

Plain Print

Lincoln Quilters Guild • Quilting Since 1973 • Meeting second Monday of each month • Sep. through May, 7:00 pm.

Lincoln Quilters Guild meets at: College View Seventh Day Adventist Church
4015 South 49th Street—in the lower level

.Batts and Wizards

Presented by LQG Members

May Meeting—May 10, 1993
7:30 p.m.

“Electric needle wizards” that will astound you are coming to the LQG May meeting. We will explore the world of machine quilting with demonstrations, show and tell and guidelines in equipment selection. Batting samples will be on display with workshop participants on hand to answer your questions. Please join us for a special night—our closing of another year.

Things to Bring:

1. Mug
2. Any overdue library books!
3. Cuddle quilt donations
4. Name tag
5. Friendship blocks
6. Show and tell quilts

May Serving Committee

Janet Barber, Chair
Opal Wulf Irene LeBaron
Ruth Sharpe Dorothy Rivett
Catherine Witt Lynn Knight
Lynn Graves Jackie Herink
Julie Oestmann

The Hearts and Hands Quilters

meet the 4th Monday (1:00p.m.) at St. Mathew's Episcopal Church, 2325 S. 24th Street. Call Wave Hanson, 423-3852, for more information.

The Evening Star Quilters

meet the 4th Monday of each month (7:30 p.m.) at Heritage Presbyterian Church, 35th and F Streets. Bring \$1 donation for rent of room. Bring your handiwork or just come to visit. Call Carol Curtis, 466-5055, for more information.



MAY '93

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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9	10	11 9:30 - 12:30	12	13 Last Quarter	14 9:30 - 3:30	15
Mother's Day	16	17 9:30 - 12:30	18 9:30 - 12:30	19	20 New Moon 9:30 - 12:30	21
22	23 1:00 - 3:00	24	25 9:30 - 12:30	26	27	28 First Quarter
30	31 Memorial Day					29

A Letter From Our Prez

As I near the end of my year as C.E.O. (Captive Executive Officer) I've been reflecting on the ups and downs of this position. Sometimes I felt it would have been easier to run a "real" business, where I could make decisions—no questions asked. But as an elected officer, I had to listen to the desires and wishes of the membership and then try to balance the desires of the many with the wishes of the few. As the old saying goes, "You can't please all of the people all of the time."

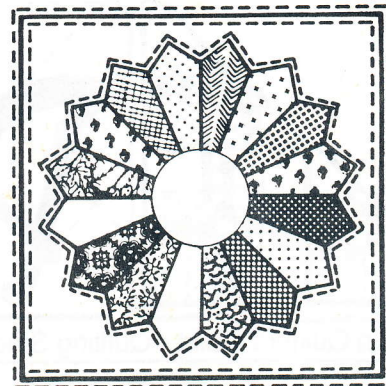
I want to thank not only those who supported the decisions that were made, but also those who did not always agree. Presenting the "other side" helps all of us to clarify our thinking. We should welcome diversity of opinion as well as diversity of quilts.

With that in mind, I encourage all of you to take part in the decision-making process. Volunteer to hold an office or chair a committee. Then attend the meetings when decisions are made. Through participation, one gains a better understanding of the complexities of leadership. We need you—all of you.

A special thanks to the Ragomaniacs, the Wednesday Girls, the Basket Cases, the Hearts and Hands Quilters, the Evening Stars, the committee chairs and their committees, and this year's officers for all the support, encouragement, and kind words they've given me throughout the year. Most of all, my thanks go to you, the members of Lincoln Quilters Guild, for a happy, rewarding experience.

My best wishes go to Sandy Anderson, our next President, and her crew. May they be blessed with many "warm fuzzies"—freindships and quilts.

Sincerely,
Sonja



QUILTERS NEEDED!!

"Nebraska Spring Song" our beautiful new raffle quilt, designed and pieced by Pat Anderson, is now ready for quilting.

The quilt is at our Resource Room, located behind StyleHouse Interiors, 2127 Winthrop Road. The room is open weekday hours 8:30am—5:50pm.

