

The June 8, 2013 LQG Meeting is at the International Quilt Study
Center

Park in the lot to the north of the facility.

Ice Cream Social to begin at 6:30, and the first speaker will begin at
7:00 pm

No June Class

Speakers for the June LQG meeting are:

Jonathan Gregory: Ernest Haight, Quilting like an Engineer: "It's Easier than You Think!" DESCRIPTION:

Ernest B. Haight of David City, one of the first Nebraska Quilters Hall of Fame honorees, earned an Agricultural Engineering degree from the University of Nebraska in 1924. Ten years later he started making unusual quilts in innovative ways. Jonathan Gregory has studied two hundred of Haight's quilts made between 1934 and 1986, as well as Haight's hand drafted patterns, boxes of letters, diaries, and clippings. Gregory will show the innovative—and sometimes humorous—ways Ernest Haight made quilts and talked about his processes like an engineer. SPEAKER:

Jonathan Gregory earned his BS in Human Resources Management from Friends University, Wichita, Kansas, and his MA in Textile History with a Quilt Studies emphasis at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. He is Assistant Curator of Exhibitions at the International Quilt Study Center & Museum at UNL. Jonathan curated the exhibition The Engineer Who Could: Ernest Haight's Half-Century of Quiltmaking (June 7, 2013 – March 2, 2014), is co-author of the exhibition catalog What's In A Name? Inscribed Quilts, and contributed the IQSCM's first comprehensive catalog volume American Quilts in the Modern Age, 1870 - 1940 (University of Nebraska Press, 2009). Occasionally Jonathan pulls a few fat quarters from his monumental fabric stash and starts a quilting project. He has a less than 50% success rate in finishing those projects.

Dr. Janet Price: Grace Snyder: A Life in Extraordinary Stitches DESCRIPTION:

Honored in her lifetime as one of the 20th century's most accomplished quiltmakers, Grace Snyder's legacy encompasses far more than her impressive number of exhibition quilts. While Grace's public quilts are known for their artistry and workmanship, her private quilts for family are filled with affection and meaning. Grace's extended family remembers a beloved matriarch who created beautiful quilts but was equally adept at crochet, sewing, embroidery and drawn work. Celebrating Grace's life and accomplishments requires a closer look at all her skills and accomplishments.

Plain Print by Email

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July 2013 newsletter deadline: **June 12, 2013**

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Meeting the *second Monday* of the month

2012 September—November

2013 March—November Gathering at 6:30 p.m. Program & Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church 4015 S 49th Street Lincoln, Nebraska

On the Internet at www.lincolnquiltersguild.org

President's Message



I sure hope everyone is enjoying some nice weather for a change and getting the chance to be outside more. Our family and I had a wonderful Mother's Day.

We have a routine — we do not say a tradition since we have only been doing it for a little over twenty years and we want to be sure it will catch on before we call it a tradition. After brunch or lunch we go flower shopping. When my mother-in-law was still

with us, this was the part she enjoyed most.

Now remember my husband is a little different when it comes to quilt shops and garden centers. If I am looking at something, fabric or flowers he will say "Do you like it?" and if I say "I think so" he will say "Well let's get it"! If I don't keep an eye out or an ear open, there will be two or three flowers or instead of one yard of fabric, he will have two yards cut. Now I do not mind, but where am I going to put all these flowers? And what am I going to make with all this fabric? Fabric can become a stash but not flowers. I did not inherit the green thumb my mother had. Flowers come to my house to be eaten by the squirrels and rabbits or just die. I keep trying and maybe someday I will get the flower thing right.

My husband said the other night "Maybe I should learn to quilt so I can make you a quilt since you have made me so many". Great idea! Now to find the time to teach him.

Have a great May and see you at the International Quilt Study Center and Museum in June.

Sandy Anderson

Small Groups

Anyone is welcome to attend these groups.

nese groups.

Day Groups

Piecemakers

The Piecemakers small group meets at Bernina Sewing Studio at 1501 Pine Lake Road, Suite 12. We meet on the fourth Thursday of each month except November and December. For more information: Willa Smith 402-420-2422. Please leave a message and I will return your call. Or email me: rswd660@inebraska.com

Ladies of the Lodge

The Grand Lodge at the Preserve

80th & Pioneers Blvd. • 1:00pm, 3rd WEDNESDAY of the month. Enter North door and take the elevator to the 4th floor lounge. For more information, call Nancy Simmons 423-4947.

