



MARCH 2019

St. Cloud Heritage Quilters

www.stcloudheritagequiltersofmn.com

Next Meeting: March 7, 2019

Love of Christ Lutheran Church
1971 Pine Cone Road S.
St. Cloud, MN 56303

[Click here](#) for directions

7:00 P.M



President

Sandy Anderson

northwoodsandy@gmail.com

**See the Quilt Guild
calendar on page 5.**

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Sandy Anderson

SNOWBOUND!

Did you know that the first known use of snowbound was in 1802? It means shut-in or blockaded by snow. In a quilter's world, it means sewing pieces of fabric without the fear of getting interrupted by drop-in visitors. I'm sure that is what we all did on February 7. Our speaker, Sue Harmon, couldn't make it down from Park Rapids, and we made an early call so everyone could relax and sew. Sue Harmon has rescheduled her lecture/show for September 5, 2019.

I, along with Marjorie LaTour, have been busy writing up agreements for guest speakers for the rest of 2019. As of July, Julie Johnson will assume the responsibility of Program Chair. Now I am looking for at least one person to serve as President-elect. This office can be shared with two people. I know there are two members who can do this together and have fun with it. The president's job is running the monthly guild meeting, the board meeting and coordinating with the church. It's a position that can easily be coordinated between a couple friends. The board members are very helpful stepping up and helping out.

PRESIDENT'S CHALLENGE

Don't forget to pick two color crayons from a bag at the membership table for the President's Challenge, after you sign in for the monthly guild meeting.

The rules are simple: pick two crayons and make a 24" x 24" wall hanging adding only "one" other color to the mix. The deadline to finish your quilt is the September Guild meeting.

Contact Sandy Anderson northwoodsandy@gmail.com

PROGRAMS**Sandy Anderson, Marjorie La Tour, Julie Johnson**

Melanie Schatz-Pattay is our guest speaker for the SCHQ Guild Meeting on March 7. Melanie works at Gruber's Quilt Shop and teaches many classes from collage to batiks. Her professional page is Green Acres MN on her Facebook page. She is a member of St. Cloud Heritage Quilters and has shown many of her quilts at Show and Tell. Her topic is all about batiks. Even if you don't use batiks in your quilts, you will come away with a different appreciation of how they are made. I think you will find it very interesting.

Contact Julie Johnson jjfarm65@gmail.com

Special Events**Alice Sue Becker****Sip, Swap and Sew:**

It's time for another Triple S - Sip, Swap and Sew - to welcome Spring! Please bring a sewing or quilting item that you'd like to "rehome" to swap, an appetizer or dessert to share and any handwork on which you're working. It will be from 6-9 p.m., Tuesday, March 19th at Alice Sue Becker's house. The address is 1213 Millstone Court, St. Cloud, MN 56303.

Please RSVP to Alice Sue at horsebeck@gmail.com, or there will be a sign up sheet at the March meeting. Please come and join the fun!

Collage Applique Class

This class will be held on 2 separate Tuesday evenings; April 30th and May 7th from 5-9 pm at Salem Lutheran Church in St. Cloud. Melanie Schatz-Pattay will be teaching this technique so that participants will be able to create a vibrant wall hanging either from a kit or from your own pattern and fabric. Kits are available from Gruber's and she recommends starting with either the "Fiona the Featherweight" kit by Joan Cain, which makes a 28.5" by 27" wall hanging and costs \$57.50 or "Pincushion" which measures 41"x 45". The "Pincushion" pattern is \$30.25. A kit is yet to be developed for this pattern. Other kits are available, however, and you may choose what you'd like to make. The class is limited to 20 participants. The fee will be determined soon and announced at the March meeting. There will be a sign-up sheet at the meeting, too.

Book Sale

Our library book sale that was postponed because of the February weather will be held at the March meeting. Books range from free up to \$10 for the newest books, with most in the \$1-\$2 range. The loss of our library is a sad event, but you can help us make lemonade from lemons and add to your home library by buying these books at a fraction of their cover prices. You will be helping your guild and helping yourself score some good deals on books!

Contact Alice Sue Becker horsebeck@gmail.com

Service Projects

Elaine Randall, Sandi Abraham, Helen Marion

We will have **6 organizations for Service Projects** this year, adding Pathways4Youth as a new one:

Pathways4Youth: Every night there are approximately 150 homeless youth sleeping outside, in cars, or couch-hopping with friends in the St. Cloud area. Pathways4Youth provides youth experiencing homelessness with the opportunity to learn about and gain access to resources that can put them back on a path that will help them to grow as individuals and be contributing members of our community. Especially needed are fleece blankets or warm quilts.

Recovery Plus: Twin size quilts for children aged 12-18, who stay at Recovery Plus for 6-8 weeks. They can take these quilts with them, and these are often the first quilt they have owned.

Pockets of Hope: Backpacks are given out to children entering foster care, each with a blanket of some sort as well as books, flashlight, toothbrush, etc. The age range is infant to teenager, with a special need for toddler quilts/blankets.

Stearns Co. Tummy Time: Quilts are used with parents and babies for "Tummy Time," playing with babies on the floor, and should be brightly colored and 48" x 48" or larger.

