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Lincoln Quilters Guild Quilting since 1973

Meeting the *second Monday* of each month

September through May (except December)

Gathering at 6:30 p.m. Program & Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church 4015 South 49th Street Lincoln, Nebraska

On the Internet at www.lincolnquiltersquild.org

Evening Speaker

Judith Kessler Smith

Monday, September 10, 2007 • 7:00 pm

"In Perfect Harmony"

For hundreds of years, western-world artists have used the Greek classic of beauty, the Golden Mean, in designing their works. The proportion has been arithmetically codified into the Fibonacci number series.



Sculptors, architects, and painters have created beauty based on the Golden Mean for centuries. Quilters use the proportions for redesigning traditional patchwork blocks as well as a springboard for original designs. Let Judy's slide lecture inspire you to try Fibonacci numbers in your fiber art. See Judy's work at www.fiberartsconnsocal.org/JudySmith/index.html

September Class - "In Perfect Harmony"

Monday, September 10, 2007 (9:00 a.m. to 3:30p.m.)

Judy Smith of Euclid, Ohio will be teaching the techniques of the Golden Mean that will be presented in her evening lecture. Class is \$35.00 for each person. Please fill out the registration form below and mail to Cathie Miller, *Vice-President*. Address listed below.

; Sepi	tember 10, 2007 Class Registration
Who/What:	Judy Smith teaching "In Perfect Harmony"
Date/Time/Cost:	Monday, September 10, 2007
i !	9:00 a.m. to 3:30 pm
 	\$35/per person
Location:	Sheridan Lutheran Church 70 th and Old Cheney • Room 113
Your Name:	
Your Address:	
Your Phone #: Dayting	meNight
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Send check payab	le to LQG <u>plus a business sized self addressed stamped envelope</u> to

Cathie Miller, 6701 S. 84th Street • Lincoln, NE 68516 • (402) 489-7230 • cm44437@alltel.net

September Holders and Folders:

Annie Fingeret Christy Stoner Carol Pavlish Kathy Bangsund Kathy Phillip Donna Welte Vicky Skuodas Phyllis Higley

September Greeters

Cindy Hanzel Kathy Spitsen

Refreshment Committee

Rebecka Shafer Phyllis Horn Leola Kahl Joy Kruse Joyce Soderholm Jane Grabenstein-Chandler

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The deadline to submit articles and ads for inclusion in the *Plain Print* is the Wednesday following the Guild meeting.

Next October newsletter deadline:

September 12

ADVERTISING Business Ad Rates:

A 3 1/2 " x 2" sized ad is \$20 for the first month and \$15 per month for subsequent months.

A 3 1/2 " x 4" sized ad is \$35 for the first month and \$30 per month for subsequent months.

Ads must be camera-ready.

Classified Ad Rates:

Any individual may place a classified quilt-related ad in the "Quilters' Exchange" at a cost of \$5.00 for 30 words. Send exact text for ads. Send articles and ads with payment (payable to "Lincoln Quilters Guild") to:

Lin Gowin-O'Brien 642 S. 28th Street Lincoln, NE 68510 Telephone: (402) 477-6545

Cellular: (402) 304-8438 Email: Linobrien@aim.com

President's Message

When we visit our son in New York City, we notice signs referring to "the city that never sleeps." Over the summer, I have come to think of LQG as "the guild that never sleeps!" We do not have regular summer meetings but the amount of guild-building work that continues through the summer is truly amazing. From membership processing to committee meetings to newsletter preparation, the work of our guild goes on and on. All of this effort is carried on by volunteers – people who have accepted responsibilities because of their interest in quilting and recognition that a quality organization requires commitment of time, talent, and energy. Thank you to everyone who has added LQG tasks to summer work schedules and activities. As we begin our regular guild year in September, let's help and encourage each other to find ways to be involved in what promises to be an exciting year for quilters – the 2008 Quilt Show, the opening of the International Quilt Study Center, meaningful quilt guild outreach activities, and a most interesting schedule of programs and classes!

Judy Bucklin Lane

October Class - "Slow and Steady Turtle"

Monday, October 8, 2007

Cathy Miller of Victoria, British Columbia is a folksinger/songwriter who, with her musician husband, John Bunge, tour North America, presenting an entertaining program of folk songs, stories and quilts. In Cathy's "Slow and Steady Turtle" class you will learn two different freezer paper appliqué techniques, with the paper either on top of the fabric or on the bottom – a perfect hand work project to carry anywhere!

