



# NEEDLES AND THREAD

July 2023



## Joann's Bits and Pieces

Hi, quilting queens. This has been a really crazy year weather-wise and in lots of other ways as well. While summer is a time for playing in the great outdoors, it looks like it will be a really hot summer. We don't think of quilts as a summer activity, but when we go inside to cool off, it's a good time to get out the sewing machine and work on our UFO'S and Roberta's challenge. See you soon.

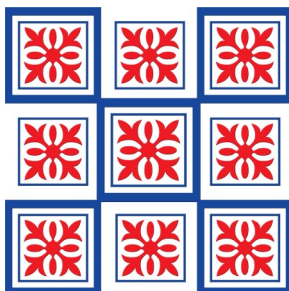
*Joann Thomas*

### Silent Auction

Quilters, I hope you are diligently working on those Silent Auction Donation Items.

I know how it goes. One minute you are planning to make an item for the silent auction, next minute it's time for the Quilt Show. Vicki and I know you all can do great things. Just make sure to put a label on the back that says Northland Needler's Quilt Show 2023. One of us will be available to take donations at July, August, & September Guild meetings.

*Vicki and Leah Stanley*



### Kansas City Regional Quilt Festival 2023

A BIG **THANK YOU!** To all the volunteers who helped at the Door Prize table and with hanging/taking down our guild quilts. JoAnn and I appreciate all those who stepped up and did extra hours to help out, especially on Thursday.

We couldn't have done it without you!

I won't have any numbers until the Executive Board Meeting in August. It will be after our August meeting, so I'll have the information in the September Newsletter and will announce it at our September guild meeting.

Also, JoAnn and I will not be representing our guild for the 2025 regional show, so two people will have to volunteer to be the representatives. The meetings will start in October, 2023

*Mona Meyers and JoAnn Borchelt, Co-Chairs*

### Sew and Share

As temperatures sizzle, what quilt projects can you share with bright, warm summertime, fun time colors at our July meeting? On the other hand, perhaps you have projects to share that have cool colors like blues and greens that will help us feel cooler. Of course, we welcome members sharing any of their quilted projects at Sew and Share. We want to cheer for your piecing and quilting efforts!

Thanks and be well!

*Thia Crawford*



### Bazaar

We are still taking donations for the bazaar. Please bring to guild meeting, sew bee, or give Judy a call to arrange for a pickup. This is so appreciated.

Bazaar workdays are scheduled for Tues 1-4 at Judy's house. (3026 NW 87th Terrace, KCMO. 64154)

No workday on July 4. Enjoy the holiday.

