



NOVEMBER 11, 2002 – VIEWED WITH A SMILE - HUMOROUS QUILTS BY MARY STORI

Do you think quilting has gotten a tad too serious? Mary Stori says to "snap out of it. You are supposed to be having fun!" Join us on November 11 as Mary describes her work from wacky inspirations to the finished piece. As an internationally known quilting author, instructor, designer, and lecturer, Mary Stori is humorous, entertaining, and motivational. And if you want to give your quilts texture and detail for maximum visual impact (i.e., a sparkle, a shimmer, a twinkle, a glimmer) join us during the day on Monday for Mary's class, Attention to Detail. A registration slip is included in this newsletter on page 7.

- Remember to bring:*
- ✓Fabric nametag
 - ✓Announcements for your committee
 - ✓Santa Socks & gift items & voting \$'s
 - ✓Articles for the next issue of the Plain Print
 - ✓Friendship Blocks ✓"Show & Tell"

HOLIDAY PEEK at University Place Art Center
 featuring fine art and crafts
 of 90 local and regional artists
 Friday, Nov. 8: 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.
 Saturday, Nov. 9: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 Sunday, Nov 10, noon to 5 p.m.
 Free Admission – Credit Cards and Checks Accepted

- NEEDED: *Santa Sock Items*** for Cedars (400 children), St. Monica's (36-40 Moms), Lincoln Action, City Mission:
- Necessities (toiletries)
 - Hats Scarves
 - Toys Candy Canes
 - Stickers Bracelets
 - Hair Pins Gloves
 - NO PERISHIBLES!!**
- Helpers needed, too....
Contact: Chris Taylor or Judy Wright

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Lincoln Quilters Guild – quilting since 1973
 Meeting the second Monday of each month, September through May,
 at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, 4015 S. 49th Street, Lincoln, Nebraska
 Gathering at 6:30 pm. Program at 7:00 pm

January '03 Newsletter
Deadline:
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Businesses:

A 3 ½ x 2" sized ad is \$20 for
the first month and \$15 per
month for subsequent months.
A 3 ½ x 4" sized ad is \$35 for
the first month and \$30 per
month for subsequent months.
Ads must be camera-ready.

Individuals:

Anyone may place classified
quilt-related ads in the
"Quilters' Exchange" at a cost
of \$5 for 30 words. Send the
exact text for ads.

Send ads along with a check
made out to "Lincoln Quilters
Guild" to Marilyn Rembolt.
(See address info above.)

A letter from the president...

This past year has been difficult for many
members of our guild and their families. We
have lost many good friends, and felt
sorrow for our friends as well as our
nation.



I was reading a book of meditations for courage ect. and came upon
this meditation.

To help us accept the unacceptable, we can visualize life as an
immense and magnificent tapestry (quilt). Having our nose pressed
against the "Now" section of the pattern, we can't see the whole-and
some times even the part-very clearly. When something happens that
we feel is unacceptable, we can try to remind ourselves that at this
close range we can't see how this fits into the pattern of our life and
trust that, when we can step back and see the whole, this situation will
somehow add to our growth and enhance the beauty of the entire
tapestry. Accepting the unacceptable is extremely difficult, and
because of that, we need to be very gentle with ourselves as we
attempt to do it. Releasing resistance opens the door to acceptance
and serenity.

Our good friend Sara Dillows husband Byron Died Thursday
September 12, 2002. Please keep Sara in you thoughts and prayers.

Thank you, *Sheryl Jonas*

Velda Neuman Workshops

☞ February 21-23 – 'Creating Realism'
☞ February 24-26 – 'Collage Quilts creating
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Visit the International Quilt Study Center and Enjoy the New Mini-Exhibits

The IQSC presents mini-exhibits in its storage facility located on the second floor of the Home Economics Building on East Campus at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Each two-month exhibit will feature 4-5 quilts selected from the IQSC collections and may include both historic and contemporary quilts from the Ardis and Robert James Collection, African-American quilts from the Robert and Helen Cargo Collection, or Amish crib quilts from the Sara Miller Collection. While viewing the quilt exhibit, enjoy a guided tour of the IQSC's state-of-the-art storage facility which houses the IQSC collection of more than 1250 quilts. The current mini-exhibit is titled Autumn Splendor: Fall Colors in Quilts and will be available for viewing until October 30, 2002. Beginning November 4th and on display until December 23rd, see Cast your Vote: Political Quilts from the IQSC Collections.

