



JULY 2017

St. Cloud Heritage Quilters

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Next Meeting: July 6, 2017

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

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7:00 P.M



President
Terri Bahn

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PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Terri Bahn



June is going by so fast. There were quilt shows, graduations, family vacations, work, and outdoor fun to keep us busy. I did enjoy the Minnesota Quilters Show and SCHQ was nicely represented with the Granite City Rocks Challenge.

Our quilt show is on October 14 and 15 at the College of St. Benedict in St. Joseph and it is going to be fabulous! Many members have been working hard to make it happen. Keep filling out those registration forms for your finished quilts and quilted items, and get them turned in to make it easier for our quilt show committee members to plan for the pipe and drape. Use email, mail, or bring your forms to the July or August meetings. If you are working on a quilt that is not quite done but you want it in the show, you can still fill out a form and turn it in. Remember we will still have all of September to finish up those last minute details like bindings, labels, and getting a pillow cases for your quilts.

For our July meeting we are going to have our members show and tell about the first or worst quilt that they have made. There is probably a story to go with it. I have to admit, my first quilt isn't even done yet and you will find out why at the meeting! Keep on quilting!

Contact Terri Bahn terri.bahn@gmail.com

PROGRAMS**Sandy Anderson**

It's Show 'n Tell time. There is no speaker for our July meeting, so we want you to show off the first quilt you ever made or a quilt that didn't quite meet your standards. We are not going to judge. We want to have our own trunk show with our member's quilts. We learn more from our mistakes and hope others learn with us. And there might be a few laughs, just for fun.

Contact Sandy Anderson northwoodsandy@gmail.com

Calling all Past Art Attack Group members -

I would like to remind all those who were members of the Art Attack group last year to enter any finished items you have in the guild's fall quilt show, October 14-15, 2017. Even though the group is no longer active, there were some wonderful projects that were completed, using many techniques. Please be sure to put these in the show for all the members to enjoy! Thank you for participating in the group and for all the creative input. Remember that you need to fill out an entry/registration form for each item entered.

Contact Marilyn Bujalski mjb33@frontier.com

**** Sale ****

Due to my health, I am having a garage sale to sell most of my quilting material and supplies. There will also be other household items and antiques. **The sale is: June 29th 7:30 -6:00, June 30th 8:00-6:00, and July 1st 8:00 – noon.**

My address is: 1106 7th Ave N, Sauk Rapids, MN 56379. If you have questions you may call me on my cell at 320-310-1780.

Ethelyn Gadway



QUILT SHOW 2017**Cindy Kleve and Sandy Keller****“Falling In Love with Quilts”**

It is already June! Where has the time gone?

We are moving ahead with plans for the Quilt Show in October. At last count we have only sold 780 raffle tickets. Our goal is 5000; we have a long way to go. If you need more raffle tickets you can get some from Lori, Cindy, or Sandy. If you have not picked up your raffle tickets, we will have them at the next Guild Meeting.

If you would like to sign up for some time to sell raffle tickets at Gruber's, Coborn's or Craft's Direct, please let Sandy know. There are many days that are available in July, August and September. If you know of a place where we could setup and sell raffle tickets, please let Sandy know.

We have had a couple more donations for the basket raffle, but we are in need of many more baskets and items. If you don't have enough items for a complete basket, we gladly accept single items to add to a basket.

We have had a couple of quilt registration forms turned in so far. It is a start to what promises to be a wonderful quilt show!

For the 2017 Quilt Show team - our next show meeting is Tuesday, June 20, 2017 at 5:30 and will be held at Gruber's.

Thank you everyone!

Contact **Cindy Kleve** cindysmq@mail.com and **Sandy Keller** imagine761@hotmail.com

Quilt Show Volunteers

Thanks for the wonderful response we received at the volunteer sign-up table at the June meeting! We filled 74 slots, which has to be some kind of record for early sign-ups!

Many of you remembered your favorite activities from the last show and wanted to have that fun again. If this will be your first show, talk with us about the variety of jobs available. Some positions will have you sitting and some will require you to move around. We can help you find jobs you'll enjoy.

There are still openings in almost all areas, and the sign-up sheets will be available at the July through September meetings. If you can't make the meetings and want to volunteer, please email one of us and we can help you.

Besides helping our guild put on a great show, you will also be eligible for prizes. Receive a prize-raffle ticket for each shift worked, up to three, and get a half-price admission ticket for the first two shifts you work. Thanks for all your help!

Deb Danneman debdanneman@yahoo.com and
Sandra Williams sandraqwilliams@gmail.com

SMALL GROUPS**Peggy Aschenbrenner**

We have a variety of small groups that meet during the month. These small groups are not classes. We learn and are inspired by each other. The facilitator is the hostess and event planner, not a paid instructor.

Busy Hands, Happy Hearts - This group meets the last Tuesday of the month, anytime between 4:00 pm and 9:00 pm, at Peggy's house, in north St. Cloud. The group is for anyone who wants to do any type of handwork, English piecing, embroidery, beading, knitting, crocheting, coloring books, or hand piecing - anything not requiring electricity, except for a light. Contact peggysewingbox@hotmail.com to be added to the email list for meeting notices.

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. Bev Radaich is the facilitator. They meet the second Thursday of the month at 9:30 am at Messiah Lutheran Church in Sartell, MN. Contact Bev to be added to the email list for meeting notices.

Wooly Bright Group - This group meets the third Wednesday of the month, at the St. Cloud Public Library, in the Array room on first floor, between 4 pm and 8:45 pm. Sarah Howard is the facilitator. Bring whatever wool project you are working on and ideas to share. There will be plenty of time to work on or begin a wool project of your choice. Contact Sarah Howard to be added to the group emails.

