

Next Guild Meeting: May 14

Program: "Off the Wall Trunk Show"

by Katy Coleman, Seward, NE

Refreshment Committee: Pat Mahoney, Chair;

Phyllis Chambers, Miden Ebert, Gwen Eickman, Gwen Eurich,

Wave Hanson, Bernice Jefries, Lela Kelliher

Greeters: Thanks to Deb Fick and Janice Kirchhoff for serving as greeters for the April meeting. Greeters for May are Gwen Frans and Deb Fick. (Yes, Deb Fick is serving as a greeter for May. She had so much fun doing it in April, she volunteered to fill in for the vacancy in May.) Thanks!

Reminder: Dues for 2001-2002

Beverly Vogel will be taking membership dues before and after the May meeting. Dues for the 2001-2002 are \$25. Senior members pay \$15. Members receive our monthly newsletter, *Plain Print*, and a membership yearbook.



Lincoln Quilters Guild — quilting since 1973

Meeting the second Monday of each month, September through May, at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, 4015 S. 49th Street, Lincoln, Nebraska Gathering at 6:30pm. Program at 7:00pm

President's Column By Diane Deahl

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The Quilts Tell the Story

I spent the better part of a day unfolding and refolding the quilts in the Guild's collection. I photographed those that would fit on my design wall, made notes on size and distinctive traits, and recorded what was written on the quilts and their labels.

Some of the quilts brought back personal memories. The mauve/wine/blue/teal guild banner bears my imprint in désign and construction. Pam Haas and I chose the fabrics, now dated by their grayed tones, on a trip to Lawrence, KS. I remember that the guild banner pieced with "vintage" calicos greeted me at the first guild meetings I attended at Westminster Presbyterian Church.

Most importantly, names on the quilts brought to mind women who have guided the Guild throughout the years. Being president of the Lincoln Quilters Guild has not been the culminating role for most. It has been one more way in which they could serve the Guild and carry out their dedication to the art of quilting. Most of these women, as well as those who have chosen other leadership roles, are still active in the Guild today. The quilts tell their story.

As my year as president draws to a close, I'm thankful for new and renewed friendships, for lessons I've learned, for much accomplished, and for doors opened as we work for the Guild's future.

Thanks to each and every one of you. It's been an amazing year! And I'm sure that story will be in our quilts as well.

Advertising in the Plain Print

Businesses: One business card size ad is \$20 for the first month and \$15 a month for subsequent months. A two business card size ad is \$35 for the first month and \$30 a month for subsequent months.

Next Newsletter

Deadline:

TBA

The Plain Print

is the monthly newsletter of the Lincoln Quilters Guild

of Lincoln, Nebraska.

Editor & Layout:

Vicky Skuodas

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The deadline for submitting

articles to the Plain Print is the

Wednesday following the guild meeting.

Send articles and ads to

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gs20937@alltel.net

Individuals: Members may place classified ads in the "Quilters' Exchange" at a cost of \$1.40 for 20 words.

Send camera-ready ads along with a check made out to "Lincoln Quilters Guild" to Vicky Skuodas. (See address info above.)

2000-2001 Officers

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President	Diane Deahl	420-9080
President Elect	Janiece Goin	788-2241
Vice President	Marilyn Rembolt	489-8371
Vice President Elect	Kathy Moore	488-5620
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Treasurer	Sheila Green	483-0453
Assistant Treasurer	Lana Jo Reffert	488-5917
Advisor	Lora Rocke	488-5917 488-1670

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LQG Executive Board Notes

At its March meeting, the Executive Board acted on a recommendation from the Vision Committee to establish a membership category for young people. The Board approved a student membership fee of \$15.00 per year for persons 18 years or under. Students will receive full membership benefits, including the newsletter and library privileges, plus they may be asked to serve on committees, etc.

The Board also established a half-year membership policy. A new member joining after January 1 can pay half of the current membership fee. (Note that the half-year membership fee does not apply to anyone who has previously been a member of the Guild.)

