

Keepsake Quilters Guild

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Meeting Time: Third Monday of the month, 7:00 pm

Next Meeting: Monday, July 17, 2017

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The next KQ Newsletter deadline is:

August 4, 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.

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SCRAPS FROM THE PRESIDENT

I just came in from checking my very small garden of two tomato plants, a planter of radishes and two raspberry bushes. It sure didn't take long to check my garden but it is so humid that I'm glad to be back inside and in the air conditioning. Co-President Carol is enjoying her time up in northern Michigan. She says HI!

July officially starts our 2017-18 President's Challenge: **Quilts to Share 100% Participation**. If you have finished: a pieced quilt top, a quilted quilt, a bound quilt, cut fabric strips for a quilt kit(s), helped assemble a quilt kit(s), washed fabric, ironed fabric or participated in a Quilts to Share (QTS) workshop at Janet O'Neil's since May 15th you have earned a Keepsake Quilters Heart sticker. Bring what you have completed to our KQ meeting and when we ask members to bring up and share what you have completed for QTS you will get a KQ Heart placed in front of your name on the 100% Participation Board. Only one KQ Heart Sticker per member but you can share as often as you'd like.

Our guild has an amazing mission and to have each and every member participate will be a wonderful accomplishment. So, bring what you have done to the next meeting and get recognized for helping us achieve our 100% participation mission.

We'd like to give a heads up that our August meeting is one week earlier than our usual 3^{rd} Monday of the month. Please mark your calendar that our KQ meeting is the 2^{nd} Monday of the month August 14th.

See you on July 17th!

Leann Abraham and Carol Lindquist



Quilts to Share

QTS work days for July are the 24 & 31. We will also meet on Aug. 7, 21 and 28. Due to the change of workshop and meeting, we will not have a special pillowcase work day.

Thanks<u>,</u> Janet

Fall Festival at the Arboretum

The Fall Festival at the Arboretum in Waterloo will be held September 9-10, 11-4 each day. The theme is Grandma and Grandpa's garden. Our guild has asked to be represented at the event. We need some volunteers to sign up to man the table, bring some samples and distribute our trifold as well as answer questions and promote our guild. Look for a signup sheet our meetings or email Laura Richter at <u>llmdrichter@gmail.com</u> if you are interested in being a volunteer.

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:

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

Vacant, Program Chair Elect:

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

There will be 2 meetings held for the play starting at 5:30. One will be for the kitchen crew and one for the actresses. The actresses will meet in the room beyond the big meeting room so we have more room to 'practice'. Be sure to bring your scripts. We have enough actresses at this point but could be an 'understudy' if you desire.

The kitchen crew can meet in another place of their choosing. We will not be in the room to the left just beyond the entrance. I will be attending the actresses meeting; the kitchen crew can work out how they want to proceed. I am just asking to be kept informed at this point.

Laura Richter

UFO Challenge

We decided to do another UFO challenge this year. Diane Olson and Norma Hager are going to help with the challenge for this year. We are changing it slightly and it will be explained in more detail at the guild meeting. We decided it can be almost anything from a project that is almost done to having some material or a pattern that you bought long ago and still want to do it. I may not have even been started yet. A project that is more on your dream list than on it needs to be completed list.

2017 – 2018 Keepsake Quilters Guild UFO Challenge Registration Form

| NAME: | | | | |
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| PHONE: | EMAI | L: | | |
| Complete and Return to Diane Olson at August Guild Meeting | | | | |
| Project Name and Size | Work needed | Time Req. | Target date(Optional) | |
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WORKSHOP

July 17, 2017

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. A sample is shown below. You do not need to purchase a pattern. The Supply List and instructions are with the signup sheet. There have been some additions/changes. So, let me know if you need more information. This exercise is a form of a clamshell log cabin using different widths of logs in the Log Cabin.

The supply list and instructions are on the website and can be printed.



July 17, 2017

PROGRAM

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

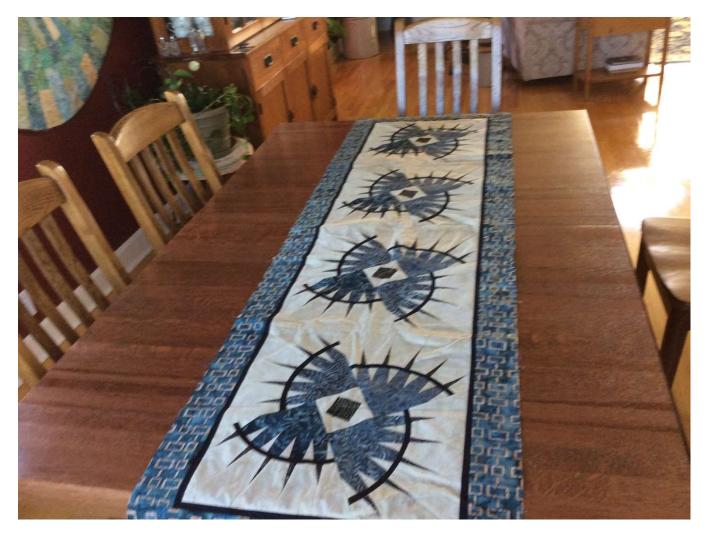
<u>August 14, 2017 (2nd Monday)</u>

WORKSHOP

Jodie Madison, Farm Girl Quilts, LLC

Jody returns to teach another Judy Niemeyer Pattern, Rocky Mountain Bear Claw. The pattern contains enough papers for 1 table runner or 4 pillows. There is a sample below which will also be displayed at the meetings.