The IQSC storage facility has open drop-in hours from 9-12 am Monday through Wednesday. Scheduled visits and tours may be arranged by calling 402-472-6549.

Treasurer's Report 9/1/02 thru 9/30/02

Carolyn Meter, Treasurer

Checking Account Balance @ 8/31/02 \$9,231.36

Income:

Checking Interest	4.31
Membership	1,635.00
Mini Raffle Quilts	93.75
Newsletter Advertisements	265.00
Total Income	1,998.06

Expenses:

Hospitality	32.74
Discover Nebraska	39.94
Dues (AQSG)	100.00
Historical Documentation	34.85

Insurance	250.00
Meeting Room	150.00
Membership Book	448.15
Misc. Expense	8.17
Newsletter	373.47
Programs & Workshops	600.00
Quilt Show 2002	189.85
Spring bus trip	(102.00)
Total Expenses	2,125.17

Checking Account Balance @ 9/30/02 \$9,104.25
 Total of CDs \$29,030.89

News from the Treasurers:

A new form, "**Receipt for Donation**," has been developed to aid your record keeping for that dreaded tax time.

For those who itemize on their tax returns, donations to the Lincoln Quilters Guild are tax deductible charitable contributions. This would include donations to Mini Raffle, Santa Socks, Auctions, etc. Ask for a "Receipt for Donation" form when you donate. Please call Carolyn Meter or Sheila Green if you have questions.

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Pave the way to children's art by purchasing a personalized brick today!... honor or memorialize a friend or family member... to help ensure the success of the University Place Art Center.

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Contact University Place Art Center for details.
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☆☆ LQG Annual Scholarship/Research Grant Applications ☆☆

The Lincoln Quilters Guild announces that the Scholarship/Research Fund offers this year to award the amount of \$500 to one worthy applicant. This is a guild project of long standing and has contributed to the pursuits of graduate students, quilters preparing presentations for selected groups such as museums, schools, AQSG, and individuals testing specific products and techniques. You need not be a guild member to apply.

The Scholarship Committee for the 2002-2003 year includes Jean Ang (chair), Martha Dennis, and Sally Basham. Application forms, with specific information are available from: Scholarship Committee, Lincoln Quilters Guild, P.O. Box 6861, Lincoln, NE 68506.

Completed applications must then be postmarked by March 1, 2003, to be considered for this year's award. If you have any questions, please submit them to the committee chair on line at Vjean430@aol or by mail at

Monday Morning Quilting meets the 4th Monday of the month at 2601 N. 48th Resource Room at 10:00 a.m. The time has changed to give the Art Center more manned hours by LQG. If the 4th Monday is a holiday there will be no group meeting that month. This will happen in May and some years in December. EVERYONE is welcome. Recently, we made blocks and finished quilts for the 2002 LQG Show Auction. We do Cuddle Quilts, have show and tell, work on personal projects, seek ideas, share techniques, trade fabric and patterns. We have access to the Guild Library and the ever changing "quilt show" at the Resource Room.

This is a "no host" group. You don't have to do a thing but come! Come anytime, all the time, whenever you can. Stay 2 hours, 1 hour or whatever time you have. We are a flexible group. See you there.....4th Monday ... 10 a.m.!! Questions? Contact Janice: 420-6326

383 County Road 29, Valparaiso, NE 68065. This just might be the means to accomplish your dream!

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MINUTES: Lincoln Quilters Guild October Meeting -- 10/14/02
7:00 pm at College View Seventh Day Adventist Church

President Sheryl Jonas welcomed everyone to the meeting and called the meeting to order. She reintroduced the board members, who stood to be recognized. All members were asked to stand and give their name when speaking. Also, please turn off cell phones during meetings.

