

Keepsake Quilters Guild

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Meeting Time:

Third Monday of the month, 7:00 pm

Next Meeting:

Monday, June 19, 2017

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The next KQ Newsletter deadline is:

June 9, 2017

Please e-mail your submission to:

guetzlaffdeb@gmail.com

Submissions received after this date will be considered for the next month's newsletter.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Happy Mother's Day! Remember the meeting starts at **6:30**.

This will be my last article to you as president. Thank you for allowing me to serve this past year. It has been an honor and fun.

Speaking of fun. We need one of you to step up and have fun planning our workshops and programs (Program Chair elect), and another to step up and become our President elect. Please support your guild.

Remember to bring your row-by-row quilts to share. We will not have the traditional show and tell, just the row-by-row and UFOs.

The annual meeting of Keepsake Quilters Guild will include dinner, the installation of officers, the Golden Needle and Golden Thimble presentations, the budget, and presentation of programs. We will, also, have prizes interspersed throughout the evening. I hope to see you all at the meeting.

Good bye and happy quilting.

Sandy Waters



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Member Care Chris Lorenz and Sheryl Powell

Quilts to Share Janet O'Neil

Hospitality Janet Drake and Elaine Chapman

Web Administrator Laura Richter

Program Committee Mary Mumm, Aleta Anderson, Sue Bauer, and Terri Mowery

Programs

Upcoming Workshops and Programs

All workshops are from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. unless noted otherwise. You may begin setting up at:

Bethlehem Lutheran Church at 8:30 a.m. on the morning of class.

Programs are held in conjunction with the evening meeting of the KQ guild at Bethlehem Lutheran Church beginning at 7:00 p.m. Gathering and Refreshments begin at 6:30 p.m.

To register for Workshops or for questions for any upcoming classes or programs, please contact:

Diane Olson, Program Chair: (319) 277-2478 pdolson@cfu.net

Laura Richter, Program Chair Elect: (319)-983-9139 Ilmdrichter@gmail.com

Bethlehem Lutheran Church is located at 4000 Hudson Road, Cedar Falls, IA

Entry off of rear parking lot on the East side of the building.

PAYMENT REMINDER: Payment for any workshop or class is due when you sign up.

Payments made that day takes time from the Program Chair's responsibility to get the class started on time. Plus it makes it extremely difficult if the program chair or program committee members plan to take the class. It also makes it difficult for the presenter to plan for handouts, kits and materials. If you have not paid or made arrangements with the Program chair in advance, you will not be included in the count for that month's class materials. This is especially important for those presenters coming from outside our guild so as you can see why we truly appreciate payments made when you sign up and not the day of the class. Thank you so much!

Play Meeting

Play Meeting to be held at 6:00 PM May 15. If anyone is interested in having a part in the play Horrible Happenings at the Winery which will occur for the September meeting, please attend the meeting. Email (llmdrichter@gmail.com) or call Laura Richter at 319-231-9242 if you cannot attend and want to be a part of the event. Also, those who are interested in helping with the meal, I would greatly appreciate it if you would also attend or indicate your willingness to help. Here again email, call or catch me at the general meeting.

Laura Richter

WORKSHOP

Playing with Orphans -- Janet O'Neil

Bring your sewing machine and usual equipment along with 12 1/2-inch ruler, Mat and Rotary cutter. Prizes will be awarded!!!





May 15, 2017

PROGRAM

Annual meeting where we will have installation of next year's office, meal starting at 6:30 and presentation of the upcoming workshops and programs for the year. We will also be giving away some door prizes.

WORKSHOP

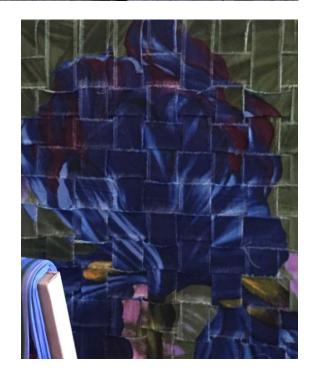
The Art Weave, Instructor from Frond Design Studios Melissa Collins

This is no sew project. It will be a half day workshop in the afternoon, starting time should be approximately 12:30, confirmed as the date gets closer. We can purchase the kit where we will need to use 3 panels and a canvas to create this wall hanging. She will be bringing most of their major panels along for our convenience of choice. We should be able to finish the project in the time allotted!!! I will have samples for viewing.









June 19, 2017

PROGRAM

Melissa Collins presenting her design journey

I spent some time with her at the Delve MIY shop as she demonstrated how this project is done and she is a fun gal. The shop called Delve MIY (make it yourself) is the NewBo district area of Cedar Rapids. They have material, panels, patterns and great samples available for purchase.

July 17, 2017

WORKSHOP

Joann Belling will teach us how to make the quilt or wall hanging version of Fassett Plays Piano. This exercise is a form of a clamshell log cabin using different widths of logs in the Log Cabin as well as use of monochromatic color scheme (navy/blue/white fabrics). But you can also choose several colors such as yellow/red/blue. I have a sample to show at the May meeting. Pick up the supply list at the meeting. You do not have to purchase a pattern.