Please give me a call so your special time to quilt may be scheduled. I would be glad to open the room for a Saturday or evening group to quilt **ANYTIME!** Why not plan to have your small group meet at the Resource Room for quilting? You can help **YOUR** Guild and have **FUN** too.

Bring your calendars to the May LQG meeting so we can schedule a convenient time for you to quilt on this beautiful raffle quilt.

Thank-you for your help!!!

Donna Svoboda
435-0822

Kudos To Demonstrators

The following is a list of some of the demonstrations the guild was called upon to do this guild year.

Phyllis Higley, Sonja Schneider and Donna Jensen demonstrated for the Audobon's celebration at Nine-Mile Prairie.

Donna Jensen also demonstrated for the University of Nebraska at Morrill Hall in conjunction with the ASQG show. She also demonstrated at Cheney Elementary School, and for Dawes School Fun Night.

Kathy Meyers demonstrated for Lincoln East High School. Lora Rocke demonstrated at the Tannenbaum Festival and with Lucile Lenz at the Q125 celebration at Beatty School.

If you have demonstrated the art of quilting this year please contact Donna Jensen 466-2865 so that it can be recorded in the Education Committee's file.

Thanks to everyone who is actively promoting the art of quilting!

Do you have a favorite quilting book that you'd love to see in our library?

Write your suggestions down on a piece of paper and bring it to the May meeting. We will have a collection box at the library table. We'd love to know what additions to our library you'd like to see.

Have drapery samples.

Have upholstery samples. The real truth is I have too many samples.

Through the generosity of Armstrong Furniture the Lincoln Quilters Guild has been the recipient of many lovely fabrics. These have been snapped up for a variety of reasons. But, this is nearly our of hand.

I have separated the lighter, brighter cottons and have the heavy velours, damasks and wools and the sheers weeded out. I will hold on to these that have been culled until the May meeting.

You may call me at 488-3226 to make arrangements to see them. After that it is away to fabric heaven for them!

A new selection has been placed in the Resource Room and I will bring the lighter cottons to the May meeting. I do say that every piece that has been received has been to at least one meeting!

Jean Davie
488-3226

1993-94 LQG Officers

Sandy Anderson—Pres.
Sue Volkmer—Pres. Elect
Rosie Westerhold—V. Pres.
Lucile Lenz—Secretary
Carroll Dischner—Treas.

Thank-you to the nominating committee, Millie Fauquet, Jean Davie and Sara Velder, for doing an outstanding job.



Thanks to all members who participated in the LQG Birthday party mixer. We were able to make seven cuddle quilts from the nine-patch blocks turned in on or before the April meeting.

LQG Birthday Party Committee:
Heddy Kohl, Louise Howey, Doris Von Seggren and helpers.

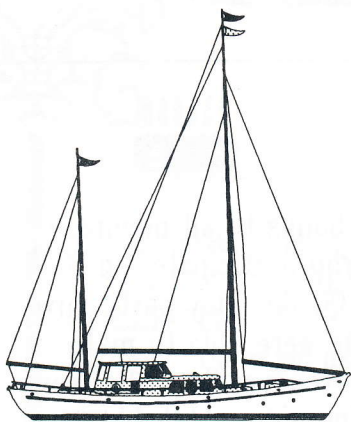
Quilting on TV

Are you aware that quilting programs are a regular feature of Nebraska Education Television (KUON, Channel 13 in the Lincoln area.)? *Quilt in a Day* is on every Sunday at 2 p.m. CDT. Every Saturday at 3:30 p.m. CDT the program is one of a series, currently *Lap Quilting with Georgia Bonesteel*, to be succeeded by *Sew Creative*.

Mona Jeanne Easter

Did you attend an LQG Workshop this year?

If you did we'd love to see your projects—finished or unfinished—at the May meeting "show and tell".



Ahoy, Maties!

As Captain of O.U.R. Challenge I am ordering you to make all of your quilts ship-shape. You have until May 9 to complete your duties.

We will have our tour of inspection on May 10.

All Challenge Quilts—both finished and unfinished—are to be delivered to me by May 9 at 2130 S. 35th St. (You may also deliver them Monday morning, May 10 from 8 — 12.) The quilt should have your name and design category labeled on the back bottom corner.

