



DECEMBER 2017

# St. Cloud Heritage Quilters

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**Next Meeting: December 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](mailto:terri.bahn@gmail.com)

**See the Quilt Guild  
calendar on page 8.**

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**



The cold weather and holidays preparations are upon us! Between the baking, cleaning, shopping, and working, it is nice to take a break to relax and sew...so let it snow!

**We will be starting our December 7 meeting early, at 6:30 PM, for our annual potluck and Holiday Party.** Bring a dish to share. We have a suggested chart using last names to help 'balance out' our selection of food. **Last names beginning with A-H will bring Desserts/or Appetizers, I-N will bring Main Dishes, and O-Z will bring Salads/Breads.** We will be playing a new game with lots of prizes and enjoying show and tell with our fellow guild members and friends.

We will also take time for a short meeting. We have service projects to give away and voting for our new board members. Unfortunately we do not have many positions filled for next year. Sandy Anderson, a newer member, will be our President. Mary Ann Smith has been training for our Treasurer. Marlys Eikmeier is staying on as Membership chair. Karen Cyson, who has done a great job in Special Events, wants to take over the Small Groups position. We still need one or two people to take over the Program Chair. We do not have anyone to welcome or help our speakers for the year of 2018. Even though this position leads into being President for 2019, we need more volunteers to help our group stay and grow.

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**PRESIDENT'S COLUMN, Cont.**

**Terri Bahn**

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Even if you held this position in the past, please consider this position now. We also need a trainee for the Newsletter with Marie Zaczkowski, a Secretary, a Service Projects chair, a Quilt Show chair for 2019, and a Special Events coordinator. Any of these positions can be taken by one or two people. We also need a few people for our appointed positions otherwise those positions will no longer be covered. So please, talk to a friend that will help you and give me a call or text me (Terri's phone number is on the mailing page) or email me.

Stay warm, be happy, and sew.

Contact Terri Bahn [terri.bahn@gmail.com](mailto:terri.bahn@gmail.com)

**PROGRAMS**

**Sandy Anderson**

The December meeting will be our annual Holiday Party. **We will have a potluck starting at 6:30 pm.** Use this list and the first letter of your last name to decide what to bring or you can bring what you like to share.

Please bring a dish to share in the following categories following the first letter of your last name:

**A - H: Dessert**

**O - Z: Salad or Bread**

**I - N: Main Dish**

Water and coffee will be provided. Bring your own beverage if you would like something else to drink.

We will be playing a new game with lots of prizes. Bring projects you have completed for "show and tell". Hope to see you all there. Let's party!



**QUILT SHOW 2017****Cindy Kleve and Sandy Keller****Quilt Show Volunteer Report**

Many, many thanks to our 80+ volunteers who worked so hard to make our 2017 show a rousing success! Everyone was important -- from the committee down to those who worked one shift -- and we appreciate your time and efforts.

Deb and I solicited the local gifts (and bought the gift cards for the men's drawing), and Jean Gilbertson and Elvis Grau, Vendors co-chairs, helped with the rest. Elvis went to every booth during the show and asked if they wanted to participate in our volunteer raffle drawing; kudos to her!!

If you won a gift card, please thank the store for their generosity. Thank you notes were sent to everyone who donated, but extra appreciation doesn't hurt. Thank you again; you made our job easy.

-- Deb Danneman and Sandra Williams  
Volunteers Co-Chairs

**Quilt Grand Prize: Vonetta Kennedy****Other prizes:**

**Marlyn Anderson:** At the Heart of Quilting – 120” retractable tape measure, seam ripper, nail file, Gammill tote bag

**Bonita Benschoter:** Redfern – fuzz remover

**Karen Cyson:** Opa’s Wood Shop – handmade seam ripper

**Deb Danneman:** Bo Diddley’s -- \$5.00 gift card

**Teri Durbin:** Bo Diddley’s -- \$5.00 gift card (2)

**Chris Fox:** Crafts Direct -- \$25.00 gift card

**Pat Gerchy:** Sadie Rae’s Quilt Shop -- \$20.00 gift card

**Jean Gilbertson:** Quilts on Broadway -- \$10.00; and Gruber’s – 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary T-shirt

**Elvis Grau:** Hengeley Road Quilting – Call of the Wild fabric panel

**Michelle Henderson:** Crafts Direct – 6 fat quarters

**Cindy Kleve:** Bo Diddley’s -- \$5.00 gift card

**Sandy Kollman:** Bello Cucina -- \$10.00 gift card

**Shirley Lieser:** Bello Cucina -- \$10.00 gift card

**Sue Lieser:** Gone to Pieces Quilt Shop -- \$25.00 gift card

**Gail Negaard:** What a Hoot Quilting – Sourdough quilt kit

**Mary Proell:** Quilts on Broadway -- \$10.00 gift card

**Jen Rekstad:** J&A Stitches – Eli’s Forest Friends kit

**Cheryl Skalbeck:** Fiskur Leather – red fish leather

**Kristine Smoley:** Colorz Quilt Shop – set of 3 decorative tins

**Eloise Westby:** The Old Creamery Quilt Shop – set of 26 mini clothespins

**Marie Zaczkowski:** Quarry Quilts & Yarns – Quilted Escapes kit

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**QUILT SHOW 2017, Cont.****Cindy Kleve and Sandy Keller**

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**Men's prizes:**

**Jim Becker:** Starbucks -- \$10.00

**John Benschoter:** Menard's -- \$10.00

**Dan Wright:** Home Depot -- \$10.00

Watch the January Newsletter for more reports on the quilt show.

