

Hill 'N Hollow Newsletter

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Hill 'N Hollow Quilters Guild

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President's Corner

Do you all feel the inspiration and motivation for quilt creation after each guild meeting? Steve Landrum's presentation of Convergence Quilts sure got my creative juices flowing. The only problem is fitting another quilt pattern/idea into my personal quilt queue. There's truth in the adage "so many quilts, so little time." I find myself giving up other activities such as house cleaning, laundry and meal preparation, just to keep up with my sewing schedule....

In the words of our 2019 Quilt Show Chair, Vicki Kauth, "It's coming, and it's coming fast." While our fall quilt show is still four months away, the preparations are in full swing! During the July guild meeting, I will provide a presentation on the rules for entering your creations in the show, and proper completion of the Registration form. For our newer members and for those who have just begun their quilting journey, your entries are as important and special as those entered by our long-time quilting members. The display of quilts at the show presents the viewing public with a wide variety of our art - from first quilts to masterpieces, quilted home decor to bags and wearable pieces. Each entry has a story and I hope to inspire you to share yours!

Thanks to Arlene Myslinski for sharing her experience with Pietz Cancer Center during our June meeting. I hope her personal experience helps urge you to join the fun with participation in "Think Outside the Boxers." Our Boxer entries will be auctioned off on the last day of the quilt show with proceeds donated directly to the Pietz Center. Having recently returned from a vacation across the pond, my creative juices are leading me in the direction of a Scottish theme.

Looking ahead to 2020, our President Elect Sammie Vinson, is working to fill her slate of Officers and Committee Chairs. There are many positions that require only a few hours each month, while others require a larger time commitment. It's quite acceptable to share a position with another member. For example, Ann Maus and Gail Hillyard share the responsibility of Hospitality Chair. We need your help to run our 128-Member group. Please consider becoming a part of the administration team and speak with Sammie about where you can volunteer to serve.

See you at the next guild meeting on July 12!

July Board Meeting Rescheduled -- Due to the Fourth of July holiday, the July Board meeting is moved to July 10 at 1:00 pm. If you are interested on attending a Board meeting, please feel free to come. Board meetings are open to all Hill 'N Hollow members. Meetings are held in the church building across the street from our guild meeting location.

Jodi McCray



What to Know

Board Meeting	6/5 at 1:00 pm
General Meeting	6/14 at 9:30 am
Sit 'N Sew	3rd Tuesday 9:00 am-3:00 pm

Don't Forget

No needles, pins or gum allowed in the Family Life Center.



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The full calendar of programs and classes are listed on the website. As changes inevitably occur, check there regularly to get the latest data.



Articles are due on the 19th of the month. Send articles to the newsletter editor at: piglady117@yahoo.com



Check It Out!

Ginger Alexander has recently donated many books to the library. Thank you, Ginger! One of them is Panel Play by Barbara Becker of Cozy Quilt Designs. Barbara writes: "I bought it. Now what do I do with it?"

- * Make a table topper
- * Make a wall hanging
- * Make a bed quilt
- * Make a bed runner
- * Make a work of art

Beautiful, charming, amusing, full of color or subtle and romantic. However you describe them, this book contains a wealth of ideas for using them. So, pull out your panels and prepare to play.

Come by and check out this book as well as many new additions to the library!

Diana Arian and Kathleen Sinclair
Librarians

Membership

We welcomed two new members, Merrilyn Scott and Brenda Boynton, at the June meeting. Total membership to date is 128. Our guild is growing and doing well.

The membership fee is only \$25 per year and you sure get your money's worth! We have Members-Teaching-Members classes for \$5. At each monthly meeting there's an interesting program and we usually bring in an area or national teacher at least once a year who offers a class the day before a meeting and does a program for everyone at the Hill 'N Hollow meeting. Sit 'N Sew is once a month.

The guild is a great place to make new friendships and learn new things. We welcome new members and love getting to know everyone.

Just a reminder -- Volunteer hours need to be turned in by the August meeting. We have forms at the membership table, and they are on the web site.

Sue Schaufler and Brenda Gipson.
Membership Co-Chairs

ASU Display

Every Quilt Tells A Story! We are calling for quilts with a story. Story should be 250 words or less and the dimension of the quilt is required as we have limited space in the Arkansas State University Gallery. The show will hang for the month of September. The Committee (Sharon Crozier, Wanda Kelley, Katie Risk and Peggy Moody) will choose the quilts for the show. Story and dimensions of the quilt are DUE by July guild meeting (7/12). Please send story to Peggy Moody (pmoody53@gmail.com) who will pass along to the committee. Entries will be notified, and their clean, pet and odor free quilts should be brought in a clear plastic bag by the August guild meeting (8/9).

Peggy Moody

MTM Classes

Hope everyone is enjoying the summer. With that in mind we have just one class scheduled in July, Rotary Cutter Tune Up taught by Judy Jensen on July 25th. She will teach you to cut out your quilt blocks more efficiently. Her classes are always very informative. On August 6th will be Finish That Bag taught by Carolyn Seigal. She will help you finish your bag that you started or help you with a pattern. She has been making bags to sell and is willing to share her secrets to make a bag look more professional. By popular demand, we are scheduling the Convergence Quilt Class to be taught by Steve Landrum. We will take signups for these classes at the next guild meeting.