The quilts will be displayed at the May meeting. You will have your chance vote for your favorite during the “Viewer’s Choice” balloting. You may take your quilt home at the end of the meeting.

Lora Rocke
488-8473

A Note from Mona Jeanne...

My thanks for the surprise to “Some Bunny from LQG.” It is delightful!

Cuddle Quilt Work Days at the Resource Room...

May 4 9:00a.m.—3:00p.m.
June 8 9:00a.m.—3:00p.m.
July 13 9:00a.m.—3:00p.m.
Aug. 10 9:00a.m.—3:00p.m.

Cuddle Quilt supplies are available in the Resource Room—donations may be left in the Resource Room or call Sue Volkmer (781-2896) to arrange to have them picked up. Watch those garage sales this summer for bargains!! Thank you to all who have donated fabric, money and stitches.



Library Project

This is your last chance to nominate your local library to receive a new book on quilting this year. See previous Plain Print or call Mona Jeanne Easter (423-8967) for how-to information. If you act right now you may make the deadline.

Next Year’s Bus Trip

Hope Partridge and I have accepted Sandy Anderson’s challenge to plan the excursion for 1993-94 for Lincoln Quilters Guild members. Several possibilities come crowding into our consciousness and we enlist your help in focusing the selection.

What appeals to you most?

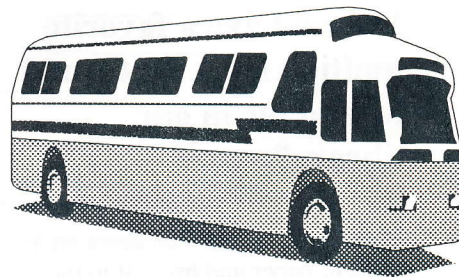
- ◆ An overnight trip?
- ◆ A day trip?
- ◆ Both, one in the fall and another in the spring?

We could arrange to enjoy the Quilt Festival in Kalona, IA. The first never-to-be-forgotten bus trip, to Kalona, was in 1988.

There is also a Maple Leaf Festival in Baldwin City, KS in the fall. For day trips, we could tour shops and museums in east and/or central Nebraska, for instance.

Please talk with either Hope Partridge (423-9431) or me and help us plan a fun time for Lincoln Quilters.

Mona Jeanne Easter
423-896



Mark Your Calendar for a Special Event:

- What:** An LQG Potluck Picnic
When: Monday, June 14, 1993 at 6:30 p.m.
Where: Antelope Park picnic shelter
Who: All LQG members (Guild members only please)
Why: We want to have a relaxed time of food, fellowship and fun. After we have eaten we will have an idea exchange. We (the board) wish to hear your ideas—realistic and fanciful—as to the programs for the guild, workshops, activities, events, the fair (County and State) or anything related to the guild.

This is your guild so we need to know what are your ideas and wishes.

Beverages will be provided. Bring your own table service and the following food items (according to the first initial of your last name):

A—L.....Salad
M—R.....Main dish
S—Z.....Dessert

If you would like to bring a copy of your recipe to share, it is always appreciated.

If you have and questions call Sandy Anderson 483-5496

It's That Time Again...
...time to renew your LQG membership!!!

Dues are \$15.00 for a regular membership and \$12.00 for those 65 years of age or older. Be an early bird and rejoin now!

Membership form on last page

A Thank You Letter

I would like to express my gratitude to the Lincoln Quilters Guild for receiving your 1993 Scholarship. Your support of my Master's project is very encouraging. The financial assistance will help with the many costs involved in designing and creating my collection of weavings.

I was delighted at the invitation to join the Lincoln Quilters Guild meeting Monday, March 8th, to meet the members of the group and to share with them a little bit about my weaving project.

Sincerely,

Ruth Stephens

Does anyone know where these people are hiding?

If you know any of the following people who have long overdue library books please, please contact Mary Copple at 781-2417 or Lucile Lenz at 483-2885. We'd like to have the books returned so others may enjoy them.

Bobbie Walton
Judy Andrews
Susan Russell
Janice Hewett
Gayle Brygger
Shirley Santee

**Minutes of the April 12, 1993
LQG Meeting Held at the
Seventh Day Adventist Church**

Sonja Schneider called the meeting to order, and welcomed the guests.