Mary Campbell Ghormley Room Proposal

At the September meeting, Sandy Anderson, on behalf of the Special Projects Committee, moved that the LQG enter into an agreement with the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Foundation to raise \$50,000 over the next five years, with an initial donation of \$10,000, for the establishment of "The Mary Campbell Ghormley Reading Room" in the (to be built) International Quilt Study Center building. Seconded by Jean Davie. The motion was printed in the October issue of the Plain Print and scheduled to be voted on, by written ballot, at the October meeting, in accordance with Guild procedures for conducting major items of business. The floor was opened to discussion as ballots were distributed. Pat Crews, Director of the International Quilt Study Center, clarified that the money will be going into the Building Fund rather than into the IQSC Endowment Fund. Diane Deahl, member of the Special Projects Committee, also answered several questions from members. During the program, the ballots were counted by Vicky Skuodas, Lois Wilson and Roxann O'Hare. The motion carried with a vote of 170 yes, 21 no, with 5 abstaining.

Program: Donna Dombush introduced our guest speaker, Cindy Erickson of Papillion, who gave a trunk show of her quilts.

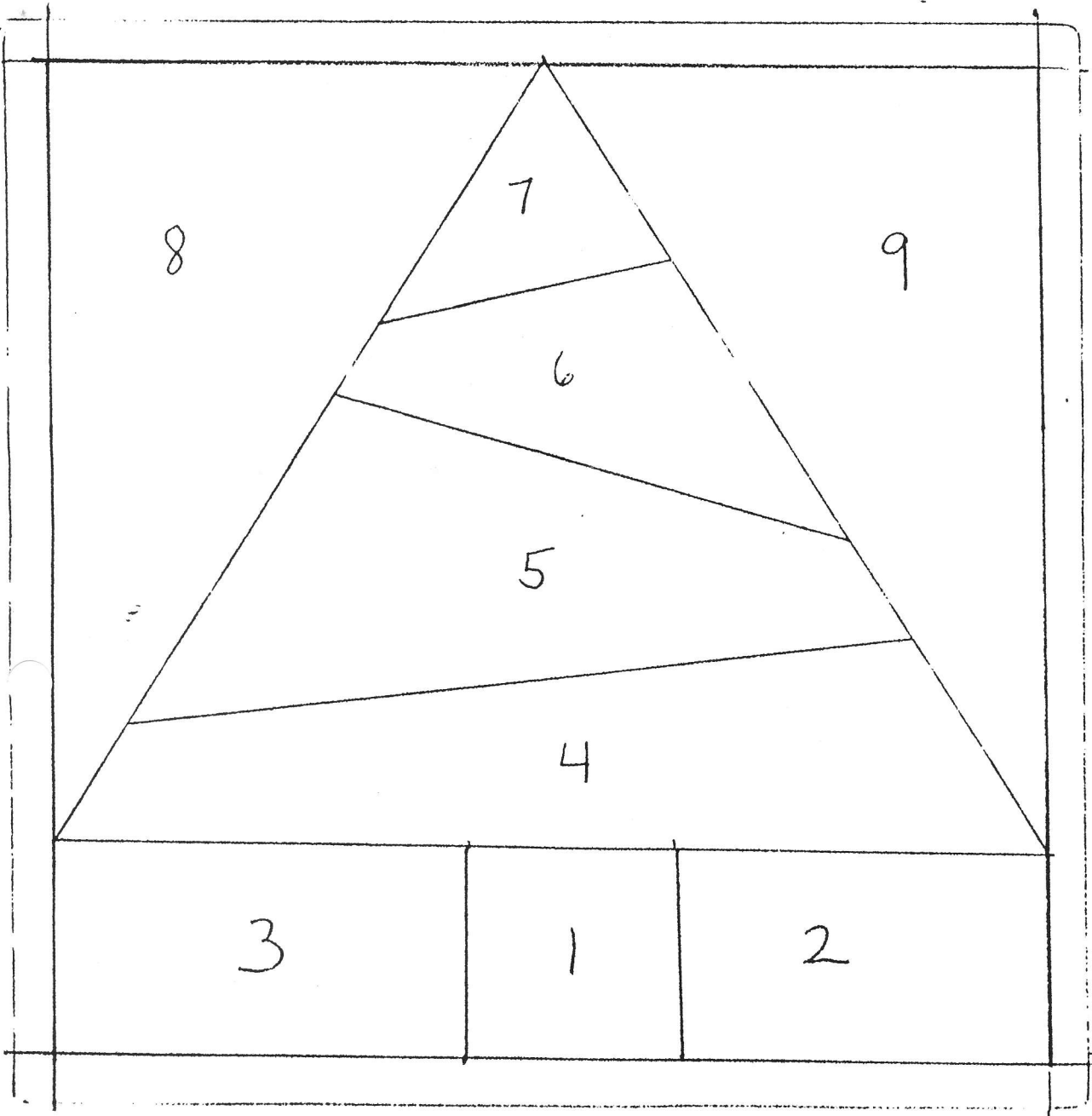
The minutes of the September meeting were approved as printed in the Plain Print.

