

December LQG Announcements

A note from President Christina Chapman:

I know it's officially winter break for the guild, but there's always something going on, or news to share. So here are a few items to consider...

From Sara Kenny, Quilts of Valor:

Let us start the year off with a bang!

Yep, you guessed it.......the folks at Patriotic Productions are sponsoring another Honor Flight in May, this time for Purple Heart recipients from the Gulf War, Iraq and Afghanistan. They have asked if we can provide Quilts of Valor to these heroes, and of course, I had to say "yes." We will need up to 135 in total and they all need to be red, white and blue, with pillowcases. I realize I am asking this during the time when many Guilds, including Lincoln are on winter break but I wanted to get the message out about the need and maybe some of you would like to quilt over the winter???

I would need to have all the finished quilts by early April and any quilt tops by the March meeting. Yeah, not much time, but hopefully, it will work out.

Also, Quilts of Valor will be sponsoring a Sewing Day on Saturday Feb 2, 2019 at the Eastridge Presbyterian Church (in the basement). The event will begin around 9 and run through 4, with door prizes, lunch and lots of fun. Volunteers need to bring their own machines and extension cords. If volunteers have projects to work on, great, but if not, we will have kits. To give the group an idea of how many might show up, please let Julia Schroeder (missyquilts16@gmail.com) know that you are coming. We are hoping to use

this day to really work on QOVs for the Honor Flight.

In addition, QOV will be featured at the National Quilting Day at the IQSC in March.

Notice of Correction:

At the November meeting, we voted to approve the October minutes. However, we later discovered a typographical error in the information about quilts for Home Instead and Fresh Start. The desired size was originally listed as cuddle quilt size (22 x 55) or twin size. BUT the size of cuddle quilts should have read 44 x 55. The minutes have now been corrected on the website, but we also wanted to point out the correction in case you're working on these quilts over the winter break. If you have any questions, contact Vicky Skuodas.

Membership Renewals:

Don't forget to renew your membership early (postmarked by December 31, 2018) so you get the early bird rate.

Click here for the 2018-2019 LQG Membership form.

Questions?

Contact Membership Chair, Roddy Humeniak @ (619) 952-1164, or Sherry Taylor @ (402) 540-0857

Minutes of the last meeting:

Here is a copy of the draft minutes prepared by outgoing Secretary Joni Sauter. They will also be included in the Plain Print just before we resume in the Spring so we can vote on approving them in March. But I thought you might like to review some of the information that was shared at the November meeting.

LINCOLN QUILTERS GUILD MEETING Monday November 12, 2018 College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church

President Pat Kant called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm and welcomed everyone. There were one guest and one new member.

President Pat Kant thanked members and Board Members for all their

wonderful support. She also expressed a special thank you to Chris Wiegers, our Webmaster for the Guild Website. At this time LQG has 240 members.

Old Business

1. The minutes of the October 2018 meeting were printed in the Plain Print. The Board is correcting the minutes to read as follows:

"Pat recognized the guild members who participated in the All-Female Honor Flight event September 24. It was an honor for LQG to be part of an event celebrating the military service of women through Quilts of Valor."

Rosalind Carr made a motion to approve the amended minutes. Mary Jane Kermmoade seconded. The motion carried.

Committee Reports

Announcements, President-Elect Christina Chapman read the following:

- 1. Thank you from Patricia Pressler for her machine quilting award received from the NE State Fair.
- 2. Thank you was received from Laura Franchini for the LQG sponsorship of the award she received for her wall quilt.
- 3. Sandi McMillan thanked LQG for our generous support at the NE State Fair.
- 4. The Superintendent of NE State Fair Quilt Show informed LQG that the sponsor program is being discontinued. Beginning in 2019 the NE State Fair Award Program will be switched to a premium system for the Quilt Department. This will allow financial awards to be made to the First, Second, and Third places in each Division 5320 and 5330 class, compared to the sponsor program where only the First place received a monetary award. This premium system will also provide a uniform amount from one class to the next.
- 5. Thank you was received from the Williamson Family. The Williamson family also gave a \$25.00 donation to LQG.
- 6. The annual Quilts of Valor National Sew Day will be held on Saturday, February 2nd, 2019. Please contact Judy Lane: judithblane@yahoo.com to receive more information about this special event.
- 7. Thank you from the Santa Rosa Guild for our support after their fires.
- 8. Thank you from Diane Pebley, our October speaker.
- 9. Thank you from Meylonie Schatz for calls, emails and other support during her illness.
- 10. The Heritage League is holding their 47th annual Holiday of Trees on Thursday, November 29 and Friday, November 30 at Westminster

Presbyterian Church. Westminster is located at 2110 Sheridan Blvd. (26th and South Streets) The hours of the event are Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. and Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

LQG Scholarship - Sheila Green

1. Sheila announced that a LQG scholarship of up to \$1000.00 is available to a person engaged in studies in the area of textile history or textile conversation at the University of NE or a person engaged in the study of quilting outside the academic community. The application is available on the LQG website. The completed form and two letters of recommendation are due by April 1, 2019. The winner will be announced at the April 9, 2019 LQG meeting. The 2019 Scholarship Committee is Bonnie Moses, Chair, Bev Vogel, and Lois Wilson.