The supply list and instructions are on the website and can be printed.



August 14, 2017 (2nd Monday)

PROGRAM

Jodie will also present the evening program and Lou Ann from Lou Ann's quilt garden and retreat will be there to vend her products.

October 16, 2017

WORKSHOP

Dorothy Cobie and LaVonne Lawton will teach us how to make the Diva wallet and Popup Canister. The price for the workshop includes the hardware for both projects. There is a supply list for the workshop with the signup sheet. The supply list and instructions are on the website and can be printed.

Please sign up by end of August because the hardware needs to be ordered ahead of time.



<u>Member Care</u>

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 <u>Powell5300@aol.com</u> 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:

Agatha Baldwin, thinking of you on her husband's illness. Lois Osness on her hospitalization. Sandie Nunemaker - sympathy on the loss of her husband. Jeni Moravec - sympathy on the loss of her husband.

Members who celebrate their birthday in July: Terry Mowery, Donna Winter, Catherine Hicok, Lucille Keeling, & Becky Swinton.

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

Co-chairs: Janet Drake & Elaine Chapman

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: Shirley Thode & Nancy Strauser Greeter: Janet O'Neil Ladder Holders: Donna Winter & Jan Drake

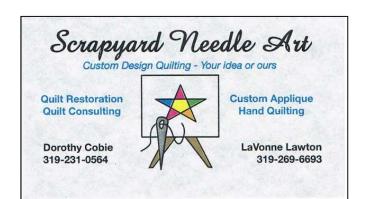
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Keepsake Quilters Guild Board Meeting P.O. Box 1043, Cedar Falls, IA 50613

July 3, 2016 Crazy to Quilt, Cedar Falls, IA

The regular meeting was called to order by Co-President Leann Abraham at 5:30 p.m.

Present: Leann Abraham, Laura Sniffin, Deb Reuter, Liz Wehrmacher, Aleta Anderson, Laura Richter, Debbie Guetzlaff, Kay Leeper.

Secretary's report: The minutes of the June meeting were accepted as read and filed.

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

Old Business: We reviewed the President's Challenge. Laura Richter reported we are still in need of volunteers to man a booth at the Cedar Valley Arboretum's Fall Festival. The hours for the fall festival will be 11:00 – 4 p.m. She will send the signup sheet around at the next meeting.

New Business: We reviewed the budget for the program committee for the 2018 scheduling year.

Programs: Laura Richter reviewed the UFO Challenge for this year. We will be doing an Extended UFO challenge. We will include any kits or patterns you have had in your stash prior to May 2017. The July meeting and workshop will feature JoAnne Belling. Her workshop will be "Fassett Plays Piano" and we currently have 19 members signed up for the workshop. The evening program will be a trunk show by JoAnne.

In August Jodie Madison will lead the paper piecing workshop on "Rocky Mountain Bear Claw". The evening program will be a trunk show of Jodie's quilts. There are 19 members signed up for the workshop.

There will be no September Workshop so we can get set up for the Mystery Dinner. We will have a sigh up for the September meeting so we know how much food to prepare. Any guest for September will be charged \$5 to cover the cost of the meal.

Membership: No report

Public Relations: The extra trifolds will be available at Crazy to Quilt.

Newsletter Elect: Kay Leeper reported that 8 advertisers have renewed their ads.

Newsletter: Debbie Guetzlaff reported the deadline for the newsletter is Friday, July 7, 2017.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 6:10 pm. The next meeting will be Monday, July 31, 2017 at Crazy to Quilt.

Respectfully submitted: Deb Reuter, 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.

<u>REMINDER</u>: 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 Fro | st |
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| Membership Chair-Elect: Aleta | Anderson |
| Membership Year 2017-2018 | NewRenewalDate: |
| First Name: | Last Name: |
| Membership book: No changes | s: Change as shown below: |
| Address: | |
| City, Zip | |
| Phone-Home | |
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| Birthday Month/Day | |

Print and mail this form with your check payable to **Keepsake Quilters** for \$30.00 (\$15.00 after Dec. 1 for **new members only**) to: **Keepsake Quilters Guild, P.O. Box 1043, Cedar Falls, IA 50613**; or take this form with your check for \$30.00 to the next meeting.