NOVEMBER 2017



St. Cloud Heritage Quilters

www.stcloudheritagequiltersofmn.com

Next Meeting: November 2, 2017

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

<u>Click here</u> for directions

7:00 P.M



President
Terri Bahn
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See the Quilt Guild calendar on page 7.

It's time to **renew your membership** in the St.
Cloud Heritage Quilters.
Fill out the form attached with this newsletter and mail it or bring it to the guild meeting. Thanks for your continued support of the guild.

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Terri Bahn



By the time we read the November newsletter our quilt show will be another cherished memory in our past. I know it will be a successful and awesome show even though I am writing this before the show.

I mentioned at the meeting that we will need nominees for next year's board positions. If you and a friend want to co-chair a position, please send me your name and what position you would like to have. We need the program chair position in place. However, next year's programs are almost done. There are many members that have held these positions in the past and are certainly willing to help answer any questions you might have. Elected positions include Chairperson, Program Chairperson (Chairperson Elect), Treasurer, Secretary, Newsletter, Membership, Small Group Coordinator, and Special Events Coordinator. Appointed positions include Website/Facebook Coordinator, Sunshine, Librarian, Historian, and Meeting/Refreshments Coordinators. Most of these positions are ideal for two people to share. Please call or email me for information or willingness to help fill a position. A few are already willing to stay in place for next year. However, some positions are only one or two year positions. Our slate needs to be filled and voted on for next year. There will be a meeting in December to learn about your positions from the members that are leaving. Please call me!

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PRESIDENT'S COLUMN, Cont.

Terri Bahn

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Next year there will be a focus on using up our stash and scraps to make a quilt each month. I decided to organize my stash and to donate bags of scraps at our next meeting to new members or anyone that might need extra fabric for that challenge. Enjoy these fall days before the snow falls.

Contact Terri Bahn terri.bahn@gmail.com

PROGRAMS

Sandy Anderson

Our speaker for the November meeting is **Amanda Jean Nyberg**. She will present her "No Scrap Left Behind Trunk Show".

Amanda, a scrap quilter to the core, began her journey in the year 2000. Since that first quilt for her son, she's finished over 300 quilts.

Amanda is a quilt teacher, fabric and pattern designer, Craftsy instructor and blogger. She is co-author of <u>Sunday Morning Quilts</u> and the author of <u>No Scrap Left Behind</u>. She is constantly looking for new and innovative ways to turn scraps into beautiful, finished objects. She tries to waste nothing.

When she isn't quilting, Amanda enjoys knitting, fishing, and spending time with her family. She also enjoys cooking and is on a quest to make the perfect pot of soup. Amanda lives in Minnesota with her patient husband and three rapidly growing children.

Her blog, Crazy Mom Quilts, can be found at http://crazymomquilts.blogspot.com. It includes many free patterns and tutorials and even some "quilt alongs". Her website is http://www.crazymomquilts.net.



QUILT SHOW 2017

Cindy Kleve and Sandy Keller

"Falling In Love with Quilts"

The St. Cloud Heritage Quilters fall quilt show has come and gone. Watch the December Newsletter for a full report on the show.

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

SPECIAL EVENTS Karen Cyson

There are 3 spots remaining for the **Marilyn Bujalski class on Thursday, November 9**. You will be making a 10 block using 1" squares. Complete kit (choice of 4 patterns), ironing pad (to keep), instruction fee, and room rental are included in the \$30 fee. Please contact me ASAP if you are interested so Marilyn can get the kits ready.

There are still spaces remaining in the **Harvest Basket class on November 18**. You will leave class with a lovely huge *finished* basket perfect for handwork, yarn, fireplace wood, apples, small children, or whatever. Class, kit, and use of tools included in \$70 fee. Contact me to register.

