

On January 14, 2002, Carolyn Ducey will help us begin the new year with a program about the International Quilt Study Center and it's quilts. Many of our members have listened to references about the IQSC and we all contribute to it through the guild, but it's really something we only vaguely understand. Carolyn will help clear the fog. But be warned. You'll be amazed at what they're doing right here on our own East Campus at UNL and you might even want to become an IQSC volunteer!

Greeters for the January meeting will be Lynn Wallace and Dana Atteberry.

Remember to bring:

Announcements for your committee
Coffee mug
Library books to return
Friendship blocks
Show and Tell quilts
Raffle tickets and money
Quilted donations for the 2002 Small
Quilt Auction

International Quilt Study Center Hours:

Each Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 9:00 am to noon **Home Economics Bldg. UNL East Campus**

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 6:30 pm. Program at 7:00 pm

Next Newsletter Deadline: January 16th

The Plain Print
is the monthly newsletter of
the Lincoln Quilters Guild
of Lincoln, Nebraska.
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The deadline for submitting articles to the Plain Print is the Wednesday following the guild meeting.

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Advertising in the Plain Print

Businesses:

A 3 ½ x 2" sized ad is \$20 for the first month and \$15 per month for subsequent months. A 3 ½ x 4" sized ad is \$35 for the first month and \$30 per month for subsequent months. Ads must be camera—ready.

Individuals:

Anyone may place classified quilt-related ads in the "Quilters' Exchange" at a cost of \$5 for 30 words. Send the exact text for ads.

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

President's Column by Janiece Goin

This is Dec. 1 and I'm writing for the January newsletter. Christmas isn't here yet, but we celebrated Christmas at Thanksgiving with our children and new grandson. Time is relative right now.

I just have to tell you that our grandson is growing and has a double chin at 6 weeks old. He was starting to focus on eyes, and the night before we left, he started cooing and talking. He is so precious, even when he sprayed me while getting him ready for his bath. He was smiling during that time, and you just have to wonder if he really knows what is going on. He enjoyed his bath too.

We are requesting that all committee chairs who get up for announcements at the meeting to please give the Secretary a written form of your announcement as you are coming up which will make her job easier and more accurate. Thank you for your help.

Thank you for all the donations for the Santa Socks/Sacks and the Food Pantry. Many people will benefit from your generosity. Thanks to the Royal Neighbors of America for matching funds.

These winter months are a good time to get a quilt or quilts ready for the LQG Quilt Show. What other ways can you help with the Quilt Show?

Raffle Tickets

Mary Swinton (423-1022) is the chair for raffle tickets. Contact her for more tickets, and to turn in your money and ticket stubs for the drawing to be held at the Quilt Show next summer. If every member of LQG would sell just one book of ten raffle tickets, nearly 3000 of the 4999 raffle tickets will be sold.

QUILT SHOWS AT THE UNIVERSITY PLACE ART CENTER

We thank the following people who have lent their quilts for our "Angel" display: Janiece Goin, Sharlee Green, Sheila Green, Marilyn Rembolt, Lora Rocke and Lois Wilson. Ginny Welty and Judy Lane shared their bed-sized holiday quilts for display in the Lux Gallery.

Our current display features "Star" quilts. Thanks to JoAnne Bair, Brenda Carlson, Donna Christensen, Carol Curtis, Anita Dover, Mildred Fauquet, Sheila Green, Judy Lane, Elaine Nielsen, Marcee Seng, Gloria Smith, Connie Strope and Ginny Welty for furnishing quilts for this display.

Visit the Lincoln Quilters Guild Resource room in the University Place Art Center. It's currently the only quilt show in town!

A great big THANK YOU to all who helped with the Holiday Peek at the University Place Art Center! Special thanks go to Beverly Vogel who cleaned and decorated the resource room to host the coffee for Peek guests and to Diane Deahl who helped coordinate the resource room workers. Our next opportunity to help will be the Art Auction in the spring. Thanks again! *from Jo Anne Bair*.

