



SEPTEMBER 2017

St. Cloud Heritage Quilters

www.stcloudheritagequiltersofmn.com

Next Meeting: September 7, 2017

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

[Click here](#) for directions

7:00 P.M



President
Terri Bahn

terri.bahn@gmail.com

**See the Quilt Guild
calendar on page 7.**

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Terri Bahn



Can you believe how fast summer is flying by? Fall is in the air already and the excitement is growing for our quilt show. I'm finishing quilts and filling out those quilt show entry forms so I can get them turned in to our quilt show committee who, by the way, are working hard and doing a great job! If you have questions about our show or you're new to the process, you are in luck. The September meeting will feature our quilt show committee and they will answer questions. Let's all pitch in where and when we can to help make our show the best quilt show this year!

It has been a pleasure to be your president and I love this group of fantastic women. I'm also being reminded that my term will be over in December and we will need nominees for various positions on the board next year. Co-partners can sign up for any positions. We will need a new program chair, and the nice thing about this position is more than half the work is already in place for next year. We will have more information in the next newsletter, but if you want more information contact me.

See you in September ("Sew" long for now.)

Contact Terri Bahn terri.bahn@gmail.com

IMPORTANT REMINDER –

Quilt show entries are due by the September 7th guild meeting. Forms can be found at <http://www.stcloudheritagequiltersofmn.com/quilt-registration.html>.

PROGRAMS**Sandy Anderson**

There will be no guest speaker for the September meeting. Come and hear all about plans for the 2017 quilt show.

- Last chance to turn in your quilt show entry forms
- Hear about fun volunteer positions, where your help is still needed, and the rewards of volunteering
- Turn in your sold raffle tickets and pick up more to sell
- Bring items for the raffle baskets

Contact Sandy Anderson northwoodsandy@gmail.com

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

The countdown begins. We have 58 days until the 2017 St. Cloud Heritage Quilters quilt show, "Falling In Love With Quilts", officially opens. It has been quite a journey. It all started with an idea of making it a Guild Member Quilt Show. So many of you made a leaf block, it was awesome. Not only did we get enough blocks for our beautiful raffle quilt but there were enough left over blocks to make yet another quilt to be given away to one of our wonderful show volunteers! What a great way to start out your show!

At this time we have sold around 2,500 tickets - not a bad start. We have many more to sell and we need you to sell as many tickets as possible.

We did get some donations for the basket raffles. I would say that we have enough for only 14 baskets and that is a long way from our goal of 50 baskets. Please remember to bring a donated basket or you can bring items to put into a basket. Carrie or Lois would love to accept your donations at the September guild meeting.

We did get more quilt registrations at the last guild meeting. All total we are at about 140 quilts registered. We are shooting for a goal of 500 quilts! **Your quilts need to be registered by Sept 7, 2017, the day of the September guild meeting.** The guild has over 150 members so if we all show 3-4 quilts we will hit our goal! We know you have made at least that many new quilts since our last show.

The money we raise by putting on the show is used for many things. One of the most important things that we use the money for is to help pay for our guest speakers that we have every month.

We really need everybody's help to reach all of our goals. Remember, this is your show!

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

Quilt Show Volunteers

Our members have done a great job signing up for the volunteer jobs for the quilt show! We have several spots that need a few more volunteers, so maybe you could take a look at these at the September meeting. Many are sit-down jobs. Openings available. . .

Friday: Display -- Hanging Quilts beginning at 4 or 6; and Volunteer Room Assistants.

Saturday: Admissions from 2-4; Baskets & Small Quilt Raffle from 3-5; Quilt Appraisals; and Service Projects.

Sunday: Admissions; Display -- Taking Down Quilts; Quilt Appraisals; Quilt Checkout; Service Projects; and Volunteer Room Assistants.

Remember that you will put a prize raffle ticket into the box for every shift you work, up to three. You've seen the gorgeous leaf quilt made from the blocks left over from the raffle quilt and that will be our big volunteer prize, but there will be more prizes too! You will also receive a half-price admission ticket for each shift you work, up to two.

Thanks for your commitment to our guild!