Eagle's Nest: Twin-sized bed quilts (approx. 60" x 80") for Veterans staying at Eagle's Nest, a home for Veterans in Sauk Centre. They may take the quilts with them when they leave. Also needed are pillowcases that match the quilts and items for their silent auction in the fall.

Coborn's Cancer Center: Tote bags are given to cancer patients with a variety of personal and comfort items.

As we did last year, we will have occasional speakers from these organizations to give a brief summary of what each organization does. In addition, we will be adding a group sewing day at Gruber's for service projects. The first date will be in March, with the exact date to be decided. The Guild has agreed to provide funds for backing and batting, which will help us produce more quilts and blankets.

Submitted by: Elaine Randall: erandall98@midco.net; **Sandi Abraham:** sandiloua213@gmail.com **and Helen Manion:** hmanion@yahoo.com

SUNSHINE

Pat Gerchy

If you know a guild member in need of a little sunshine, please call me (Pat's phone number can be found on the mailing page attached with this newsletter) and if no answer leave a message or email her.

Contact Pat Gerchy patgerchy@charter.net

SMALL GROUPS**Karen Cyson**

Due to the cancellation of the February meeting, and to allow enough time for everyone to sign up, the 2019 Monthly Mystery Quilt will have sign-ups at the March and April meetings and your first clue will be distributed at the April meeting. This is a 12-month mystery program and the cost to each member to participate is \$3 (payable once and covering the entire year).

Please do not share with anyone! The \$3 fee covers copy costs and the fee payable to the designer. Pretty Please with Sugar On Top: bring 3 \$1 bills or a \$3 check payable to SCHQ. If everyone brings larger bills there is no way I'll have enough change. Thank YOU in advance!

Your April clue will be your fabric requirements and cutting instructions. This is a 3 fabric quilt (light, medium, & dark) and can be made in lap or twin size. I have been working on this quilt as a 'preview' and I'm up to month six - be assured any quilter will be able to sew this quilt! Bring your \$3 payment to me in March or April and let's have some fun with this!

Featherweight Group - This group does fun projects throughout the year. To be part of this group, you must own and bring a Featherweight sewing machine. Julie Johnson is the facilitator. They meet the second Thursday of the month at 9:30 am at Messiah Lutheran Church in Sartell, MN. Contact Julie (jjfarm65@gmail.com) to be added to the email list for meeting notices.

Undercolor Club - This group meets the last Wednesday of the month at 5:30 pm at Dunn Bros. Coffee Shop in the Coborn's on Cooper Ave. S. This group works with the "Color Play" book. Make a small project or bring fabrics to illustrate the color combination. Contact Marlyn Anderson pyromarquilter@gmail.com

Submitted by: Karen Cyson karencyson@aol.com

NEWSLETTER**Maggie Voigt**

Anyone is welcome to put an article in the newsletter. The deadline for receipt of articles to appear in the next newsletter is the **15th** of the prior month. The guild also accepts ads. Contact me for advertising rates and requirements.

Articles and ads should be sent to me at rmntv@hotmail.com

Contact Maggie Voigt rmntv@hotmail.com

QUILT SHOW 2019**Barb Corson & Marjorie La Tour**

The Quilt Show committee is assembled and will begin meeting on the 4th Thursday of each month. Stay tuned for how you can help. Also stay tuned for the Big Reveal!!! (of the raffle quilt).

As previously reported, the show will be held on September 28 – 29, 2019 at the Haehn Center at CSB. The change in date is due to the availability of the Haehn Center. Longtime vendors at our show are being informed of the show dates so they can plan their show calendars.

The theme of the show is “Pins to Pearls” -- celebrating the 30 year anniversary (pearls) of the guild and connecting pins to our love of quilting.

We will have more information to share in the coming months. In the meantime, it's not too soon to think about items for a raffle basket and quilts to enter into the show. We are both in small groups that are preparing a basket or have planned a quilt challenge for display at the show.

Barb Corson barbcorson@gmail.com

Marjorie LaTour mal2@charter.net

ST. CLOUD HERITAGE QUILT GUILD CALENDAR

Remember to bring your 2019 membership card and wear your name tag at the meetings. Bring your show and tell items, birthday fabric/gift, \$ for birthday fabric/gift, finished service projects and any library books that need to be returned.

2019

Mar 7 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Melanie Schatz-Pattay** - How Batiks are Made

Apr 4 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Kari Carr** – New Leaf Stitches

May 2 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Dawn Cook Ronnigen**,
Author: Antique American Needlework Tools

June 6 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Val Besser** – Spinning Spools Shop

July 11 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00

Aug 1 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00

Sept 5 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Sue Harmon** – Quilt Appraisals

Sept 27 & 28 Quilt Show, Pins and Needles; Haehn Center on the campus of St. Benedict's College

Oct 3 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00

Nov 7 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Angie Roberts**, Noble Quilt Shop, Elk River - Incorporating Embroidery into Quilts.

