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MESSAGE FROM THE KQ GUILD PRESIDENT

SUE PLAGGE

Greetings All! Well I must say this has been a most unusual spring and summer. I hope everyone has managed to stay healthy. This is the last President's message I will be writing for our newsletter, and I want to tell you how much I have enjoyed the experience. In my opinion, this is the best position to hold, especially if you have a board that works as hard as this board has. Thank you to all of the current board members for your hard work and dedication. You are the ones who make our guild run so smoothly.

We decided to meet on August 17th at Gateway Park in Cedar Falls. Quilters are a social group, and it will be nice to get together and see everyone again.

Important information for those planning to attend!!

Meeting Place – Gateway Park, Cedar Falls.
 Located on Lincoln Street and N. Main Street in Cedar Falls.

Follow Main Street over the bridge and continue around the curve. We will meet at the second shelter, the larger one. Parking is close.

- Date & Time August 17th at 6:00 Social time will begin at 6:00 with ice cream treats provided by the board. Meeting will begin at 6:30.
- *Social Distancing*--Picnic tables will be spaced to allow social distancing. Bring a lawn chair if you prefer. Please remember to wear a mask.
- **Comfort**—For comfort you may want a cushion or blanket if you plan to sit on a picnic table bench.

Since this meeting will be outside, and we haven't met for a while, we are going to limit "show and tell" to **two** items per person. Also remember to bring your President's challenge and the magazine picture that was your inspiration. We will be sharing those as well. Then, we will present Golden Needle and Golden Thimble awards, and lastly have installation of new officers.

Editor: Cynthia Foster

Editor-elect:

Keepsake Quilters Guild PO Box 1043 Cedar Falls, IA 50613

Meeting Time: 6PM

Gateway Park,

Cedar Falls

Gather & Refreshments: 6 PM

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The next KQ Newsletter deadline is: **September 5, 2020**

Please contact Cynthia Foster or send your submission to: cat2teach@icloud.com

Submissions received after this date will be considered for next newsletter

Laura Richter, our new president, will keep you posted as to when we will be able to meet again. We feel like the earliest would be January of 2021, but keep checking our web page for more information. Because of the uncertainty of our meetings our dues will be extended until 2022.

I'm anxious to see everyone August 17th and, of course, if you have any questions, remember I'm only a phone call away.

2019 – 2020 PRESIDENT'S CHALLENGE See President's Message

Golden Needle & Golden Thimble

We will be presenting those awards to people who we feel deserve them. Golden Thimble Award is given for service above and beyond the average. Golden Needle Award is given for excellence in workmanship.

OUILT TO SHARE

Call Janet O'Neil for information on if or when they will be meeting to sew.

Location: 4803 Cedar Heights DR. Cedar Falls. Contact number: 319-266-9476

MEMBERSHIP

Membership dues for 2020-2022 will be accepted August through June.

Covid stepped in to change our guild. Membership dues can be paid starting at the August outdoor meeting. Dues paid this year, will run through May 2022. Membership will not be published until June 2021 to ensure we have all the latest information. All members who have paid their dues prior to June 1st will have their information in the annual membership book. As in past years, there will be a pre-printed application form for your review. Please make any necessary changes, and those will be reflected in next year's book. If you do not have the pre-printed application form, you will need to complete the one in this newsletter if there are any changes. As a reminder, dues are \$30 annually and may be paid at the monthly guild meeting through the membership chair or mailed to Keepsake Quilters Guild, PO Box 1043, Cedar Falls, IA, 50613.

MEMBER CARE

LINDA VORGNSEN

We encourage you to let us know who needs a get well, sympathy, or thinking of you card. Contact: Linda Vognsen 319-268-1582

On August 19, 1955 Lloyd and Norma Hager were married On August 19, 2020, they are celebrating their 65th wedding anniversary Please send them a card of Congratulations at:



Lloyd and Norma Hager 5311 Hyacinth Drive #25 Cedar Falls, IA 50613

THANKS

The Guild received a card from Harmony House, thanking us for all the Covid Masks members made for them. They said the masks were very helpful for meeting their needs.

WE NEED PEOPLE TO FILL BOARD POSITIONS AND OTHER VOLUNTEER JOBS

- <u>Program elect</u> will have until May of 2022 to learn how to do this job with most of the job being done by the current program chairs. Please note, a great many program slots have been filled. Two people working together for this position would work great. This position will develop and schedule programs and workshops with the help of a committee.
- Newsletter elect will have until May of 2022 to learn the job as the current Newsletter position has been filled. This person needs a knowledge of Microsoft word will put the reports from various board member and advertising in a newsletter format.
- Membership elect will have until May of 2022 to learn the job as the current Membership position has been filled. This person will collect membership forms and dues as well take attendance at meeting. Membership also tracks new members recognition and birthdays of members.



