

# LQG President's Announcements

#### Guild Meeting March 14, 2022

What a great thing to see everyone again as we start up the Quilt Guild year. I know the room was not ideal, but as quilters who like to 'piece things together' we were able to have a good time and good conversations. We will be back in our usual place on April 11th with lots of sunshine, I hope.

Our Guild meeting on Monday night was attended by 90 members. We had 5 guests – from Wilber, Crete, and a member of the Grand Island Guild. We welcomed new members to the Guild with a group meeting prior to meeting start. We have a total of 177 members.

Wasn't Robbi Ecklow just a fun speaker? I loved her quilts, so interested with her technique, amazed at her fabric dying, and her humor just struck a chord with me. Many of you asked about her Hot Shops in Omaha. Here is the link to their website <u>https://www.hotshopsartcenter.com/</u> located at 1301 Nicholas St., Omaha, NE 68102.

#### **Speaker in April**

Kathi Eubank will present "What a Judge Sees", which will be about judging quilts and include tips and techniques on how to make your quilts "judge ready". She will have a half day workshop titled "You be the Judge" on Tuesday, April 12th from 9 – Noon at the International Quilt Museum. Please go to the Lincoln Quilters Guild website and you can get more information about the speaker and registration instructions.

#### Isles Sale - March 27th at the Isles in Havelock

We will be selling lots of fabric at the Isles Sale on March 27th. Please join us and bring a friend – 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Only fabric will be sold, and it will be @ \$3 a pound.

If you have fabric to donate, please drop off at Connie Soucie's home. You can place your fabric in the black/yellow tubs on the front porch. Address is in Wilderness Ridge at 2330 Stone Creek Loop North. (*Directions: Turn South at approximately 21st & Yankee Hill Road. Go around the waterfall to Stone Creek Loop to enter development, go either direction to the top of the loop to* 2330). You may also contact Connie at 402-817-9144 if needed.

## International Quilt Museum - Upcoming event starting April 1st

- Sandy Hanson announced the Red / White quilts donated to the IQM by Joanna Rose (who passed away in November 2021). She has also donated about 65 cheddar quilts. This will be part of IQM's 25th anniversary of the James Family's donation that started the development of the IQM. As you click the links below, pay particular attention to the quilt hanging system, which was developed & patented by an engineer. There is also a book that illustrates all of the quilts.
- Infinite Variety: Three Centuries of Red and White Quilts | American Folk Art Museum
- You can also click on these links to see information from the <u>International</u> <u>Quilt Museum</u> and also the actual <u>New York exhibition</u>.

### **Reminders:**

Scholarship Applications are due April 1, 2022. <u>View the website</u> for details on process.

Silent Auction (Tentative October 2022) – if you would like to volunteer for this committee, contact Connie Soucie.

50th Anniversary (2023) – If you would like to volunteer for this committee contact Lisa Burham.

Millie's Fauquet's "Best in Show" Raffle Quilt will continue to be available for purchasing raffle tickets up to the June meeting when the winner will be announced.

Next Quilt Guild meeting is Monday, April 11, 2022 @ 7 p.m.



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