



Silver Needles Quilt Guild Newsletter

"WHERE QUILTING FRIENDS MEET"

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15

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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.

Ladies Of The Cloth!!!

FINALLY! My flowers look GREAT! They are blooming in reds and yellows and plums and corals and pinks! I think they are even smiling! My orange pumpkins are looking rather good up against my smiling floral canopy of blooms! It only took about 5 months... since the beginning of May.... to get them to bloom!!! Unfortunately and unbelievably, it will all be short-lived as we know chillier weather and 'old man', Jack Frost, is upon us! Maybe sooner than we think!

On the other hand, what do you know? Patterns and fabric laying around my 'GENERAL STORE' (my sewing room), not producing a mini quilt, nor a lap quilt, nor a bed quilt. The pile of luscious colors of reds and yellows and plums and corals and pink fabrics have all laid dormant since before May, and still have NOT produced a "bloomin' thing"! WHOA!

I hope none of YOU are following my poor example of gardening and quilting BECAUSE WE ALL KNOW WHAT ELSE IS UPON US...OUR WONDERFUL, COLORFUL, DELIGHTFUL, APPETIZING, AND INSPIRING "QUILTERS TRIO", FULL OF LUSCIOUS COLORS OF RED AND YELLOWS AND PLUMS AND CORALS AND PINKS (AND SOME ORANGE)!!!! I wish all those quilts were mine! I just know that THIS YEAR I will win the Opportunity Quilt! Last year I lost by 2 chairs as Mary Shoultys was sitting 2 chairs away from me when her name was drawn!***! OOOHHH IT REALLY HURT!!!! Fortunately I have another chance and so do all of you as we come together and celebrate with each other October 20th. Our Silver Needles meeting room will again be transformed into a 'castle of color' that will delight everyone's eyes, and our very own taste buds will be quenched in delight as well! May we all heap a floral bouquet of reds and yellows and plums and corals and pinks(plus an orange pumpkin!) on Judy Kohman, Karen Pinkall, Anita Weichman, Shawn Delker, and Judy Collins,...FOR THEIR COMMITMENT AND HARD WORK TO BRING "THE QUILTERS TRIO" FORTH! I just can't wait to see all of that brilliant color BLOOMING,...and on time!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

P.S. I really do have something finished for the auction!

A Lady of Much Cloth, Nothing Finished!!

Andra Hancock, President

OUR NOVEMBER MEETING: (November 19) Laura Franchini, Wisner, NE will host a trunk show. Laura is an accomplished quilter who has won many Best of Show awards and been featured in many national quilting magazines.

Silver Needles Quilt Guild Board Meeting
September 17
Minutes

The meeting was called to order by President Andra Hancock at 6:00 p.m.

She stated that we need to get the information to the Quilts of Valor people for the goody bags since we are donating \$100. For that event. Barbara will check with Kay Quinn about our information brochures..

Lydia brought up the possibility of change of venue for our meetings and Trio.

Andra asked for information to better SN . Discussion followed. President directed Secretary to include the board minutes in the newsletter with the regular minutes.

Program Chair & Community service chairs and Trio chairs: will have a report in regular meeting. Marty passed out an itemized treasurers report.

It was moved and seconded to have the board meet at 5:45 p.m. passed (so we would be able to get to visit with members prior to the regular meeting.

Old business: racks and their storage: committee is meeting as we speak.

Board members present: Andra Hancock, Mary Ann Tanking, Donna Godsey, Ann Kinsler, Marilyn Hunt, Kitty Johnson, Jody Kohman, Roz Gugler, Lydia Lowe, Janda Allred, Tara Batman, Cindy Grover, Jan Brax, Marty Ryan.

Respectfully,
Mary Ann Tanking, secretary

Silver Needles Quilt Guild

September 17, 2012

Minutes

The Regular meeting was called to order at 7:00 P. M. by **Andra Hancock**, president with 58 members and Ruth Cathcart Rate and 3 central students as guests present. The president read an article on finishing things UFO's

Andra welcomed all and introduced the birthdays of: **Barbara Walker, Carolyn Urban, Nadine Martinitz and Karen Sutton**. each told of their favorite quilt block.

The minutes for August were approved as printed. The treasures report was approved as printed and will be filed for audit.

Members at Large (**Jan Brax and Barbara Short**) presented door prizes to: **Lavonne Rupert, Karleen Burch, Marty Ryan, and Betty Rasette**.

Our thanks to our August hostesses: **Tara Batman, Louise Haworth, and Kitty Johnson**.

September Hostesses were thanked: Lavonne Rupert, Connie Brown, and Jan Schmidt, and Jean Albright.

Lydia will have more "get acquainted sheets" for those who have not filled them out.

October hostesses are: **Janda Allred, Cindy Grover, and Anita Wiechman**.