Cuddle Quilt Workshops College View Seventh Day Adventist Church Resource Room

4108 Prescott Ave. • 9 am-2 pm • 1st Friday of the month. Vicky Skuodas, cochair person. Join us in planning our Cuddle Quilts and also to pick up kits to work on during the month.

Quilts of Valor

Meets the 1st Sunday of the month from 12:30-4:00 pm

at Hancock's Fabrics

6800 P Street.
Contact Sara Kenny at
sarakenny@yahoo.com or Julia
Schroder at jschroeder@inetnebr.com if
you have questions.

Evening Groups

The Northeast Lincoln Sew-and-Sews
Meets the 3rd Monday from 6:00-8:00 pm
at the Anderson Branch Library, 3635
Touzalin Ave. For more information,
contact Kim Shelley at 467-4266.

Minutes of the Lincoln Quilters Guild - May 13, 2013

College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church - Lincoln, Nebraska

President Sandy Anderson called the meeting to order at 7 PM with a welcome. She introduced Elizabeth Sterns, who spoke about the Young Artists Guild service project, which is in its sixth year. Young Artist guilts are on display at the school - Bryan Community Focus Program at Hawthorne - through Friday, and volunteers' quilts are on display in the school library. Elizabeth explained that students begin by making a cuddle quilt block and then progress to creating a small quilt for their child, with the help of LQG volunteers. She showed several small projects that had been finished by Ginny Harvey, Judy Lane, and Margrethe Alschwede. She also thanked membership for their support via Guild funding as well as personal donations. Cheryl Wilkins, Family and Consumer Sciences teacher, was introduced and spoke about how wonderful the project had been for the students as it focuses both on the craft and on inner generational learning. She called the volunteers the "Quilting Army" because they have a mission to teach. Students are thrilled to make a quilt but also value their relationship with the volunteers. Student parents Kayla and Keegan, and their nine month old son Keanu, were introduced. Kayla spoke about returning to school after the birth of her son. First she was confused about how to proceed with the project, but with the help of Ginny Harvey she was able to create a quilt she titled "Dreamy Dreamland." She spoke about learning that a quilt was more than a piece of cloth, but also was about feelings, skills, and something to look forward to doing every week.

Vice-president Vicky Skuodas introduced speaker Elaine Martin, formerly of North Platte, but now of Lincoln, who presented a quilts showing her journey and history as a quiltmaker.

The business meeting convened at 8:10 PM. There being no additions or corrections, the Minutes of the April 2013 meeting were approved as printed in *Plain Print*, and the Treasurer's report was remanded for audit.

Old Business: None
New Business: President Sandy
Anderson unveiled the 2014 raffle quilt,

"My Heart Is Home," which was designed by Millie Fauquet and also stitched by secret sewers Jean Barney, Jaynee Wolfe, Carol Curtis, Lois Wilson, Judy Lane, Vicky Skoudas, Donna Welte, and Donna Svoboda. The quilt features log cabin blocks that serve as a background for floral applique. It was quilted by Carol Doolittle.

Linda Pumphrey, Global Sales Manager for AccuQuilt, invited everyone to the June 7 Barn Quilt Unveiling event at AccuQuilt's headquarters in Omaha. The program begins at 10 AM, features a program by Ricky Tims, and includes a free BBQ lunch, door prizes, a chance to tour the quilt gallery, and American Patchwork & Quilting's Million Pillowcase Project. RSVP if you plan to stay for lunch.

Announcements. Vice President Vicky Skoudas announced the following: A few spots remain in the Tuesday workshop, which will be presented by Lois Wilson and Diane Diehl. The June meeting will be held at the International Quilt Study Center & Museum; in addition to an ice cream social, members will hear presentations by past LQG scholarship recipients: Jonathan Gregory on Ernest Haight and Janet Price on Grace Snyder. There will be no business meeting. Guests may park anywhere in the lots adjacent to and North of the Museum. The July speaker is Sue Reich with "Happy Birthday America! Bicentennial and Centennial Quilts." An entertaining speaker, Sue is known for her interest in vintage guilts with military themes. She will show many images and examples. Her hand applique workshop will be on Monday, July 10.