October 8, 2007 Class Registration

Who/What: Cathy Miller teaching "Slow & Steady Turtle "

Date/Time/Cost: Monday, October 8, 2007

9:30 a.m. to 2:00 pm

\$25/per person

Location: Sheridan Lutheran Church 70th and Old Cheney • Room 113

Your Name:______Your Address: ______

Your Phone #: Daytime_____ Night _____

Send check payable to LQG <u>plus a business sized self addressed stamped envelope</u> to Cathie Miller, 6701 S. 84th Street • Lincoln, NE 68516 • (402) 489-7230 • cm44437@alltel.net



Hearts and Hands

Afternoon Workshop

Meetings will start at 1:00 pm in Room 008. This room is just down the hall from the Fellowship Hall

Christ Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall 4325 Sumner Street 1:00 pm 4th Monday of the Month

For more information call: Judy Edwards 489-7395 or Arlene Lynn 466-5148.

Piecemakers

A newer small group that meets monthly. <u>All</u> <u>levels</u> of quilters are welcomed.

Meetings will be

4th Thursday of the month

at 1:00 in the afternoon

Sew Creative

5221 S. 48th Street

Call Willa Smith at 420-2422 if you have any questions. Please leave a message and I will return your call. Or you can email me at rswd660@inebraska.com



Evening Stars



Evening Workshop —

Meets the 4th Monday of each month, at 6:30 pm at the **Sew Creative** in the Sutter Place Mall. 5221 S. 48th Street.

During June, July and August this group also meets on the 2nd Monday at the same time and location.

For more information, contact Dana Atteberry at 474-1150.

LQG Treasurer Report April 2007

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Beginning Checking Balance 4/1/2007	\$18,212.74
Checking Interest Scholarship donations Membership Program and Classes Spring Bus Trip* Mini Raffle Quilts TOTAL INCOME	5.22 200.00 2,350.00 280.00 30.00 66.00 \$2,976.22
EXPENSES	
Administration Awards Courtesy and Hospitality Meeting Room Rent Newsletter postage and printing Resource Room Rent Cuddle Quilts Scholarships Bank Service Charge Programs and Classes TOTAL EXPENSES	28.39 114.60 7.24 300.00 518.60 400.00 39.17 700.00 2.70 \$1,105.18 \$3,215.88
OVERALL TOTAL	(\$239.66)
Ending Checking Account Balance 4/30/2007 (note: \$311.52 is Fall Retreat to be carried to next year Total CD's (matures 10-29-07) 10/29/2007 TOTAL ASSETS 4/30/2007 *Spring Bus Trip is self-funded	\$17,973.08 ar) \$19,737.66 ======= \$37,710.74
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Beginning Checking Balance 5/1/2007 INCOME	\$17,973.08
Checking Interest Membership Program and Classes Mini Raffle Quilts TOTAL INCOME	5.66 2,050.00 35.00 119 <u>.00</u> \$2,289.66
EXPENSES Administration	8.00
Courtesy and Hospitality	2.31
Janitor gratuity	150.00
Newsletter postage and printing	278.20
Bank Service Charge	1.80

Ending Checking Account Balance 5/31/2007 \$19,661.13 (note: \$311.52 is Fall Retreat to be carried to next year) Total CD's (matures 10-29-07) 10/29/2007

\$19,737.66

5/31/2007 TOTAL ASSETS *Spring Bus Trip is self-funded

Programs and Classes

TOTAL EXPENSES

Dani Hecker

OVERALL TOTAL

Treasurer 2006-2007

Santa Socks 2007

THANK YOU to all of your generous donations! We have a fine selection of stocking stuffers. That means we need to get some stockings made to fill with all of the goodies. Any stocking pattern can be used or pick one up at the Santa Sock table before the meeting. Get your

creative ideas flowing! Keep those stuffers coming. I do still have room for them!

REMEMBER you can bring these items any month or stuff a dollar or two into our big sock.

Here are the suggested items per month.

September: Back to school items, markers, crayons, pens, color books, journals, etc.

October: Pocket calendars for the new year, hand lotions, hand sanitizers, etc.

November: Santa Socks/Sacks and lots of dollars for voting plus any stocking stuffers.

