



Hands All Around Quilt Guild of Central Illinois

Newsletter

MAY 2018

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

[CAROLYN GATENBY](#)

Seaming together friendships—one stitch at a time!

As I sit here writing my last President's letter I am thinking back over this year. I want to thank all the guild members who helped and guided me along the way. I could not have done it without you. My fellow officers, Gerry Schrock, Deborah Hutchins and Bev Elder have been wonderful to work with over the past year. All those who stepped up to chair a committee or be on a committee I say thank you. We are an organization who cannot survive without our volunteers. I encourage each of you in the next year to step up and help out in some way.

There are a few openings for the summer retreat. The committee is working hard planning the two days for everyone to enjoy. Our theme is simple "Sewing with friends". I have enjoyed making a few new friends this past year and getting to know more of you. Please sign up for the summer sewing days as they will keep those friendships going and maybe you can even meet someone new.

Ruth Taha has done an excellent job the past two years running our quilt spectrum. It is with sadness that we have to say goodbye to her as they move to Indiana to be closer to their children. I wish them well and know we are going to miss all the things she has done for the guild. The quilt show went well. It may be a little while before Bev has all the final reports for us, but family must come first and she needs this time with them.

I ask that you give Gerry Schrock the same respect and help that you have given me. I also ask that you keep Bev Elder and her family in your prayers as they are going through a difficult time. I hope to see many of you at the Salad Supper.

Carolyn Gatenby, President

GUILD MEETINGS FOR 2017/2018 – HELD ON 1ST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH- AT MENNONITE CHURCH OF NORMAL, 806 S. COTTAGE AVE., NORMAL, IL. MEETING FROM 7PM -9 PM.

DATES: MAY 3, 2018 SUMMER RETREAT: JUNE 23-24, SUMMER SEWING DAYS: JULY 21, AUGUST 18

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Treasurer's Report
3/31/2018

Checking Account 2/28/2018	\$ 7,292.25
Add Total Receipts	\$ 1,009.50
Less Total Expenses	<u>\$ (4,012.54)</u>
Balance in Checking 3/31/18	\$ 4,289.21
Total CDs	\$ 25,232.95
Petty Cash	<u>\$ 110.00</u>
Total Assets as of 3/31/18	\$ 29,632.16
Less Total Assets as of 2/28/2018	<u>\$ 32,655.20</u>
Change in Total Assets from Prior Period	\$ (3,023.04)

Submitted by Beverly E Elder, HAAQG Treasurer 2017-2018

SALAD SUPPER – MAY 3, 2018

Cheryl and Ellen

Supper will start at 6:00 pm!
 A-I Brings rolls
 J-S Brings salad
 T-Z Brings desserts
 We will provide coffee and water.

Their will be a table of gifts!

Please take 4 raffle tickets and put them in the bags. I would like everyone to get a chance on a gift.

HAAQG LIBRARY

CONNIE J CARSTENS & MARY WEAKMAN

We will NOT be accepting book or magazine donations until next guild year, September, 2018. Storage space is a problem for donated books. We only have the library cart for storage.

Do you want a particular quilt or craft book? Please contact Mary, Linda or me with your recommendations for books for HAAQG. We would love to hear your suggestions.

RAFFLE QUILT 2018

EVELYN YOUNG & SHERRIE SNYDER

Congratulations to Marcia Hammerstrand of Bloomington. She had the ticket for the 2018 raffle quilt, "Bunny in the Blooms." Marcia said that she is a newer quilter and that the raffle quilt will serve as an inspiration for her.

Thank you to everyone who bought and sold raffle tickets or made a donation to the guild. As you know, the proceeds from the raffle quilt go toward bringing in great speakers and as well as all of the great things that the guild does in our community. Can't wait to see next year's raffle quilt!

MENTORING

Kay Bowen, Ruth Taha, Deanna & Richard Bilyeu

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, you are welcome to come to the mentor class and meet quilters who enjoy quilting and learning new skills just like you.

PLEASE NOTE: Mentoring in May will be on the second Thursday May 10th

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Nancy Powell will be teaching us how to make a fabric notebook cover. You will have to purchase a pattern for this class. Come join us for the fun and to meet with other quilters in our Guild

COMMUNITY PROJECTS

CAROL LOU EISENHARDT & CATHIE LOCKWOOD

We would like to thank everyone for their participation and support of the projects completed for our community this 2017-18. Valor quilts, pillowcases, quilts for new babies and 'Children without Beds', Cancer Comfort Quilts and Fidgit squares. It would be impossible for us to recognize each person who gave these items because our list does not agree with the higher numbers of projects received.