FOOD PANTRY COLLECTIONS

A HUGE thank you to all who supported the Food Pantry at the November meeting! \$49 (will be \$98 with the matching funds) and 194 pounds of non-perishable food was donated and delivered. This past October had the highest number of requests ever for food boxes, so our efforts were really appreciated. The food will go to The City Mission, The Gathering Place, Lincoln Action Program, Friendship Home and Cedars Youth on the Street.

from Sheila Green

The 2002 Bus Trip will be held on April 20th. We will be going to The Quilting Bee in Salina, KS and the Button Hole in McPherson, KS. If you have never been to the Button Hole, it is worth the trip. They have over 8500 bolts to choose from and the shop itself is unbelievable. We will be having lunch at a deli in Salina. The food was delicious and the cost is included in the trip cost. The cost of the trip is \$45 that is non-refundable unless someone takes your place. See Diana Dreith or Cindy Weyers at the next guild meeting.

Lincoln Quilters Guild General Meeting

Monday, November 12, 2001 at 7 p.m. College View Seventh Day Adventist Church

President Janiece Goin welcomed everyone and introduced Vice President Kathy Moore who introduced our guest speaker, Molly Anderson.

Call to Order: President Janiece Goin called the meeting to order at 8:10 p.m.

Minutes: The September minutes were approved as written in the Plain Print.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report was approved as presented in the Plain Print.

Announcements:

Guests: We welcomed 12 guests this evening.

<u>Thanks to the Refreshment Committee</u>: Phyllis Higley, Pat Gormley, Roxann O'Hare, Rosie Westerhold, Elaine Pieper, Sandie Schulze-McConnell, Kathleen Jacobsen, Zita Schneider.

Thank you notes received from: City Mission and Cedars for receiving Cuddle Quilts.

<u>Hearts and Hands workshop</u> will now start their meetings at 1:30 at Christ Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall, Lower Level, 4325 Sumner Street.

IOSC is sponsoring a reception and lecture on Nov. 16, 2001 entitled "Quilts of a Feather".

Standing Committee Reports

<u>The LQG Quilt Show Committee</u> needs more volunteers. Contact Christy Stoner or Loralee Novak for more information.

<u>The Name Tag and Fat Quarter committee</u> will be chaired by Rosalind Carr. Please donate fat quarters to be given away in the coming months.

<u>Discover Nebraska</u> is seeking more guild members who would be interested in assisting in individual classrooms. It requires a 3 hour block of time. Contact Sheila Green for further information.

<u>Cuddle Quilts</u> workshop will not meet in December.

<u>Bus Trip</u> is planned for April 20, 2002. Contact Diana Dreith and Cindy Weyers for further information. <u>Santa Socks</u> collected \$313 in donations. 98 socks and/or sacks were presented; 45 were judged.

Winners were Sharon Clarke, Mary Swinton, Sherri Taylor, Donna Christensen, and Deb Scherer. Vicky Skuodas was awarded the honor of having made the most socks/sacks.

<u>Friendship blocks</u>: Kim Bock and Linda Loker announced the winners for this months' Friendship Blocks. Congratulations to LaDonna Pankoke, Kathy Moore, Jo Baxter, Sandy Wink, Ray Jean Zagel, and Genie Sullivan.

<u>Mini-Raffle</u>: Stephanie Whitson and Dee Hines announced winners of the mini-raffle this evening. Congratulations to Donna Dornbrusch, Roxanne O'Hare, and June Rhetta. This evening's community outreach donations for the mini-raffle will be added to the Santa Socks donations.

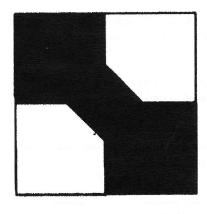
<u>University Place Art Center</u> Guild President, Connie Geiss offered a thank you to Vicky Skuodas, Lois Wilson, and Wendy Ray for donations given for the Art Center Guild Raffle.

<u>Quilt Auction Donations</u> presented Lynn Deshon with the drawing this evening. Each time you donate something for the auction, your name will be entered in the drawing for monthly prizes.

Old Business

The next Executive Board Meeting will be December 3, 2001 at 1:00 p.m. at Sheryl Jonas' home. All are welcome to attend. We have received a letter of confirmation from SDA church for guild meetings to be held here next year. *Reminder*: There is no December meeting. The next meeting is January 14, 2002. The meeting was adjourned at 8:58 p.m. Show and Tell followed as did the opportunity to have show-and-tell quilts photographed.

Minutes submitted by: Jody Hefley, Secretary.