The treasurer's report was approved as printed in the Plain Print.

Vicky Skuodas read the Announcements:

- Thanks to the refreshments committee: Faye Stevens, Cotton Gaskins, Zita Schneider, Peggy Clements, Marthena

November "Tree" Exchange Block : This block is to be paper pieced using a small tan print for the background, dark brown for the trunk of the tree, and dark green prints for the tree. To make this more fun, you may move the 3 interior lines to vary the tree "foliage". Think "country" in choosing the prints and colors. 6 1/2" → 6" finished.



DeGarmo, June Reta, Genie Sullivan and Sally Basham.

- We had 10 guests this evening.
- The guild received thank you notes from Carol Falk and Janice Lippincott for the LQG State Fair awards they received, and one from Carol Christensen for the ribbon she received at the LQG Quilt Show.
- LQG has received donations made in memory of Hazel Meyers totally \$285.
- Applications for the annual LQG Scholarship are available from the Scholarship Committee at the LQG address. Deadline is March 1, 2003. Committee members are Jean Ang, Martha Dennis and Sally Basham. For more information contact Vjean430@aol.com.

Old Business:

- Nominations Committee: Wendy Ray and Anne Parrott have volunteered. One more member is still needed. Sheryl reminded everyone that this committee is essential to the ongoing success of the guild.
- Upcoming workshops: on Monday Nov 11, Mary Stori will present a workshop on embellishments.
- Guild Librarian Karalene Smith announced that two books were donated to the library by Michael James--his Art and Inspirations and All About Quilting from A to Z. Also--please return overdue books. Books are checked out for one month and can be renewed if no one else is waiting for them.
- Please bring Santa Socks and Sacks and items to fill them for the needy, to the November meeting. For information call Chris Taylor or Judy Wright.
- The University Art Center and Nebraska Wesleyan University are sponsoring a symposium. The keynote speaker Thurs, Oct 24 is Michael Morrow, former curator of the Smithsonian Museum. Also Holiday Peak show and sale is November 8-10. Volunteers are needed to help with the sale. Call Jo Anne Bair for information.
- Roxann O'Hare announced that the next Cuddle Quilt Workshop will be Friday, November 1 at the Back Porch.
- Fat Quarter Drawing: Winners were guests Rita Peterson and Barbara Pike and guild members Alfrieda Meyer, Heddy Kohl and Helen Curtiss. Remember to wear your name tag in order to win if your name is drawn.
- Friendship Blocks: Jeanne Garvin and Kim Bock said 70 blocks were received. Winners were Kathie Baumbach, Anita Ahrens, Diane Deahl and Jeanne Garvin.