There are *unlimited* openings in the Scrap Exterminators program for 2018. <u>HOWEVER</u>, the deadline to register is the December meeting - 12/7. Really! Fee is \$5 which covers the printing costs for a quilt pattern each month for the entire year to help you use up your scraps. 12 scrap quilt patterns. Register at the November or December meetings or contact me if you are unable to attend and I will get you enrolled. **No registrations accepted after 12/7.** I've been saying this since August, so no surprises;)

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

Service Projects

Jean Euteneuer

It's a really busy time of the year but I hope you will have time for another service project. We have so much talent in this group and it would be nice to share the joy this season.

At the November and December meetings, I will collect any doll quilts you have time to complete and are willing to donate to **Toys for Tots.** If you would like to provide a doll or a stuffed animal to go with the quilt, that would be great. They can be any size and color. A small quilt for a stuffed animal could be approximately 12" x 16", and an 18" doll quilt would probably measure 20" x 30".

Remember that we are still taking donations of children's quilts for Pockets of Hope, twin size quilts for Anna Marie's Women's Shelter, and Quilts of Valor.

Jean Euteneuer eutenkev@gmail.com

TREASURER'S REPORT

Mary Proell

October Report

Expenses

Programs - Speaker -\$100.00 **TOTAL EXPENSES** -\$100.00

Income

Birthday Money \$82.71
Membership \$105.00
Refreshments \$18.25
TOTAL INCOME \$205.96

Ending Balance 10/12/2017 \$7,566.98

Contact Mary Proell xrayproell@hotmail.com

KUDOS TO...

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

Peggy Krull-Bordewick
Julie Poser

Carrie Oehrlein Karol Schreifels

Your help is appreciated!

SCHQ BOARD MINUTES

Michelle Henderson

BOARD MEETING MINUTES – October 5, 2017

Meeting called to order at 6:15 pm.

Motion to approve September minutes by Marie. Seconded by Marlys. Unanimously approved.

Board Reports

Programs – Next month's speaker will be Amanda Jean Nyberg, talking about her new book, "No Scrap Left Behind." December's meeting will be a potluck party. Watch the newsletter for your assigned course based on the first letter of your last name.

Membership – Marlys Eikmeier. 3 new members. Current member total is 170. 2018 dues will remain the same and the cards will be blue.

Treasurer – Mary Proell and Mary Ann Smith. Current balances: Checking, \$7,170.69 CD \$0, Quilt Show Checking, \$9,183.31, Savings, 14,505.66

Small Groups – Peggy Aschenbrenner and Sarah Howard. Two handwork groups are combining their meetings. Watch the newsletter for details.

Newsletter – Marie Zaczkowski. Should we have a newsletter signup on the website? Board agrees.

Service Projects – Jean Euteneuer. Pockets of Hope and Toys for Tots doll quilts, Coborn's Cancer bags

Special Events – Karen Cyson. Marilyn Bujalski teaching 1" square blocks, Registration begins at October meeting. \$30

Harvest Basket Class November 18, Registration begins at October meeting. \$70

Scrap Exterminators, a monthly program for 2018, Registration begins at October meeting, \$5

SCHQ Needle Case and Pin Cushion, Date TBD, Designed by Darlene Smith of One Wing Wool using guild logo, limit 25

Quilt Show Chair – Cindy Kleve. 35 kid's quilts in the show. Elise Post is doing the Olympian ribbon. We have over 500 quilts in the show.

Secretary – Michelle Henderson. No report

President – Terri Bahn. Discussing transition to the new board.

Appointed Positions Reports

Website – no report

Historian – no report

Librarian – Donations being processed and more books have been added.

Sunshine – No report

Sandy moved to adjourn meeting, Michelle seconded. Guild approved. Meeting adjourned at 6:47 pm.

Notes by Michelle Henderson michelle@badcatdigital.com

SMALL GROUPS

Peggy Aschenbrenner

Marie Zaczkowski

Busy Hands, Happy Hearts & Hexi's - This group meets the first & last Tuesday of the month, anytime between 4:30pm - 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, The New Hexagon book English piecing, embroidery, beading, knitting, crocheting, coloring books, cutting, hand piecing and quilting of their own. 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.

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

NEWSLETTER

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

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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.

- 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