Next fall, we will suggest that our guild continue to support these projects and have ideas to add a few more for you to choose from. In April, we displayed 5 quilts that came in for the 'Bed Blitz' for this coming September. We will ask for 55 additional ones for the total that Nancy Stone has set as her goal. She heads this program for our guild. She is hoping that we will think of bright-colored ones for children 4-12 years old, approximately twin size. (This could be a summer project.) Finished pieces may be turned in anytime you see us this summer OR next fall.

MENNONITE RELIEF SALE

Mary Sanko

The 2018 Mennonite Relief Sale, which benefits local food pantries and world relief efforts, was held March 16th & 17th. Guild members Karen Applegate, Sue Bidwell, Jo Bressan, Becky Carter, Pat Dahme, Edie Erzen, Cheryl Gallagher, Anthea Hanlin, Deborah Hutchins, Donna Leber, Ruth Pfaffmann, Pam Riss, Mary Sanko, Jayne Shindel, and Marilyn Sutherland donated bazaar items and twenty quilts that sold for nearly \$3,000. The Committee greatly appreciates your generous donations. Thank you everyone!

TRIPS

CELESTE TALLEY

Trips is going to pass out a survey at the next meeting to determine interest in visiting upcoming quilt shows. I am currently looking into lodging pricing for both shows. If we have enough interest, we will seek a bus charter or we can just do a road trip.

Opportunity # 1 --Shipshewana Quilt Show Festival—June 20-23, 2018—overnight June 22nd

Opportunity # 2—Paducah Fall Show—September 12-15, 2018—overnight September 14th

Anyone with suggestions and ideas is welcome to contact me directly! (815)793-5200, or email: nanasjoyceleste@aol.com

2018 SPECTRUM QUILT SHOW

RUTH TAHA, Quilt Show Chair

A huge thanks to everyone who made this year's Spectrum another success. Many people worked hard and smart to make it all come together. The quilt entries showed a lot of skill and creativity, the vendors had a lot of nice things to buy, the committees coordinated to produce the sort of show we are known for, and our members turned out to support it. The winners of the quilt judging and the raffle drawing winners are on the guild website under Guild News and Events.

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Several of the committee chairs will be serving again next year. Other slots will need to be filled. In particular, the publicity committee will need new members. The old members have good documentation to pass on for your help. This committee this year sent out the notices to local and state media and worked with the chair to update signage for the show. They were also in charge of buying the outdoor signage: the yard signs and the feather signs at the entrance to the show. If you can do all or a part of this kind of thing, let us know. Some of the media notices need to be sent out earlier in the fall. This committee could also be split up. If you are able to take any of this on, please let us know. Gerry Schrock will be president next year and, in the absence of a new chairman for the show, can keep track of who is volunteering until a new chairman is found. You can also be the new chairman. You don't have to do anything but let everyone else do their jobs.

Openings for the rest of the committees needing new members can be filled next year.

See you all at the Salad Supper.

2018 Spectrum Quilt Show Winners Entry Maker, Quilter

Large Pieced

1st Vintage Rose- Pam Riss, Nancy Fessell
2nd Hexagon Madness- Rhonda Byrd, Karen Goloff
3rd Becky's Leaf Quilt- Karen Clemmons, Yvonne Stuchell

Medium Pieced

1st Winter Village- Pam Riss, Nancy Fessell
2nd Feathers or Snowflakes- Joy Ahern, Nancy Fessell
3rd Let Your Creativity Take Flight - Nancy Powell, Karen Goloff

Small Pieced

1st Bookshelf Quilt- Pam Riss, Nancy Fessell
2nd Colors of Fall Ribbon Bargello- Karen Goloff, Karen Goloff
3rd Trash to Treasure Pineapple Quilt- Arlene Mitchell, Bev Elder

Potpourri

1st Wildfire Weed Table Runner- Pam Riss, Nancy Fessell
2nd Round Rug- Jackie Pilon, N/A
3rd House on the Hill- Jenny Pettinger, N/A

Applique

1st In Flight- Pam Riss, Nancy Fessell
2nd A Different Yin Yang- Ruth Pfaffman, Ruth Pfaffman
3rd Flowers for Daisy- Rhonda Byrd, Rhonda Byrd

Miniatures

1st Modern Mini- Cheryl Adam, Cheryl Adam
2nd Structure- Cheryl Adam, Cheryl Adam
3rd Blue Rail Fence- Maria Conrad, Maria Conrad

Embroidered

1st Charmed Adventure- Pam Riss, Pam Riss
2nd Summer Dreams- Pam Riss, Pam Riss
3rd Hankies from Grandmas- Debbie Darrow Jean Lawrence, Kris Gahm

Modern

1st Generation Gap- Cheryl Adam, Trisha Horner
2nd Rainbow Fun- Barbara Hankemeier, Ruth Pfaffman
3rd Beginner's Delight- Laurie Schierer, Laurie Schierer

Raffle Winners:

Patriotic Basket—Tena Fowler
Knitting Basket—Aleta Batty
Magic Needles Basket—Deb Tener
Bright Pastels Basket—Ruth Gerike
Design your Own Quilt from Lexington Sew and Tell—Lonna Wagner
Patriotic Basket from Hudson Group—Tena Fowler
Longaberger Basket from Lexington Sew and Tell—Sharon Rhoda
Sewing Machine—Connie Carstens

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SMALL GROUP MEETINGS

[Small group meetings](#) are for all HAAQG members and a great way to meet people, learn new techniques, and have a good time. Below are contacts for the Guild's current small groups; additional description is on the website. Hope to see you at a meeting!