Sandy Butler



July Program & Workshop

The July program is all about panels...more specifically, Panel Perfection!!

Toni Steere from Timeless Treasures/Wing and Prayer Designs will be our guest lecturer. She will be speaking about the various ways to use color, coordinating fabric and fabric design to enhance a fabric panel without stealing the show. She will also tell us about projects to inspire beautiful, quick and easy quilts by letting the fabric do the hard work. Straight borders are not the only way to make your panel quilt be a standout!

Have a great day ♡

Wanda Kelley, Workshop Coordinator

In August, our own Jodi McCray will present information on filling out registration forms for the quilt show. The October program will be presented by our quilt show judge, Kathi Eubank. Kathi will present "Quilting with Fibonacci". Updates will be made as the remainder of the programs are finalized.

Darlene Landrum, Program Chair

Raffle Tickets

About 30 members have not picked up their raffle tickets. Maybe you could do that at the July membership meeting, so we don't have to mail them to you. We ask each member to sell 24 raffle tickets each year, or you may purchase them yourself and you could be the winner of this beautiful quilt. We can supply you with a picture of the quilt to show to your prospective purchasers – be sure to ask for it. This is the Guild's only fundraiser.

And, if you have already picked up your tickets, I have more that you can sell!

Carol Lewis

A Few Snaps



Door Prize Winners
Cindy Albright and Deb Cochran



Carol Lewis showing boxers she fixed up
for Think Outside the Boxers



Steve and Darlene Landrum, Gail Lunn and
Peggy Moody showing the "Faces" they
made in Barb Carlson's class.

Autumn in the Ozarks Quilt Show

APPRAISALS

Do you want to schedule an Appraisal for the Quilt Show in October?

You may do so by sending me an email, ebyng1226@msn.com and request the time you would like. Scheduling is on the hour and half-hour, so you have a few choices. You pick your time and, if it is available, I will put your name on the sheet, including your phone number, and confirm with you with a reply email.

I will be away for a few weeks and won't be at the July and maybe the August meetings.

I will take my computer with me so I can schedule from wherever I am. Appraisals will be Thursday, October 17, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. with a half hour lunch at 12:30 p.m. It will be the same times for Friday, October 18, 2019 and Saturday, October 19, 2019 appraisals will be 9:00 a.m. until 11:30 so we can clear the stage for the Silent Auction at noon.

Think about helping me out too. Ideally, I'd like to have someone start the morning for me so I wouldn't have to leave home before the chickens are up. I can do mornings after 10 but would like help in the afternoon. Let me know what you can do. We will figure it all out. Thank you in advance.

Elaine Byng
Appraisal Coordinator
870-431-8581(message)

COUNTRY STORE

It's that time again - before you know it, the Quilt Show will be here! We're sure many of you have already been busy making items for sale in the Country Store. Following are the rules and procedures for the Country Store as a reminder for members who have participated in past quilt shows and as information for our new members.

COUNTRY STORE RULES & PROCEDURES

1. The Country Store sale is available for Guild members to sell their handmade items in a boutique setting which will be displayed apart from the judged show.
2. All handmade items for sale must be the work of guild members or their spouses.
3. Sale items are accepted at the discretion of the Country Store Committee.
4. A fee of 12% will be withheld by the Guild on all items sold for any guild members working a minimum of 4 hours from Sunday before the show thru Monday after the show. Any guild members not working a minimum of four hours during this time will have a fee of 17% withheld from their items sold.
5. Items sold must fall into one of the following categories:
 - Quilted/Quilting Related
 - Pieced
 - Appliqued or Embroidered
 - Quilter's Supplies, such as fabric, patterns, books, thread, notions, pin cushions, chatelaines, etc., or spool holders, hand-made quilt racks, etc. It is each member's responsibility to secure permission to use and sell copyrighted or licensed patterns, designs, or fabric. Hill 'N Hollow Quilters Guild will not be responsible for any liability arising from unauthorized sales of copyrighted or licensed products.

6. All items submitted for sale must be tagged and identified in accordance with the procedures set by the Country Store Committee. Items must be in a container with (2) inventory sheets attached to the outside.
7. All quilts sold from the exhibit floor will be handled through the Country Store using a seller's invoice. Quilt sales paid for by check will be shipped within 14 days after the close of the quilt show. The quilt will be insured for the purchase price and a shipping/handling fee of \$35 will be added to the cost of the quilt. Seller may sign a release form allowing the quilt to be picked up at the end of the quilt show if paid by check.
8. There will be no pre-sales and no holding of items.

