



Lincoln Quilters Guild

July 2018

President's Message



It's July, and we are about halfway through the guild year. It's a big year for all of us, first, celebrating our 45th Anniversary in May! Continuing in August, we will hold our Biennial Quilt Show, and in September, we will celebrate the service of women veterans honored with a Life Flight for service to our country by awarding Quilts of Valor to each one. We couldn't accomplish these and other awesome projects without the contributions of each of you. Remember to bring your quilts to the July guild meeting for both events. On behalf of the Board, I can't begin to thank you enough for your creativity and sharing your love of quilting with others.

My quilting experience began about 15 years ago with the birth of a granddaughter, starting with pretty simple, but adorable quilts that sent a message, "Grandma loves you". Over the years, I've been learning from my friends at the guild, and the many wonderful classes offered by speakers each year. I have a long way to go, but my ultimate goal is to be creative and to make each quilt personal. It's fun to participate in the many challenges and shows. I don't expect to win the awards, but I am proud to be part of the experience.

The Awards Committee is seeking nominations for the Shining Star, Bright Star and Life Member awards for the Guild. Please take time to recognize these talented members. Most don't strive for awards; however, the honor is treasured.

The Nebraska History Museum has a new quilt exhibit opening on June 28, 2018 – January 5, 2019 *Exploring Nebraska's Colorful Quilts*. The Nebraska Windmill block will be displayed. For more information please see the event flyer on the LQG Website under the Links tab. You'll notice the graphic was inspired by the Nebraska quilt block donated by the guild.

I am anxiously awaiting the Quilt Show. We have a wonderful venue at Lincoln Christian School, a committee that is doing an exceptional job of planning to make this the best experience to date. Thanks to each of you, your efforts are appreciated. We have an awesome raffle quilt – have you bought your tickets yet? Spread the word to your friends and family to come to the *45th Anniversary Celebration Quilt Show – Playing the Angles* August 3 and 4th, 2018.

Pat Kant, President

Minutes of the Last Meeting

LINCOLN QUILTERS GUILD MEETING

Monday June 18, 2018

College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church

President Pat Kant called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm and welcomed everyone. There were two guests and one new member.

Pat congratulated some guild members from the small quilting group, The Harmonics: Elaine Johnson, Margrethe Ahlschwede, Lois Puckett Wilson, Judy Bucklin Lane, Zeta Schneider, Marty Eischeid, and Elizabeth Sterns for their beautiful exhibit "Quilts in the Garden". This exhibit was held in the home of Marty Eischeid.

Old Business.

1. The minutes of the May 2018 meeting were printed in the Plain Print. Rosalind Carr made a motion to approve the minutes. Carol Curtis seconded. The motion carried
2. The May 31, 2018 Treasurer's report was printed in the Plain Print. Barb Brown made a motion to approve the report. Mary Jane Kermmoade seconded the motion. The motion carried.

New Business

1. LQG Board Resignation

The Board received a resignation from Dee Weyeneth for the position of Vice President Elect of Programs. Marilyn Schnepf was nominated to fill the position of Vice President Elect of Programs. No nominations were presented from the floor. Therefore, the membership will vote on the nomination of Marilyn at the July meeting with installation following.

2. We are still seeking two nomination positions for year 2018. Board positions for 2019 are also needing to be filled. Pat asked that we please consider volunteering for a position.

3. **Announcements, Christina Chapman, President Elect**

1. Thank you so much for the quilt we were given for our husband and father. It made our difficult time a little easier knowing someone cared about our comfort as well as Gary's. Know that your generosity touched all of us. Sincerely, The Family of Gary Hascall.

2. Dear Lincoln Quilters, Thank you for the warm hospitality during my recent visit. I felt so welcomed and at home with your members and enjoyed their smiles and creativity. 'til our paths cross again, Mickey Dupre.

3. To all the kind members of the Lincoln Quilters, I am the one who received one of the bright cheerful quilts made by your members. I can tell you I've waited eighty-eight years for that!! It brightens the room so much and catches the eyes of people walking past. I love the bright pink background. Thank you so much for your kindness. Sincerely, Dona L. Hohensee

4. Thank you notes of appreciation to the guild were received from Millie Corkill, Margrethe Ahlschwede, Mickey Depre, Lois Wilson, Pat Hackley, Millie Fauquet, Judy Lane, Carroll Dischner, and many, many more on

Facebook regarding the 45th Anniversary Celebration.

5. Kim Marsh asked the guild to announce her moving sale which includes an almost brand new Baby Lock Crown Jewel Longarm Quilting Machine with 5'-10' expandable frame & never used. \$5,000 Digital Software Tablet attached.. See the announcement table for more information.