SMALL GROUP	MONTHLY DAY	TIME	LOCATION	CONTACT
Sew & Tell	2nd Wednesday	1 p.m.	LEXINGTON COMMUNITY CENTER	LINDA HUTCHINS
Hudson Area Quilters	2nd Saturday; no December meeting	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	Hudson Fire Department with different members coordinating each month. See Guidelines/ Expectations at www.haaqg.com under guild activities, small groups~ Hudson Area Quilters.	ADA REDIGER or MARIA CONRAD
Magic Needles	3rd Monday	7 p.m.	MEMBER'S HOME WITH DIFFERENT MEMBERS COORDINATING EACH MONTH: Arlene Mitchell-Mar, Jenny Pettinger-Apr, Arlene Mitchell -May, Trisha Horner- June, Judy Struve-July	ARLENE MITCHELL
Hey Quilters	3rd Thursday	6:30-9 p.m.	HEYWORTH UNITED CHURCH library lounge	KIMBERLY TRAVERS or KIM NELSON

PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS

JULIE MOOBERRY, CAROL BENSON, CAROLE FAY & DEBBIE SHERMAN

As your new Programs Committee co-chairs, we're really looking forward to our new line up of speakers for this next year! Sign up for guild members will begin at the Salad Supper on May 3 at 5:00 p.m.

Bring your check book that night – if you register for more than one workshop on the signup sheet, you will need to write a separate check for each. If a workshop requires a kit, you can include that kit price with your registration fee. We ask you to post-date your check for each workshop; the date to write on your check is indicated on the signup sheet. Your check(s) will be held and will be deposited two months before each workshop. Cash is also accepted but checks are preferred. Sorry, no credit cards. Per the guild's guidelines, there must be a 60-day notice on cancellations in order to receive a refund. Please note that workshop registration costs are now \$35 for members and \$45 for non-members.

September --Jill Finley

Specialty: Fresh approach to color using high contrast fabrics

Jill is a designer for Riley Blake, is a master designer for Auriful threads and is a Bernina ambassador.

Lecture: Trunk Show

Workshops: Carousel and Cabin Fever

October--Paula Nadelstern

Specialty: Kaleidoscope designs

Paula designs fabric exclusively for Benartex and has authored six books.

Lecture: Live from New York

Workshops: Sixty Thirty and Simple Symmetry

November--Angela Walters

Specialty: Machine quilting

Angela is the host of The Midnight Quilt Show & her work has been published in numerous magazines and books.

Lecture: Trunk Show

Workshops: Quilting Negative Space and Dot-to-Dot Quilting

December--Bill Kerr

Specialty: All things Modern Quilting

Bill and his wife Weeks Ringle design fabric for Benartex and have taught modern quilting throughout the world.

Lecture: Transforming Traditions: Modernism and Quilts

Workshops: Working with Large Scale Prints and Rediscovering Your Stash

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February --Mark Sherman

Specialty: ReMARKable quilting

Mark is an award winning quilt artist who has lectured & taught all over the world.

Lecture: Man Quilter

Workshops: Remarkable Stained Glass and Machine Trapunto for the Timid Quilter

March--Edyta Sitar

Specialty: Patchwork and applique featuring her batiks and print designs

Edyta designs fabric for Moda & threads for Aurifil. She's published five books, has been featured in magazines worldwide, and her quilts have received many awards.

Lecture: Reasons for Quilting

Workshops: Spool Quilt and Tree Farm

April--Mary Lou Wiedman

Specialty: Vibrant use of color and whimsical designs

Mary Lou has written five books, designs fabric for Benartex, represents Bernina, and has taught worldwide.

