

Hands All Around Quilt Guild of Central Illinois

Newsletter

MAY 2016

WEBSITE > <http://haaqq.tripod.com>

Eat, Love, Quilt!

Thank you to our members who have volunteered during this past year. None of our programs and activities would have been possible without the input and support of standing and ad hoc committees who tried a few new things and brought back ways that have worked in the past (see our April 2016 newsletter). Their dedication and experience is what makes this Guild work. I also want to thank everyone that volunteered to be a quilt holder at meetings!

I've enjoyed the opportunity to serve as president for this past year and am grateful to have such strong experience on the Executive Board and Board of Directors to rely on. It's been a fun year getting to work with members I've not worked with before, and getting to know new members I wouldn't have otherwise. Please continue to show the new Executive Board and Board of Directors the same support that you have shown me!

To close this year, I'd like to share a Chinese proverb.

An **invisible red thread** connects those who are **destined to meet**; regardless of time, place, or circumstances. The thread may stretch or tangle, but **never break**.

I'm really looking forward to our May Salad Supper as a celebration of our accomplishments this year! See you there.

Pat Jannone

HAAQG President 2015-2016

WE NEED TO KNOW YOUR OPINION.....

.....about the months we have our formal Guild meetings. At the May salad supper, information regarding a proposed change will be given. Then a survey with the following three questions will be conducted. If you aren't able to be there but would still like to respond, contact Trisha Horner (309-242-2115).

1. Formal meetings September through May and informal meetings June, July, and August.
Quilt Spectrum in March or April.
2. Formal meetings April through December and informal meetings January, February and March.
Quilt Spectrum in September.
3. No preference.

DOOR HOSTESS

MARY WUHRMANN & RUTH TRIMBLE

Thank you for all your patience, flexibility and positive input this year with the introduction of the nametags. We hope you were able to meet new members and learn their names. We will be collecting ALL name tags after the Salad Supper. If you keep yours at home **PLEASE** return it at the supper. We will continue to have nametags for next year. Check the newsletters for updates. Hope to see you at the summer events

MENTOR PROGRAM

KAY BOWEN & KAY FISHER

Our guild is large and has many wonderful groups from which to choose. Whether you are a new member or have been in the guild for many years, will be you are welcome to come to the mentor class and meet quilters who enjoy quilting and learning new skills just like you.

In our May mentor class, on May 19th, we will be making the Jinny Beyer design for the Envelope bag. You will need to purchase a pattern or a kit (includes the pattern). I am taking orders for the pattern or kit so we will have only 1 shipping charge. You can visit Jinny's website to see examples of the colors available in Jinny's kit. I will be finalizing the order for the kit or pattern after the salad supper on May 5th.

Kay and I hope you can join us for this fun bag in May.

MENNONITE RELIEF SALE 2016

MARY SANKO

Thank you to Jo Bressan, Becky Carter, Joyce Etherton, Irene Garabrant, Mary Graybeal, Anthea Hanlin, Deborah Hutchins, Ruth Pfaffmann, Pam Riss, and Marilyn Sutherland for donating quilts to the Mennonite Relief Sale held March 18th & 19th. The Guild's 21 quilts raised \$2,145 for local food pantries and worldwide relief efforts. The Committee was very appreciative of the Guild's contribution.

MAY SALAD SUPPER

MIRIAM KNOY

BLOOM WHERE YOU ARE PLANTED SEW WHEREVER YOU GO!



**SALAD SUPPER – THURSDAY, MAY 5TH 6:00 PM
YOU'RE INVITED!!!!**

**THERE WILL BE A SIGN-UP SHEET AT THE MARCH & APRIL QUILT GUILD MEETINGS.
PLEASE SIGN UP FOR SALAD, DESSERT, OR BREAD. DRINKS AND TABLE SERVICE WILL BE PROVIDED.
WE HOPE YOU CAN COME!!!!**

QUILT SPECTRUM 2016 CD/DVDS

CHERYL ADAMS

Bob Adam will once again be photographing the quilt show. He takes pictures of every quilt and various venues during the show. There are about 250 photos on the disk.

The CD's are \$6 and DVD's are \$7. Please pay when you order so Cheryl can just hand out the disks at the Salad Supper. If you would like to order but will not be at the meetings, please send a check to Bob Adam at 27 Long Cove Ct., Bloomington, IL 61704

JUNE RETREAT

CAROLE FAY


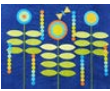










Grab your scraps and join us June 17th and 18th for two days of stitching and fun! We have room left for 12 more quilters! Fun, fabric, food, uninterrupted (mostly!) sewing. Peace and Applique will be there for some on site shopping, Frank will be cleaning machines and of course Brian Lapping will be there to massage those tight muscles we all get after sewing for too long!