Currently dues are \$25, \$15 for Seniors, and \$15 for Students. They are payable at the April and May meetings, or they may be sent to: Membership Chair, c/o LQG, PO Box 6861, Lincoln, (06).

Spring Salad Luncheon for LQG Board Members and Committee Chairs

The combined 2000 to 2002 Boards' and Committee Chairs' Spring Salad Luncheon is scheduled at Janiece Goin's house on May 24, 2001 at 6:30 pm. Janiece has provided these directions to the Goin Place: Go south of Lincoln on 27th, 56th or 70th to Saltillo Road. Go to 68th \$t and south through Hickman and 2 miles farther south to Panama Road. Turn left (east) and go to 13100 Panama Road. When you get to 120th St., we are in the next mile, 4th house on the north side of the road. We have a white barn mailbox, white house, big red barn, & emus. If you get to 134th St., turn around and we are the first house. Enjoy your drive to the country!

Reminder to 2000-2001 Committee Chairpersons

Please turn in the committee folders with your report for this year at the May meeting. These are extremely important for the ongoing work of the Guild. Be specific in your report, including number of people involved, amount of money spent and/or collected, etc. Please provide two copies of your report, one for the folder and one to Diane Deahl for the President's box. Call Diane (420-9080) if you have questions.



Lincoln Quilters Guild General Meeting

Monday, April 9, 2001, 7:00 p.m. At College View Seventh Day Adventist Church

Vice President Marilyn Rembolt introduced our guest speaker, Karen Combs, Columbia, TN. Her program was titled "I Give Up."

Call to Order: President Diane Deahl called the meeting to order.

Minutes: The March General Meeting's minutes were approved as printed in Plain Print.

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>: Sheila Green reported a balance of \$1873.89 as of Apr 8, 2001; and total assets of \$32,806.94, which includes the guild's CD's.

Announcements:

- Thanks to Refreshment Committee: Chris Taylor Chair, Jean Ang, Becky Haynes, Jodell Hefley, Pam Pankoke, Deb Peck, Kari Ronning, Donna Svoboda.
- Thanks to Greeters: Deb Fick and Janice Kirchhoff.

• Afternoon Workshop will tie quilts for Cedars Home and work on cuddle quilts on April 23rd

- Thanks from: Marie Tauvain, Nebraska City thanked the guild for a quilt given to an ill child. Griffin's mommy and daddy thanked the guild for the quilt given to Griffin, a 20 month old child who had been hospitalized. Louise Howey thanked the guild for "the best birthday celebration I ever had in all my ninety years" at the Quilters' Tea. Hazel Myers and family also offered thanks to LQG for recognizing Hazel's birthday at the Quilters' Tea. Philip Schoo, Superintendent of Lincoln Public Schools, thanked LQG for the donation of Sweet Clara & the Freedom Quilt and Mathematical Quilts to the school district's library media centers as approved by the Lincoln Board of Education at its March 13, 2001 meeting.
- Greeters: Contact Donna Dornbusch if you're interested in being a greeter for future guild meetings.
- Refreshments: Contact Carolyn Vosika or Pat Mahoney to sign up for refreshments next year

Dues: Bev Vogel is collecting dues for next year at the April and May LQG meetings.

<u>Committees Needing Staff</u>: The Bus Trip Committee still needs a chair, the Nominations Committee needs more members, and a co-chair is needed to work with Loralee Novak on the Quilt Show 2008 Contact Janiece Goin if interested.

Moment of Concern/Remembrance

Lois Sorenson passed away on March 27th at age 68. Janiece Goin also recently lost her father-in-law.

Committee Reports

<u>Scholarship Committee</u>: The recipient will be announced at the May meeting because of not being able to attend April's meeting.

<u>Cuddle Quills</u>: Will be worked on May 4th & 5th in the Resource Room. Roxanne O'Hare will provide direction on Friday, May 4th. A note of instructions will be available on Saturday, May 5th, come at 10 am.