> Again, thank you for your support! Gloria Smith and Sandy Gruntorad

Remember, we will accept these items throughout the rest of this year.

Combs/brushes Coloring books/crayons Lip Gloss/Chap Sticks Word books, crosswords, etc Make-up Small games, puzzles Nail Polish Story books **Toothbrushes** Small stuffed animals Small toothpaste Hair items

Small Kleenex packets Pony tail holders, etc.

Beginning Checking Balance 6/1/2007

Journals, note pads, pens Jewelry items Small packs of gum or candy

Note Cards Christmas ornaments

June/July 2007

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Checking Interest Membership Santa Socks Y Frame Ren TOTAL INCOME		12.14 1,635.00 10.00 <u>40.00</u> \$1,697.14
Administration Insurance and Bonding Public Organizations TOTAL EXPENSES		52.88 30.00 <u>40.00</u> \$122.88
OVERALL TOTAL		\$1,574.26
Ending Checking Account B (note: \$311.52 is Fall Retreat to	be carried to next yea	\$21,235.39
Total CD's (matures 10-29-07)	,	\$19,737.66 ======
*Spring Bus Trip is self-funded Kimberly Shelley Treasurer 2007-2008	7/31/2007	\$40,973.05

\$121.30

\$601.61

\$1,688.05

\$39,398.79

Minutes of the Lincoln Quilters Guild - May 14, 2007

College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church - Lincoln, Nebraska

Kate Called the meeting to order. She read two quotes about quilting and guild from the book <u>Around the Quilt Frame</u>, edited by Kari Cornell.

Vice President, Becky Haynes, told us about tonight's program. Our scheduled speaker, Stella Schaffert, was unable to come because of health problems. So the members of the current Exec. Board and next year's Exec. Board each brought 3 quilts to share with us.

The participants in this year's Quilt Challenge showed their quilts so we could associate each quilt with its maker.

Business Meeting

Minutes: The minutes of the last meeting were in the Plain Print. There were no corrections so they were approved as printed.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report was in the Plain Print. There were no corrections, so the treasurer's report was remanded for audit.

Announcements: Judy Lane
A national traveling exhibit will be in
Omaha August 3 - 19. The exhibit consists
of two parts. There are 50 quilts made by
women in "Women of Biblical
Proportions". This is during the Ricky Tims'
Seminar. August 21 – 31, 50 quilts made
by men in the "Men of Biblical Proportions"
will be displayed. Sutherland Gallery in the
Cathedral Cultural Center, 701 N. 40th,
Omaha, 11 am to 4 pm free admission

QUILT SHOW in Aurora, Nebraska "Follow the Stars". June 23 & 24, Saturday 9 - 5 and Sunday 1 - 5 at the Messiah Lutheran Church, 415 S. 18th Street. Sponsored by the Nimble Thimble Quilt Guild. The featured quilter is Kim Lief. Admission is \$3.00. Pie and coffee will be for sale. Raffle quilt with appliqué. Mini raffle. Down Town Quilt Shoppe will be the vendor.

A book showing all 52 quilts in the traveling exhibit: Alzheimer's: Forgetting Piece by Piece is now available from Ami Simms. Go to *AmiSimms.com* for more information.

A cuddle quilt thank you. Thank you so much for the beautiful quilt. We appreciate the time and caring that went into each stitch. From all three of us, *Bill, Romnie, and William Bivin*.

A thank you note from Millie Fauquet. I wish to express how meaningful it was to me to receive recognition with a "shining star" award from LQG. Bless those who had the idea! It was a good thing to recognize many members. It was the spark I needed! Thank you so much.

A thank you card was received from Jo Baxter for her Bright Star award.

A card from Carroll Dischner: Dear Kate, I was totally surprised at receiving the honor of Life Member of the Guild! I wish to thank you and the committee who made this happen. Please give my thanks to all. It has been fun to watch the guild grow and accomplish so much in the community. I am sure it will continue to do so. *Thank you.*

A thank you from Hope Partridge, Dear Board Members, Many, many thanks for the Bright Star award! You are forgiven, Kate, for telling a "little white lie"! I'm so proud of the guild and how it has grown today — it has had wonderful leadership. Fondly, *Hope*.