President-elect Linda Daiker made the following announcements:

A clipboard is circulating for holder and folder volunteers for the remainder of the year; or see Donna Jensen.

A Thank You note was received from Christian Heritage Foster Children Association for cuddle quilts.

The Northeast Sew and Sews meet on the third Monday of the month from 6-8 PM. On May 20 they will meet at the home of Kathy Morgan. Typically the group meets at Anderson Library; see Kim Shelley for information. On the fourth Saturday of the month, UNL employee-quilters will meet at the IQSCM from 10:30-3:30. This group holds an annual quilt show and is planning a quilt challenge for the coming year. Contact Trudy Rhoads (trhoads@unl.edu) for information.

A LQG cuddle quilt workshop will be held at the IQSCM from 10:30-2 on Saturday, May 18.

Eight visitors were welcomed.
Gloria Smith announced that 24
Wonky Pound Sign friendship blocks
were entered and that two winners,
Mattie Sloan and Cynthia Didion, would
each receive 12 blocks. Next month's
block should be stitched in blue and
light fabrics with a red center.
Members were encouraged to make
extra blocks for Quilts of Valor.

Barb Brown and Kathy Spitzen conducted the Mini-Raffle, with proceeds of \$98.50 going to the Young Artists service project. Ginny Harvey won a snap shoulder bag creatively made by Sheila Green; Gloria Hall won a \$20 Cosmic Cow gift certificate and two boxes of Girl Scout Thin Mint cookies donated by Joyce Pope; and Kim Shelley won a snowman wall hanging by an anonymous donor.

IQSCM Liaison Wanda Hein reported that the Museum had earned American Alliance of Museums accreditation, an honor achieved two years ahead of the Museum's original strategic plan. UNL is the only Big 10 School to have three AAM accredited museums: IQSCM, Sheldon, and Morrill Hall. The James Foundation has donated \$7M for an addition on the west side of the building that will double gallery space and increase storage. Wanda noted that the James Family chose to donate its guilts and dollars here because of the great grass roots support for quiltmaking. Demonstrate that support on Donate to Lincoln day by selecting Friends of the IQSCM for donations. The Friends of the IQSCM are also sponsoring a fundraiser on Friday, June 7, featuring Ricky Tims - "A Quilter & His Music." Tickets are \$40 and all proceeds will benefit the IQSCM.

The Nebraska State Quilt Guild's raffle quilt was on display and raffle tickets available for purchase. Meeting adjourned to Show and Tell at 8:35 PM. Barbara Caron, LQG Secretary

Class: Monday, July 8, 2013

Sue Reich

Pennsylvania Applique: Simple

to Sublime

Half day class fee: \$35



Explore the intricacies of Nineteenth Century Pennsylvania quilt appliqué from the simplest patterns to more difficult ones, learn just what makes those intricate and identifiable. Employs your own skills with Turkey Red and two-step green reproduction fabric or bring your own choice of at least three fabrics and 15 inch background blocks of a solid color.

Sue's website: www.coveringquilthistory.com



LQG Special Awards

The deadline for the LQG special awards is September 1 and will be here before you know it. The three special awards that may be given are:

LQG Shining Star Award – This is given to members for a significant contribution to the Guild. (It may be for a single project or for an ongoing project.)

LQG Bright Star Award – This is given to members for consistent achievement and continuing involvement for the betterment of the Guild over a period of time. (For achievement beyond the Shining Star level, but less than the level for a Life Member Award.)

LQG Life Member – This is the highest honor given to an LQG member. It is awarded for a lifetime of achievement and significant contributions to the Guild. (This is an award that is infrequently given.)

The Awards Committee urges members to help the guild recognize those among us who have been instrumental in supporting and advancing the work of the Lincoln Quilters Guild. Find information and nomination forms by clicking on the "About the Guild" link at lincolnquiltersguild.org or use the nomination form in this newsletter. The deadline for submission is Sept.

