



JULY 2016

# St. Cloud Heritage Quilters

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## Next Meeting: July 7, 2016

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

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7:00 P.M



**Co-Presidents**  
**Marlyn Anderson**  
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**See the Quilt Guild  
calendar on page 7.**

## PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Marlyn Anderson & Teri Olson

Our June speakers were Courtney and Sue from Gruber's. They talked about Modern Quilts and what makes a quilt pattern Modern. They showed several rulers, which they sell, that could be used to make a Modern quilt.

Marjorie La Tour and I set up a display case window at the Minnesota Quilters Show, for everyone to see some of what our members of SCHQ can do. Many people stopped to admire the quilts as we were arranging them in the space. By the time you receive this newsletter, the MN Quilt Show will be over, so we hope you were able to attend for at least one day, if not more.

Rebecca Finch, who was in charge of displays at the show told us, *"Oh I really want you to do a Special Exhibit next year!"* She told us this after seeing about half of the showcase put up. Marjorie and I will be speaking with her more, after we have seen the Special Exhibits from this year at the Show.

Last Sunday I took Kristin's Shibori Dyeing Class. If you've ever done any Origami (Japanese paper folding), it was similar to that, but using fabric instead of paper. Kristin showed us several basic ways to fold the fabric. She also showed us samples of 16 different ways (that she came up with) to fold those basic folds to come up with new patterns. We got to pick which Primary colors we wanted to start with from a notebook she had made, using real dyed swatches. Next we went to our tables to mix our Primary colors and make Secondary and other mixed colors. Then we dipped or dripped dye onto our little folded fabric wedges. Finally our dyed fabric went into a zipper bag to "batch" overnight. When I rinsed my fabric out the next day, I was thrilled with the results. Very vibrant color patterns. Awesome!

On June 20th, Karen Cyson will present wool applique at the St. Cloud Library at 6 p.m. in the Bremer Room on the main floor. We will be making a pin cushion. If you don't want to take the class, you are still welcome to attend and bring handwork, knitting, crochet or previous projects and work on them.

Enjoy the summer weather,

Marlyn & Teri

**PROGRAMS**

**Terri Bahn**

For the July meeting program, four of our members will be speaking and demonstrating various sewing, quilting, and quilt art techniques. You will be given information, there will be time for asking questions, and in some cases individual practice time using the medium to make a quilt block.

**Marilyn Bujalski** will be talking about dyeing fabrics.

**Karen Cyson** will be demonstrating how to add piping to the edges of round and square pillows.

**Marlyn Anderson** will demonstrate using Neocolor II crayons on plain and printed fabrics.

**Terri Bahn** will demonstrate uses for Pentel fabric dye sticks and Inktense Colored Pencils. You will have time in between sessions to take a block for practice and work with the dye sticks and crayons.

Come and join in the fun!

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

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**Karen Cyson**

Our next Special Events class will be a lovely woven project basket. Sign-up sheets will be available at the July guild meeting. Class will be in the fall and I'll have the exact date and a sample of the basket by our meeting day. Cost will be \$65 and you'll completely finish the basket in class.

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

**MEMBERSHIP**

**Fawn Wright**

There was no membership activity this month and we presently have 156 members. We had three guests at the June meeting and hopefully they will become members in the future.

If you haven't made your cloth name tag, take a moment this month and whip one up. When you wear your nametag we can learn at a glance what your name is and get to know you. Have a wonderful month enjoying summer.

Contact **Fawn Wright** [fawnmwright@gmail.com](mailto:fawnmwright@gmail.com)

**SCHQ BOARD MINUTES**

Marilyn Bujalski

**BOARD MEETING MINUTES JUNE 2, 2016**

Members present: Marilyn Bujalski (secretary), Karen Cyson (special events), Terri Bahn (program chair), Fawn Wright (membership), Kathy Crabtree (small groups), Mary Plas (small groups), Cindy Kleve (service projects), Marie Zaczkowski (newsletter), Mary Proell (treasurer), Mary Ann Smith (treasurer), Marlyn Anderson (president), Teri Olson (president)

Meeting was called to order at 5:45 pm by Karen Cyson.

Marilyn suggested a correction to the May minutes reflecting that the newsletter person would send out a reminder to members prior to the actual meeting rather than prior to the newsletter going out.

Motion by Marie, second by Kathy, to approve the minutes as corrected for the May 2016 meeting. Motion carried by majority vote of all members present.