Contact **Cindy Kleve** [cindysmq@mail.com](mailto:cindysmq@mail.com) and **Sandy Keller** [imagine761@hotmail.com](mailto:imagine761@hotmail.com)

**Service Projects****Jean Euteneuer**

The December 5<sup>th</sup> guild meeting will be the last time to bring your **doll quilts for Toys for Tots**. A small quilt for a stuffed animal could be approximately 12" x 16", and an 18" doll quilt would probably measure 20" x 30". They can be any color. Donations of dolls or stuffed animals to go with your quilt are also appreciated. Thanks for making some child's Christmas a little brighter.

I will also deliver any quilts to Pockets of Hope in December so bring them to the December meeting.

Thank you to all guild members who answered my requests this year for service projects. Our group is so generous and willing to share time and talent. Wishing you all a very merry holiday season.

**Jean Euteneuer** [eutenkev@gmail.com](mailto:eutenkev@gmail.com)

**SPECIAL EVENTS****Karen Cyson**

Reminder:

**The December SCHQ meeting will be the final opportunity for SCHQ members to sign up for the Scrap Exterminators program for the price of \$5.** This charge will cover the printing costs for 12 scrap quilt patterns, one each month, in 2018. Any member signing up after the December meeting will be charged \$40 (the cost to make the copies if I have to go to FedEx Office and make them for you and that does not include payment for my time and mileage!) so *PLEASE* sign up in December. Anyone joining SCQH (for the first time, not renewing!) in 2018 will be able to join Scrap Exterminators for \$10 anytime in 2018 and receive the complete set of patterns (because I am printing extras in anticipation of this). But members: you've had 4 months. Please sign up by the December meeting.

Contact **Karen Cyson** [karencyson@aol.com](mailto:karencyson@aol.com)

<b>SUNSHINE</b>	<b>Pat Gerchy</b>
<p>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.</p> <p><b>Contact Pat Gerchy</b> <a href="mailto:patgerchy@charter.net">patgerchy@charter.net</a></p>	

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See the article on p. 2 for details about what to bring for the **Potluck**.

Please consider taking one of the open **board positions!**

**QUILT SHOW YARD SIGNS:**

**If you took a yard sign to post at your home, please contact me to make arrangements to return it. We are missing some and need to have them returned for the next show.**

**Cindy Kleve** [cindysmq@mail.com](mailto:cindysmq@mail.com)

**SCHQ BOARD MINUTES**

**Michelle Henderson**

**BOARD MEETING MINUTES** – November 2, 2017

Meeting called to order at 6:14 pm.

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

**Board Reports**

**Programs** – Setting up potluck for December Christmas Party. Sandy will prep the game and source prizes. Marie will send food assignments in the newsletter.

**Membership** – Marlys Eikmeier. Membership at 172

**Treasurer** – Mary Proell and Mary Ann Smith. Current balances: Checking, \$7,566.98 CD \$0, Quilt Show Checking, \$21,620.43, Savings, \$14,508.08. Discussion about avoiding some minor bank fees by moving some money from savings into a short term CD.

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

**Newsletter** – Marie Zaczkowski. No report

**Service Projects** – Jean Euteneuer. No report

**Special Events** – Karen Cyson. Marilyn Bujalski class full. Harvest Basket Class full. Scrap Exterminators enrollment closes at the December meeting. 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. No report.

**Secretary** – Michelle Henderson. No report

**President** – Terri Bahn. Need to get officers to fill positions. Please try to find someone to fill your position if you're leaving.

**Appointed Positions Reports**

**Website** – No report

**Historian** – No report

**Librarian** – No report.

**Sunshine** – No report

Mary Ann moved to adjourn meeting, Mary seconded. Board approved. Meeting adjourned at 6:43 pm.

**Notes by Michelle Henderson** [michelle@badcatdigital.com](mailto:michelle@badcatdigital.com)

**SMALL GROUPS****Peggy Aschenbrenner**

**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](mailto: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](mailto:pyromarquilter@gmail.com).

Contact Peggy Aschenbrenner [peggyssewingbox@hotmail.com](mailto:peggyssewingbox@hotmail.com)

**NEWSLETTER****Marie Zaczkowski**

Anyone is welcome to put an article in the newsletter. The deadline for receipt of articles to appear in the January 2018 newsletter is **December 12<sup>th</sup>**. 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](mailto:marie.zaczkowski@gmail.com).

## ST. CLOUD HERITAGE QUILT GUILD CALENDAR

Remember to bring your 2017 or 2018 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.

### 2017

Dec. 7 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 6:30 Holiday Party - Potluck, Games and Prizes

### 2018

Jan. 4 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Anne Tiller** showing her creative process

Feb. 1 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **The regular meeting location at Love of Christ Church is not available. Watch the newsletter for information on the meeting location.**

March 1 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Rita Nau** former shop owner in Gibbon, MN will show us some new tools

April 5 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Janelle Johnson** from Old Creamery Quilt shop in Randall – Trunk Show

May 3 -- Board Meeting, 6:00; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Margo Krager**, Northfield, MN -  
Reproduction Fabrics 1775-1950