Sign up sheets will be available at the May meeting. Hope to see you there.

Hands All Around Quilt Guild Programs' Workshops 2016 – 2017

[Please review the complete Workshop Guidelines on the Guild website.](#)
[Check the Guild website for further details on supply lists, locations, and links to speaker websites.](#)

NAME _____ PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

<i>Circle the date in the first column to register for events. • Indicate your check number in the last column.</i>						
<i>Date</i>	Workshop Sample	Workshop	Member Fee	Non-Member Fee	Kit Cost (Pay in Class)	<i>Check #</i>
09/02/16 Karen Kay Buckley		Folk Art Fantasy	\$30	\$40	\$14 (mandatory) (pay in class)	Please date check 07/01/16 _____
09/03/16 Karen Kay Buckley		Circular Garden	\$30	\$40	\$28 (mandatory) (pay in class)	Please date check 07/01/16 _____
10/07/16 Nancy Mahoney		Chocolate Caramel Stars	\$30	\$40	\$2 (pay in class)	Please date check 08/01/16 _____
10/08/16 Nancy Mahoney		Dot to Dot	\$30	\$40	none	Please date check 08/01/16 _____
11/04/16 Calvert & Meyers		Cactus Flower Table Runner (Judy Niemeyer)	\$30	\$40	pattern (pay in class)	Please date check 09/01/16 _____
11/05/16 Calvert & Meyers		Seasonal Table Runner (Judy Niemeyer)	\$30	\$40	pattern (pay in class)	Please date check 09/01/16 _____
12/02/16 Doug Leko		Mysterious	\$30	\$40	pattern (pay in class)	Please date check 10/01/16 _____
12/03/16 Doug Leko		Sandstone	\$30	\$40	pattern (pay in class)	Please date check 10/01/16 _____
01/06 & 01/07/17	WINTER RETREAT at NORMAL MENNONITE CHURCH					
02/03/17 Kathleen Tracy		Scrappy Stars	\$30 plus book	\$40 plus book	<i>Remembering Adelia</i>	Please date check 12/01/16 _____
02/04/17 Kathleen Tracy		Civil War Baskets Doll Quilt	\$30 plus book	\$40 plus book	<i>Remembering Adelia</i>	Please date check 12/01/16 _____
03/03/17 Lisa Bongean		Table Runner	\$30 plus kit	\$40	\$39 (optional but suggested) (pay in class)	Please date check 01/01/17 _____
03/04/17 Lisa Bongean		Table Mat	\$30 plus kit	\$40	\$35 (optional but suggested) (pay in class)	Please date check 01/01/17 _____
Dates TBD	SUMMER RETREAT at NORMAL MENNONITE CHURCH					

Hands All Around Quilt Guild 2016-2017 Membership Form

Name _____ Birth Month/Day _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zipcode _____

Primary Phone _____ Secondary Phone _____

Primary Email _____

Secondary Email _____

Membership Type & Dues		
<input type="checkbox"/> New member	<input type="checkbox"/> General member (\$30)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Renewing member	<input type="checkbox"/> Senior – 65 or better (\$25)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Junior – 18 or under (\$25)	
Newsletter Notification Preference		
<u>Email/Website Option</u>		<u>Mail Option</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Send me an email when newsletter is posted to website	<input type="checkbox"/> I will pick up a printed newsletter at Guild meetings	Mail newsletter to my home address
<input type="checkbox"/> I will access newsletter from the website. No notification needed		<input type="checkbox"/> General member (\$10)
		<input type="checkbox"/> Senior and Junior (\$5)
Photography		
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>I DO NOT give HAAQG permission to post or use my image online and in publication.</i>		
Membership Pin		
<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to purchase a membership pin (\$5)		
Membership Committee Use Only		
<input type="checkbox"/> Cash		
<input type="checkbox"/> Check (Payable to HAAQG) #	Date paid	Total

Pay your dues at the monthly Quilt Guild meeting or mail your dues and form to:

**Pam Riss
1409 East 2309 Rd.
Streator, IL 61364**

4/3/16

**HANDS ALL AROUND QUILT GUILD
Treasurer's Report
March 31, 2016**

Balance on January 31, 2015		\$13,515.78
Total Receipts		2,705.00
Total Expenses		-\$2,431.83
Balance in Checking March 31, 2016		\$5,087.26
Balance in CD March 31, 2015		\$25,127.24
Interest Earned		
Total Assets as of March 31, 2016		<u>\$30,214.50</u>
Submitted by Carolyn M. Gatenby HAAQG Treasurer 2015-2016		

ALL BILLS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY MAY 15!!! The treasurer would appreciate your consideration as she must have Year-end Treasurer Report ready for June 2 Board meeting. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS

DEBI WINCHESTER & JENNY PETTINGER

We're looking forward to a great line up of speakers for next year! Here's a summary of each month. Photos of their workshops are on the registration form.

