

Lincoln Quilters Guild Announcements

Lancaster County Superfair

Congratulations to all who participated in the Lancaster County Superfair. What an amazing display of talent! LQG sponsors the "Best of Show" award with a \$50 prize. This year Kristie Jarchow won the award. Congratulations, Kristie!



LQG's 2020 Quilt Show 'Sun & Fun'

Wow! What a great unveiling of *Sun Jewels*, LQG's 2020 Quilt Show Raffle Quilt, pieced by Sherry Taylor and quilted by Kris Vierra. A BIG thank you to both of them! A great jump start was had, selling 713 tickets on the night of the un-veiling. Thank you to all who participated.

We will be selling tickets at every guild meeting and there will be another incentive wall hanging drawing for the next 50 booklets (10 tickets each) sold.



Sherry Taylor with Sun Jewels

Help Needed!

Serving on a committee is a great way to make new friendships in addition to helping your Guild. There are several opportunities for members to serve on committees for the next Guild year. Please contact Lisa Burham at lisaburham@gmail.com if you can serve on one of the following committees.

Awards committee
New members committee
Audit committee

There will be copies of the job descriptions for each of these committees at a sign up table at our next meeting.

The Nominations Committee is also looking or a candidate for President-elect. If you'd like to volunteer yourself or would like to recommend someone for the job,

National Quilting Day 2020

National Quilting Day is scheduled for March 21, 2020 at the International Quilt Museum. Sheila Green is needing a representative from Lincoln Quilters Guild to serve on the committee. The representative will need to be available for daytime meetings at the museum. If you are interested, please contact Sheila Green.

Passing Along this Request ...

The guild has been contacted by Dick Salem who is looking for quilts to be donated for the purpose of hanging in a meeting room at Holy Trinity Episcopal church at 6001 A St in Lincoln. Among other things, the room is used twice weekly for a substance abuse recovery group and serves about 50 folks at each meeting. The meeting room was recently renovated and carpet was replaced with vinyl. Unfortunately, the room is now rather noisy when large groups meet. They would like to address that issue and also add interest to the room by hanging quilts on the walls. In Dick's words "I have found quilts to be peaceful and speak to hope." They would welcome quilts of many different sizes, colors, styles and ages. So, if you have any quilts that could use a new home and new appreciation, please contact Dick Salem at 402.477.4444 or 402.430.6750.

Awards Nominations

Have you been thinking about your fellow guild member quilters who deserve an award this year? Please give this question some thought and turn in your nomination forms by September 1, 2019. Forms are available from the Awards Committee members: Jaynee Wolfe, Carol Curtis, Sue Lundy and Martha Dennis or a form can be printed off of the <u>website</u>.

Remaining Workshops This Year

Date: September 10, 2019

Workshop: Old Fashioned Pine Burr

Instructor: Diane Harris

Pine Burr quilts were made by African Americans and others for decades and they are truly addictive. Easy and fun, this quilt uses up your ugliest fabrics and still looks terrific. We'll learn to cut, fold, place and sew the patches to make a bullseye Pine Burr. You won't believe how fun and relaxing this traditional beauty can be!



Go to our website for more information.

Date: October 15, 2019

Workshop: Thread Painted Portraits

Instructor: Lea McComas

Use free-motion stitching on a printed fabric foundation to thread paint a portrait. Begin with a basic blending and contour exercises before moving on to the stitching individual facial features. Learn how to select appropriate threads and how stitching lines can be blended and contoured to create a realistic facial image. Additionally, learn tricks for adding detail and ways of manipulating the background to support the overall composition. The workshop also includes instruction on photo editing as well as larger, more complex, or multiple projects.



Click here for the registration form.

Date: November 12, 2019
Workshop: Cracked Boxes
Instructor: Ilene Bartos

The class focuses on choosing color combinations and easy sewing techniques to make this project. Fun for all quilters, and the top can mostly be completed in the class.

Go to our website for more information.





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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