As there were no additions or corrections, the minutes stand approved as printed in the *Plain Print*.

Pat King read the treasurer's report which showed \$687.15 in the checking account and \$23,725.47 in the money market account. The report will be filed for audit.

Pat King explained the proposed budget which shows a projected income of \$10,690. The budget will be voted on at the May meeting.

Millie Fauquet, speaking for the nominating committee (Millie Fauquet, Jean Davie, and Sara Velder), presented the nominations for next year's officers. Carroll Dischner was nominated for treasurer, Lucile Lenz for secretary, Rosie Westerhold for vice-president, and Sue Volkmer for president-elect. Sandy Anderson will be the next president. There were no additional nominations, and the nominees were voted into office unanimously.

The planning committee had been charged to investigate uses of the proceeds from the NQA show. They were instructed to keep in mind the following: that LQG is a not-for-profit organization, payment of dues does not entitle members to special privileges not available to the general public, and that the purpose of LQG has a charitable outlook. Pat Hackley, speaking for the planning committee (Pat Hackley, Carroll Dischner, Hope Partridge, Helen Curtis, and Diane Wagner), recommended that LQG donate

\$10,000 of the NQA show proceeds to the Quilt Preservation Project (QPP) sponsored by the Nebraska State Quilt Guild (NSQG) and endorsed by the Nebraska Association of Museums. The purpose of the QPP is to help Nebraska's museums with the care, preservation, and documentation of their quilt collections. Pat Hackley moved that the Lincoln Quilters Guild give \$10,000 of the National Quilt Association monies to the Nebraska State Quilt Guild project "Nebraska Quilt Preservation Project" with the remainder of the funds to be invested by the Lincoln Quilters Guild for future projects. Martha Fink seconded the motion. Jean Davie provided statistics on other NQA shows regarding the amount of money made or lost, size of merchant malls, number of quilts shown, and number of viewers. Discussion followed Jean's presentation and included questions concerning administration, other sources of funding, timetable for the project, and details concerning the paid consultant. Helen Curtis called for the question, and a vote was taken by paper ballot. Of 155 voters, 15 voted against the QPP, 139 voted in favor of it, and one voter abstained.

Committee Chairs presented their announcements.

Lou Lessman, Scholarship committee, extended a thank you from Ruth Stevens, this year's scholarship recipient.

Martha Fink, Membership, announced it is time to pay dues. Membership is \$12.00 for those 65 years or older, and \$15.00 for those under 65.

Sandy Anderson announced there will be a LQG potluck June 14th at the Antelope Park picnic shelter starting about 6:30 or 6:45. People

whose last names start with A-L should bring a salad, M-R should bring a main dish, and S-Z should bring dessert or salad. Attendees should provide their own table service and are encouraged to bring the recipes for their dishes. There will be an idea exchange after dinner regarding activities and workshops.

Laura Rocke reminded members that challenge quilts will be shown May 10th. She would like the quilts by May 9th, but will also accept them between 8:00 and 12:00 May 10th. The quilter's name and design category should be on the back of the quilt.

Pat Cole thanked those who attended the opening of the quilt show held at the State Historical Museum. She will be giving a brown bag talk Thursday, April 15th at noon.

Donna Svoboda is lining up quilters for the raffle quilt. The quilt is at the Resource Room which can be accessed from the StyleHouse Interiors from 8:30 to 5:30 weekdays. If a group would like to quilt of an evening or weekend, Donna can unlock the room. She would like to have four quilters at a time.

Joan Biasucci and Donna Welte reminded members of the upcoming bus trip.

Teri Wenz is filling in as *Plain Print* editor for Kate Laucomer who just had a baby girl. Teri indicated she needs submissions by April 15th.

Jean Ang announced that NSQG is having a silent auction fund raiser July 23-25 for the Quilt Preservation Project. They are soliciting donations of quilts, tools, books, etc.

Kathi Kinneman, photographer, can supply photo reprints for \$.30 each. She asked hat wearers to see her after the meeting so she could photograph them.