National Quilting Day - Sheila Green

National Quilting Day will be held Saturday, March 16, 2019. Around 100 volunteers are needed to make the day successful. Sign up sheet was at the meeting. Jayne Wolff is the LQG representative on the committee. Quilts of Valor is the featured outreach project. Please contact Sheila to volunteer.

Potential Youth Activities - Kath Conroy

 Kath announced that she has contacted the 4-H Extension office and the Lincoln City Libraries to discuss a Quilt Quest Program in conjunction with LQG. She will meet with both organizations in January to begin discussions. Kath welcomes any input from LQG members.

Membership - Roddy Humeniak

1. Roddy reminded members that Early Bird dues need to be postmarked by December 31, 2018 for the cost of \$40.00. January 1, 2019 and after price is \$50.00. If you mail in your dues you can pick up your membership packet, which includes a pattern for the Fall Color Challenge, at the membership table in March. Remember to turn in your Fall Color Challenge blocks next year. A drawing will be held at the November meeting to win all the blocks. Each block you enter gives you a chance to win.

New Member Group - Kathy Junker and Linda Gale

1. The New Member groups chose to make two quilts for the Cuddle Quilt Group as their community service project for 2018. We used a Blind Round Robin approach. We provided two center panels and the

members added a border. The out-going Co-Chair is Kathy Junker. Linda Gale will move to Lead Chair and Patricia Ozga will assist in 2019. Members that have been in the guild three or less year will find this group to be very helpful in getting to know new members and sharing their quilting skills.

IQSC&M Liaison - Ann Hauder

- 1. The most recent exhibition is Discovering the Collection: A 20 Year Journey in honor of Carolyn Ducey. She is celebrating her 20th year with the museum.
- 2. This is Art Market week at the museum. Thank you for all the donations. Please shop the Art Market, Friday, November 16, 1-7 PM and Saturday, November 17, 9 AM to 4 PM.

Mini Raffle - Joyce Nass and Monica Reid

- 1. Joyce announced proceeds of \$174.00.
- 2. Item 1. Fat Quarter Bundle, Christmas Apron and Twister Mini Quilt, Peanut Brittle and book donated by Cora Whelan, Anonymous, and Sandra Wade. Won by Sandra Wade.
- 3. Item 2. Omnigrid case and books, Moda Fat Quarter Bundle and book donated by Jane Grabenstein-Chandler, Nancy Anderson and Anonymous. Won by Kathy Phillips.
- 4. Item 3. Fabric purse, fabric billfold and rotary cutter, donated by Linda Gale and Patrice Steiner. Won by Leola Kahl.
- 5. Two mini quilts, book, Santa Wall hanging kit, donated by Anonymous. Won by Pat Schmidt.

Nomination Chair - Kath Conroy

- 1. Kath introduced Lisa Burham as President Elect for 2018-2019. She asked that the usual one month waiting period be waived so the election could be held tonight. All were in favor and there were no objections.
- Kath installed the following officers: President Elect Lisa
 Burham, Secretary Jerry Lee Jensen, Treasurer Elect Pam Rowland,
 VP Elect Programs Janiece Goin and Linda Gale, President Christina
 Chapman, Treasurer Caroline Forstrom, VP Programs Julie Albrecht
 and Marilynn Schnepf and Advisor Pat Kant.

Programs - Julie Albrecht and Marilynn Schnepf 2018-2019

1. Julie provided bookmarks for the Programs and Classes for 2018-2019 LQG year. She announced that the March 2019 class with Mel Beach will be held on Sunday, March 10, 2019. The membership meeting on June 17, will be a Membership Appreciation night and will be held at IQSC&M.

Programs - Kathy Bangsund and Kathie Baumbach

1. Kathy Bangsund introduced Kris Vierra as the Program Speaker.

Meeting adjourned to Show and Tell.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary, Joni Sauter

Lincoln Quilters Guild meets the second Monday of the month (March-November) at 7:00 pm at the College View Seventh Day Adventist Church, 49th and Prescott Streets, Lincoln, NE. June is an exception, with the meeting on the third Monday.







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