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“WHERE QUILTING FRIENDS MEET”

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PROGRAM

April 22, 2013 Meeting

The Denim Duds

By Judy Oberkrom

A trunk show and brief history of denim and the quilts made with denim. Judy will bring some of her specially design jewelry for sale also. This is a fun evening of everything denim.

Everyone coming to April meeting please wear denim clothing or bring a denim quilt for Show 'n Tell.

Board Meeting 5:45 pm

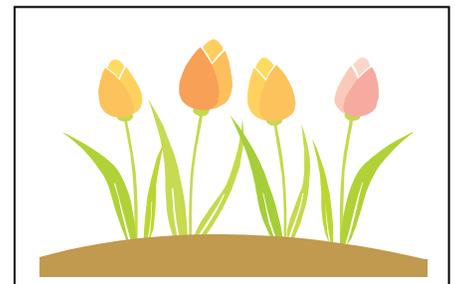
Social 6:30 pm

Meeting 7:00 pm

NEW LOCATION
Redeemer Lutheran Church
743 East Magnolia

APRIL HOSTESSES

Karleen Burch
Karen Sutton
Katie Weis



MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of the Guild shall be to provide an avenue to enrich the community through quilt making, to stimulate an interest in quilts, to promote and advance the art of quilt-making, to conduct educational programs and services in the design and techniques of quilt-making and related subjects and to encourage the preservation of quilts and their history.

GREETINGS FROM THE PRES,

Bill North, director of the Salina Art Center, has given the date for the Juli-Ann Gasper workshop. She is the national quilter they are bringing in this summer. Mark your calendars for **July 8 to 12** as the guild has agreed to help with the sewing activities. I will let you know more about this event as I am able. I am to meet with Juli-Ann sometime in April and will get more information. It will be a great opportunity to get young folks interested in quilting AND we will get a workshop for ourselves as well. This month I am giving you a free embroidery pattern. This is from the Bird Brain website (birdbrainedesigns.net). I contacted them and they said it would be okay for us to print this as long as you do NOT use it for commercial purposes. Please check out their site if you are able. They have other things as well as embroidery patterns and floss. They have wool patterns and pin cushions and more free patterns. They even sell **emery** which is a granular kind of metal stuff to put in pincushions to keep your pins and needles sharp. Keep a quiltin' girls and I'll see you at the meetin'.

EXCITING NEWS!

Ladies!!! Exciting news! I have signed a contract with Redeemer Lutheran Church located at 743 East Magnolia so that we can start having our guild meetings there starting in April!!!! It is a lovely facility with a beautiful foyer, a large fellowship hall with lots of windows and a spanking new kitchen. They have NO janitor so we will be responsible to clean up after ourselves and put everything back right before we leave. You can look at their website: redeemer-elca.org if you would like to read more about it. It is easy to find on Magnolia Street right across from South High School. It has a large parking lot right behind the church. Please pass the word along to others about this change. We will send a blurb about this to the Salina Journal, but we might miss someone, so help us pass the word along. I think you will be very pleased with this new venue. Please call me if you have questions at 825-6494.

QUILT TRICKS, TECHNIQUES AND TIPS

To store work in progress projects I went to the dollar store and bought dish pans....they actually were two for \$1. and I put my fabric, pattern, and threads if I bought for this project specifically in it and then put a index card on the outside of the dishpan and can stack these in my closet.....great easy way to keep projects all together. Also use these for storing my bom's I receive in the mail till I can get to them.....and they are all together when I am ready for them!

Quiltbug.com

Design Illustration to Transfer onto Tea Towel



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MORE QUILT TRICKS, TECHNIQUES AND TIPS

Clean your machine!! Clean your machine every time you use up the thread in a bobbin. Every other time take out that bobbin case when you clean and give the mechanism a drop of oil. Don't forget to change the needle often too! You and your machine will be happier.

