

Lincoln Quilters Guild

October 2019

President's Message:

It's hard to believe my year as President is almost over. Without a quilt show, the year was relatively quiet, but there was still plenty to get done. I hope you noticed a few new or returning items this year....greeters at the entrance, great workshops including a Sunday workshop this year and plans for a couple more weekend workshops next year, flood relief quilts, and the start of the new placemat project for Meals on Wheels. More importantly, I hope you enjoyed both ongoing and new friendships this year.

The October meeting is an important one in terms of guild business. Please, please be sure to read the minutes and other reports in this message before coming to the meeting. The minutes include information about the budget and the process for proposing changes at next month's meeting. The minutes also include the names of those nominated for new positions on the Board next year. We will be voting on both the budget and the nominations at the October meeting, including current Board members who will move into a new role next year (Christina Chapman-Advisor, Lisa Burham-President, Janiece Goin and Linda Gale- co Vice Presidents, and Pam Rowland-Treasurer). And we will also start taking membership renewals for the 2019-2020 guild year.

As this year winds down, I hope you'll take a moment to thank those who have served and led the guild through this year and those who have agreed to do so next year. And I hope you look forward to next year as much as I do!

Minutes of the Last Meeting

Monday, September 9, 2019 College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church

President Christina Chapman called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm and welcomed everyone. Guests and new members were asked to stand to be recognized and thanked for their attendance.

Old Business

- President Christina Chapman stated that all the Lincoln Quilters Guild meetings will conform to the "Newly Revised Robert's Rules of Order." A motion and second is not needed each month to approve the minutes unless it appears there is some sort of disagreement or dispute.
- 2. The Minutes of the August 2019 meeting were included in the September Plain Print. Seeing no questions or corrections, the minutes were approved as published.
- 3. The Treasurer's report for June 2019 was included in the August Plain Print. Seeing no questions or corrections, the report was remanded for audit.

New Business

President-elect Announcements – Lisa Burham

Discover NE presentations in the 4th grade classrooms started today. Currently, 16 schools have scheduled for the school year. We would love to have you join us in the classrooms for the 2 hour presentation. You can sign up for specific dates that work in your schedule. For more information check the website at www.Discovernebraska.org. To volunteer contact Sheila Green at 402-440-3127. Or email Sheila at Discovernebraska@gmail.com.

Two other people with LQG connections received Hall of Fame Awards at the Nebraska State Guild. Congratulations to Kay Grimminger who is the current President of FRIENDS of IQM, and Janice Lippincott who was one of our program presenters last year.

Two of our members are currently having Quilt Shows. Marilyn Rembolt has a quilt show at the Unitarian Church, and Chris Taylor has a show at Burkholder on 7th and P Street. Hours are 11-5 (Tuesday-Friday) and 11-3 (Saturday).

The Guild often receives thank you cards from individuals or family members of individuals who received quilts of comfort from an LQG group. These and other items of correspondence can be seen at the information table, along with other items of interest.

You can also find flyers on our information table detailing a new quilt challenge that celebrates the 100th anniversary of the passage of the 19th amendment

which gave women the right to vote.

Announcements and Committee Reports

Bernina Certificate - Linda Gale

The Bernina Store donated \$25.00 gift certificate was awarded to LQG member, Chris Taylor, who was present at the meeting.

Nominations – Kath Conroy

Kath announced the following nominations:

President Elect: Connie Soucie

Vice-Presidents Elect for Programs: Marti Franti and Nancy Anderson

Treasurer Elect: Sandy Hansen Secretary Elect: Joyce Nass Elections will be held in October.

International Quilt Museum (IQM) Liaison - Ann Hauder

The newest exhibition at the International Quilt Museum is called Old World Quilts. These quilts are the museum's rarest and oldest, dating from 1600 to 1810. This is a rare treat of exquisite old quilts that you are unlikely to ever see again. It will be on display from September 6, 2019 to July 12, 2020.

The 6th Annual Friends of IQM Art Market will be held November 22-23 at the museum. In addition to area artists selling their jewelry, pottery, hand-dyed scarves and wooden works of art, the Friends table will be selling artsy and/or quilt-related items donated by you. One hundred percent of the proceeds from your donation goes to the quilt museum. Please bring your donations to IQM by our November meeting or take them directly to IQM. Thank you so much for your support.