Rosie Westerhold passed on a message from Kathleen McManis regarding the food drive. LQG members donated 100 pounds of food and personal care items and a \$10 donation.

Rosie Westerhold and Mary Copple had a drawing for the April friendship blocks which were Amish Puss in the Corner. They gave out five groups of blocks. They also drew names for the April Fools Blocks and gave out seven groups of blocks. Next month's friendship block will be a 6" Birds in the Air done in blues and creams.

Sonja reminded us to check the bulletin board for further announcements.

Jean Davie has sheer fabric she will give away. She is also selling upholstery fabrics for \$.25 each. The money goes to the Cuddle Quilt Project.

Sonja passed the staffing clipboard for the Resource Room for June, July, and August. The room will be open Tuesdays and Thursdays.

The Hule Brian Organization is soliciting a quilt donation to raffle. The fund raiser will help 160 high school students come to Lincoln for leadership training. Anyone who would like to donate a small quilt or wall hanging should contact Sonja Schneider.

The Omaha Quilters Guild is having a show Friday, April 30 through Sunday, May 2. Janiece Goin introduced the evening's program "Presenting the Progressives". During this program

twelve members of the evening workshop presented and explained their progressive quilts. Show and Tell followed the program, and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Phyllis M. Higly



Treasurer's Report

Checking Account

3/1/93—3/31/93

Balance 3/1/93 \$ 242.98

Receipts

Dues	\$ 24.00
Merchandise Sales	65.50
Workshops	324.00
Library	5.50
Hospitality	<u>16.00</u>

Receipts	\$435.00
Transferred from Money Market	<u>600.00</u>

Total Receipts \$1,035.00

Disbursements

Newsletter expense	\$ 75.00
Meeting room rent	235.00
Programs	177.00
Hospitality	65.00
Raffle Quilt expense	18.16
Photography expense	<u>20.67</u>

Total Disbursements \$590.83

Balance 3/31/93 \$687.15

Money Market Account

3/1/93—3/31/93

Balance 3/1/93 \$24,280.62

Receipts

Interest	44.85
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Disbursements

Transfer to Checking	<u>600.00</u>
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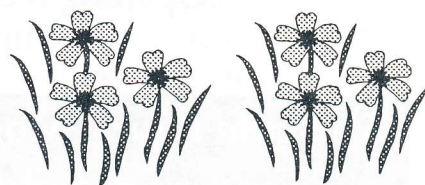
Balance 3/31/93 \$23,725.47

NQA Proceeds	\$14,978.96
Scholarships	446.45
LQG General Funds	<u>8,300.06</u>
	<u>\$23,725.47</u>

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Museum hours: Monday-Saturday: 9:00-5:00, Sunday: 1:30-5:00

For more information or to schedule group tours, call 471-4757

The following budget for Lincoln Quilters Guild will be voted on at the May 10, 1993 meeting.

LINCOLN QUILTERS GUILD
Proposed 1993-1994 Budget

DISBURSEMENTS

	1992-93		1993-94
	BUDGET	\$ SPENT	BUDGET
Printing	\$ 450.00	\$ 571.00	\$ 525.00
Officer & Committee Chair Supplies	225.00	145.00	225.00
State Fair Awards	40.00	40.00	40.00
Meeting Room Rental	680.00	680.00*	680.00
Newsletter	1,600.00	2,000.00*	2,410.00
Courtesy Fund	100.00	75.00*	100.00
Accounting Fees	200.00	40.00	100.00
Hospitality	100.00	123.00*	100.00
Library	180.00	36.00	200.00
Photography	50.00	85.00*	100.00
Ways & Means	250.00	100.00	150.00
Workshops	150.00	132.00	150.00
Programs	3,000.00	1,010.00	3,000.00
Quilt Show	750.00	1,420.00	500.00
Arts Council Membership	20.00	20.00	20.00
Safe Deposit Box Rental	25.00	25.00	25.00
Scholarship	250.00	250.00	250.00
Non-Profit Corp. Fee (biennial)	20.00	20.00	— .00
Charity Projects	<u>150.00</u>	<u>50.00</u>	<u>50.00</u>
 SUB TOTAL	 \$8,240.00	 \$6,822.00	 \$8,625.00
NQA/ASQG Dues		115.00	115.00
Resource Room		<u>1,350.00</u>	<u>1,950.00</u>
		<u>\$8,287.00</u>	<u>\$10,690.00</u>