**BOARD REPORTS:**

**Programs** (Terri Bahn): Terri said that Courtney will be doing a program on modern quilting. She will do a talk and have shop items to sell. Next month four people will be doing mini demos. These will be done at stations around the room and members will go to each station by table numbers. They will switch stations after a certain time. Karen will bring in some items from an estate that will be available for members to purchase and the proceeds will be used by the guild. In August there will be an art quilt speaker.

**Membership** (Fawn Wright): Fawn reported there are 156 members.

**Newsletter** (Marie Zaczkowski): The board commented that sending out a meeting reminder was a very good idea.

**Small Groups** (Kathy Crabtree and Mary Plas): Mary reported that she was going to show an earlier brown bag project in hopes of getting more members to sign up to participate. She commented that she will see how many blocks are turned in for the block of the month project to determine whether or not to continue with it. Kathy will check into starting a mystery quilt from Glad Creations.

**Service Projects** (Cindy Kleve): Cindy said she hopes to have from 2 to 4 disabled service veterans at the October meeting to present them with a quilt from Quilts of Valor project. She let members know that the "Moving Wall" project will be at the Benton County Fair this year. Her service project for "Gifts of Giving" is coming along well. She has donations of table runners, towels, and 2 quilts so far.

**Special Events** (Karen Cyson): Karen said there is still time for members to sign up for the Shibori dying class on Sunday. The basket class will be in either September or October and will cost \$65.00.

**Treasurer** (Mary Proell and Mary Ann Smith): Mary P. reported a checking account balance of \$8,129.79 to the board. There was no written report. Mary said she doesn't have the spreadsheet program necessary to produce the report the way it was done in the past. She also said she is unable to access Dropbox. The board requested reports that included  
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## SCHQ BOARD MINUTES, Cont.

expenses, savings, and CD amounts because it is critical to have accountability in the monetary transactions of the guild. It was suggested that she could hand write this information rather than using a computer program. She was asked about a budget for this year and said she did not do this. It was decided that the president, treasurer, and program chair would meet and create a budget for the year. Kathy suggested that both Mary S. and Mary P. review the treasurer's book they were given and use that as a guideline for providing the necessary information to the board.

**Website** (Maggie Voigt): Maggie was not present but requested Marilyn to report on the issues with the website. Marilyn reported that the website has crashed in the last few days. She and Maggie worked together on updating the information on the site. Marilyn suggested that Maggie contact Emma in Iowa who was the original contact person for this in 2009 and was the one responsible for hosting and setting up the site. She was a contact of Kristine Smoley at the time. Emma had not been contacted for several years and Marilyn said we need to verify that she is still with the company and is still our contact person for any issues. Maggie did contact Emma when the site went down and was told that Emma needed information from us in order to work on the site. She wanted \$140 to work on it. Marilyn contacted Gabe Holmes who is the internet technology person for Minnesota School of Business and he was able to look at the information on our site. He said it should be possible to restore the site. Our site is being hosted by Yahoo Small Business Websites and that is who Emma was using to create the site. It appears that Emma's company is a "middle man" in this and that we could access technical support directly from Yahoo without having to go through someone in Iowa. Marilyn received permission from the board to work with Gabe and/or Emma to get the site back up and running. She will assist Maggie for the rest of the year with the website. Motion by Karen, second by Kathy, to authorize Marilyn to work with whoever is necessary to get the website rebooted and to assist Maggie with the site for the rest of the year. Motion carried by majority vote of all members present.

**President** (Marlyn Anderson, Terri Olson): Marlyn reported that the quilt guild from Chaska will be coming in August to sell tickets for their raffle quilt. We can then go to one of their meetings and sell tickets for our raffle quilt. She also reported to the board that the Minnesota Quilt Show is providing our guild with a display case to showcase some items made by our guild members. This will be set up on the Wednesday before the show. It was suggested that some of our community service project items be included in the display. Marlyn also added that they are also requesting items for a special exhibit at their 2017 show in Duluth. She will get more information on this and report back to the board.

**Adjournment:** Motion by Cindy, second by Mary Proell, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried by majority vote of all members present. Meeting was adjourned at 6:38 pm.

**Notes by Marilyn Bujalski** [mjb33@frontier.com](mailto:mjb33@frontier.com)

The **SCHQ website** is back on-line and we have a new web address.

<http://www.stcloudheritagequiltersofmn.com/>

Check out our new look and change your bookmark for the website.

