 68506.

Quilt Show in North Platte, see flier on
bulletin board.

AQSG Seminar, October 2000, Chairman
will be Kathy Moore.

Jo Baxter, Research Scholarship
Committee: Carol Bosshart has been awarded
the scholarship this year.

Roxann O'Hare, Garage Sale: April 30,
Recycle And Revive Sale.

If you have more pink yogurt lids they may
be mailed to Roxann for American Breast
Foundation (\$.50 per lid).

Kim Bock, Quilt Show 2000: Fill out pink
survey of your abilities. We need everyone's
help. Remember to start your pink challenge
quilt.

Bus trip is Saturday April 17th (\$25 for the
day). Still some space available.

Lois Wilson: Education

Sandy Anderson: UFO's brought last year.
Completed projects shown. Great!

Martha Lane: May's presentation will be by
Patricia Hammond on appliqué. She will
provide a class on Tuesday, May 11, 9:30-
3:30, for \$20.

Wendy Ray, Treasurer: Presentation of
budget for 1999 - 2000.

Jayne Wolfe, Friendship blocks: Geese
blocks won by 3 members. May Exchange
sample.

Anne Parrott: Resource Room Selected:
Address is, 60th and South in the Knights of
Columbus building. Room size is 22x18' with
an alcove for our frames. We have our own
entrance on the west side. There is a large
lighted parking lot. The area is secured for our
Library and possessions. The rent is \$150/mo.
We may rent the meeting hall and large room
for \$75 which will be suitable for classes. We
have committed for 12 months with 2 months
notice of change. We will have a key check -
out system. Barb Schlegelmilch has
volunteered to be the check-out person in the
area. President and Librarian will also have
keys.

Invitation to Open House, Sunday, April 25,
2 - 4 pm with refreshments.

Kate Laucomer, quilt raffle: Three winners
tonight. \$153.50 was donated for scholarships.
Thanks for buying tickets, making and donating
quilts.

Roxann O'Hare, Becky Haynes, and Pat
Hackley: Presentation of next year's officers:
Lora Rocke, President; Diane Deahl, President
Elect; JoAnne Bair, Vice President; Marilyn
Rembolt, Vice President-Elect; Pat Andersen,
Treasurer; Sheila Green, Asst. Treasurer;
Beverly Vogel, Secretary; Anne Parrott,
Advisor. Martha Lane moved to accept the
officers as nominated. Carol Curtis seconded
the motion. Members voted their approval of
officers.

Diane Thomas, visitor, announcement and
invitation: International Quilt Dinner on May
21st. Tickets are \$100. See *Plain Print* for
details.

Wendy Ray: A new book for the Library;
Hidden in Plain View.

JoAnne Bair introduced herself.
Adjourned to Show and Tell.

- Jan Engen, Secretary

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UNL Workshops

"Color Dynamics and Expression"
a workshop with Michael James
May 18th - 21st

"Quilts: a Social and Feminist History"
a seminar by Dr. Janet Berlo
May 24th - 27th

For more information, call 472-6342 or
www.ianr.unl.edu/tcd/quilts/homepage.htm



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