July 17, 2017

PROGRAM

JoAnn Belling will give a lecture including a trunk show and will have some items for sale.

Member Care

The "Member Care" committee of Keepsake Quilters helps members communicate with other guild members. We all share a special bond – the love of quilting – so we're like a family! Please let us know if you, or a member, is celebrating a milestone anniversary or milestone birthday, births (children or grandchildren), or if someone is sick, has lost a loved one, or any news you would like the guild "family" to be aware of.

We would like to add this information to the newsletter. Please contact the committee with any information you feel needs to be in the newsletter.

Send this information to:

Sheryl Powell Chris Lorenz

Powell5300@aol.com

233-1467

Chris Lorenz

dclorenz@cfu.net
266-9013

Please include the following information:

- 1. First and last name of the member
- 2. Tell us what she is celebrating or going through THANK YOU!!!!
 Sheryl & Chris

Cards sent since the last newsletter:

No cards were sent at the printing of this newsletter.

Members who celebrate their birthday in May: LaVonne Lawton, Dianne Mahood, Marilyn Evans, & Jamie Castle.

We wish you all a very Happy Birthday!!!!

We encourage you to let us know who needs a card!

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HOSPITALITY AND VOLUNTEERS

Chair: Mary Ellen Beckman

Thank you for volunteering to be on the Hospitality Committee. Please remember:

- 1. You need to come at 6:00pm to make coffee, lemonade and set out the treats.
- 2. You will also need to stay after to help clean up which only takes a few minutes.
- 3. There is a list of duties that hangs in the kitchen so that you know what your responsibilities are.

 Thank you! Your help and delicious treats do not go unnoticed!

Tonight's treats are brought to you by: Board members

Greeter: Sheryl Powell

Ladder Holders: Agatha Baldwin & Mary Ellen Beckman

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Keepsake Quilters Guild Board Meeting P.O. Box 1043, Cedar Falls, IA 50613

May 1, 2017 Crazy to Quilt, Cedar Falls, IA

Present: Sandy Waters, Carol Lindquist, Janet Drake, Shirley Thode, Mary Mumm, Peggee Frost, Laura Richter, Debbie Guetzlaff, Diane Olson

The meeting was called to order by Sandy Waters at 5:30 pm.

Secretary's Report: The April minutes were accepted with change. The change was that JoAnne Belling is the July presenter rather than June. The June meeting will be Melessa Collins from Frond Design.

Treasurer's Report: The treasurer's report was accepted and filed for audit.

Old Business: The Guild still needs new officers. The positions open are President Elect and Program Chair Elect.

The board discussed the May meeting and dinner.

New Business: The 2017 - 2018 proposed budget was discussed and will be presented to the guild at the May meeting.

Programs: The **May** workshop will be "Playing with Orphans" – a Quilts to Share project lead by Janet O'Neil. The evening program is the Guild's annual meeting and includes dinner. The meeting **starts at 6:30**. Golden Needle and Golden Thimble Awards will be given and new officers will be installed. There will be lots of door prizes and next year's programs and workshops will be introduced.

The **June** meeting will feature Melessa Collins from Frond Design. The workshop will be an art weave and the whole kit is included in the workshop cost. In the evening program Melessa will talk about her design journey and what is next for Frond Design.

The **July** meeting and workshop will feature JoAnne Belling. Her workshop will be "Faccett Play" and she will give a trunk show in the evening.

Membership: The April meeting had 53 attendees. The guild has 78 paid members. It is time to pay yearly dues and collect information for the membership book.

Newsletter: The deadline for newsletter materials is Friday, May 5th.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 6:35 pm. The next meeting will be held Monday, June 5, at 5:30 at Crazy to Quilt.

Respectfully submitted: Janet Drake, secretary

Quilting Adventures – Items for Sale – Misc. No items submitted this month.

MEMBERSHIP IN KEEPSAKE QUILTERS GUILD

The 2017-2018 membership year For Keepsake Quilters Guild begins in June. Join or rejoin now to take advantage of a whole year of classes and programs!

Membership dues are \$30 for the year. The membership book listing the year's programs, workshops, officers, members' names, and other guild information will be published in June. If you want your name to be published in the membership book, your dues need to be paid before June.

REMINDER: To join or rejoin you can also send your check to Keepsake Quilters Guild, P.O. Box 1043, Cedar Falls, IA 50613. Be sure to include any changes or corrections from last year's book. If there are no changes, then just a note indicating your check is for membership dues is perfect.

Keepsake Quilters Application for Membership

Membership Chair: Peggee	Frost
Membership Chair-Elect: Al	eta Anderson
Membership Year 2017-2018	8 New Renewal Date:
First Name:	Last Name:
Membership book: No char	nges: Change as shown below:
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