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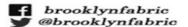
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PROGRAM AND WORKSHOPS FOR COMING MEETINGS

Sue Bauer and Terri Mowery have been working hard to reschedule and work out programs and workshops to perhaps start in January.

January 18, 2021

Workshop: Quilts to Share with Janet O'Neil

February 15, 2021

Workshop and Program: Jelly Roll Rug with Denise Sinnwell of Quilter's Window

March 15, 2021 Toni Steere Timeless

Treasures National Educator

Workshop: Toni's Tips, Tricks and Techniques (38 inch Octagon Shaped Table Topper)

Program: From Concept to Quilt

April 19, 2021 Carol Moeelers from Greene Iowa

Workshop: Coloring Outside the Lines

Program: Design with Purpose

May 17, 2021 Laura Richter

Workshop: President's Workshop

Program: Installation of Officers and presentation of 2021-2022 workshops and programs

June 21, 2021 Merry Backes of Merry's Stitchins

Workshop: Patchabilities Ice Cold Watermelon Quilt as You Go Table Runner

Program: trunk show and vending

July 19, 2021 Becky Wright: Orphans of War

Workshop: Reap the Whirlwind

Program: Christian Staffinger, the Story of a Soldier

August 9, 2021 Jodi Madison (note second Monday of the month)

Workshop and Program to be determined

September 20, 2021 Ilene Bartos from Urbandale

Workshop: Autumn Paths

Program: Borders, Sashing, and More

October 18, 2021 Joyce Franklin from Winterset

Workshop: Art is Easy Program: Quilting is a Trip

November 15, 2021 Cathy Busch from Waverly (If there is a quilt show she'll come in Jan.)

Workshop: Stretch Stars and Bars Program: Tips and Tricks of the Trade

Terri Mowery, Co-Program Chair (319) 610-5999 tmowery1957@gmail.com

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

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

July 6, 2020 and August 3, 2020

1000 18th Street, Cedar Falls, Iowa

Both meetings were called to order by President Sue Plagge at 5:05 pm.

Present(7-6-20): Sue Plagge, Laura Richter, Deb Reuter, Liz Wehrmacher, Sue Bauer, Terri Mowery, Mary Mumm, Cynthia Foster and Jeni Moravec.

Present (8-3-20): Sue Plagge, Laura Richter, Deb Reuter, Sue Bauer, Terri Mowery, Mary Mumm, and Cynthia Foster,

Secretary's report: The minutes of the March meeting were read and approved.

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

Old Business: We still need to fill the offices of Membership Elect, Newsletter Elect and Program Chair Elect.

New Business: Due to Covid -19 we have been unable to have our monthly meetings and workshops since March 2020. We discussed how we are going to proceed from now. The church we hold our meetings at is still closed with no idea as to when they will be able to reopen the building safely. Due to the current pandemic we decided to:

- 1. Postpone all the workshops and meetings through the end of 2020.
- 2. The dues that are paid now will pay membership through May 2022.
- 3. All new officers will hold their positions through May 2022.
- 4. Postpone the Quilt Show until November 2022.
- 5. Hold our annual meeting at Gateway Park in Cedar Falls on August 17, 2020 so we can install the new officers and complete the current year.
- 6. Meet again on August 3, 2020 to finalize plans for the Annual meeting. Due to Covid-19 we will not have a meal at our annual meeting.
- 7. We selected the winners of the Golden Needle and The Golden Thimble. They will be announced at the annual meeting.
- 8. At the annual meeting we will have show and tell for the President's Challenge and each member will be limited to two items for the regular show and tell.

Newsletter: The deadline for the newsletter is Friday, August 7, 2020.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 6:20 pm. The next meeting will be determined by the new board and health conditions.

Respectfully submitted: Deb Reuter, Secretary

Keepsake Quilters Guild Application for Membership

Membership Chair: Mary Mumm Membership Chair-Elect:	
Membership Year 2020-2022New	Renewal Date:
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Membership book: No changes:	Change as shown below:
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Email:	
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Favorite Color:	
What are your quilting interests (applique	e, piecing, etc.):
What got you into quilting and how long h	nave you been quilting:
Anything else you would like to share about yourself:	

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