*Judy Laveer, 404-729-3186*



## Treasurer's Report June 2023 Shirley Green, Treasurer



	Jan-Dec 2023	Apr'23	May '23	Jun '23	YTD	Variance	Budget
	<b>Starting Bank Balance</b>	27,971.06	27,770.85	27,834.65			<b>2023</b>
	<b>Income</b>						
<b>I</b>	Book Orders (Library)				0.00	(100.00)	100.00
	Fons & Porter Subs	150.00			150.00	(100.00)	250.00
<b>N</b>	Fundraiser	55.00			1,795.00	574.00	1,221.00
	Hospitality				0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>C</b>	KCRQF				0.00	(3,000.00)	3,000.00
	Membership Dues	280.00	20.00	10.00	2,070.00	70.00	2,000.00
<b>O</b>	Membership Roster Ads				0.00	(100.00)	100.00
	Memory Makers	60.00	20.00	20.00	160.00	60.00	100.00
<b>M</b>	Miscellaneous				0.00	(300.00)	300.00
	Newsletter				0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>E</b>	Opportunity Quilt	344.00	560.00	741.00	1,645.00	(155.00)	1,800.00
	Quilt Show				0.00	(1,000.00)	1,000.00
	Retreat Income '23	300.00			750.00	(250.00)	1,000.00
	Retreat Income '24				0.00	(2,000.00)	2,000.00
	Scrap Quilt				0.00	(500.00)	500.00
	Workshop (Offset of Prog Exp.)				0.00	(1,000.00)	1,000.00
	Totals	1,189.00	600.00	771.00	6,570.00	(7,801.00)	14,371.00
	<b>Expenses</b>						
	Block of the Month				0.00	(50.00)	50.00
<b>E</b>	Book Orders /Library	25.98			25.98	(124.02)	150.00
	Fons & Porter Subs	150.00			150.00	(100.00)	250.00
<b>X</b>	Global Quilt Connection				0.00	(100.00)	100.00
	Historian				0.00	(20.00)	20.00
<b>P</b>	Hospitality				0.00	(400.00)	400.00
	KCRQF				0.00	(50.00)	50.00
<b>E</b>	Installation				0.00	(50.00)	50.00
	Liability Insurance				0.00	(450.00)	450.00
<b>N</b>	Membership				0.00	(500.00)	500.00
	Memory Makers				0.00	(15.00)	15.00
<b>S</b>	Miscellaneous				105.79	(94.21)	200.00
	New Member Tea				0.00	(30.00)	30.00
<b>E</b>	Newsletter	126.00			317.36	(282.64)	600.00
	Opportunity Quilt			150.00	450.95	(49.05)	500.00
<b>S</b>	Post Office Box				0.00	(190.00)	190.00
	Professional Dues & Membership				0.00	(55.00)	55.00
	Programs	1,154.24	318.08		2,022.32	(2,477.68)	4,500.00
	Quilted Blessings		18.12		18.12	(81.88)	100.00
	Rent (Gashland Methodist)	50.00	100.00	100.00	550.00	(650.00)	1,200.00
	Retreat '23				1,469.41	(530.59)	2,000.00
	Retreat '24				0.00	(200.00)	200.00
	Scrap Quilt				0.00	(125.00)	125.00
	Set Up	50.00	50.00	50.00	300.00	(350.00)	650.00
	Sewing Bee	49.46			49.46	(250.54)	300.00
	Sunshine and Shadows				0.00	(70.00)	70.00
	Technology				0.00	(500.00)	500.00
	Web Site				0.00	(116.00)	116.00
	Workshop				0.00	(1,000.00)	1,000.00
	Totals	1,605.68	486.20	300.00	5,459.39	(8,911.61)	14,371.00



**Northland Needlers Guild**  
Minutes of General Meeting  
June 8, 2023



The meeting was called to order by Jo Forsyth since JoAnne Thomas was absent due to illness. She welcomed members and asked if there were any visitors. There were 4 guests. All were introduced and welcomed. It was reported that today would be a short meeting as the guest speaker did not show up.

**MEMBERSHIP-** 105 members. 67 in attendance including 4 guests.

**MINUTES/TREASURER'S REPORT-**The minutes and Treasurer's report from the previous meeting were approved as written in the newsletter.

**NEW BUSINESS-** Kathy Taylor was inquiring to see if there was an interest in EQ 8 Patterns. If you have any questions about this or if you are interested please contact her. There was an interest in adding a nomination committee for the guild. Kathy Taylor, Diane Lasco and Alycia Woodman all volunteered for this committee. Thank you ladies!

**CHALLENGE-** Diane Lasco- July table runner challenge- 3 block minimum. Theme-Independence Day, Colors in block must be Red white and blue. Block to include Pinwheels, fabric should be gingham and other item to use is ribbon. Remember when making the table runners- If you do not have a use for them you can always donate them to the silent auction at the guild quilt show. They would be much appreciated!

**Committee Reports-**Nothing to report.

**Historian-**Nothing to report.

**Hospitality-** Thank You ladies for the snacks. Keep up the good work. We appreciate any and all snacks you bring in.

**Library-**The cart was pulled out. Please continue to enjoy the books in the library. They are there for your enjoyment.

