



Lincoln Quilters Guild

November 2021

A Note from President Lisa Burham

We had such a fun time at the Silent Auction on Saturday! It was wonderful to see lots of guild members (as well as many other visitors) who joined us on a beautiful autumn afternoon full of friends, and quilts, and desserts, and door prizes, and shopping the bid tables for just the right item or items to bid on. We look forward to being able to share more about the FUNdraiser at the next meeting.

November is the last meeting for this guild year and the early bird membership dues are only available through December 31st, so we want to encourage you to renew your membership as soon as possible. Forms will be available in the lobby at next week's meeting, or you can [print the form](#) and bring it with you.
Lisa Burham

November Guild Meeting Program

Monday, November 8

Speaker: Jonathan Gregory

Program: Nebraska's Movers and Shakers in the 1070's quilt revival

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November Workshop

Tuesday, November 9

Instructor: Kelli Doeschot from the Bernina of Lincoln store

Workshop: Clam Up Zippered Pouches (By Annie pattern)

[More Information](#)



Minutes of the Last Meeting

Lincoln Quilters Guild Meeting Monday, October 11, 2021 College View Seventh Day Adventist Church

The meeting was called to order by President Lisa Burham with members and guests welcomed to the Guild meeting.

Old Business

1. The minutes of the September meeting were included in the Plain Print emailed to guild members and published on the guild website. Corrections have been received regarding Rosalind Carr as winner of one of the mini raffle items and workshop information was added. Seeing no additional questions or corrections, the September 2021 minutes were approved with corrections.
2. The August Treasurer's Report was included in the latest Plain Print. Seeing no questions or corrections, the report was remanded for audit.

New Business

Announcements:

1. Lisa Burham announced that during the August meeting the names of next year's Board nominees were presented and no additional nominations were received from the floor. The following individuals were elected by acclamation with installation to be held in November:
 - a. Connie Soucie – President.
 - b. Nancy Anderson – President elect.
 - c. Deb Peck – Secretary.
 - d. Christina Chapman – Treasurer.
 - e. Kathy Junker – Treasurer elect.
 - f. Lynn Willey and Patrice Steiner – VP/Programs.
 - g. Sandra Wade and Maggie Copple – VP/Programs elect.
 - h. Lisa Burham – Advisor.
2. **Connie Soucie -- President elect, announced the following:**
 - a. Discover Nebraska presentations are again being scheduled, and Sheila Green has requested volunteers to assist with classroom presentations. Additional information was available at the Discover Nebraska table.
 - b. Lincoln Covid Sewists were nominated for the 2021 ServeNebraska Step Forward Awards in the Disaster Volunteer category and Sheila

Green was nominated in the Adult Volunteer category. Connie shared that Sheila expressed gratitude for the nomination and congratulations were offered to the individuals who participated in the mask making efforts. The Sewists made 1,668 masks during the second round of mask making, resulting in a total of 36,811 masks donated. Sheila will continue to accept and distribute masks.

- c. The guild's meeting calendar was changed to hold all meetings (March through November) on the second Monday of the month, including June (traditionally held on the third Monday).
- d. Members were encouraged to renew their guild membership. The early bird rate is in effect until December 31st. Membership forms may be downloaded from the guild's website or picked up in the lobby before the November meeting.
- e. Committee memberships - Pam Rowland, Linda Gale, and Jerry Lee Jensen agreed to serve as the new Membership committee. LQG members were encouraged to contact a Board member if interested in serving on the Nomination or Scholarship committees.

3. Jaynee Wolfe, Carol Curtis, Sue Lundy, and Carolyn Garner – Awards committee announced the 2021 award: Life Member, the highest honor given to a Lincoln Quilters Guild member, was awarded to Sherry Taylor. Jaynee shared that Sherry has been quilting for at least 30 years and has provided encouragement to many fellow quilters. She participated in the first Cherrywood Fabrics Challenge - "Wicked", and her quilt traveled with the challenge exhibit to AQS shows across the U.S. for more than a year. Sherry has served the guild in many capacities including: New Member co-chair; Vice President of Programs; Treasurer; and the Membership, Scholarship, and the Awards committees; 2016 quilt show co-chair; and creator of the guild's 2020 raffle quilt. Sherry has always brought organization and inspiration to all of her projects, and does all she can to help the guild survive and thrive.

- 3. Silent Auction - Sherry Taylor** provided the following information about the Silent Auction FUNdraiser:
- a. Auction date - October 23rd at the International Quilt Museum (IQM).
 - b. Tickets – (\$5/person) were available for purchase after the meeting or at the door the day of the event. The ticket provides admission to the event, a dessert, and the stub portion will be used for door prize registration.
 - c. At registration (beginning at 1:00) a bidder number and catalogue will be provided. During the first hour, attendees will have an opportunity to bid on auction items before the first table closes at 2:00. In between bidding on items, they will have an opportunity to view gallery exhibits and enjoy a dessert.
 - d. Donations for the event may be made through 10/12/21, and appreciation for the many donations was expressed by Sherry. Members were informed that they can contact Sherry (402-540-0857) to arrange drop-off if needed.
 - e. Members were directed to the guild's website under the "More Activities" tab (click on "Silent Auction" link) to view auction items.
 - f. Viewer's choice potholder contest – A link has been provided on the Silent Auction section of the website for contest guidelines. Potholders may be dropped off before the event by contacting Sherry, or brought to the event (please bring them early to allow for time to add them to the contest display).
 - g. Silent Auction committee members include: Sherry Taylor, Roddy Humeniak, Kathi Schmitter, Lisa Burham, and Chris Taylor.