Bus Trip Update: Karalene Smith said all seats are filled for the April 28th bus trip.

<u>Discover Nebraska Through Quilts</u>: Jean Ang showed the fabric and paper quilts being used for this program that is being presented to 4th grade social studies classes. Schools taking advantage of the program are: Randolph, West Lincoln, Norwood Park, Saratoga, Roper, Lincoln Christian, Hartley, Faith Lutheran and Cabot.

<u>Vision Committee</u>: This committee researches problems and objectives of the guild; the 156 questionnaires recently completed by members are helpful in providing direction. The next meeting is April 18th. They are currently working on how to help members become as involved as they'd like in guild activities and also on evaluating guild activities. The Committee will make recommendations to the Executive Board who in turn may take those to the General Membership. If you have ideas/suggestions, contact a committee member - Sandy Anderson, Judy Lane, Deb Bauer-Knopp, Jean Ang, Carroll Dischner or Diane Deahl.

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Every Woman Matters Brunch & Style Show: Will be held April 21st at the Cornhusker Hotel. The Quilt Show 2000 pink challenge quilts will be on display. Lois Wilson is donating a quilt for their auction. Details found in the Plain Print. Raffle Quilt: Was finished March 21st after 291.5 hours of quilting by 150 quilters, according to Lois Wilson. Lois loaning her home to house the quilt while being quilted, and to Vicky Skuodas for binding the quilt. Resource Room: Diane Deahl said receipt of the \$250 membership donation to the University Place Art Center was acknowledged. Bath Schlegelmilch was thanked for exercising the room.

acknowledged. Barb Schlegelmilch was thanked for staffing the room; more volunteers are needed in May, June and rest of summer. A Welcome Tea for LQG, hosted by the University Place Art Center, will be held May 5th from 2 to 4 pm. Jo Anne Bair will serve as liaison between LQG and the Art Center. The Art Center raises funds by holding two fundraisers each year, one to be held on Friday, April 27 from 6 to 8 pm. The charge is \$10 per person for a gourmet appetizer buffet, and Louise Howey.

Friendship Block Exchange – Sets of blocks were given to seven members whose names were drawn.

Mini-Quilts – Mini-quilts were donated by: Sharlee Green, Anita Dover, and Bev Hillman and the respective recipients were Marilyn Rembolt, Vicky Skuodas, and Lana Jo Reffert.

New Business

Membership Fees: The Executive Board approved a recommendation from the Vision Committee that LQG adopt a student membership fee of \$15 per year for persons 18 years of age or younger. Also recommended and approved was a half-year membership fee (\$12.50) for new, first-time-guild members joining after January 1. Members discussed the age at which members qualify for the Senior Fee of \$15. Diane Deahl offered to review past minutes to determine if the age qualification had been recorded.

2001-2002 Budget. Sheila Green presented the Finance Committee's proposed LQG budget for 2001-2002.

Election of Officers The Nominating Committee - Connie Strop, Linda Mager, and Chis Taylor - presented the slate of officers. It was moved and seconded that nominations cease. The following were unanimously elected as LQG officers for 2001-2002:

Janiece Goin Sheryl Jonas	President
Kathy Moore	President-Elect Vice President
Donna Dornbusch	Vice President-Elect
Jodell Hefley Lana Jo Reffert	Secretary
Carolyn Meter	Treasurer
Diane Deahl	Treasurer-Elect Advisor

<u>Looking Ahead to May Meeting</u>: Next month Katy Coleman will be the program speaker, the scholarship award will be presented, and the new officers will be installed.

<u>April Executive Board Meeting</u>: The Executive Board will meet at 7 pm, Thursday, April 26, 2001 at the All Saints Lutheran Church, 82nd & Pioneers.

The meeting adjourned at 9:05 p.m. Show-and-Tell followed.