6. Please check the Information table for printed announcements

Committee Reports

1. Awards Committee: Jaynee Wolfe, Carol Curtis & Sue Lundy.
2. Jaynee Wolfe announced that the deadline to submit applications for awards is Sept 1, 2018. The available awards are:
 - Shining Star:** LQG member who makes a significant contribution to the guild for a single project or an on-going project.
 - Bright Star:** LQG member who's consistent achievement and continuing involvement for the betterment of the guild over a period of time.
 - Life Member:** Highest honor for Lifetime achievement and significant contribution to the guild.Jayne can provide necessary form and they can also be found online.
2. Quilts of Valor: Sara Kenny. Sara thanked everyone for their contributions for the All-Female Honor flight in Sept. There are currently 75 finished quilts. More than 30 quilts are out for Longarm quilting & binding. There are almost another 30 commitments for additional quilts. However, more quilts and pillowcases will still be accepted.
3. Quilt Show: Sheila Green. Sheila requested volunteers to help at the Quilt Show. Men are especially needed to transport items from storage to the show. They are also needed to help hang quilts and take down quilts after the show. Help advertise the show by handing out bookmarks and sharing posts on Facebook. Sheila stated that to celebrate 45 years of LQG the Quilt Show is asking all past Presidents to provide a quilt for the display. They are trying to locate quilts made by Lou Lessman, Evelyn Reichenback, and Julia Stroebel. They would also like contact information for Sue Volkmer, Sheryl Jonas, Linda Loker and Deb Bauer-Knopp. This information can be give to Sheila or Pat Hackley.
4. Challenge Quilts: Sheila Green on behalf of Kristina Morrow. Don't forget to enter the Quilt Show Challenge. Entry forms are available at the table and on-line. Sapphire Blue and a 45 degree angle need to be included in

- the challenge quilt. Bring your finished quilts to the July 9th LQG meeting.
5. Raffle Quilt: Carolyn Garner. Carolyn had a drawing for members that had a white ticket for buying raffle quilt tickets. Vicky Skuodas donated a wall hanging that was won by Carol Curtis. Carolyn stated that there are 480 raffle tickets remaining to be sold.
 6. Quilt Show Registration: Christina Chapman. Christina encouraged everyone to register their quilts on line. Paper registrations need to post-marked or delivered to her no later than July 16. On line registration ends July 19. The registration form has been revised to not ask how your quilt fits the Quilt Show theme. There is a limit of three quilts per person and the quilts cannot have been in another LQG quilt show. Former LQG Presidents that make a quilt can have 3 additional quilts in the show.
 7. Quilt Auction: Linda Gale. Items that have been made for the Quilt Show Auction were shown at the meeting. Linda announced that there is not a size restriction on donated items. She would like to have donations by the July meeting.
 8. Lancaster County Super Fair: Cynthia Levis. Cynthia reminded us of the Fair dates, August 2 – 5. Natalie Cummings and Cynthia will make posters advertising both quilt shows. Laura Franchini from Wisner, NE will be the Judge. The open class quilt department will be located in a more secure area this year, the Lancaster Room. Quilts made in 2016, 2017, and 2018 can be entered as long as they have not won a blue ribbon. Online registrations begins June 1, 2018 and ends Wednesday, July 25, 2018. Check in of quilts is July 31, 4-8 pm. Sign up sheets will be available at the July meeting.
 9. LQG-IQSCM Liaison: Ann Hauder. Ann thanked everyone for donating pincushions to the IQSCM. Donations for pincushions continues through the remainder of the year. Three exhibitions are currently at the IQSCM:
 - a. Singular Fascination
 - b. Color and Contour: Provençal Quilts and Domestic Objects
 - c. War and Pieced: The Annette Gero Collection of Quilts from Military FabricsFor more information visit the LQG website.
 10. Days for Girls: Vicky Skuodas. Vicky announced that a work day for this project will be held at the church on Wednesday, June 20, 2018. Bags, shields and pads are being made for ladies in countries that do not provide paper products. More information is at the information desk. She is planning that this will be an ongoing project. Contact Vicky for more

information.

11. Mini Quilt Raffle: Joyce Nass and Monica Reed.

Joyce announced proceeds of \$81.50.

Item 1 Patterns & charm pack donated by Anonymous. Won by Joyce Pope.

Item 2 Wall hanging donated by Vicky Skuodas. Won by Sandy Younger.

Item 3 Patterns & charm pack donated by Anonymous. Won by Pat Wink.

Item 4 Gift certificate for quilting donated by Joyce Nass. Won by Carolyn Garner.

12. Programs: Kathy Bangsund. & Kathie Baumbach. Kathy announced July class, "Focus on Bargello Quilts" by Janice Lippincott. The August class will be "Cathedral Window Pillow" by Erika Plank will teach August class. Kathy showed samples for each class. Kathie Baumbach introduced speaker Annie Smith. Annie presented program "Understanding the Value of Color".

Meeting adjourned to Show & Tell.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary,

Joni Sauter

Treasurer's Report

Beginning Cash Balance 05/31/2018	60,332.13
RECEIPTS	
Checking Interest	2.39
Membership fees	50.00
Mini Raffle	81.50
Silent Auction (45th Anniv.)	16.06
Visitor fees	20.00
Programs & Classes	135.00
TOTAL	<u>304.95</u>

DISBURSEMENTS	
1. Operations Expenses	
Ins and bonding	34.59
Meeting Room Rent	230.00
Resource Room Rent	25.00
Operations Total	<u>289.59</u>
2. Educational Services	
45th Anniv -Display/décor	187.12
GC for May speakers	50.00
PO Box rent	82.00
Website maintenance for 2017	200.00
Programs and classes	950.00
Total Educational Services	<u>1,469.12</u>
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	<u>1,758.71</u>
NET CASH (IN/OUT)	-1,453.76
Ending Cash Balance 06/30/2018	58,878.37
Current Checking Balance	28,989.69
Current CD Balance	<u>28,271.80</u>
Total Cash 06/30/18	<u>57,261.49</u>
Difference	<u>1,616.88</u>
Prior month checks cleared in June	1,616.88
	<u>1,616.88</u>
Difference	0.00



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