Dear Kate, My thanks to you and the members of the Lincoln Quilters Guild board for presenting me with a Bright Star award. It came as a complete surprise, but was very much appreciated. Lincoln Quilters Guild has always been and will continue to be an amazing organization thanks to dedicated volunteers. Best wishes and many, many thanks. Sonja Schneider

Dear Kate, Exec Board, and LQG, I am so thankful and awed by the remarkable honor you bestowed on me in the Life Membership in LQG. I am humbled by the other wonderful women who are in the Lifetime Membership ranks and plan to spend my lifetime being educated, entertained, and kept busy by LQG. Thank you most sincerely, *Becky Haynes*

A thank you card was received from Jonathan Gregory who received a scholarship from LQG.

Tada Productions, in collaboration with the International Quilt Study Center at the University of Nebraska, will present "The Quilters", a story of a pioneer women. The production will be at The Loft at the Mill on May 9-11 and May 15-18, 2008.

The Quilted Kitty and The Cosmic Cow are sponsoring a Quilters Swap Meet on Sunday July 22, 2007, 9 m to 1 pm. For more information and vendor table registration, call 402-420-9292.

Information was received from James Terry. The Malone Center will hold a Festival on June 15, 2007. There appears to be no charge for informational tables. If interested, call Mr. Terry at the Malone Center.

Bev Vogel is looking for the pattern "October Harvest" by Jane Joans. It was in the 2005 Keepsake Quilting catalog.

Judy Lane announced she still has lost and found items from the March meeting. If these items are not claimed tonight, she will give them away.

Joyce Donlan and Tracy Schrotberger, cochairs of the Refreshment committee, still need chairpersons for the September, November, February, March, and April meetings. They also need committee members for January, February, March, and May meetings.

Guild officers and committee personnel from 2006-07 and 2007-08 are invited to a potluck salad supper on Tuesday, June 12, 6:00 pm in the basement of First United Methodist Church at 50th & St. Paul Streets. Please bring a salad to share and your own table service. Beverages and dessert will be provided. At about 7:00 pm, we will walk to the Weary Sports Center, the site of the 2008 LQG Quilt Show.

The Blue Valley Quilt Guild's show "Old Traditions-New Trends, will be on September 29 -30,2007, at the Ag Pavillion in Seward.

Ellie Chambers and Joyce Pope are in need of volunteers to white glove at the Nebraska State Fair starting Friday August 24th and ending Monday September 3rd. Please call Ellie Chambers (402) 420-6613, email boss2hog@aol.com or Joyce Pope (402) 464-0970, email carkia49@yahoo.com.

Condolences go out to Nancy Simmons whose husband, Ellis, passed away this Month.

Tonight we had 1 guest with us.

New Business

Plain Print: There was an article in the last Plain Print about the new system we will be using to deliver the email version of the Plain Print.

Next Year's Programs: Cathie Miller was out of town, so Becky Haynes told us about next year's great programs.

There was no other new business.

Old Business

Bus Trip Survey: Judy Lane asked everyone to fill out the Bus Trip survey. Judy and the Exec. Board are collecting information to help make decisions about future trips.

Quilt Show: Elizabeth Sterns and Roxann O'Hare reported our Quilt Show will be at Weary Center, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 53rd & Leighton. The Quilt Show will be May 23-25,2008

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Discover Nebraska: Kate read the following statistics about our Discover Nebraska program. During the 2001 – 2002 school year, the first year we did Discover Nebraska, our members visited 37 classrooms in 12 schools interacting with 740 kids. This year, they were in 102 classrooms in 36 schools reaching 2040 kids! Talk about a great way to impact kids! And it's not just the students, they also interact with the teachers, the para-professionals, administrators, custodians, and parent volunteers in each of the schools they visit.

Sheila Green then introduced the Discover Nebraska volunteers and asked them to stand and be recognized.

Ricky Tims Seminar: Sheila Green reported that as of tonight we have 63 signed up for the seminar and 16 for the Piano concert.

Alzheimer's Priority Quilts: Kate had the Priority envelopes with her. If you finish a quilt during the summer and want to turn it in then, call Kate. Any quilts brought tonight, should be given to Kate after the meeting.

Committees Reports

Cuddle Quilts: Anita Ahrens reported as of June 2006, 521 quilts (Angel, Preemie, Cuddle, Twin and Liners) have been delivered.

Friendship Blocks: Donna Welte had only 4 blocks turned in with one name, which were won by Jane Grabenstein-Chandler.