LQG Treasurer's Report As of April 8, 2001

Beginning balance as of M	ar. 12, 2001 2,184.4
Receipts:	
Certificate of de	eposit 2,000.00
Checking intere Mini quilts	st 4.47
Newletter advert	tisement 2.00
Total Receipts: Disbursements:	2,132.97
Administration	(52.67)
Community Outs Dues	reach (32.85) (250.00)
Fall Retreat	(450.00)
Meeting room res Misc. expenses	(16.17)
National Quilting Total Newsletter	(Day (515.28)
bulk n	nail permit (150.00)
Programs & work	etter (162.42) shops (145.07)
Quilt show 2002 Scholarship	(19.10)
Total Disbursements:	(2443.56)
Overall total:	-310.50
Checking Account Balance: Balance of CDs:	1873.89 30,933.05
Total assets:	\$32,806.94
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Sheila Green, Treasurer

Lincoln Quilters Guild

2001-2002 Budget
Proposed by the Finance Committee:
Sheila Green, chair; Wendy Ray, Gloria Hall, Martha Dennis, and Carolyn Meter

Expenditures:				
	Budgeted 2000-2001	Current Expenditures	Year End Estimate	Budget 2001-2002
Operations				
Administration	250.00	192.40	250.00	250.00
Courtesy & Hospitality	80.00	52.37	80.00	100.00
Janitor gratuity	100.00	100.00	200.00	100.00
Historical	250.00	42.85	100.00	200.00
documentation				
Resource rm. Rent	1,800.00	1,050.00	1050.00	
Meeting rm. Rent	2,000.00	945.00	1,245.00	2,000.00
Insurance & bonding	370.00	280.00	280.00	300.00
Bulk rate permit &	144.00	147.00	147.00	175.00
P.O. Box rental		The state of the s		
Guild information flyer	25.00	29.75	29.75	100.00
Membership book	650.00	883.70	883.70	700.00
Newsletter (Inc.	4,000.00	1,825.11	2,300.00	4,000.00
printing & postage)			THE RESIDENCE OF STREET	
Equip. & furnishings		397.47	500.00	1,500.00
Total:	9,669,00	5,945.65	7,065.45	9, 425.00
Educational Services				dues
Programs & wrkshops	5,000.00	3,892.37	5,000.00	5,000.00
Library books	500.00	239.70	. 500.00	500.00
Nat'l. Quilting Day	400.00	515.28	515.28	500.00
Spring bus trip*				
Biennial fall retreat*				
Quilt Show 2002 seed	2,000.00	51.85	100.00	2,000.00
money				
Total:	7,900.00	4,699.20	6,115. 28	8,000.00
Community Service	1			500.00
Scholarship	500.00		500.00	500.00
Cuddle quilts	250.00		250.00	250.00
Fair awards	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Special projects	75.00	300.00	300.00	300.00
LPS Books	ļ	473.60	473.60	500.00
Discover NE		40.69	100.00	100.00
AQSG 2000	500.00	226.53	226.53	
Santa Socks*				
Total:	1,425.00	1,140.82	1,950.13	2,050.00

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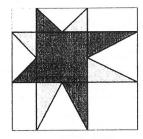
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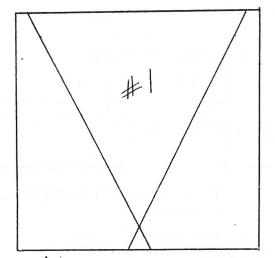
Professional Services				
Bank Service Charge	60.00	33.00	33.00	
Accounting	300.00			300.00
State non-profit biennial fee	20.00	20.00	20.00	
Public Organizations				
AQS, NQA, AQSG, NSQG dues	115.00	115.00	115.00	160.00
Univ. Place Art Center		250.00	250.00	500.00
Total	115.00	365.00	365.00	600.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	19,489.00	11,062.85	13,598.73	18,385.00
NET INCOME (loss)		1,839.57	5,538.82	
*doesn't affect				
budget-self funding				