- Mini Raffle: \$110.50 was collected. Winners were: Jan Stubbendeck won the quilt donated by Joyce Donlan and a book donated by Judy Lutgen. Elaine Ford won a quilt donated by Sharlee Green.
- The Bus Trip will be May 10. The theme is "Magical Mystery Tour" and the fall Retreat will be October 3-5. For information contact Dianna Dreith or Cindy Weyers.

New Business:

- Jean Davie announced that the Friday Quilt Group, of which Mary Ghormley is a member, is pledging \$250 over a five-year period to the Guild's \$50,000 pledge to the IQSC Building Fund for the Mary Campbell Ghormley Reading Room.

The meeting adjourned at 8:50 pm. Show and tell followed.

Minutes submitted by Linda Loker, Secretary

A reminder (from the LQG board) to all committee chairpersons--any donations received from vendors (or other persons) should be acknowledged with a thank you note.

☆☆☆☆ Quilting Safari Quilt Show 2002

-Loralee Novak, Co-chair

Once again, the ladies of the Lincoln Quilters Guild have outdone themselves and put on a wonderful quilt show! Words don't seem adequate to share our appreciation for all that each of you did to make this a success and make things run as smoothly as they did.

★ First of all, "thanks" to all of you who shared your quilts and stories with us. Some of the healing quilts and some of the quilts made as gifts were hard to part with, even for just a few days and we appreciate your generosity. Quilts are what make the show and you made a great show!

★ "Thanks" to Phyllis Moore for designing the

raffle quilt and for everyone who worked on the hand quilting.

★ "Thanks" to all of you who served as committee chairs (and committee members). You are certainly a bunch of multi-talented ladies! It was wonderful to see so many of you taking a portion of the big job and getting it handled so smoothly.

★ "Thanks" to all who sold raffle tickets, distributed bookmarks and fliers. The raffle ticket money is a big share of the proceeds for the show. The tickets helped advertise the show along with the bookmarks and fliers. Many visitors indicated they heard about the show by word of mouth --ladies, you did a good job of "talking up" the show and we appreciate that.

★ "Thanks" to all who donated items to be auctioned. A total of 94 items were donated for the auction.

★ "Thanks" to all who helped hang and/or take down quilts. Some hubbies, children and even grandchildren pitched in to help and were a Godsend. Sixteen-year-old legs seem to move faster than 50 or 60 year old ones for some reason.

★ "Thanks" to all of you who volunteered to be greeters or white glovers during the show. Your cheerful welcomes and helpfulness in displaying items of special interest on the various quilts enhanced the show for many of the visitors.

★ And finally, "thanks" to all of you who pitched in to help out with an array of odd jobs from typing, to making award ribbons, to making coffee for the vendors, etc.

Viewer's Choice Awards are as follows:

✓Bed Quilts

1st Place -- Lucille Lenz for "Jazz Attacks Nathan"
2nd Place -- Ruth Massengale for "Ruth's Basket Quilt"

3rd Place -- Carol Christensen for "Grandma's Garden Quilt"

✓Wall Hangings

1st Place -- Diane Deahl for "Ripening"
2nd Place -- Chris Taylor for "The Kiss"
3rd Place -- Donna Christensen for "Poinsettia Wreath"

✓Healing Quilts

1st Place -- Kathy Copas for "Penguins to Heal"
2nd Place -- Roxann O'Hare for "No Easy Answers"
3rd Place -- Shirley Sweet for "God Bless America"

✓Closet Cleaner Challenge

1st Place -- Joyce Page for "Snow Friends"
2nd Place -- Lora Rocke for "It Must Be French"
3rd Place -- Roxann O'Hare for "Twist and Churn"

✓Dolls

Joyce Donlan for "A Quilt is a Forever Garden"
Clothing
Sheila Green for "It's a Sweatshirt?"