Dec 5 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 Party

SCHQ BOARD MINUTES

Marie Zaczkowski

Special Board Meeting Minutes at Love of Christ Lutheran Church, January 31, 2019 6:00 pm

Members Present: Sandy Anderson, CO-President, Terri Bahn; Treasurer, Ann Hiltner, Membership, Julie Johnson; Special Events/Library, Alice Sue Becker

Announcements: Lois Rieffer has declined to serve as Program Chair because she is serving as Publicity Chair of 2019 SCHQ Quilt Show

Programs; Sandy Anderson said the speaker for February meeting will be Sue Harmon, Quilt Appraiser

Treasurer: Ann Hiltner reported balances:

January Income: Membership \$ 1,111.00; Birthday Fabric \$ 52.25; Refreshments \$ 6.25; Total January Income \$ 1169.50

Expenses: Speaker: Ankas Treasurers \$ 357.50; Kari Carr - deposit for April speaker \$150.00; Love of Christ Church donation \$1, 000.00; Total January Expenses \$1,507.50

Show Checking Income: Transferred from CD for Show Expenses \$ 3,000.00

End of January Bank Totals Guild Checking \$4,569.50; Quilt Show Checking \$3,198.50; Guild Savings \$4,583.72; CD (transferred \$3,000 to Quilt Show Checking) \$17,220.90

Ann presented a final budget for 2019. Board members approved final budget.

Library:

Alice Sue Becker led the group to price quilt books from the Library to be sold at the March 2019 Guild meeting because the church lacks storage for the Guild.

New Business

Julie Johnson wanted a clarification for participation in small groups. By-laws state: Membership to SCHQ Guild is required to participate in all groups formed from the Guild through the Newsletter.

A motion was approved to adjourn the meeting at 7:00 pm

Submitted by Sandy Anderson northwoodsandy@gmail.com

Thank you for the absolutely beautiful quilts. We showed them to the kids and they loved them! The time and effort you all put into these quilts is simply amazing. Thank you again for the quilts!

Recovery Plus Adolescent
staff and clients



January 24, 2019

St. Cloud Heritage Quilters
P.O. Box 7181
St. Cloud, MN 56302

Dear St. Cloud Heritage Quilters,

We are grateful that you have chosen to make a donation to Anna Marie's Alliance. We received your generous gift of two quilts on 1/8/2019.

This past year, Anna Marie's Alliance provided 487 women and 195 children with a safe place to stay and knowledge of community resources to help them escape domestic violence. Your investment has a positive and immediate impact on our vision to create a community where violence is not tolerated.

Please contact me with any questions. I welcome conversations with our contributors.

Warmest regards,

Sandy Nadeau
 Sandy Nadeau
 Director of Development and Communications
 SandyN@annamarie.org
 (320) 251-7203

*Dear St. Cloud Heritage Quilters,
 Thank you for your generous donation.
 Sandy*

We received your gift of two quilts on 1/8/2019. Anna Marie's Alliance is a 501(c)(3) organization. Your donation is tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. This letter serves as a receipt for tax purposes. We acknowledge that no goods or services were provided to you as a result of this contribution.

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Maple Grove Quilters

Dear Quilt Group,

Please find enclosed information concerning the Maple Grove Quilters 2019 Quilt Show.

FRIENDS OF A FEATHER QUILT TOGETHER

Friday, May 3, 2019 10:00 AM to 7:00 PM

and

Saturday, May 4, 2019 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Maple Grove Community Center
12951 Weaver Lake Road
Maple Grove, MN

We greatly appreciate your sharing this information with your members.

There will be over 100 quilts on display in traditional and modern techniques. We also have a "challenge" exhibit where members are to use the fabric that is printed on the bookmark. Daily demonstrations, door prizes, and a gift boutique are a few of the activities scheduled for the two day event. Admission to our show is \$5.00 at the door

Raffle tickets for a queen sized "Blooming Feathered Stars" themed quilt will be available for purchase at the show. A Blue Ribbon First Place Quilt at the Minnesota State Fair in 2018!

For more information and directional map to the center please go to:

www.facebook.com/maplegrovequilters

Maple Grove Community Center
763-494-6500

Thank you for your consideration in getting the word out about our show!



2019 Augusta Quilt Show

Fri Mar 8th: 10 am - 6 pm

Sat Mar 9th: 9 am - 3 pm

Admission: Adults \$3.00 (12 & under - Free)

HELD IN THE GYM AT THE
AUGUSTA SENIOR & COMMUNITY CENTER
616 W WASHINGTON ST, AUGUSTA WI

Vendors • Bed Turning • Food • Club Boutique

Featuring gently used quilting supplies, books and magazines

Demos by Club Members & Special Guests

NEW: Sewing Machine History



View a special collection of machines from antiques to modern day

Viewers' Choice Awards
Winners receive a prize



**Bed Turning*

**Antique or unique quilts are displayed on a bed that the Wood Shed lends to us each year. The quilts are turned and held up for the audience as a narrator gives information on the pattern, the historical and personal significance behind the making of it.*

A Great experience for both quilters and non-quilters alike!



THE WOOD SHED

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For entry info:
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Add a visit to The Wood Shed in downtown Augusta.
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