Tie a piece of ribbon to your fabric snips or small scissors and attach it to your ironing board so when you are pressing you can grab your scissors quickly and snip any unwanted threads right away.

MINUTES OF MARCH MEETINGS

March 18, 2013

Board Minutes

The Monthly meeting was called to order by President Janda Allred at 5:50 pm. Members present for meeting were as follows, Anita Wiechman, Sarah Hein, Martha Oakes, Barb Short, Diana Pues, Kitty Johnson, Linda Tibbits, Ann Kinsler, Tonia Armstrong, Janda Allred, Ann Jordan, Leadell Ediger, Shawn Delker, Roz Guglar, Tara Batman and Cindy Grover.

Old business: Redeemer Lutheran Church we are ok'd to start meeting there as soon as Janda signs the contract. She will read over it and if it looks ok she will sign.

Discussed if she needs to be bonded for new church and it was decided Janda will check to see what is required to be bonded.

There is no janitor at the new church and we will need to make sure after our monthly meetings that everything is clean before we leave.

Janda has heard from the Art Center about the date for the summer program where members will receive a free morning workshop and then in the afternoon will help young kids sew. Juli-Ann Gasper from NE will be here for 3 days July 8-12, 2013 and then on the 12th will work with the quilters and kids.

New business: Leadell Ediger asks that items to be put in the newspaper be sent 2 wks prior to the newsletter being sent out. She would like to send the newsletter out the first Monday of the month.

Sara Hein, placed the announcement for Silver Needles monthly meeting in the Salina Journal. She has it set up to be emailed and placed monthly.

Tonia Armstrong, Ann Kinsler reported that some fabric for the Quilt Luncheon in Oct. has been bought and they will hand out a sign up sheet this evening for those who want to help sew the quilt top.

The budget for next year was reviewed and income projected and expenses projected were determined and passed by the board.

Meeting adjourned for regular meeting and refreshments.

Regular meeting was called to order by President Janda Allred at 7:02 pm. Janda welcomed members and guests. Five guests were introduced.

Door prizes were drawn and handed out to members, Mary Schultze, Margie Reed, Shelda Burger, and Linda Hinnenkamp were winners.

Minutes for last month and treasurer reports were accepted and approved. Treasurers report filed for audit.

Ann Jordan announced that you can still sign up for the Fons and Porter quilt magazine through the Guild for \$15 yearly, just make checks out to the Guild and she will send the information in for members.

Janda Allred reported to the members about the Summer workshop with Juli-Ann Gasper at the Art Center in July.

Judy Kolhman and Joyce Welchel will audit the books for last year.

Tonia Armstrong announced the theme for this year's Quilt Luncheon in Oct. It will be " Kansas' through the Eye of a Quilter." A sign up sheet was passed around for those who want to help with sewing and making favors. This year Debbie Breer will quilt the opportunity quilt. The date is set for Oct. 19th, 2013.

Someone had brought free fabric to be donated and asked that it be used for community service quilts. Members were encouraged to make quilts ranging in sizes 24x24 bereavement, baby, kids, up to twin size quilts, for the different organizations we donate to each year.

Cindy Grover from programs announced this year's fabric challenge. Each member will be given a fat quarter of fabric and they will need to use it in their quilt along with the flower that coincides with their birth month flower. The fabric and list of flowers for each month throughout the year were handed out after the meeting.