Pictures of all the award winners can be seen on the LQG website at <http://LQG.tripod.com>

Raffle Quilt

A total of \$2,853.00 was deposited from the sale of raffle tickets. The quilt was won by Ginger Dugan (Guild member) who presented it as a gift to her friend Chris Taylor (also a Guild member).

The financial report on the 2002 quilt show is as follows:

Income

Admission	\$3,435.97
Auction	\$2,937.81
Donation	\$ 25.00
Merchants Mall	\$1,230.00
Raffle Quilt	\$2,853.00
Total Income	\$10,481.78

Expenses

Lincoln Public Schools	\$1,294.50
Pipe and Drape	\$1,212.56
Quilt Hanging Supplies	\$ 149.37
Tables & coverings (Merchant's Mall)	\$ 159.99
Raffle Quilt	\$ 519.76
Public Relations	\$ 481.81
Auction	\$ 362.68
Reception	\$ 198.55
Demonstrations	\$ 12.01
Kids Activities	\$ 20.85

White Glovers	\$	20.70
Lux School Gift	\$	35.90
Awards	\$	54.23
Total Expenses		\$4,517.91
Net Profit		\$5,963.95

❖❖❖ "There is a quilt show at Tabitha of some of Donna Christensen's wall hangings. They will be on display until November 22. She will also give a short talk November 6 at 2:00 pm on how quilting has had an impact in her life." ❖❖

★LQG Members who have quilts touring with current challenge contest shows:

- ★Gloria Smith – Hoffman Challenge -group A
- ★Vicky Skuodas - Sulky Thread Challenge

November 2002 Class Registration

Who/What: Mary Stori, Attention to Detail (explores how embellishments can make an ordinary project extra-ordinary). Class participants may bring their individual projects and, as time permits, Mary will work with them on appropriate embellishment techniques.

Date/Time/Cost: Monday, November 11, 2002, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., \$35/person

Location: All Saints Lutheran Church, 8251 Pioneers

ur
name _____
Your
address _____
phone # _____
(daytime) _____ (evening) _____

Send check payable to LQG, completed registration, and SASE to: Donna Dornbusch, 6521 Everett Street, Lincoln, NE 68506

Dear LQG members,

On behalf of the International Quilt Study Center (IQSC) at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, I want to express my appreciation for your vision and leadership in proposing a Mary Campbell Ghormley Reading Room and pledging a generous financial commitment for it. Your action will provide momentum for the IQSC building campaign that will be formally launched in the near future by the University of Nebraska Foundation. It speaks volumes about you and your organization that you are in the forefront of the building campaign.

I am delighted that we can join forces to honor Mary Ghormley, preserve her excellent library, make it accessible, and help launch a building campaign for the IQSC. By working together towards our mutual goals of preserving quiltmaking traditions, providing educational opportunities about the art and craft of quiltmaking, and mounting public exhibitions of quilts we surely will be stronger and more effective in our endeavors.

I can't wait to welcome you to the Mary Ghormley Library in the new IQSC Building on East Campus! Again, many thanks.

Sincerely,

Patricia Crews, Director

International Quilt Study Center

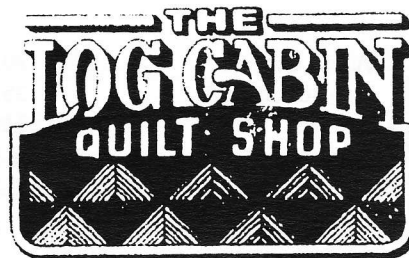
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❖❖❖ A new small quilt group focusing on sharing *Fabric Dyeing & Painting* techniques will be holding its next meeting on Monday morning November 4 @ 10:00 a.m. at the home of Marilyn Rembolt. If you are interested in attending this or any future meetings or have any questions, please contact Wendy Ray [489-4565] or Marilyn Rembolt [489-8371]. ❖❖❖

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'Holiday Peek' at University Place Art Center

November 8 - 10

Contact Jo Anne Bair to schedule a shift to work!

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