**Memory Makers-** There are 2 quilts to baste this month. They will be basted the 4th Thursday of the month.

**Needler Quilt Show-** The meeting for the quilt show is the 4th Thursday of each month. 6:30-7:30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend to see what is going on. All committee members must attend. Sizing of the curtains that hang behind the quilts to be displayed will be measured at the next sew bee. The proceeds from the Silent auction items being accepted this year are going to Transitions Family Visitation Center serving Clay County.

**Opportunity Quilt-**Joann Borchelt- The quilt is still on display to see. Tickets are still available to pick up to sell or to purchase. Remember whoever sells the most gets their 2024 guild membership free.

**Quilted Blessing-**There was one quilt donated today. Thank You

**Scrap Quilt-**Jan Kramme- All the cutting has been done and the quilt is almost ready to be put together. There is possibly room for one more person to help to sew. Anyone interested please contact Jan.

**Sunshine & Shadows-**Nothing new to report

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**Sew Bee & Skill Builders-** Roberta shared the June project the skill builders will be working on. Anyone interested please sign up on her sign in sheet. Anyone interested in just coming to sew at the sew bee it is the 4th Thursday of the month 9-4.

**Misc-** A get well card was sent to JoAnn Thomas

**Sew and Share-** Thia Crawford- Several members showed their quilted projects at the meeting. We had so many to enjoy.

After the sew and share the meeting was adjourned since our speaker did not show up. Many members lingered, talked and enjoyed the snacks.

Respectfully submitted,

*Debbie Moore, Secretary*



## UFO Challenge

Now that the BIG SHOW is over, it's time again to dive into those UFO'S! Keep it up! We love seeing them.

Remember to bring in your UFO's and get your tickets before the meeting if possible. We have more time to see that you get the appropriate number of tickets and that they are filled out and returned. **We do not keep track of the tickets; only the UFO's on your sheet so please remember to turn the tickets in.** Remember you can get up to 3 tickets for a twin size or larger quilt as these are big projects. This is incentive for finishing those UFO's!

**JULY'S TABLE RUNNER/TOPPER CHALLENGE – Bring to the JULY 13TH meeting. Just a thought! If you make a runner or topper and don't really like or need it, it might be something to put in the Silent Auction or Bazaar at OUR quilt show in September. They also make good gifts!**

**July's Challenge – 3 block minimum**

**Theme:** Independence Day

**Colors in block:** Red, white, and blue

**Block to include:** Pinwheels

**Fabric:** Gingham

**Other:** Ribbon

**August's Challenge – 3 block minimum**

**Theme:** Back to school

**Colors in block:** Gray or silver

**Block to include:** 9-patch

**Fabric:** Small print

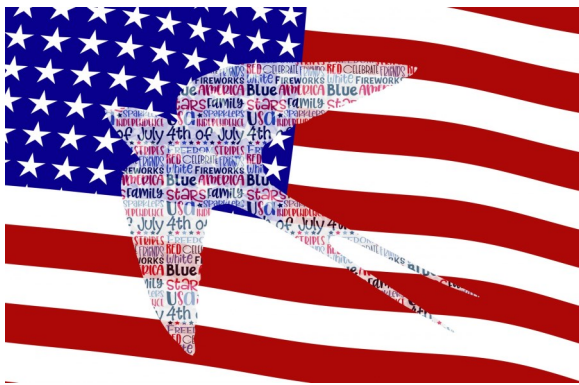
**Other:** Include Prairie Points in your runner

*Diane Lasco: 816-590-3237, Mary Cason: 816-589-4470*

## Mini Groups

Please contact the following individuals if you have an interest in one of our Mini Groups!

- ♦ **Wooly Friends**—New meeting time is **10am**, the usual third Thursday of the month, Helen Tldics' home. The group will start reviewing all the embellishment stitches learned and complete their Stitch Book.
- ♦ **Patriot Quilts** - is led by Joann Thomas meets at the Sewing Bee on the 4th Thursdays. I have patterns and will bring them. Unless there are a lot of ladies who wish do to a joint quilt, we will usually be working individually. Our quilts should be twin or lap size and will go to the North Kansas City Hospice. If anyone wants to do a Quilt of Valor, the patterns I have will work for that. When they are completed, we can contact the correct venue for the donation.
- ♦ **Stitch Chix**—Meeting as usual at Helen Tldics' home at 9:30 am, first Thursday of the month. Helen is the presenter for July. Bring several favorite items you may have purchased at the KC Quilt Festival for show and share time.