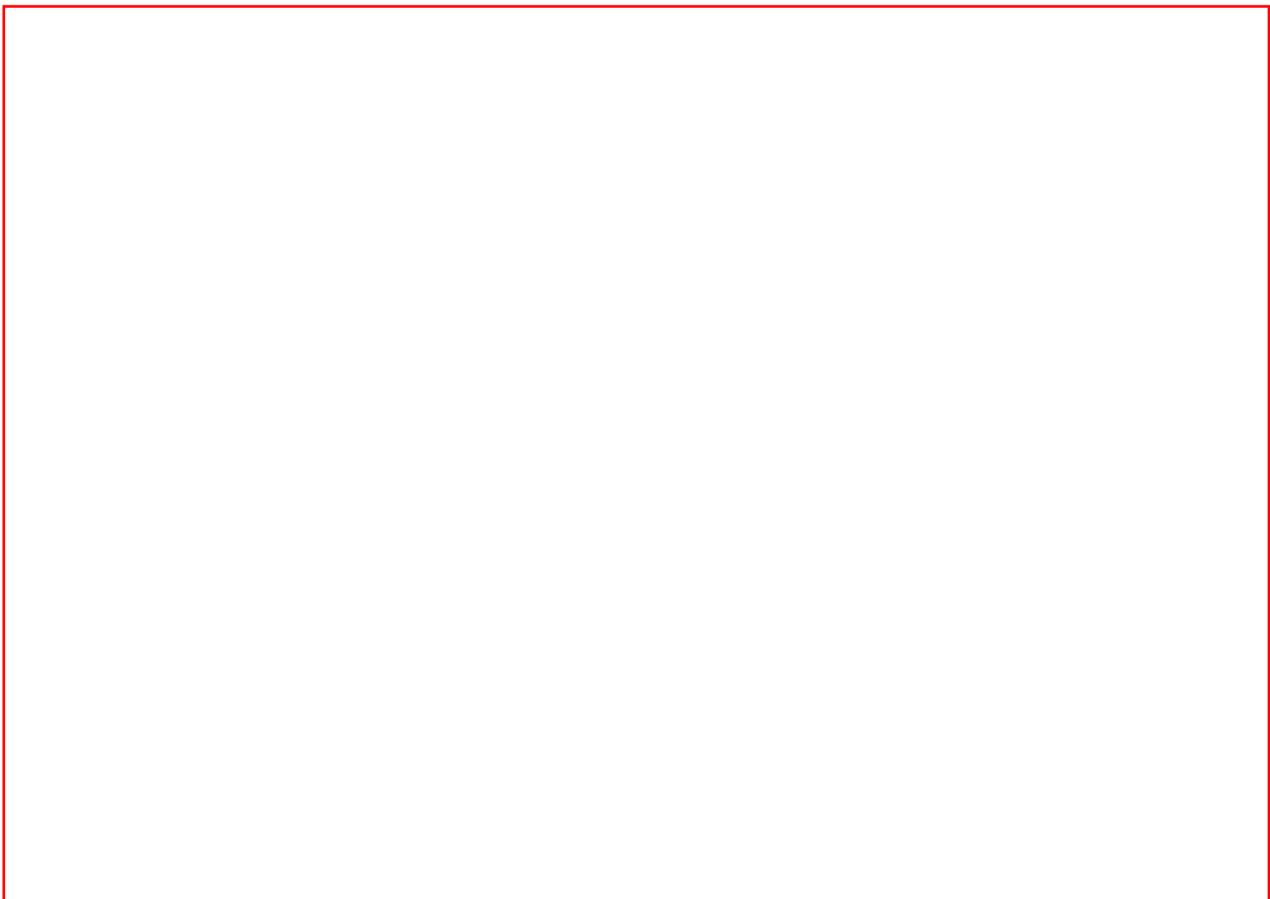
Show and Tell was then done. Leadell Ediger, Kathy Dixon, Shawn Delker, Jean Hamilton, Barb Walker, JoAnn White, Cindy Grover, Kitty Johnson, Debbie Brightbill, Loretta Jilka, Diana Pues, and 3 students from Andra Hancocks quilting class at Salina Central.

Tara Batman welcomed and introduced the evenings speaker, Carol Gilham Jones from Lawrence, Ks. Her talk was about Tile Quilt Revival.