Mini Raffle: Sue Mckee announced we raised \$119.00 tonight. Book & Retro Apron donated by LeAnn Frobom, won by Rosalind Carr; Wallhanging, Spring Flowers, donated by Sandra Wade, won by Jan Tutty: Book donated by Pam Wakeman, won by Bev Hillman; Wallhanging, Feathered Friend, donated by Kathy Baumbach; Book donated by Marcia Koerner, won by Karalene Smith; Wallhanging, Geraniums, donated by LeAnn Frobom, won by Dana Atteberry. Sue McKee reported we raised \$737.00 for the vear.

Thank You: Committee Gifts (quilt journals) from Kate were passed out to the many, many people who make this guild run.

Installation of Officers: Gloria Smith and Lucille Lenz, from the Nominations Committee, presented this year's Exec Board with roses as a thank you for their service on the Board. The 2007 -2008 Exec Board were installed and presented roses.

New President Judy Lane presided over the remainder of the meeting.

Judy presented Kate with a lovely, finished guilt made from blocks made by Committee members and friends.

There was no more old business, so the meeting was adjourned to Show and Tell.

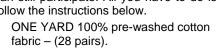
> Minutes submitted by Sharlee Green LQG Secretary

LQG Fabric Exchange Table

- 1. No money is involved (beyond your initial cost for fabric).
- 2. The table will consist of an assortment of fabrics in these sizes:
 - a 9" squares
 - b. 1/4 yards straight cuts or fat quarters
 - c. ½ yards
- 3. You trade one-for-one.
 - a. one 9" square for one 9" square, one 14 yard for a 14 yard, one ½ yard for a ½ yard.
 - b. You cannot trade a ½ yard for two ¼ yard pieces or vice versa.
 - c. The trade must be "like for like".
- 4. If you contribute a "unit", but don't find one you want that month, you will be given a coupon to redeem at a later meeting. Coupons do not expire; neither will they be replaced if lost.

LOG NICKEL SWAP

We're still doing the Nickel Swap and you can still participate! All you have to do is follow the instructions below.



- Yes, you can use yardage from your stash but be kind!
- We need Darks and Lights as well as Mediums
- Trim selvages off
- Cut 5 inch squares
- Stack fabric squares in twos alter each pair at a 45 degree angle so it's easy to grab just two at a time.
- Place all trades in large "zip-lock type" bag labeled with your
- BRING TO MEETING Pick up your swap (27 pairs) at the following meeting!

New at the Public Library!

Lincoln City Libraries offers numerous resources for guilters and quilt lovers. Below are additions that have been made to the collection during 2007. All items are available for check out, including issues of magazines. To request a title, contact or visit your closest LCL location, call the Reference Department at 441-8530, or go online to www.lincolnlibraries.org.

Chameleon Quilts: Versatile Looks Using Traditional Patterns by Margrit Hall (c2006)

Dazzling Quilts: Easy Glitz and Instant Glamour by Pamela Mostek (2006)

Debbie Mumm's New Expressions by Debbie Mumm (c2006) Fast Quilts from Fat Quarters by Barbara Chainey (c2006) Log Cabin Quilts with Attitude by Sharon V. Rotz (c2006) Origami Quilts: 20 Folded Fabric Projects by Louise Mabbs (c2006)

Portraits from Nature: 35 Studies for Dimensional Quilts by Jean Wells (c2006)

Quilt Along with Emilie Richards: Lover's Knot by Emilie Richards (c2006)

Quilted Bags & Totes by Denise Clason (c2006)

Quilting: The Complete Guide by Darlene Zimmerman (2007)

Scraps by Judy Martin (c2006)

Traditional Quilts with a Twist by Maggie Ball (2006)

90 Minute Quilts: 15+ Projects You Can Stitch in an Afternoon by Meryl Ann Butler (2006)

The Fortune Quilt by Lani Diane Rich (c2007)

The Quilter's Homecoming: An Elm Creek Quilts Novel by Jennifer Chiaverini (c2007)

Current Magazine Subscriptions at LCL

American Patchwork and Quilting Fons and Porter's For the Love of Quilting Quilter's Newsletter

Quilting Arts Quiltmaker

> Submitted by Kimberly Shelley LQG Treasurer and librarian at Anderson Branch Library



Wallhangings for Habitat for Humanity

Welcome a family into their new Habitat for Humanity home with your gift of a "home" themed guilted wallhanging. Thanks to Sharlee Green, Marlene Saunders, Judy Lane, Sheila Green and an anonymous donor for the wallhangings recently donated. About 8-10 wallhangings are needed each year. They should be about 18"x24," your choice of technique and design. Please include a hanging sleeve. A quilt label will be provided for you to sign when your bring your donation to an LQG meeting. Bed sized quilts are also appreciated. Thanks for your generosity!