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

Quilt Show Vendors

The SCHQ's quilt show "Falling in Love with Quilts" is quickly approaching. There is a wonderful variety of vendors this year for your shopping enjoyment. Think of it as a fun "shop hop" all in one stop! This year's vendors include:

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| At the Heart of Quilting | Bound in Stitches Quilt Shop |
| Colorz Quilt Shop | Crafts Direct |
| Fiskur Leather | Gary Killmer |
| Gruber's Quilt Shop | Hingeley Road Quilting |
| J & A Stitches | Just Sew Studio |
| The Old Creamery Quilt Shop | Quarry Quilts and Yarns |
| Quilt Haven on Main | Sadie Rae's Quilt Shop |
| St. Cloud Sewing Center | Vacuum Center and Sewing Room |
| What a Hoot Quilting | Willow Wood Market |

Save those pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters, and dollars and polish up those credit cards! Support these vendors at the show and let them know we appreciate their support of our quilt show and our quilt guild!

Jean Gilbertson jmgilbertson@charter.net

SPECIAL EVENTS**Karen Cyson****Scrap Exterminators**

Finishing quilts for the show? Got scraps? If you're anything like me, my scraps mysteriously defy the laws of physics and increase exponentially based on the number of quilts I complete. I never seem to get ahead of the scraps. BUT, Starting in January, 2018, SCHQ will have a new program to help you cope with your ever-expanding scrap situation in the privacy of your own home. No one need know how bad it is. Just join Scrap Exterminators and deal with it!

Do you remember the terrific quilts Cheri Merritt and Nathan Carter from Glad Creations showed us several years ago? Their original designs for lap/twin quilts were specially created to use up scraps and look amazing. Cheri and Nathan have agreed to let us use their unpublished patterns so we, too, can make these lovely quilts. Each month for 9 months, starting in January, 2018, we'll show two quilts, Cheri's and Nathan's, made from the same pattern at the monthly guild meeting.

If you've signed up for Scrap Exterminators you'll then be able to get the pattern for the quilt and get to work on your own project.

Patterns will only be available for those who have signed up for the program in advance. Sign-ups will begin at the October, 2017 guild meeting and conclude at the December, 2017 guild meeting.

Once sign-ups are complete we'll make color copies of the patterns and distribute one pattern per month from January through September of 2018. Keep up with the program and you'll have 9 holiday gifts ready without breaking a sweat.

As we'll be making multiple-page color copies each month and distributing 9 patterns in total, there will be a \$5 fee for the year to cover the expenses for Marilyn Bujalski who has generously agreed to make copies for us on her home copier. This will be a great savings for guild members over having the printing done commercially. Thank you, Marilyn!

If you wish to sign up for this program, please see me at any guild meeting October through December. Questions?

Contact Karen Cyson karencyson@aol.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.

Contact Pat Gerchy patgerchy@charter.net

SCHQ BOARD MINUTES

Michelle Henderson

BOARD MEETING MINUTES – August 3, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 6:02 pm by President Terri B.

Motion to approve July minutes by Michelle. Seconded by Marie. Unanimously approved.

Board Reports

Programs – Sandy Anderson: 2018 program list is filling up. We still have spaces and are looking for ideas.

Membership – Marlys Eikmeier: 2 new members. Current member total is 165.

Small Groups – Peggy Aschenbrenner and Sarah Howard: No Report

Newsletter – Marie Zackowski: No Report

Service Projects – Jean Euteneuer: New project to announce at meeting.

Special Events – Karen Cyson: October will be the start of the sign-up for the January 2018 scrap quilt patterns. In November, we will be having a 1” square class with Marilyn Bujalski.

Quilt Show Chair – Cindy Kleve: We have 45 members that still need to pick up raffle tickets. Poster printing email was for members that wanted the poster graphic for their use and to share. We have bookmarks that can be picked up for distribution. Michelle to send website event listing sites to Cindy.

Secretary – Michelle Henderson: No report

Appointed Positions Reports

Website – no report

Historian – no report

Librarian – no report

Sunshine – no report

President – Terri B: Should we be looking into a better microphone? Michelle and Terri to price out microphone options.

Sandy moved to adjourn meeting, Karen C. seconded. Guild approved. Meeting adjourned at 6:29 pm.

Notes by Michelle Henderson michelle@badcatdigital.com

NEWSLETTER**Marie Zaczkowski**

Anyone is welcome to put an article in the newsletter. The deadline for receipt of articles to appear in the October 2017 newsletter is **September 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.