The "New Hexagon Book" Club - This group meets the first Tuesday of the month at Peggy's house, in St. Cloud, anytime between 4:00 pm and 9:00 pm. English piecing is all handwork and for all levels. Contact peggysewingbox@hotmail.com to be added to the email list for meeting notices.

Stearns History Museum Club - This group started a few years ago at the history museum and meets on the first Friday of the month beginning at 9:30 in the morning. The group gets together to hand stitch together premade little quilts that were made in honor of the Iran war. It is a huge project. All these little quilts were safety pinned to each other and donated to the museum. The museum can't display it with pins so this group is whip stitching the mini-quilts together. They are about half done with the project and are on year three. Interested members contact Marjorie LaTour or Sarah Howard

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. They work with the "Color Play" book. Make a small project or bring fabrics to illustrate the month's color study. Contact Marlyn Anderson pyromarquilter@gmail.com for more details.

Contact Peggy Aschenbrenner at peggysewingbox@hotmail.com for questions, suggestions, or for wanting to start a new small group. Consider joining one or more of these small groups. Sign-up sheets are available at every meeting or by talking directly to Peggy or emailing her.

Contact Peggy Aschenbrenner peggysewingbox@hotmail.com

SCHQ BOARD MINUTES

Michelle Henderson

BOARD MEETING MINUTES – June 1, 2017

Meeting called to order at 6:13 pm.

Motion to approve May minutes by Karen C. Seconded by Michelle H.. Unanimously approved.

Board Reports

Programs – Sandy Anderson. Speaker tonight is Susan Stein. Speaking with Darlene Zimmerman and someone from Wilmington fabrics. Karen C. suggested speaking with Lori Kennedy. Sue at Gruber's may also have an author in mind. Board discussed July programming options. We decided on Quilt Fail Show and Tell.

Membership – Marlys Eikmeier. Fawn substituting for Marlys. Currently at 160 paid members.

Treasurer – Mary Proell and Mary Ann Smith. Current balances: Checking, \$6010.83, CD \$0, Quilt Show Checking, \$8242.08, Savings, \$14,502.01.

Small Groups – Peggy Aschenbrenner and Sarah Howard. No report.

Newsletter – Marie Zaczkowski. Discussions on forwarding emails from other guilds to our members.

Service Projects – Jean Euteneuer. Pockets of Hope speaking at beginning of meeting.

Special Events – Karen Cyson. No report.

Quilt Show Chair – Cindy Kleve. Raffle quilt has been appraised. Please sign up for donation baskets. Currently we have 15. Bookmarks are out and signage is planned.

Secretary – Michelle Henderson. No report

Appointed Positions Reports

Website – no report

Historian – no report

Librarian – No report

Sunshine – No report

President – Terri Bahn. Asking for Presidents' challenge sign up so we can plan drape amount. The MN Quilt Show is in Duluth on June 8-10. Pinetree Patchworkers Quilt Show is June 23-24 in Brainerd, MN.

Marie Z. moved to adjourn meeting, Karen C. seconded. Guild approved. Meeting adjourned at 6:30 pm.

Notes by Michelle Henderson michelle@badcatdigital.com

KUDOS TO . . .

Thank you to the holders and folders at the June meeting:

**Terri Bahn
Sandy Anderson
Melanie Schatz-Pattay**

Your help is appreciated!

SERVICE PROJECTS

Jean Euteneuer

Last month we had Jennifer Bruzek and Lisa Schroers from Pockets of Hope speak at our meeting. They have requested quilts to include in backpacks which are distributed to local children moving to foster homes. We gave them several quilts and will continue to collect them at our monthly meeting or you can contact them directly at their website <http://www.pocketsofhope.org/>

We collected 10 cancer bags at our June meeting.

Remember that we still need twin size quilts for Anna Marie’s and also Quilts of Valor for Quiet Oaks Hospice House.

Contact Jean Euteneuer eutenkev@gmail.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 me.

Pat Gerchy patgerchy@charter.net

NEWSLETTER

Marie Zaczkowski

Anyone is welcome to put an article in the newsletter. The deadline for receipt of articles to appear in the August 2017 newsletter is **July 12th**. The guild also accepts ads. Contact me for advertising rates and requirements.

Articles and ads should be sent to me at marie.zaczkowski@gmail.com.

TREASURER'S REPORT**Mary Proell****June Report**

Expenses

Programs - Speaker	-\$200.00
Refreshments	-\$16.01
President - Printing	-\$13.47
TOTAL EXPENSES	-\$229.48

Income

Birthday Money	\$66.50
Membership	\$66.00
Refreshments	\$29.75
TOTAL INCOME	\$162.25

Ending Balance 6/2/2017**\$5,943.60**Contact Mary Proell xrayproell@hotmail.com**ST. CLOUD HERITAGE QUILT GUILD CALENDAR**

Remember to bring your 2017 membership card and wear your name tag at the meetings. Bring your show and tell items, birthday fabric, \$ for birthday fabric, and any library books that need to be returned.

- July 6 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 Members Share, "Your First and/or Worst Quilt"
- Aug. 3 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Darlene Smith**, One Wing Wool <http://www.onewingwool.com/>
- Sept. 7 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 Getting Ready for the Quilt Show
- Oct. 5 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Julie Huseth**, "Quilts and the Underground Railroad" and Guild Birthday Bash
- Nov. 2 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Amanda Jean Nyberg**, Crazy Mom Quilts <http://crazymomquilts.blogspot.com/>
- Dec. 7 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 Holiday Tea (Potluck), Games and Prizes