Income				
	Estimated 2000-2001	Current Income	Year end estimate	Estimated 2001-2002
Membership dues	7,500.00	3,542.00	8,900.00	8,500.00
Frame rental	100.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Workshop fees	2,500.00	2,440.33	3,000.00	2,500.00
Interest on checking account	100.00	121.80	130.00	100.00
Interest on CDs	800.00	1,185.24	1,300.00	600.00
Mini-raffle quilts		708.50	900.00	600.00
Newsletter ads	100.00	247.00	250.00	150.00
Half of Quilt Show 2000	5,000.00	4,575.00	4,575.00	4,575.00
Book royalty		42.55	42.55	35.00
General fund monies	3,389.00			1,285.00
Santa Socks*				
Spring bus trip*				
Biennial Fall retreat*				
Γotal:	19,489.00	12,902.42	19,137.55	18,385.00
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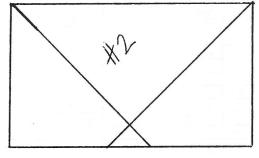
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Lboth include (1/4" seam allowance



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Wacky Star Block For the May meeting

For one block:

1. Cut one 1 1/2" square from background fabric (top left corner square).

Cut two 1 1/2 x 2 1/2" rectangles from background fabric (bottom left and top right corner rectangle).

Cut one 2 1/2" squares from background fabric (bottom right corner square).

Cut one 2 1/2" square from blue fabric (star center).

- 2. Trace two of paper piecing background #1 on paper. Trace two of paper piecing background #2 on paper.
- 3. Paper piece the point sections of the star on the paper traced in step 2. Feel free to vary the placement of the red and blue fabrics. Press well. Trim up paper pieced sections if necessary. Remove paper backing.
- 4. Position star parts using picture as guide. Sew star together. Press.

Star = $5 \frac{1}{2}$ " with seam allowances

Note: You will need to make two blocks for your personal bonus quilt.

From the Library

If you are like me and are intriqued by 3-D quilt designs which create the illusion of depth, then check out Karen Combs' 3-D Fun with Pandora's Box. Karen donated this seventeen page book to our Lincoln guild at the April meeting.

— Linda Gapp, Librarian

Scholarship winners

The Scholarship winners for Karen Combs workshops were: Sheila Green and Connie Strope.

Lost and Found

If you lost a wristwatch at the April guild meeting, please contact Diane to reclaim it.

Workshop Hostesses for May 21

Morning: TBA

Afternoon: Betty Newhouse, Lydia Norton, Wendy Ray Evening: Albie Sauter, Sharon Minear

Afternoon Workshop News

The afternoon workshop will be having a quilt related tour at East Campus on Monday, May 21. Because of this the hostesses for that day are being asked to serve at another time.

June 25: Ruth Albert, Dorothy Wolfe, Louise Ripa, Betty Newhouse

July 23: Jean Shane, Rosemary Shanahan, Connie LillieAugust 27: Irene LeBaron, Ruth Ann Hicks, Lydia Norton,Sally Gowin

Please make these changes in your Program/Membership Guide.
Thank You, Anita Dover

For Sale:

Horn Sewing Cabinet, white/light oak trim, 30"H x 20"W x 30"L, opens to 62". \$125. Insert fits 1130/1230 Bernina but can order insert to fit your machine. If interested, call Pat Gormley 423-1467.

Resource Room

If you can help with staffing or want to schedule a small group meeting at the new Resource Room during the University Place Art Center's hours of 10 a.m.—5:00 p.m. Monday-Saturday, please contact Bev Schlegelmilch

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Discover Nebraska

"DISCOVER NEBRASKA: Honoring NebraskaThrough Quilts," (developed by Jenny Raymond of Gothenburg for The State Quilters Guild) is a Quilting/Social Studies Unit geared to 4th graders studying Nebraska History. The finished project, which takes about 2 1/2 hours, is a Paper Quilt, 36" X 36," that hangs in each class. A trunk show of quilts is displayed, and the various blocks are discussed. Students color and piece the paper quilt and assemble the blocks for display. A book presentation to the school completes the workshop.

