

Lincoln Quilters Guild Announcements

Dear Fellow Guild Members,

The Board has had to make another difficult decision. We are saddened to announce that Lincoln Quilters Guild is cancelling the May 11, 2020 guild meeting and the May 12, 2020 workshop.

We were in discussion about this as soon as the CDC and the Lincoln Lancaster County Health department made the announcement on March 16 that "gatherings of 50 people or more be canceled or postponed nationwide for 8 weeks."

As you probably heard, the most recent announcement states that meetings of 10 people or more be cancelled for the next 15 days.

I'm sure that recommendations and restrictions will continue to fluctuate as data is compiled during this pandemic. However, we needed to act in a financially responsible way in order to alert our speaker of the cancellations within the contracted time period.

The Program VPs are working hard to reschedule the wonderful speaker we had lined up.

As we all work together —limiting social contact, staying at home when we are sick, protecting our vulnerable seniors, and doing all that is being recommended by the experts—hopefully we will have done our part to prevent the healthcare system from being overwhelmed, and all of this will be behind us soon.

If we are able to reschedule our meetings based upon the CDC guidelines we will immediately inform you.

I'm hoping to use this extra time to make my Quilt Show entry, and a few more placemats. What are your plans during this time?

Be sure and post on our Facebook page if you have photos of your quilting progress--it'll be like electronic "Show and Tell."

My favorite quote this week..."Good friends are like quilts--they age with you yet never lose their warmth."

Thank you, friends, for your understanding.
Looking forward to seeing you all soon.

Lisa Burham
President

National Quilting Day 2020 Goes "Virtual"

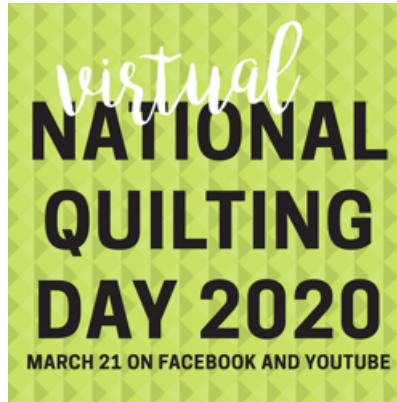
The International Quilt Museum has announced an alternative to the cancelled National Quilting Day event.

The International Quilt Museum is pleased to bring you Virtual National Quilting Day on Facebook and YouTube March 21, 2020.

[International Quilt Museum on Facebook](#)
[International Quilt Museum on YouTube](#)

Here's the post schedule (all times CDT):

9 a.m. -> "Why Study Quilts?" with Laura Chapman (lecture)
10 a.m. -> Behind-the-Scenes Mini-Tour
10:30 a.m. -> Let's Make Scherenschnitte (demo & activity)
11 a.m. -> "Old World Quilts: Exhibiting Rare Textiles" with Jonathan Gregory (lecture)
12 p.m. -> "Caring for Your Old Quilts" with Sarah Walcott (lecture)
1 p.m. -> Make Your Own Webby (activity)
1:30 p.m. -> Three-Gallery Tour
2 p.m. -> "World Quilts" with Marin Hanson (lecture)
3 p.m. -> Inside the Photo Studio with Jamie Swartz and Sarah Walcott (demo)
4 p.m. -> "Building the IQM Collection" with Carolyn Ducey (lecture)



These videos and downloads will be available in our Facebook and YouTube archives during and after the posted times.

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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 at the International Quilt Museum, 33rd and Holdrege.



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