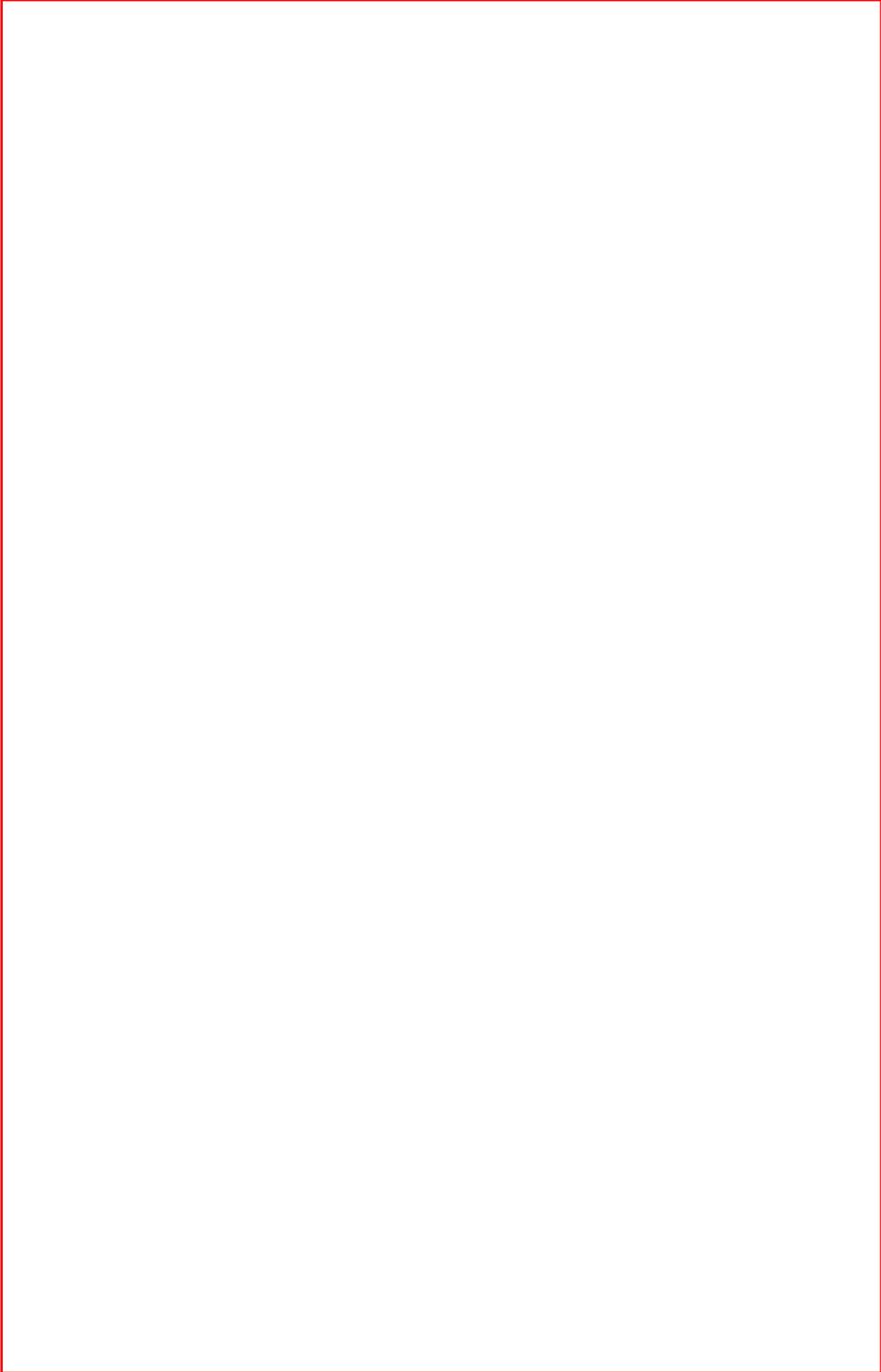
Meeting was then adjourned.