1. Submit completed applications to: LQG Awards, PO Box 6861, Lincoln, NE 68506. If you have any questions, contact a member of the Awards Committee: Christina Chapman, Barb Brown, Ginny Harvey, and Margrethe Ahlschwede.

Nomination form is on page 6.

July 8, 2013 Class Registration

Offering: Sue Reich teaching Pennsylvania Applique: Simple to Sublime

Sue's Website: www.coveringquilthistory.com
Date/Time/Cost: Monday July 8, 2013

9:00-noon \$35 per person

Location: College View Seventh-day Adventist Church, 49th & Prescott Ave.

Come in door number 2 on the south ground level

Your name:			
Your address:			
Your phone #:	Daytime	Night	
Email:	-		

Send check payable to LQG. (If you don't have email, include a business sized self-addressed envelope) Vicky Skuodas, 431 E 11th St * Crete, NE 68333 * (402) 826-5008 * gs20937@windstream.net When you send your registration and check, please make check out for the amount of the class only.

Help Wanted!

More Holders and Folders are needed for upcoming Guild meetings. Contact Donna Jensen at donnajen@aol.com or see her at the next Guild meeting if you are able to help.

RECEIPTS

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	Newsletter Advertise-	\$
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	Mini Raffle Quilts	51.50
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	Programs and Classes	400.00
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2. Educational Services

National Quilting Day	\$ 468.09
Programs and Classes	\$ 2,257.86

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Current Checking Balance	\$	12,956.01
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A **second opportunity** to sew for Quilts of Valor:

Total Cash 4/30/13

Quilts of Valor has teamed up with Quilted Kitty for a sew session 2nd Friday of every month starting June



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14, 10:00 am to 5:30 pm, 6101 S. 56. Space is limited so please call QK at 402-420-9292 if you plan to attend each month. You can stay all day or come in as your schedule allows. Bring your own QOV project or purchase QOV Kit from Quilted Kitty, at a discount. Bring lunch, order in or we can plan a pot luck lunch in the future. Any questions please contact Julia Schroeder, Ginny Harvey or Nancy at Quilted Kitty



May 28: Tuesday Talk, 12 p.m., International Quilt Study Center & Museum, 1523 N. 33rd St., Bring your sack lunches and learn more about the planning and designing of the exhibition, "The Engineer Who Could: Ernest Haight's Half-Century of Quiltmaking."

June 7: First Friday, 4:30-7 p.m., International Quilt Study Center & Museum, 1523 N. 33rd St., Join us for the grand opening of "The Engineer Who Could: Ernest Haight's Half-Century of Quiltmaking," activities for children and free admission as part of the Lincoln Artwalk.

June 23: Book Club, 1:15 p.m., International Quilt Study Center & Museum, 1523 N. 33rd St., Join us for discussion of "When the Morning Comes," by Cindy Woodsmall. Free with admission. Visit www.quiltstudy.org for more information.

June 25: Tuesday Talk, 12 p.m., International Quilt Study Center & Museum, 1523 N. 33rd St., Bring your sack lunches and hear about Director Pat Crews and Curator of Exhibitions Marin Hanson's recent research trip to China. Free with admission. Visit www.quiltstudy.org.

June 28: Behind the Scenes Tour, International Quilt Study Center & Museum, 1523 N. 33rd St., Take a behind the scenes tour of Quilt House, including a visit to the collections area. Cost is \$30 per person. Morning and afternoon sessions are available. Call 402-472-6549 for more information and to reserve a time. June 29: Open Sew, 10:30 a.m. - 2 p.m., International Quilt Study Center & Museum, 1523 N. 33rd St., Quilters are invited to spend a few hours sewing at the museum. We provide space and free admission for the day. In return, IQSCM visitors will have the benefit of observing quiltmaking activities first hand. Free. Call 402-472-6549 for more information.

