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**Keepsake Quilters
Guild**
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Meeting Time:
Second Monday of the
month, 7:00 pm

Next Meeting:
Monday, Aug 14, 2017

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The next KQ Newsletter
deadline is:

September 1, 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.

SCRAPS FROM THE PRESIDENT

My how time is flying by! By the time you read this it will be August already. Yesterday I was up in my quilting studio looking over my unfinished projects so I can participate in the New Expanded UFO Challenge. It's still hard for me to call my quilting room a studio as I don't think I produce enough to consider myself worthy of a "studio". ☺ This year you don't actually have to have started your project but you have to have already purchased the pattern and/or fabrics for the project before May of 2017. Boy do I have a lot of "un-started" projects! Participating in the last UFO really helped me focus and complete several unfinished quilts/projects so I'm looking forward to finishing even more projects this year. Thank goodness for UFO Challenges!!!!

Thanks to everyone who has already participated in our Presidents Challenge of 100%-member participation of our guild mission of Quilts to Share (QTS). The progress board will be posted every month so hurry and participate to get your KQ Heart Sticker next to YOUR name.



We are still in need of a Quilt Show Chair/Co-Chair. Please grab a friend (or two) and sign up!! You will have so much support and guidance from the previous chairs if you have questions - and lots of help from the guild!!! It's a fun and rewarding experience!

Carol is still enjoying upper Michigan and will be home soon. She says HII!!! REMEMBER our August meeting is the 2nd Monday not the usual 3rd Monday.

See you on August 14th!

Leann Abraham and Carol Lindquist



Quilts to Share

QTS work days for August are the 21st & 28th. We will also meet on September 11th and 25th.

Thanks,

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 llmdrichter@gmail.com 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 lmdrichter@gmail.com

Terri Mowery, Program Co-Chair Elect: (319) 610-5999 tmowert1957@gmail.com

Sue Bauer, Program Co-Chair Elect: (319) 830-7341 bauernet@cfu.net

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: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

Complete and Return to Diane Olson at August Guild Meeting

<u>Project Name and Size</u>	<u>Work needed</u>	<u>Time Req.</u>	<u>Target date(Optional)</u>
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August 14, 2017 (2nd Monday)

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.

September 18, 2017

WORKSHOP

Please note there is no workshop in September as we prepare for the play.



September 18, 2017

PROGRAM

The evening program will be the dinner theatre presentation of Horrible Happenings at the Winery. Please join us for dinner and fun and laughter as we present this play. Be sure to sign up for attending so we know how much food to prepare. Please feel free to bring guests, we just ask that they pay \$5.00 to help cover the cost of the meal.

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.

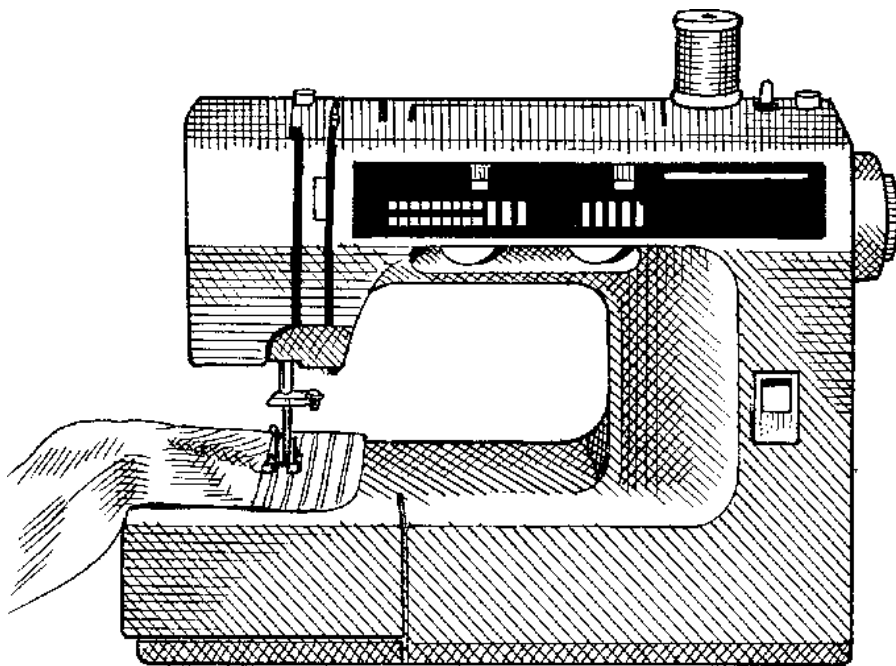
****Please sign up by end of August because the hardware needs to be ordered ahead of time**.**



October 16, 2017

PROGRAM

Tom Christianson from Tom's Repair Service in Mason City will be presenting his program titled "'Sewing Machine Tips Wherefore Trouble-Free Sewing" (SMTWTFS).



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

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 August:

**Kathy Zeets, Agatha Baldwin, Gladys Love, Monica Myers,
Peggie Frost, Sheri Lesh, & Lois Osness.**

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

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

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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: Peggee Frost & Debbie Guetzlaff

Greeter: Donna Hansen

Ladder Holders: LaVonne Lawton & Dorothy Cobie

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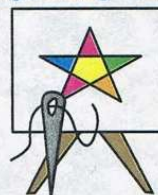
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Keepsake Quilters Guild Board Meeting
P.O. Box 1043, Cedar Falls, IA 50613

July 31, 2017

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, Laura Richter, Aleta Anderson and Peggee Frost,

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

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

Old Business: Laura Richter reported we have 5 people signed up to man a booth at the Cedar Valley Arboretum's Fall Festival but are still in need of a few more volunteers. She will send the signup sheet around at the next meeting. We are still looking for a chair or co-chair for the 2018 Quilt Show.

New Business: Laura Richter reported that Sue Bauer and Terri Mowery have volunteered to be Program Elect Co-Chairs.

Programs: The August workshop is "Rocky Mountain Bear Claw" by Jodie Madison. The evening program will be a trunk show of Jodie's quilts. There are 20 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 sign 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. The October Workshop is Diva Wallet and we currently have 7 members signed up. Anyone interested in taking this workshop needs to sign up by the August meeting so supplies can be ordered. Our evening program will be by Tom Christianson of Tom's Repair Service.

Membership: Peggee reported we have 72 members.

Newsletter: The deadline for the newsletter is Friday, August 4, 2017.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 6:10 pm. The next meeting will be Monday, August 28, 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.

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: Aleta Anderson

Membership Year 2017-2018 New___ Renewal___ Date: _____

First Name:

Last Name:

Membership book: No changes: _____ Change as shown below: _____

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