5. Vicky Skuodas announcement – Quilts for Afghan refugees:

- a. Vicky shared that over 700 Afghan refugees are expected to arrive in Lincoln during the following months, 125 of which are expected to be served by Catholic Social Services.
 - b. Bed-size new quilts or lightly used comforters (family or child quilts) are needed. Guild members who are willing to donate quilts or comforters were asked to contact Vicky (402-580-5765) and she will arrange transportation to Catholic Social Services.
6. **Mini-Quilt Raffle Announcements** were given by Natalie Cummings as follows:
- a. Total income for the evening was \$139.
 - b. The wood etching, donated by Juanita Williamson, was won by Diane Ohlson.
 - c. The pumpkin quilts, donated by Roddy Humeniak, were won by Lorelee Novak.
 - d. The charm pack, fabric, patterns, and book, donated by Rosalind Carr, were won by Martha Lane.
 - e. The Christmas patterns and fabric, donated by Betty Doty, were won by Rosalind Carr.
 - f. The patterns and fabric for a rag quilt, donated by Pat Wink, were won by Marilyn Schnepf.
 - g. The Wooden sunflower and fabric, donated by Sherry Taylor, were won by Terri Pearecker.
7. **Budget – Lisa Burham:** [\(2022-23 Final version\)](#)
- a. Lisa provided a review of the proposed budget for 2022 and 2023.
 - i. The guild prepares a rolling biennial budget each year under the direction of the Finance Committee, with committee recommendations presented to the membership at the September meeting and voted on at the October meeting.
 - b. Using parliamentary procedure, guild members were asked to submit desired budget changes by raising their hand and reading their prepared motion at the podium. Following a second and an opportunity for member discussion, an oral vote would then be taken.
 - i. Vicky Skuodas presented a motion to adjust the Cuddle Quilt Budget from \$400 to \$800 as existed in previous years. The motion was seconded by June Peterson.
 - ii. Following discussion, the motion passed by a majority.
 - iii. As no other changes were offered, Sheila Green made a motion to adopt the budget for 2022/23 as amended. The motion was seconded by Rosalind Carr. The motion passed by a majority.
8. **Programs – Nancy Anderson announced the following items:**
- a. The November program will be presented by Jonathan Gregory. His program will be based on the research that his LQG scholarship helped fund.
 - b. The next workshop, Clam Up Zippered Pouches, will be November 9th by Kelli Doeschet from the Bernina of Lincoln store. Additional information regarding the workshop will soon be posted on the Guild's website.
 - c. Nancy welcomed and introduced Scott Flanagan as the speaker for the evening with his Trunk Show program.
9. The meeting was adjourned with the member's Show and Tell.

Respectfully submitted
Joyce Nass, Secretary.

Treasurer's Report

SEPTEMBER TREASURER'S REPORT

	Beginning Cash Balance 09/01/2021	49,215.57
RECEIPTS		
	Checking Interest	5.05
	Donations - Silent Auction	300.00
	Membership	50.00
	Mini Raffle	107.50
	Program & Classes	0.00
	Visitor fees	45.00
TOTAL INCOME		<u>507.55</u>
DISBURSEMENTS		
1. Operations Expenses		
	Ins and bonding	34.58
	Silent Auction-2021 Supplies	154.82
	Meeting Room Rent	230.00
	Administration	0.00
	Miscellaneous	4.83
	Resource Room Rent	25.00
1. Operations Expenses Total		<u>449.23</u>
2. Educational Services		
	Programs and classes	591.27
2. Educational Services Total		<u>591.27</u>
3. Community Service		
	Cuddle Quilts	103.25
	Quilts of Valor	0.00
3. Community Service Total		<u>103.25</u>
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		<u>1,143.75</u>
	NET CASH	(636.20)
	Ending Cash Balance 09/31/2021	<u>48,579.37</u>
	Current Checking Balance	18,607.18
	Current Money Market Balance	30,222.19
	Total Cash 09/31/2021	<u>48,829.37</u>
	Outstanding checks	(250.00)
	Ck# 3990 - \$250	

OCTOBER TREASURER'S REPORT

	Beginning Cash Balance 10/01/2021	48,579.37
RECEIPTS		
	Checking Interest	4.86
	Donation	132.10
	Membership	2,560.00
	Mini Raffle	139.00
	Program & Classes	
	Silent Auction 2021	
	Auction Sales	5,296.02
	Sales Tax Collected	157.29
	Silent Auction Expenses	(62.49)
	Ticket Sales	600.00
	Total Silent Auction 2021	5,990.82
	Visitor fees	15.00
TOTAL INCOME		<u>8,841.78</u>
DISBURSEMENTS		
1. Operations Expenses		
	Ins and bonding	34.58
	Meeting Room Rent	255.00
	Administration	0.00
	Miscellaneous	0.00
	Resource Room Rent	25.00
1. Operations Expenses Total		<u>314.58</u>
2. Educational Services		
	Programs and classes	702.12
2. Educational Services Total		<u>702.12</u>
3. Community Service		
	Cuddle Quilts	0.00
	Quilts of Valor	43.79
3. Community Service Total		<u>43.79</u>
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		<u>1,060.49</u>
	NET CASH	7,781.29
	Ending Cash Balance 10/30/2021	<u>56,360.66</u>
	Current Checking Balance	26,385.99
	Current Money Market Balance	30,224.67
	Total Cash 10/30/2021	<u>56,610.66</u>
	Outstanding checks	(250.00)
	Check #3990 \$250.00	



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