Lecture: Out of the Box

Workshops: Flower Power and Creative Cow

Hands All Around Quilt Guild • 2018 Summer Retreat & Sew Days Registration Form

Either hand this form in with payment at a guild meeting or mail with your check to:

Linda Click • 1203 Kim Dr. • Bloomington, IL 61704

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO HAAQG

NAME _____ PHONE _____
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June 22 and 23	Summer Retreat	\$20 Friday/\$15 Saturday \$30 Both Days	Please date check 6/1/2018 _____
07/21/18	Sew Day	\$5.00	Check date 6/1/2018
08/18/18	Sew Day	\$5.00	Check date 6/1/2018

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HANDS ALL AROUND QUILT GUILD • PROGRAMS' WORKSHOPS 2018 – 2019

[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.](#)

**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO HAAQG AND DATE AS REQUESTED BELOW.
A SEPARATE CHECK IS REQUIRED FOR EACH CLASS; YOU CAN ADD ANY KIT FEES TO THAT CLASS' CHECK.**

EITHER HAND THIS IN WITH PAYMENT AT A GUILD MEETING OR MAIL WITH YOUR CHECK TO:

CAROLE FAY • 2305 RAINBOW AVE • BLOOMINGTON, IL 61704

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CIRCLE THE DATE IN THE FIRST COLUMN TO REGISTER FOR EVENTS. • INDICATE YOUR CHECK NUMBER IN THE LAST COLUMN.						
DATE	WORKSHOP SAMPLE	WORKSHOP	MEMBER FEE	NON-MEMBER FEE	ADD: KIT COST	CHECK #
09/07/18 JILL FINLEY		CAROUSEL	\$35	\$45	BOTH CLASSES HAVE PREWORK. GET \$12 PATTERN LOCALLY OR JILLILYSTUDIO.COM. KITS AVAILABLE ONLINE.	PLEASE DATE CHECK 07/01/18
09/08/18 JILL FINLEY		CABIN FEVER	\$35	\$45		PLEASE DATE CHECK 07/01/18
10/05/18 PAULA NADELSTERN		SIXTY THIRTY: A KALEIDOSCOPE CLASS	\$35	\$45	BOTH CLASSES NEED 2 YDS OF PAULA'S FABRIC @ \$12/YD. SEE SUPPLY LIST – SHE WILL BRING FABRIC & SUPPLIES FOR PURCHASE.	PLEASE DATE CHECK 08/01/18
10/06/18 PAULA NADELSTERN		SIMPLE SYMMETRY	\$35	\$45		PLEASE DATE CHECK 08/01/18
11/02/18 ANGELA WALTERS		QUILTING NEGATIVE SPACE	\$35	\$45	NO KITS OR PATTERNS. THERE IS PREWORK FOR BOTH CLASSES – CHECK SUPPLY LIST FOR DETAILS.	PLEASE DATE CHECK 09/01/18
11/03/18 ANGELA WALTERS		DOT TO DOT QUILTING	\$35	\$45		PLEASE DATE CHECK 09/01/18
12/07/18 BILL KERR		WORKING WITH LARGE SCALE PRINTS	\$35	\$45	NO CHARGE FOR PATTERNS FOR EITHER CLASS. CHECK SUPPLY LIST.	PLEASE DATE CHECK 10/01/18
12/08/18 BILL KERR		REDISCOVERING YOUR STASH	\$35	\$45		PLEASE DATE CHECK 10/01/18
02/08/19 MARK SHERMAN		REMARKABLE STAINED GLASS	\$35	\$45	MANDATORY FABRIC KIT \$40 PAY AT REGISTRATION	PLEASE DATE CHECK 12/01/18
02/09/19 MARK SHERMAN		MACHINE TRAPUNTO FOR THE TIMID QUILTER	\$35	\$45	MANDATORY FABRIC KIT \$45 PAY AT REGISTRATION	PLEASE DATE CHECK 12/01/18
03/08/19 EDYTA SITAR		STRIP EXCHANGE: SPOOL QUILT	\$35	\$45	MANDATORY FABRIC KIT \$45 PAY AT REGISTRATION	PLEASE DATE CHECK 01/01/19
03/09/19 EDYTA SITAR		TRIANGLE EXCHANGE: TREE FARM	\$35	\$45	MANDATORY FABRIC KIT \$45 PAY AT REGISTRATION	PLEASE DATE CHECK 01/01/19
04/05/19 MARY LOU WEIDMAN		FLOWER POWER	\$35	\$45	NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR HANDOUTS GIVEN IN CLASS	PLEASE DATE CHECK 02/01/19
04/06/19 MARY LOU WEIDMAN		CREATIVE COW	\$35	\$45	\$12 PATTERN PAY AT REGISTRATION	PLEASE DATE CHECK 02/01/19

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HAAQG 2018-2019 MEMBERSHIP FORM

NAME	BIRTH MONTH/DAY	
STREET ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
PRIMARY PHONE	SECONDARY PHONE	
PRIMARY EMAIL		
SECONDARY EMAIL		

MEMBERSHIP TYPE

MEMBERSHIP DUES

<input type="checkbox"/> NEW MEMBER <input type="checkbox"/> RENEWING MEMBER	<input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL MEMBER (\$30) <input type="checkbox"/> SENIOR – 65 OR BETTER (\$25) <input type="checkbox"/> JUNIOR – 18 OR UNDER (\$25)
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