SMALL GROUPS**Peggy Aschenbrenner**

Busy Hands, Happy Hearts - This group meets the last Tuesday of the month, anytime between 4:00pm - 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, hand piecing of their own - anything not requiring electricity, except for a lamp. Contact peggyssewingbox@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 new group meets the third Wednesday of the month, at the St. Cloud Public Library in the Array room on first floor anytime between 4:00pm - 8:45pm. Sarah Howard is the facilitator. Bring whatever wool project you are working on and ideas. 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" English Piecing Group - This group meets the first Tuesday of the month at Peggy's house, in St. Cloud, anytime between 4:00pm—9:00pm. English piecing is all hand work and for all levels. Contact peggyssewingbox@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 on the first Friday of the month beginning at 9:30 in the morning. The group gets together to hand stitch 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. 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

Contact Peggy Aschenbrenner peggyssewingbox@hotmail.com

KUDOS TO . . .

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

Pat Gerchy Diane Kremer
Carol Severson Margaret White

Your help is appreciated!

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

Expenses

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| Programs - Speaker | -\$228.00 |
| President - Expenses | -\$9.00 |
| TOTAL EXPENSES | -\$237.00 |

Income

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| Birthday Money | \$34.00 |
| Membership | \$3.00 |
| TOTAL INCOME | \$37.00 |

Ending Balance 8/4/2017**\$5,646.60**

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/gift, \$ for birthday fabric/gift, and any library books that need to be returned.

- 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

Pieceful Hearts Quilt Club, Monticello
and the
Hearts and Hands Quilt Guild, Becker
Present a quilting program with

Chris Hoover of Whirligig Designs

Monday, September 25, 2017

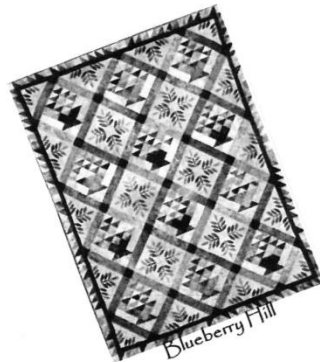
7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Becker Baptist Church

11951 Hancock Street SE, Becker, MN



Our program presenter, Chris Hoover,



- is a resident of St. Cloud
- has been a passionate quilter for 28 years
- has been a quilt pattern designer for over 10 years
- is internationally known
- also has Whirligig Designs BOM (Block of the Month)
- member of St. Cloud Heritage Quilters
- **will bring patterns to sell!**

This program is **FREE** to the Public! Refreshments will be served.



QUILTERS

Written By
Molly Newman &
Barbara Damashek

*A musical celebration of the woman
who settled the American West*

Directed by Julie Martin
**Musical Direction by Gretchen Anderson
& Cheryl Hemphill**

SATURDAY, SEPT. 23, 2017 7:30 PM

SUNDAY, SEPT. 24, 2017 2:00 PM

THE STATE THEATER

96 E. 4TH ST. ZUMBROTA, MN

Tickets \$20.00

purchase online at

www-zaac.org

Seating is Limited - Get your tickets today!

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A Legacy of Fabric Art by Audree Sells



A LEGACY OF FABRIC ART
by Audree Sells

August 2-24

At the Chaska Community Center Gallery
1661 Park Ridge Drive, Chaska

Live Auction

Thursday, August 24
Preview 6pm; Auction 7pm

The Legacy of Fabric Art show closes with a live auction of 50 fabric art pieces including the ones in the gallery plus additional pieces, some of which have never been on display before.

A portion of the proceeds will go to the Arts Consortium of Carver County.

Audree is co-founder of the Chaska Area Quilt Club. Her work is widely known, not just locally, but is a part of art collections nationally and internationally. A short list of her accomplishments include selection for the permanent exhibit of the National Quilt Museum, installations in many Twin Cities hospitals and clinics, Minnesota Quilter of the Year in 2014, and a sought after speaker and presenter at various art and quilting venues throughout the Twin Cities and greater Minnesota for many years.

For more information, visit artsofcarvercounty.org

GALLERY HOURS: MONDAY-SATURDAY 5AM-10PM; SUNDAY 8AM-9PM

A Legacy of Fabric Art by Audree Sells

Audree Sells creates original and memorable fabric landscapes, still life and abstract images. Every piece rewards the viewer with an abundance of color, intricate design and quilted textures. There is an element of surprise and discovery throughout all of her work.

Event Location: Chaska Community Center Gallery

Date: Gallery Exhibit runs August 2-24

The show closes with a **LIVE AUCTION on August 24** with 50 fabric art pieces, including the gallery show pieces.