Sheila Green 483-0453

Discover Nebraska

Back to school and back to Discover Nebraska! More classroom volunteers are wanted for this rewarding volunteer opportunity with the Lincoln Quilters Guild! Share your love of quilting and the history of Nebraska with fourth grade



classrooms in Lincoln and the surrounding area. We have been enthusiastically received in 102 classrooms this past year. No special skills are required as you help the children in making the Discover Nebraska paper guilt. Each presentation takes two hours and you may help as your schedule allows.

For more information about Discover Nebraska, go to our website www.DiscoverNebraska.org

Please join our loyal group of volunteers to find out more on Wednesday, September 26, 9am-11am, Sheridan Lutheran Church, 70th & Old Cheney. We will meet in room 113 (the same place where the Guild classes are). We'll be working on classroom packets and have an informational session for those interested. Questions? Call Sheila Green 483-0453

Ricky Tims Seminar

By the time you receive this newsletter, 63 ladies will be basking in the "rosy glow" of having been to the Seminar!!! 80+ will have attended the Friday night concert. This should be great inspiration for Quiltfest 2008 entries. Our group represents more than 10% of the total registered. More news later. Sheila Green

Quilters Guild of Greater Kansas City

Is offering their newsletter for us to view on the internet. You can go to: www:quiltguildofgkc.org and view what is happening in their area.

Challenge Quilt Exhibit

at the 2007 Nebraska Book Festival

The 2007 NE Book Festival Committee has extended two invitations to the LQG 2006-07 Challenge guilt makers. One invitation is to exhibit their guilts at the Festival and the other is to give a panel discussion on the topic of "How to Read a Quilt." The exhibit and the panel presentation will both take place on Saturday, October 27, at the Nebraska Museum of History, 15th and "P" Streets.

The panel presentation will be from 8:30-9:20 a.m. in the Museum's Gilmore Room. The challenge quilts will be exhibited in the same room from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

Nebraska State Quilt Guild

We are fortunate to have both a dynamic local guilt guild and an outstanding state quilt guild. Several LQG members are on the NSQG Board: Lois Wilson is Secretary, Gloria Smith is Region 1 Representative, and Sheila Green is Education Director.

Each summer the state guild hosts Quilt Nebraska which is a combination of classes, speakers, merchant mall, quilt exhibits, annual meeting, and a great deal of pleasure for people who like quilting. A number of LQG members are regular attendees at Quilt Nebraska.

You will be hearing about the 2008 Quilt Nebraska which will be held in Chadron on the campus of Chadron State College in July. Belonging to NSQG and attending Quilt Nebraska is an excellent way to continue learning about quilt making and getting to know quilters from all over the state.

Threads Nebraska



The Nebraska State

Quilt Guild presents Threads Across Nebraska October 5 & 6. Hours are Friday 9am to 6pm and Saturday 9am to 4pm. It will be held in a new location this year, the Heartland Events Center (I-80, exit 314), Grand Island, Nebraska, Admission \$5 per day, All vendors and quilt displays are on one level. Enjoy "warm" temperatures (no ice)! For additional information, go to the NSQG website www.nsqq.org Profits from this event will go to the International Quilt Study Center Building Fund.

- On display will be quilts representing 150 years of quilting.
- See the Dillow Quilt Collection (Sara Dillow and her late husband, Dr. Byron Dillow)
 - Over 30 vendors!
- NSQG past President's quilts
- · Quilt Appraisals
- Free Demonstrations
- · Raffle Quilts

County/State Fair Winners

A special invitation to everyone who won an award at the County and/or State Fair - please bring your award-winning quilt to the meeting for show and tell.

The September show and tell focus is always on the guilt makers who won ribbons on their quilts. Every ribbon is special - please share yours with the rest of us!



Spring BUS TRIP 2008

Kansas City Shop Hop Here We Come!

Mark your calendar for April 3, 2008. Start saving your change...even your paper change. More details later.