SAMPLE ITEMS THAT CAN BE SOLD AT THE COUNTRY STORE

- Quilts, table runners – quilted/sewing related items
- Sewn fabric items – napkins, placemats, fabric scarves, aprons, wallets, purses/totes, fabric ornaments
- Quilting related notions
- Bundled fabric
- Quilting related books, patterns

Please get approval on items that don't fit into any category from Joyce Linhoff at jbrockly2000@yahoo.com or Diana Arikan at tyarikan@hotmail.com.

Joyce Linhoff and Diana Arikan
Country Store Co-Chairs

What's Up Doc!

DATE(S)	WHO, WHAT & WHERE	OTHER INFO
6/21 – 6/29	Treasured Threads Quilting 14605 U.S. Hwy. 60 Dexter, MO 63841 573-624-4042	GOING OUT OF BUSINESS Last Day June 29 Tuesday-Friday: 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. Saturday: 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
7/11	Panel Perfection Workshop Instructor -- Toni Steere	9 a.m. Seventh Day Adventist Church
7/16	Sit 'N Sew	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
7/25	Rotary Cutter Tune-Up Instructor -- Judy Jensen	Seventh Day Adventist Church
7/26 – 7/27	Blackgum Harvestime Sewing Sisters & Quilts of Past & Present Quilt Show 451558 E. 0980 Road Vian, Oklahoma	For information search for Blackgum Harvestime on Facebook. Vian is pretty close to Fort Smith, AR
8/6	Finish That Bag Instructor -- Carolyn Seigal	Seventh Day Adventist Church
10/4 – 10/5	MOKA – Quilt Study Group Shawnee, Oklahoma	For information check out MOKA Quilt Study Group on Facebook.

If anyone knows of an event you think would be of interest to guild members, please contact Margie Dotson at piglady117@yahoo.com or 870-405-5706 after noon.

**Hill 'N Hollow Quilters Guild
Meeting Minutes
June 14, 2019**

President Jodi McCray called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.

President McCray asked if there were any changes needed for the previous minutes as posted in the guild's newsletter. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Gail Hunger, seconded by Jan Lawson. Motion passed.

President McCray asked if there were any questions regarding the treasurers report as posted on the guild's web site. There being none, she stated they would be filed for audit.

Seventy-three members were in attendance. Marilyn Scott and Brenda Boynton joined the guild at the meeting. Jackie Harris, Symone Olvera and Vicky Williamson were guests. All were welcomed to the guild.

Happy birthday and happy anniversary wishes were given to all who were celebrating this month.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Volunteer Forms will be handed out at the July meeting. You can count hours for teaching quilting in and outside of the guild, Community Quilt submissions (all hours spent making the quilt), selling Raffle Quilt tickets, helping with the raffle quilt construction, hours spent working as an officer/committee chair, etc. If you have any questions about what counts toward volunteer hours, please call the Membership Chairman. The information from the forms is used by the government and can make a difference in how much money our area receives for various projects.
- Sit 'N Sew will be Tuesday, June 18.
 - Quilt Show Committee Meeting at 9:00 a.m.
 - Community Quilts supplies will be available if anyone wants to work with them.
 - Quilt Show Ribbon kits will be available.

Of course, members can bring anything they want to work on or just come visit. Come for a short time or all day. Don't forget to bring a lunch.

- Dianne Petty and Roxine Burch are updating Local Resource on the web site. If you know of some shop that needs to be added, please send them an email or give them a call.
- Judy Jensen would like to start a modern quilt group. This would be held at her home at first. If you're interested send her an email.
- The guild will have a display at MHASU for the month of September. Watch the newsletter for details. Members will need to bring their items to the August meeting.

QUILT SHOW UPDATES

- Elaine Byng is taking sign-ups for appraisals at the quilt show. The cost will be \$50 for each appraisal.
- Working hours in the judging room will be in 4-hour increments.
- Maureen Forster needs on more big ribbon for a "Best Of" item.
- Arlene Myslinski needs quilt magazines. She will be gluing the show flyer to the fronts of them and placing in various places around the area to advertise the show.

2019 RAFFLE QUILT UPDATE

Members have sold over \$1,000 worth of tickets thus far. Some members still need to pick up their tickets.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE UPDATE

The Patchwork Teddy Bear Class scheduled for June 11 and the Color and Sew Much More class scheduled for June 25 were canceled.

Upcoming Members-Teaching-Members classes are:

- Rotary Cutter Tune-Up, Judy Jensen, 7/25
- Finish That Bag, Carolyn Seigal, 8/6

Upcoming Workshop:

- Panel Perfection, Toni Steere, 7/11

The classes and workshop will be held at the Seventh Day Adventist Church. Sandy is working on more classes.

COMMUNITY QUILTS

There was a parade of ten Community Quilts.

JUNE PROGRAM

After a short break Steve Landrum gave a program about his take on the Convergence quilts of Ricky Timms. Steve showed several of his completed quilts using this technique, each with a different effect.

Door prizes were won by Cindy Albright and Deb Cochran.

Fifteen members showed items they'd made.

Margie Dotson made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Sammie Vinson. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,
Margie Dotson
Secretary

Advertisements

FOR SALE



**GRACE NM-EZ3 Quilting Frame And
Oak Quilt Hanger**

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