## Memory Makers

We have 2 quilts to baste in July. We are always looking for volunteers, we hope you can help.

*Beth Curasi at 816-924-9814 or*

*Martha Bell at 816-585-2166*

**Happy Birthday to all the July babies!**



Please refer to your membership book for upcoming birthdays!

## Sunshine and Shadows

If you should hear of a guild member who is ill please remember to contact me so I can send them a card on behalf of the guild.

**Judy Doyle** had hip replacement surgery last Monday, therapy started Friday and she is doing very well.

**Suzie Narin's** PT, Dr. cleared her to drive, now to get nerve healing, full use & energy. Thanks for prayers!!

*Alycia Woodman (816) 304-6538*

## Library

Please come and check out the library. Books and magazines can be checked out prior to our meeting and during the break.

*Margaret Reichart*



## QUILTED BLESSINGS

Thank you for your generous donations of baby, lap and twin sized quilts.

In June we donated 6 quilts to NKC Hospice. These quilts are very appreciated.

*Teddie Broughton*

## Retreat

Mark your calendar...Retreat dates February 26,27 & 28 2024. Cost will be \$60 with a \$30 deposit. Sign up will begin in Sept 2023.

*Kathy Taylor, 816-405-5369*

*Diane Lasco, 816-590-3237*

## Northland Needlers Quilt Show

### Meeting Minutes

6.23.23

The meeting was called to order at 6:32PM at the Gashland United Methodist Church, 7715 N Oak Trafficway, KCMO 64118.

Present were: Roberta Waterfield, Debbie Moore, Mary Cason, Jean Newton, Trudy Coogan, Sandy Cerra, Karen Allen, Gwen Weakly, Myrna Powers, Brenda Pfannenstiel, Debbie Davidson, Marci Hainkel, Pam Peugh, Vicki Nagayama, Phyllis Carlyle and Debbie Gamm.

Previous minutes/newsletter approved with no changes.

#### Committee Reports:

Treasurer: No new information. Any receipts should be turned in.

Bazaar: Need more items. Our inventory is not nearly as much or as good as last year. There will be no meetings on the next two Tuesdays (June 27 and July 4).

Door Prizes: With only two vendors it may be a problem. We will need to ask for members to bring in item and take some from the Bazaar. Last year \$10 gift certificates for the Bazaar were made and a free membership was offered. Debbie Moore will check with Fabric Chic.

Publicity: Will send cards out now that Regional is over. After a discussion of business cards left over from Regional it was decided that we would wait to order more cards, they are done very quickly.

Quilt Registration: It is open, the link was sent out by Doris Torres on June 3rd. Several of us do not remember getting the link, but it was in the Nitetime Needlers June newsletter. We will request that Doris resends it now that the regional quilt show is over.

Signs: No updates, just a request to let her know if we need any new signs.

Silent Auction: Receiving items, still need more. No updates.

Special Exhibit: They have 21 or 22 registered. There is always room for more.

Sponsors: No updates.

Vendors: Little Red Hen will not be there due to a scheduling conflict. Lemon Thyme is definitely interested. All About Tie Dye may be interested.

#### Old and new business

There was some discussion about Facebook Accounts. There are still one or two showing up. Not sure what we can do about it.

The black drapes for the quilt show have been measured and folded so the measurement shows on top. This was done by Mary Cason, Thia Crawford, Debbie Moore, Melanie Vance and Sandy Cerra.

Sign Up Genius will need to put out in July. This is for all the volunteer jobs to run the show.