Sept 2016 - Karen Kay Buckley - Specialty: Hand appliqué, perfect circles, ovals and stems.
She's an award winning quilter. She's also designed the best scissors on the planet.
Lecture: To Border or Not to Border

October 2016 - Nancy Mahoney- Specialty: Feathered stars, paper piecing.
She's written 14 books and designed 15 fabric lines.
Lecture: Treasures from the '30s

November 2016 - Linda Calvert & Debbie Meyers- Specialty: Judy Niemeyer Designs
Owners of Peddlers Way in Washington
Lecture: Quiltworx Designs

December 2016 - Doug Leko - Specialty: Patterns with multiple layout options
He's been quilting for 16 years and he's only 22! He founded his quilt design company when he was 14.
Lecture: Trunk Show

January 2017 - Michele LaRue - Theatrical performance of "The Bedquilt"

February 2017 - Kathleen Tracy - Specialty - Combining history with quilts and connecting to women long ago.
She's written 4 books with That Patchwork Place and her 5th is about to be published.
Lecture: A Little History of Quilting

March 2017 - Lisa Bongean - Specialty - primitive wool designs
She's the owner of Primitive Gatherings in Menasha, WI. She's known worldwide for her primitive style and folk art designs.
Lecture: Trunk Show

NATIONAL QUILTING DAY TRUNK SHOW

EVELYN YOUNG, ANDI GRIMES, LYNNE CONDER

To celebrate National Quilting Day in March, we did trunk shows featuring members' quilts at Luther Oaks and Westminster Village. Thanks to all who helped by loaning quilts or holding quilts during the show. All residents who attended seemed to enjoy the program and some brought quilts of their own for a little show and tell.

MAY	
4	<u>King City Quilt Group</u> - 1-3 pm, Leroy Christian Church. Contact Marilyn Wey.
5	<u>HAAQG Salad Supper</u> – 6 pm, Mennonite Church of Normal
11	<u>Sew & Tell</u> – 1 pm, Lexington Community Center. Contact Linda Hutchins.
14	<u>Hudson Area Quilters</u> – 9 am – 5 pm, Hudson Fire Department. Ada Rediger, coordinator. Contact Ruth Pfaffmann or Ada Rediger.
16	<u>Magic Needles</u> – 7 pm, Arlene Mitchell hostess. Everyone is welcome. Contact Arlene Mitchell.
18	<u>King City Quilt Group</u> - 1-3 pm, Leroy Christian Church. Contact Marilyn Wey.
19	<u>Mentor Program</u> – Finish Quilted Bag, 6:15 pm, Mennonite Church of Normal. Contact Kay Bowen or Kay Fisher.
20	<u>HAAQG Newsletter Articles Due</u> to Vickie Brann, HAAQGnews@hotmail.com
24	<u>Normally Sane Janes</u> – 6 – 8 pm, ReMax, 2203 Eastland Drive, Bloomington. Contact Mary Wuhrmann.
26	<u>Hey Quilters</u> – 6:30 pm, Heyworth United Church Library Lounge. Contact Kim Travers or Kim Nelson.
JUNE	
1	<u>King City Quilt Group</u> - 1-3 pm, Leroy Christian Church. Contact Marilyn Wey.
2	<u>HAAQG Board Meeting</u> – 5:30, Mennonite Church of Normal
8	<u>Sew & Tell</u> – 1 pm, Lexington Community Center. Contact Linda Hutchins.
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15	<u>King City Quilt Group</u> - 1-3 pm, Leroy Christian Church. Contact Marilyn Wey.
17	<u>June Retreat</u> – 9 am – 9 pm, Mennonite Church of Normal
18	<u>June Retreat</u> – 9 am – 4 pm, Mennonite Church of Normal
20	<u>Magic Needles</u> – 7 pm, Judy Struve hostess. Everyone is welcome. Contact Arlene Mitchell.
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