> No June Holders and Folders



LQG Awards Nomination Form

Deadline for nominations is September 1st

Must be postmarked on or before September 1st or hand delivered to LQG President by September 1st. Mail to: LQG Awards, PO Box 6861, Lincoln, NE 68506

Please nominate individuals or groups on separate forms, as they are kept on file separately. You may copy this form. You may use additional sheets of paper if necessary. Please remember that the committee members may not be personally aware of your nominee's efforts, so be specific when detailing your reasons for the nomination. If your nominee is not selected this year, the file will be retained for future consideration. A nomination MUST be received in the current year in order for that past nomination to be reconsidered. The committee reserves the privilege to designate the appropriate award category for each nominee.

Please circle which award (one) you feel your nominee deserves.

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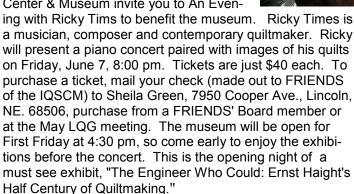
Section A - LQG Shining Star Award: Please fill in this section.

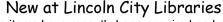
- 1. With what project(s) has your nominee been involved?
- 2. How long has she/he been involved with this project?
- 3. Any additional comments about why your nominee should receive the Shining Star Award.

Please keep in mind the guidelines listed above for this award.

An Evening with Ricky Tims! "A Quilter & His Music"

FRIENDS of the International Quilt Study Center & Museum invite you to An Even-





The following items have recently been acquired and may be requested/checked out. Requests are free of charge. To request one or more items from the list below, call the Circulation Department at 402-441-8530, contact or visit your favorite Lincoln City Libraries' branch, or visit the library online at

www.lincolnlibraries.org.

Fiction

Giving Quilt: An Elm Creek Quilts Novel by Jennifer Chiaverini c2012)

Knot What It Seems: A Southern Quilting Mystery by Elizabeth Spann Craig (c2013).

Larkspur Road by Jill Gregory (2012 - on order).

Message on the Quilt by Stephanie Grace Whitson (on order). **How to**

Sweet Celebrations with the Moda Bake Shop Chefs: 35+ Projects to Sew from Jelly Rolls, Layer Cakes, Fat Quarters, Charm Squares & More by Lissa Alexander (c2012).

When Quilters Gather: 20 Patterns of Piecers at Play by Ruth B. McDowell (2003)

3-Fabric Quilts: Quick Techniques for Simple Projects by Leni Levenson Wiener (2011)

1,000 Any-Size Quilt Blocks by Linda Causee and Rita Weiss (2012)

RED, WHITE, AND BLUE MOCK LOG CABIN FRIENDSHIP BLOCKS

You will make two blocks—one that is red and white (cream) and one that is red and blue. All block centers are red. Donated blocks will be assembled into a Quilt of Valor! Cut two 3 ½ by 3 ½ inch squares of red. Cut two 3 ½ by 3 ½ inch squares of white (cream). Cut two 3 ½ by 3 ½ inch squares of blue. Cut two 3 ½ by 9 ½ inch strips of white (cream). Cut two 3 ½ by 9 ½ inch strips of blue. Assemble as follows: Press seams according to arrows. Place the two blocks together, right sides facing each other. Long seams of the two squares should be in opposite direc-Draw a diagonal line from one corner to the opposite corner on the light square. Stitch 1/4 inch away on each side of the line. Cut apart on the marked line. Press seams open.

You will have two blocks! **Do not trim!**

Drawing for the blocks will be at the August LQG meeting. Enter one chance for each block turned in.

If you have questions, contact Gloria Smith at 402-489-0062 or Pam Wakeman at 402-826-2944 (in Crete) or e-mail Pam at cv44355@windstream.net

Quilters' Exchange

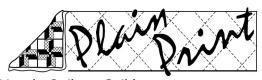
Classified ads

Quilt Tea Party—Garage Sale JUNE 19 & 20, 2013 1-4 EACH DAY

Quilting Friends, as our children are insisting that we move to a one level home, I must downsize my considerable "Quilting Frenzy Collection." Please come to my home for coffee, tea and cookies. I will be selling my collection of over 300 quilt books, nice oak wall quilt hangers, P Buckley Moss framed prints, large ironing board, and assorted rulers. **NO FABRIC** (I am keeping my stash)

Wednesday and Thursday June 19 & 20 1-4 each day.

Shirley Chaffin 3224 South 83rd Street.



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