Trio Committee: Judy Kohman, Anita Wiechman, Judy Collins reported they need 3 more **table sponsors**, some more **kitchen help** and some **auction help**. **We have 15 tables so far.**

Community Service: **Kitty Johnson, and Ann Kinsler** asked that members can work on community service quilts during the evening in October since that is our work night to tie up loose ends for the Trio.

Anita needs more door prizes... **suggestions: theatre tickets, quilt stuff gift baskets, gift certificates to a café, any other ideas???** Call: 825-0952

Remember: Our Quilters Trio is October 20th. Tickets for the tables are now available and were passed out. Also, **Quilt ticket packets** were passed out to members present. The finished quilt pictures are included in the packet. Each member is responsible for 30 tickets they are one dollar each ticket..

Bill Weaver productions will be putting on a production "**Quilters**" at Central High **October 25,26,27.**

Quilt racks will go up Thursday evening October 18th. Quilts need to be brought in Friday morning as early as 8..

Show and Tell: **Tara Batman, Kitty Johnson, Anita Wiechman, Jan Brax, Andra Hancock, Martha Oakes, Mary Ann Tanking, Janet Schmidt, Ann Kinsler, Jackie Reba, Kathryn Perney, Roz Goodwin, Barb Walker, Karleen Burch, Bert Kerns, Mary Schulte and Sarah Hines.**

Program chair introduced: History of buttons: Linda Jones

Respectfully,
Mary Ann Tanking, secretary

Treasurers Report September 2012

Balance on hand - Checking Account September 1, 2012

Book balance

- Fund raiser
- Dues
- F/P Magazine

Total Income:

Expenses:

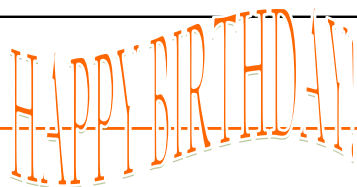
- web Hosting
- Programs & Workshops
- Members at large
- Fund Raiser
- treasurer stamps
- Smoky Hill Museum
- Quilt rack storage

Total Expenses:

- Outstanding Check
- Previous outstanding ck void ck

Balance on hand- Checking Account September 30, 2012

Certificate of Deposit



October . . .

- Ann Jordan 10/4
- Jan Enfield 10/13
- Debbie Brightbill 10//24
- Melinda Howison 10/27
- Barbara Short 10/29

November . . .

- Mary Ann Tanking 11/4
- Fran Swisher 11/13
- Dorothy Riffel 11/14
- Jackie Ryba 11/17
- Joan White 11/17
- Christy Jarrett 11/22
- Martha Oakes 11/24
- Kristy Yenkey 11/24
- Nelda Emig 11/29

MEET OUR MEMBERS!

SNQG member, Fran Swisher is married to Bob and they have two daughters, Jen Jobart who lives in California and Kari Mueller who lives in Washington state. Her favorite food is anything that is prepared by someone else. Her favorite summer activity is something cool. Fran's favorite colors are blue and red. She enjoys watching MSNBC, the news and random other things. Fran was born in St Louis MO at Jefferson Barracks and she would like to travel to Australia or New Zealand or really anywhere. Her quilting activities were influenced most by her mother and her favorite block is whatever she's working on at the time.

SNQG member, Dorothy Riffel, is a widow and has five children; three girls and two boys. Her favorite food is fresh fruit. Dorothy's favorite summer activities are quilting, embroidery and reading books. Her favorite colors are lavender, purple and pink. She enjoys watching Masterpiece Theatre, the news and TCM Movies. Dorothy was born in Kansas and would like to travel to Ireland, Switzerland, Italy, and Spain. Her quilting has been influenced by the St. Mary's Quilters and fellow Silver Needles members. Dorothy's favorite block is the nine patch and star blocks.

SNQG member, Jackie Ryba, is married to Dennis and they do not have any children. Her favorite food is Mexican or a good steak. Jackie's favorite summer time activities are working in her flower beds, her garden or golfing. Her favorite colors are orange, green, blue, blue, red; as well as dark or primary colors. She was born in Nebraska and would like to travel to Switzerland and ski The Alps. Jackie was most influenced by Shirley Wolf when she first took classes in the '80's. Her favorite block anything that doesn't require tiny triangles.

SNQG member, Joan White is married to Dallas and they have children. Her favorite summer activity is hanging out and relaxing out on the deck. She was born in Kansas and would like to travel back to Switzerland someday. Joan enjoys going to auctions, doing embroidery and counted cross stitch. Her favorite block is the nine patch.

SNQG member, Martha Oakes, is married to Dennis and they do not have any children. Her favorite food is chocolate. Martha's favorite colors are blue and green. She enjoys watching CSI. Martha was born in Kansas and would like to travel to Egypt. She was most influenced by various sewing groups and her favorite block is flying geese.