January Friendship Block - Bow Tie

Cutting:

- ➤ Beige or ivory solid or print cut 2 squares 3 ½"
- ➤ Pastel print cut 2 squares 3 ½" and 2 squares 1 ¾"

Sewing

- Mark a diagonal line on the back side of the small squares
- > Sew a small square to one corner of each background square, sewing on the drawn line, using the "sew and flip" method, trim a 1/4" seam allowance
- > Piece the block together as shown
- ➤ Block should be 6 ½" (will finish to 6" square)

Royal Neighbors of America Update

Our November guild meeting had a lot going on. To add to the activities, representatives from Royal Neighbors of America, Cap 44, were in attendance. They were handing out auto litter bags with a notepad and pen as we arrived. They were also selling a very nice recipe book for only \$2.50. We also signed up for door prizes that Royal Neighbors provided. Those prized included a soup mug, tote bag, covered road atlas, cheese board & cutter, and a thermometer.

The purpose for Royal Neighbors joining our meeting was their offer to match our Santa Socks fund-raiser. Even the sale of their donated cookbooks went into our fund drive. And I am pleased to let you know that I have received a check form Royal Neighbors of America in the amount of \$1,220.

from Lana Jo Reffert, Treasurer.

Treasurer's Report - 10/1/01 thru 10/31/01

Beginning Checking Balance 9/30/01 \$4,196.72 Income Checking Interest 6.02 Fall Retreat Income 140.00 94.50 Mini Quilts Misc. income 35.00 Newsletter advertisement 6.40 Programs & workshops -475.00 756.92 **Total Income**

Lana Jo Reffert, Treasurer

Total of CD's	\$35,059.06
Expenses	
Bulk rate permit & box rental	200.00
Discover Nebraska	41.53
Insurance	250.00
Meeting Room	150.00
Newsletter	285.15
Programs & workshops	975.72
Total Expenses	1,902.40
Ending Checking Balance 10/31/01	\$3,051.24

Reverse Applique: The cutting, turning under and blind stitching of a top layer of fabric to reveal a shape created by an exposed under layer of fabric. Reverse applique is especially useful when shapes are very small and when the illusion of depth is desired.

Hearts and Hands Workshops Time Change!

Because of a scheduling conflict the Hearts and Hands afternoon quilters will begin their meeting at 1:30 on the fourth Monday of the month (with the exception of May which is the 3rd Monday and we do not meet in December). Meetings are held at Christ Lutheran Church 4325 Sumner Street, in the Fellowship Hall, lower level.

Also a reminder: Please bring your 6 ½" (to finish to 6 inch) Red, White, and Blue blocks, any pattern or type of construction, to the next meeting. These will be used to make something for the 2002 Quilt Show Auction. We always welcome new members and ideas.

from Anita Dover

The Faded Blossoms quilt group from the 1994 quilt show planning committee, meets regularly. This November they made and donated 28 doll quilts for the Salvation Army, to give away at Christmas.

from Martha Dennis

January 2002 Workshop Registration
Who/What: Ellen Eddy - Thread Magic I - Every Kind of Thread
Date/Time/Cost: Tuesday, February 12, 2002, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. \$35/person Location: All Saints Lutheran Church, 8251 Pioneers
Your Name:
Your Address:
Your Phone # (daytime)(evening)
Send check payable to LQG, completed form and SASE to:
Kathy Moore, 5901 S. 77 th Street, Lincoln, NE 68516
Member's deadline for this workshop: January 16, 2002

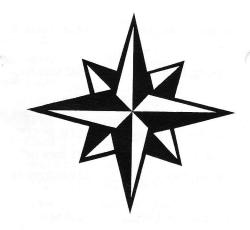
Ellen's workshop will explore working with all kinds of thread and will illustrate techniques discussed during Monday night's program (February 11th). Need: working knowledge or experience with free-motion sewing and a sewing machine (plus supplies to be published later).

To preview Ellen's work you can check the HGTV web page for the Simply Quilts website and search for episode QLT-510 shown on March 02, 2001 or visit her website at www.ellenanneeddy.com. From Kathy Moore, Vice President

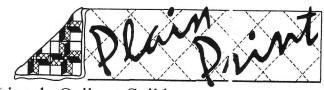


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