We have on loan from The State Quilters Guild via Jenny Raymond, "The Nebraska State Quilt," which is a focal point of the presentations. By fall we hope to have our own Nebraska State Quilt that can be kept in Lincoln for Lincoln-area use.

We have received donated quilts for the trunk show from Mary Ghormley, Anne Parrott, Ann Hauder, Lois Wilson, Gloria Smith, Millie Fauquet, Jean Davie, Jean Ang and Joan Schwalm.

Jean Ang & Shirley Anderson are co-chairs for The Lincoln Quilters Guild "DISCOVER NEBRASKA." Jean, Shirley and June Reta have been Lead Presenters in the schools. Brenda Carlson, Sheila Green, Lucile Lenz, Virginia Welty, Phyliss Higley, and Carolyn Meter have assisted in the presentations, as have teachers, parents, friends and relatives! The book, *Sweet Clara and the Freedom Quilt* by Deborah Hopkinson & James Ransome, has been presented to classes in the Lincoln Public Schools.

The LQG's "DISCOVER NEBRASKA, Honoring Nebraska Through Quilts," have been presented in these schools this spring:

March 29: Oconto/Roundhill (north of Lexington)

April 4: Randolph & April 5: West Lincoln and Norwood Park

April 6: Saratoga and Roper

April 9: Lincoln Christian School & April 10: Hartley

April 17: Faith Lutheran & May 4: Cavett

If you know children/grandchildren/teachers in your hometown who would like a presentation next fall, please email/call co-chairs: Shirley @ 467-3028, sranderson6@juno.com or Jean @ 784-3111. vjean430@aol.com.



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Thank you

Dear Marilyn,

Please accept my sincere thanks to you and to our LQG for the Birthday Party. It was so nice to see so many old friends and new ones too. Mary, Louise, and I feel so proud of our success in our aim to promote interest and love as we have for quilting and quilts.

Thank you, Hazel Myers and family.

Thank each of you that helped with the Quilters Tea. It was the biggest and best birthday celebration I ever had in all my ninety years.

Sincerely, Louise Howey

"Chosen with Care: Adopted Quilts from the James Collection"

The International Quilt Study Center announces the opening of "Chosen with Care: Adopted Quilts from the James Collection" at the Robert Hillestad Textiles Gallery in the Home Economics Building at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, May 14th - Sept. 4th, 2001. This exhibition of traditional and contemporary art quilts from the Center's collection features quilts adopted by individuals supporting the IQSC's Adopt-A-Quilt Program. The program offers quilt lovers an opportunity to "own" a piece of the collection while aiding in the efforts to raise funds in support of the IQSC's activities. The exhibition includes a graphic nineteenth century Windmill Log Cabin quilt, a rich red 1930s Poppy quilt created from a Marie Webster pattern, and a pair of quilts designed by Carol Bryer Fallert, a well-known studio art quilter.

Join us at the Hillestad Textiles Gallery on June 1st from 5:00 to 7:00pm for the "Chosen with Care" opening reception. Ardis and Bob James and members of our international board will be our special guests. At 5:30 pm, Ardis James will deliver a brief welcoming message. For information about the Adopt-a-Quilt program contact Rachelle Humiston at the University of Nebraska Foundation. (402/472-2151).

IQSC Hours

The International Quilt Study Center is open Monday through Wednesday from 9:00am to noon in the Home Economics Building on East Campus. Drop by to see some of the quilts from the James Collection and learn more about how the IOSC houses and cares for the largest, publically-held quilt collection in the world. Call Alta at 472-6549, if you have questions.

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Calendar

May 14: LQG General Meeting (7 pm)

Opening of IQSC exhibition: "Chosen with Care"

May 28: Workshops:

Morning: Resource Room at University Place Arts

Center (9 am)

Afternoon: Christ Lutheran Church, 4525 Sumner

(1 pm)

Evening: Front Parlor (7-9 pm)

May 24: Combined 2000 to 2002 Boards' and Committee

Chairs' Spring Salad Luncheon:

Janiece Goin's house, Hickman (6:30 pm)





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