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Additional electronic payment set up like we have would cost \$130. One that would need an app to run would cost \$40. It was decided that no more than it is needed we will send the patron to the Bazaar. We will leave instructions at the Admission Desk to that effect. We need to get our reservation in for the hot spot from Midcontinent Library as soon as possible. Karen Allen will check into the hot spot, if someone has already reserved it or not and reserve it if needed.

Roberta Waterfield has agreed to make floor pads for the quilt show, for when the quilt is so long that it rests on the floor. We have no extra fabric. Mary Cason will check to see if they can get a deal from Fabri-QUILTS on black fabric. The pads need to be a finished size of 18 x 90 inches. The original number of 12 has been dropped to 6. If nothing else is found Roberta will purchase the black fabric from Joanns with a coupon.

There was discussion of whether to have the Quilt Show every other year. Pros and cons were talked about. It will definitely be held for 2024. We can bring up the questions with the guilds after the Quilt Show is over this year.

Meeting was adjourned.

*Sandy Cerra, 816-507-8252, Co-Chair of Quilt Show*

**Programs**

Program for July is. Scott Flanagan. From 4th and Main Designs. Make sure you attend should be a great program.

*Jo Forsythe*

**Sew Bee/Skill Builder**

Sew Bee will be July 27th. We will be doing a cathedral window pillow. I will show the sample and sign up members for the class.

*Roberta Waterfield*

**Opportunity Quilt**

We still have opportunity tickets left to sell. If you have not picked up your tickets or need more please do so at the next guild meeting. If you haven't paid for your tickets don't forget to do so.

Also, thank you, to all the volunteers who worked at the opportunity booth at the KCRQF. We sold 350 tickets, that is more than last festival. Way to go ladies!

*JoAnn Borchelt*

To log into the website:

User name: hqnetwork.

Password: sew4fun



**Announcing - Trunk Show &  
Workshops - Tia Curtis of Tia  
Curtis Quilts**

The St. Louis Modern Quilt Guild is hosting a trunk show and two workshops the weekend starting July 28-30, 2023. Registrations for each are now open to the public. Please share with anyone that might be interested.

We would love to have you join us!

[Trunk Show](#) - July 28, 2023 - \$5 for nonmembers - more information and registration at link

[Free-motion Quilting workshop](#) - \$75 - more information and registration at link

[All Start Improv Workshop](#) - \$75 - more information and registration at link



June—Member Quilts

*Photos by Brandi Snyder*





# BOARD/COMMITTEE MEMBERS



## President

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Sharon Sumner (816) 807-2414

## Library

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## KC Regional Quilt Festival

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JoAnn Borchelt (816) 645-3798

## Membership

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## Memory Makers

Beth Curasi (816) 924-9814

Martha Bell (816) 585-2166

## Miniatures/Silent Auction

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## Newsletter

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## Nominating

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Diane Lasco (816) 590-3237

Alycia Woodman (816) 304-6538

## Opportunity Quilt

JoAnn Borchelt (816) 645-5798

## Quilted Blessings

Teddie Broughton (816) 803-9312

## Retreat

Kathy Taylor (2023) (816) 405-5369

## O P E N

## Scrap Quilt

Jan Kramme (816) 651-1257

## Sewing Bee & Skill Builder

Roberta Waterfield (816) 935-9650

## Show and Tell

Thia Crawford (660) 815-2124

## Sunshine and Shadows

Alycia Woodman (816) 304-6538

## UFO Challenge

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Mary Cason (816) 589-4470

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Website: [Northlandquiltersguild.com](http://Northlandquiltersguild.com)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### NORTHLAND QUILTERS' GUILD MEETING

July 13, 2023

10 am

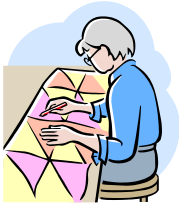
Gashland United Methodist Church

7715 N Oak Trafficway, Gladstone, MO

**July 27th—Sew Bee & Skill Builder, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm**

Gashland United Methodist Church

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