*Spent + estimate through 5/31/93

INCOME

	92/93	92/93	93/94
	PROJECTION	RECEIPTS	PROJECTION
Dues	\$4,820.00	\$5,017.00 [#]	\$5,040.00
Sales**	500.00	800.00	600.00
Raffle Quilt	2,000.00	2,531.00	2,500.00
Miscellaneous***	200.00	300.00	200.00
Interest from Savings	720.00	720.00 ^{##}	350.00
Small Quilt Auction			2,000.00
Transfer from Savings	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
 TOTALS	 <u>\$8,240.00</u>	 <u>\$9,368.00</u>	 <u>\$10,690.00</u>

**Pins, Notecards, Patterns, Boutique, etc.

***Donations, Frame rental, % of Guest Sales

[#]360 members = 240 @ \$15, 120 @ \$12 = \$5,040.00

^{##}Estimated through 5/31/93

Finance Committee:

Pat King, Chair*

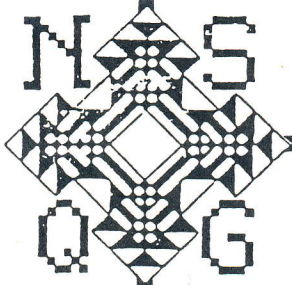
Phyllis Higley*

Carol Curtis*

Ellen Mayer

Pat Gormley

*2nd year



Nebraska State Quilt Guild

SHARE IN SILENT AUCTION FUN

The Nebraska State Quilt Guild has an exciting new project for 1993 entitled "QUILTS-A COMMUNITY'S HERITAGE, DISCOVERING NEBRASKA'S PUBLIC COLLECTION." As with most undertakings we always are in need of funds. We are asking if you might like to be a part of this big undertaking.

A Silent Auction is to be held in conjunction with QuiltNebraska '93. This will be a fun way for everyone to participate. We would welcome any number of items: books, quilting tools, fabric, blocks, quilt tops, samples, etc. Sort through your supplies and select items you might like to share. QuiltNebraska'93 is July 23-25, held at Hastings, Nebraska.

Donations may be sent any time to: Jean Ang
Rt. 1 Box 132
Valparaiso, Ne 68065

Donations may also be brought as you register in Hastings. Please fill out the form below and include this with your donation. NSQG is a 501 (c) (3) organization and donation value is a tax-deductible item.

Thank you for your generosity and support.

NSQG 1993 SILENT AUCTION FORM

Date: _____

Name of Donor: _____

Address of Donor: _____

Phone: _____

Description of Donations:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Signature: _____

Membership dues for the Lincoln Quilters Guild are \$15.00 for regular members and \$12.00 for senior citizens (65 and older). Please make your check payable to **Lincoln Quilters Guild** and mail to: Anne Parrott, 7700 N. 14th St.; Lincoln, NE 68131.

LINCOLN QUILTERS GUILD MEMBERSHIP FORM

DATE _____

NEW _____
RENEW _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

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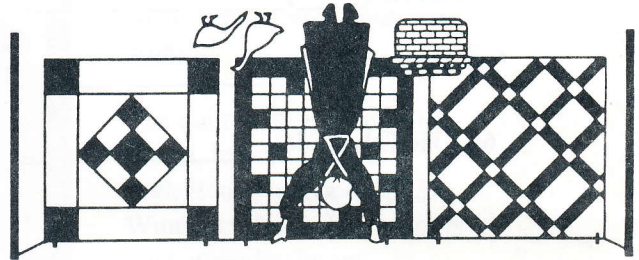


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Mark Your Calendars

"Indian Summer" Retreat

September 24, 25, 26

The Annual Lincoln/Omaha Quilt Guild Retreat at the 4-H Camp in Gretna.

Spend some relaxing, quality, quilting time in the country.

More details to follow, but we want you to be able to plan, and budget early.

The Corny Bunch