**Small Groups****Kathleen Crabtree and Mary Plas**

*We have a variety of small groups that meet during the month. Some groups have full membership but many others are still open and are available for you to join. Consider joining one or more of these small groups or getting a new group started. Sign-up sheets are available at every meeting. For the entire list of groups check out our website: <http://www.stcloudheritagequiltersofmn.com/>*

**BOM Drawing – July**

Make 1 or more blocks, 12 ½” unfinished, of any pattern you choose. The block must contain **RED, WHITE AND BLUE fabric**. For each block you hand in, you have that many chances to win. We will draw for the winner at the July meeting.

For questions contact Mary Plas [maryplas@hotmail.com](mailto:maryplas@hotmail.com)

**The Undercolor Club** meets the last Wed. of the month (**June 29<sup>th</sup>**) from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. in the private room inside the coffee shop at Coborn’s on Cooper. We welcome new people to join us. The Color Challenge for the Undercolor Club for June is Popular Purple, Very Cool Blue-Violet, Regal Violet, Luscious Red-Violet, Fabulous Fuchsia and Magnificent Magenta. Make something using these colors.

Come join us. We have fun!

Contact Marlyn Anderson [pyromarquilter@gmail.com](mailto:pyromarquilter@gmail.com)

**Kathleen Crabtree** [quiltingbykc1@charter.net](mailto:quiltingbykc1@charter.net) or **Mary Plas** [maryplas@hotmail.com](mailto:maryplas@hotmail.com)

**SUNSHINE****Rosie Reither**

I sent two get well cards and one sympathy card this past month. If you hear of a member of our guild in need of a card, please let me know.

**Contact Rosie Reither** [brsnowbound@gmail.com](mailto:brsnowbound@gmail.com)

**Help (Again)****Vonetta Kennedy**

Donna Bavery was a former member of SCHQ. Her daughter, who lives in Illinois, called Vonetta Kennedy about disposing of her quilt-related items. They will be sold at the “Flea Market”, being held at the October guild meeting, with all the proceeds going to support the SCHQ. Vonetta needs your help to sort and price. E-mail or call her (Vonetta’s phone number can be found in the SCHQ Membership Directory) after July 1 if you are able to help.

**Vonetta Kennedy** [vkennedy821@charter.net](mailto:vkennedy821@charter.net)

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

**Mary Proell**

Beginning Balance (5/5/16)	\$8,129.79
Expenses	
Speaker's Fee	<b>-\$75.00</b>
Income	
Meeting Refreshments	\$14.35
Birthday Fabric	\$60.75
Membership Fees	\$50.00
<b>Ending Balance (6/2/2016)</b>	<b>\$8,179.89</b>

Mary Proell [xrayproell@hotmail.com](mailto:xrayproell@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 August newsletter is **July 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).

**Service Projects**

**Cindy Kleve**

I delivered 73 bags to the Coborn's Cancer Center. They enjoyed the bright summer bags and were very thankful. Thank you to everyone who has donated runners and wall hangings to the Gift of Giving project for the low income senior housing. Please keep them coming. I am very excited for the October guild meeting when we will be presenting at least four veterans with a Quilt of Valor. We would like these to be very special so please consider piecing a nice quilt for the presentation. It can be red, white, and blue or your favorite fabric choice. We do have volunteers who will do the quilting. We also have donated batting so let me know if you are working on a quilt or need anything. We also are accepting baby and kids quilts for project Linus.

Thank you all for sharing your quilting talents to give to those in need.

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

## St. Cloud Heritage Quilt Guild Calendar

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

- July 7 -- Board Meeting, 5:45; Guild Meeting, 7:00 Member demonstrations and hands on activities
- Aug. 4 -- Board Meeting, 5:45; Guild Meeting, 7:00; **Kelly L. Hendrickson**, Mixed Media/Textile Artist <http://www.kellylhendrickson.com>
- Sept. 1 -- Board Meeting, 5:45; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Mary Skudlarek** from Gruber's Quilt Shop - Projects to make with wool in time for the holidays
- Oct. 6 -- Board Meeting, 5:45; Guild Meeting, 7:00 Birthday Party and Flea Market
- Nov. 3 -- Board Meeting, 5:45; Guild Meeting, 7:00 **Nita Schultz** from "What a Hoot Quilting". Nita will present a Trunk Show. <http://www.whatahootquilting.com/>
- Dec. 1 -- Board Meeting, 5:45; Guild Meeting, 7:00 Holiday Party and Games