<u>Membership</u> – Roddy Humeniak

Roddy reminded members that next month, October meeting, it will be time to renew your dues for the Lincoln Quilters Guild. Dues paid on or before Dec. 31, 2019, will be at the Early Bird rate of \$40.00. Dues paid after that date will be \$50.00. This year we will need to complete the entire form when renewing. That way if we have a new address, phone number or email address, the Membership chair will made aware of the change.

Nametag Recognition - Rosalind Carr

Rosalind presented the following members with a fat quarter for wearing their name tag to the meeting: Kathy Bangsund, Barb Brown, Kath Conroy, Martha Dennis, Monica Reed, Sherry Taylor and Jaynee Wolfe.

Mini Quilt Raffle – Nancy Anderson & Marti Franti \$132.10 was made by the mini raffle.
Winners of the four awarded mini-raffle items were:

- 1. Fabric Bundle and Pattern, donated by Jerry Lee Jensen and Vicki Skuodas, winner Gloria Smith
- 2. Sunflower Mini Kit Jar w/mini quilt kit, donated by Joyce Pope and Anonymous, winner Gail Nugent
- 3. Apple mini quilt kit Jar w/mini quilt kit, donated by Anonymous, winner Jerry Frobom
- 4. Small quilt and 2 Patterns, donated by Jaynee Wolfe and Sandra Younger, winner Sheila Warren

2020 Quilt Show - Vicky Skuodas

Raffle Tickets can be purchased from Quilt Coordinator, Kathy Bangsund. Items that you are donating for the Quilt Show Auctions can be brought to the Guild meetings, beginning in October.

The theme is Sun and Fun. Start thinking about what quilts you plan to have on display at the show.

Placemat Project - Caroline Forstrom & Lisa Burham

The Meals on Wheels would like the LQG members to make 500 placemats by December of 2020. They will be delivering them to their clients. Size recommendation is 13 x 18. Caroline showed samples of placemats. Lisa Burham gave tips on how to finish the placemats by turning your backing into the binding. Caroline Forstrom, Jerry Lee Jensen and Kathie Baumbach will be collecting the placemats.

<u>Budget</u> - Caroline Forstrom & President Christina Chapman Caroline provided copies of the 2020/2021 proposed budget for those in attendance.

(Click to view or download the proposed budget.)

President Christina Chapman made the following statement for clarification of Roberts Rules. The Finance Committee has forwarded a motion to adopt the projection for the next 2 years as the budget for those two years. That motion is being shared at this meeting as notification for the discussion and vote that will take place next meeting. We will not be debating that motion tonight. We will have a brief Q&A session of up to 15 minutes during which time Caroline will address any member questions that are factual in nature or seek to understand the Finance Committee's reasoning.

Next month - We will allow up to another 15 minutes for Q & A and then the motion will be opened up to debate and then a vote. At that time, I will share additional guidelines so the issue can progress in an orderly fashion. Please know in advance, any motion presented during the debate must be provided to the President in writing first so it can be read to the membership before you start to speak. She then turned the podium over to Caroline to share

the report.

Caroline shared the Committee's report showing the guild's budget & spending recent year and projections for upcoming years. There were no questions.

<u>Programs</u> – Marilynn Schnepf and Julie Albrect Members were reminded of the upcoming programs that are listed on the LQG website.

Diane Harris was introduced as the September program presenter. Members were reminded that there were still openings for her class to be held on Tuesday.

Meeting adjourned, Respectfully submitted by: Joni Sauter, Substitute Secretary for Jerry Lee Jensen

Treasurer's Report

Beginning Cash Balance 07/01/2019	58,405.44
RECEIPTS	
Checking Interest	3.95
Programs & Classes	610.00
Mini Raffel	61.00
Membership	50.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	724.95
DISBURSEMENTS 1. Operations Expenses	
Ins and bonding	34.58
Meeting Room Rent	230.00
Resource Room Rent	25.00
Operations Total	289.58

2. Educational Services	
Library Books	120.00
Programs and Classes	1,987.01
Educational Total	2,107.01
5. Public Organizations	
NSQG Dues	25.00
Public Organizations Total	25.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	2,421.59
NET CASH (IN/OUT)	(1,696.64)
Ending Cash Balance 07/31/2019	56,708.80
Current Checking Balance	28,419.57
Current CD Balance	28,314.23
Total Cash 07/31/2019	56,733.80
Outstanding checks	(25.00)







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