Glenda Johnson, Joni Sauter and Nanci Quick





Attention Free Range and Lincoln Chicks

Announcing the 22nd Annual

Quilters Fall Retreat

Our theme for 2007 is "Remembering, Sharing and Finishing"

This year our goal is to help you finish some of those projects from past years' retreats (or other UFOs in your closets) or start something new. The camp chef will be preparing all of our meals so there will be plenty of time to sew, laugh, eat, talk, and just spend time with friends – old and new.

When: October 12-14, 2007 - Friday through Sunday

Where: 4-H Camp near Gretna, Nebraska

Cost: \$90 per person

Registration Information:

The retreat is limited to the first 80 registrations postmarked on or after September 1, 2007 (earlier postmarked envelopes will be returned unopened). Groups may send in their registrations together (maximum 10 people per envelope. Please be sure to include the registration fee for everyone in your envelope).

If you have questions please contact *Karalene Smith at 477-4788 or Shelly Burge at burgequilt@windstream.net.* To register, fill out the form (one per person) and send it along with a business size, self-addressed, stamped envelope (one per person) and a check (can be one or multiple checks) made payable to LQG for \$90 per person to:

Shelly Burge 5701 S. 112th Street Lincoln, NE 68526 Attn: Fall Quilt Retreat

2007 Fall Quilters' Retreat – Gretna, Nebraska
Address:
City, State, Zip:
Phone #:
E-mail:
I would like to bunk with:
Check one in each of the following lines: I prefer a top bunk: I prefer a bottom bunk:
I would like to sign up for a massage: Yes No

The gift for quilting is like the gift for music.

You have to love it. It's <u>borned</u> in you.

You have to want to create beautiful things. If you've got it — well, you just naturally make things that are beautiful.

Mrs. Blanche Griffith

2008 Quilt Show

A Quilter's Compass: Turning
Freely on a Pivot will be held
May 23-25 at the Weary Center,
Nebraska Wesleyan University, 53rd and
Huntington Streets. The contract is signed and we are very excited about the dynamic new location.



Committee chairs are almost all filled. As some of you may have heard, I have been diagnosed with breast cancer. I am fortunate in that I have the most common kind and have a great prognosis for complete recovery. But I'll be in the throws of chemo treatments through the fall. For this reason I have created the Compass Committee so that I'll have some back up for the "big picture" things. So in addition to me and Roxann O'Hare, co-chair, Sandy Anderson and Kathi Kinnaman will be working with me on keeping all the moving parts moving.

We know that we will have the following: Guild Member Quilt Show, Auction (silent and live), daily raffle drawings, Raffle Quilt: True North, drawing, expanded Lincoln Quilters Guild Story that will include a larger multi-media display of all the activities the Guild is involved with, young quilters project for young artists 16-24 years of age, demonstrations, Literary Quilt Challenge display, reception and coordinated tours of the newly dedicated International Quilt Study Center. It should be an exciting show.

Submitted by Elizabeth Sterns

IQSC News

The new home of the IQSC is a hive of construction activity. Hawkins Construction anticipates turning over



the keys around October 1st so staff is busy planning a BIG move. Offices and books will go first, followed by 2500 quilts and related textiles. This means that business as usual at the current offices and storage facility will end with the closing of the current exhibition in the gallery, August 31. No tours will be scheduled after that date until next spring when the new museum opens to the public. (Watch for details on grand opening activities very soon!)

During the months of September and October staff will be in and out of the Home Ec building as the move begins. Volunteers will continue coverage for drop in visitors. After October all activities will be in the new building.

Volunteers have long been the backbone of the IQSC public face and with the opening of the new museum even more volunteer opportunities will be created. The new IQSC Education Coordinator, Angela Konin, will come on board in September and assume responsibility for the volunteer program. Current and new volunteers will have a chance to meet Angela at the next volunteer training meeting scheduled for September 19 at 1:30 in the East Campus Union (room to be posted).

Janet Price has accepted the position of Collection Manager and assumed her duties August 1. Janet will be scheduling the move of the quilts and will be recruiting willing helpers.

Many thanks are due to LQG members who are assembling the quilt and large blocks to be used next May in the TADA production of the musical "Quilters". Spring 2008 will be an opening season to remember!

Maureen Ose Communications Coordinator International Quilt Study Center



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