Anita Wiechman
Secretary 2013-2014

TREASURER'S REPORT MARCH, 2013



2013 2014 PROPOSED BUDGET



REMINDER:

It's time to pay your annual membership dues. Dues are \$20.00. What a great value! You'll pick up great quilting tips, learn from guest speakers, enjoy treats, and good fellowship. Don't miss out on all that is planned for 2013! Membership can be paid to Ann Jordan.

WEBSITE

Our website is getting a facelift. If you have any photo's, or anything that you'd like to share with the guild, send it to Leadell at leadellediger@yahoo.com. I'll see that it gets put up on the website. Do you have a favorite website that you like to visit? We have a few links on our page, but it would be great more links that you find helpful. Send your link today!

MEMBER REQUEST:

Member, Fran Swisher is requesting the help of fellow Silver Needles Members. She would like members of the Guild to contact Melissa Scheffler, from the *Does It Work* segment on Channel 12 KWCH news broadcast. Fran thinks it would be great if Silver Needles Guild Members ask to have the electric rotary blade sharpeners tested to see if it really does work. The sharpener Fran wrote in about purported to sharpen blades unless there is an actual nick in the blade, and it is supposed to do 3 different sizes of blades. When she wrote in she included these reasons for testing :

- There are a lot of quilters in the KWCH broadcast area,
- The rotary blades are expensive and need to be replaced often, and
- That "my" guild, Silver Needles, in Salina would be more than happy to test the sharpener.

Anyone who writes in needs to have a particular brand of sharpener identified, the cost including shipping, and a website where it can be purchased. The information Fran got was on page 73 of F&P's Love of Quilting, M/A 2013. She said that she knows there are other websites, some of which sell it cheaper, and it might help if everyone didn't all send in the exact same one. To her knowledge this is the only sharpener around but she indicated that she could be mistaken. She thought some computer savvy quilters might be willing to take the time to find others and other websites so it doesn't look like we all got together and planned this. - even if we did!

The Does It Work (DIW) section is at 10PM, Channel 12 KWCH news broadcast. Please contact:
Melissa Scheffler

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Meet Our Members

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NEW SNQG member, Kathy Dixon is married to Scott, they have 3 children. Kathy and Scott enjoy weekend camping. Her favorite color is pink. Kathy is a Nebraska native. In addition to their three grown children they have 3 grand children ranging in age from newborn to age 6. What fun!

Member Leadell Ediger is a long time quilt enthusiast. She is married to Warren; they have 3 grown children and 4 delightful grandchildren that live in Kansas City. Leadell's mother was an avid quilter that past her love for quilt making to both of her daughters. Leadell enjoys a wide range of colors that she loves to work with including blues and greens, her all-time favorite quilt pattern is four-patch or the close relative nine patch. Leadell has had the opportunity to travel frequently in her career, including numerous times to Washington DC. Leadell and her sister Ann, enjoy quilt trips to discover new and interesting quilt shops.

Happy Birthday

APRIL

Shelda Burger	4/5
Lucille Dibble	4/19
Donna Godsey	4/22
Jean Hamilton	4/22
Marty Ryan	4/22
Debbie Divine	4/24
Shawn Decker	4/30

MAY

Nancy Arnoldy	5/12
Della Tomanek	5/15
Joyce Whelchel	5/18
Jocelyn Dickerson	5/19
Jan Brax	5/26
Margie Reed	5/29

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Central Oklahoma Quilt Guild

Friday, June 21, 2013 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 22, 2013 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

State Fair Park, Oklahoma City, OK

Website: www.centralokquilters.org

Shipshewana Quilt Festival

Wednesday, June 26, 2013 thru Saturday, June 29, 2013

Shipshewana, IN

Website: ShipshewanaQuiltFest.com

Quilt & Vendor Show/Workshops

Quilter's Schoolhouse/Shop Hop

Silver Needles Quilt Guild Trio

October 19, 2013

Salina, KS

Kansas Through the Eye of a Quilter