This is the sheet that needs to be filled out for the guild auction. Please attach the filled out sheet to your auction item. You may bring your item to me at anytime. I will have extra sheets with me at guild meetings. Please turn your items in before the day of the auction/luncheon so that I can have time to get the description sheet made up. It's easier on the people working the auction to have items earlier than on the day of the auction. Thank you,
Shawn

Mini-Auction

Member Name _____

Category _____
(e.g. Mini-table runner, gift basket, etc.)

Size _____

Description _____

This is our largest fundraiser and is used to support the wonderful programs we enjoy during the year, your contribution is greatly appreciated.

If you are unable to bring your quilt to guild, please call me at 819-3135 or email me at sdelker@cox.net and I will be glad to make arrangements to pick it up.

Thank you,

Shawn Delker
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DON'T MISS OUR OCTOBER MEETING: (October 15)

We will be having a work night where you can work on your community service quilts, finish up your auction items, and help prepare for the Quilter's Trio on Saturday, October 20.



Enchanting Art Dolls & Soft Sculptures

If you're interested in making that first cloth doll or going deeper and giving your cloth dolls more polish, this is the book for you. Marina covers everything from the essential tools and materials needed, the basics of doll making, costuming your dolls, and creating soft sculptures.

At the beginning, Marina explains that doll making is a very liberating activity and it allows for flexibility as you work with the materials, so that all dimensions are approximate and not exact. Much of what Marina does relies on crazy quilting and embroidery techniques, and this was something I was very interested in, but the use of heavy embellishments can be used as little or as much as you desire.

There are plenty of patterns that cover free standing dolls, dolls framed in still life scenes, dolls as brooches, plus fancy fish, teddy bears, and even a country cottage. A gallery at the end of the book I found to be particularly inspiring. A template section is included as well for those of us who really need a starting point.

This book has everything that you need to get started making dolls and soft sculptures. You're only limited by what you can imagine.

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Mark Your Calendars!

It's almost time for:

Silver Needles Quilter's Trio Luncheon

"Back to the 30's"

October 20, 2012

If you haven't returned your opportunity quilt tickets, please bring them with you to the October meeting.

Thank You!

HALLOWEEN

Red-Headed Stranger

A man was at a bar one night and saw a beautiful redhead sitting in the booth opposite him. After about 5 minutes, he got up the guts to go talk to her. Just as he sat down, she sneezed and her glass eye flew out from her socket. On reflex, the guy shot out his arm and caught her eye and gave it back to her. They started talking and the redhead invited the man to go to a movie with her, then go back to her place for a nightcap. In the morning, she cooked him a big breakfast of bacon and eggs and the man said, "Why are you being incredibly nice to me? Is this the way you treat all men who start talking to you?" The redhead replied, "No, you just happened to catch my eye!"



CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Original Sewing & Quilt Expo

Thursday, October 11 –Saturday, October 12

10:00 - 6:00 p.m. Thursday & Friday

10:00 - 5:30 p.m. Saturday

Tickets: \$10.00 daily

KCI Expo Center, Kansas City, MO.

Take A Quilt/Home Tour with Needles & Friends QG

Saturday, October 13 10:00 - 5:00

Sunday, October 14 1:00 - 5:00

Tickets: \$4.00

It will feature over 400 quilts in Liberal homes, Seward County Community College, & Baker Arts Center.

(contact Vicki Cooper 602-626-6684

www.wequilt.net

“Every Quilts A Gift” Quilt Show

Saturday, October 20 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 21 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tickets \$3.00

Lenexa VFW Hall, Lenexa, KS

Website: www.starlightquilters.com

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

See Libby Lehman!

Quilt & Vendor Show/Workshops

Quilter’s Schoolhouse/Shop Hop



Quilting Bee

New Classes Forming

Contact us for Schedule

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Our Hostess's for October are: Anita Weichman, Janda Allred and Cindy Grover

The directions for making coffee are on the coffee maker. Our refreshment supplies are in a plastic bin on top of the white freezer back by the pop machine. Thank you for volunteering to provide refreshments!





Silver Needles Quilt Guild
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Return Service Requested

Membership dues are \$20.00
payable in February / March
of each year.

Visitors may visit two meetings
for free before being asked to join.

NAME TAGS/MEMBERSHIP LISTS

New nametags will be available at the August meeting. If you have paid your yearly dues, see Marty Ryan for your new nametag. If you haven't paid your yearly dues, it's not too late. Marty will accept your payment at any time.

Membership lists are now available. If you have changes, let Marty know so she can update your information.

SILVER NEEDLES 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 me and I'll see that it gets put up on the website.

WEBSITE LINKS

Do you have a favorite website that you like to visit? We have a few links on our page, but it would be great to add to that list; **you** can help make the site something we can all use as a central resource.

Send those links today! Thank You!

Guild meets the 3rd Monday of every month at Sunrise Presbyterian Church
825 E Beloit Salina, KS 67401
Contact : Andra Hancock @ 827-4156
Board Meeting 5:45 p.m. / Social 6:30 p.m. / Meeting 7:00 p.m.