

NEEDLES AND THREAD

March 2022



Barb's Bits and Pieces

I am so ready for Spring! Flowers in my flower beds can't be here soon enough as far as I'm concerned. Well, Mother Nature has her own schedule so my wish for Spring now is on hold for a little longer. In the meantime, this is a good time to finish up some quilting projects. Two of my quilt tops have now been quilted and just need binding. I think I'm on a roll! Hope you are finding time to complete your UFO's too! Happy almost Spring!

Barbara

Kansas City Regional Quilt Festival 2023

February 5, 2022 was the first meeting of the Kansas City Regional Quilt Festival (KCRQF) Executive Board and Guild Member Directors.

The Festival dates are June 15th, 16th, and 17th, 2023 at the Overland Park Convention Center, Overland Park, Kansas. Please go to the KCRQF website, www.kcrqf.com, to see all the participating guilds, vendors and sponsors.

Be sure to "Like" and "Share" the KCRQF's Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/kcrqf/>. You will also find all the information for the Showcase Challenge under the "About Us" tab on the website.

If you or a group want to participate in the Challenge, be sure to complete the registration form and mail it in by October 31, 2022. The quilt does not have to be completed by that date. Also, let me know before April 9th if you or a group are planning to make a quilt for the Showcase Challenge.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at monameyers@yahoo.com.

Mona Meyers and JoAnn Borchelt, Co-Chair

Hospitality

THE TIME HAS COME QUILTERS....Hospitality will be serving coffee and tea again. PLUS, drum roll please... I am asking you to bring treats, sweets, or your specialty. again. They do not have to be individually wrapped. You may show us your other talent of cooking. HOWEVER, We will ask that you mask & use utensils to serve yourself. For we will not have a sneeze guard over the food. We continue with safety but hopefully progress of normalcy is in the future.

The hospitality team:

Leah, Vicki, Terri, & Ilene

Sew and Share

Is now open to all members. Let's see those beautiful works of art!



The church is asking that all guests continue to wear a mask while visiting the property.





Treasurer's Report February 2022 Shirley Green, Treasurer



	Jan-Dec 2022	Jan '22	Feb '22	YTD	Variance	Budget
	Starting Bank Balance	28,878.79	27,344.89			2022
	Income					
I	Book Orders (Library)			0.00	(100.00)	100.00
	Fons & Porter Subs			0.00	(250.00)	250.00
N	Fundraiser		955.00	955.00	(512.00)	1,467.00
	Hospitality			0.00		0.00
	KCRQF			0.00		0.00
C	Membership Dues	900.00	560.00	1,460.00	(2,040.00)	3,500.00
	Membership Roster Ads			0.00	(100.00)	100.00
O	Memory Makers	100.00		100.00	0.00	100.00
	Miscellaneous		20.00	20.00	(280.00)	300.00
	Newsletter			0.00		0.00
M	Opportunity Quilt			0.00	(1,800.00)	1,800.00
	Quilt Show			0.00	(1,000.00)	1,000.00
E	Retreat Income '23			0.00	0.00	0.00
	Retreat Income '22			0.00	(4,360.00)	4,360.00
	Scrap Quilt			0.00	(500.00)	500.00
	Workshop (Offset of Prog Exp.)			0.00	(150.00)	150.00
	Totals	1,000.00	1,535.00	2,535.00	(11,092.00)	13,627.00
	Expenses					
	Block of the Month			0.00	(50.00)	50.00
E	Book Orders /Library			0.00	(150.00)	150.00
	Fons & Porter Subs			0.00	(250.00)	250.00
X	Historian			0.00	(20.00)	20.00
	Hospitality			0.00	(300.00)	300.00
P	KCRQF			0.00	(50.00)	50.00
	Installation			0.00	(50.00)	50.00
E	Liability Insurance			0.00	(475.00)	475.00
	Membership			0.00	(450.00)	450.00
N	Memory Makers			0.00	(15.00)	15.00
	Miscellaneous	32.45	6.15	38.60	(261.40)	300.00
S	Newsletter	43.54	62.40	105.94	(344.06)	450.00
	Opportunity Quilt	120.91		120.91	(379.09)	500.00
E	Post Office Box			0.00	(150.00)	150.00
	Professional Dues & Membership			0.00	(55.00)	55.00
S	Programs		91.84	91.84	(3,908.16)	4,000.00
	Quilted Blessings			0.00	(200.00)	200.00
	Rent (Gashland Methodist)	100.00	100.00	200.00	(1,000.00)	1,200.00
	Retreat '23			0.00	(1,400.00)	1,400.00
	Retreat '22	2,240.00		2,240.00	149.00	2,091.00
	Scrap Quilt			0.00	(125.00)	125.00
	Set Up	50.00	50.00	100.00	(500.00)	600.00
	Sewing Bee	62.00	49.43	111.43	11.43	100.00
	Sunshine and Shadows			0.00	(70.00)	70.00
	Technology		149.90	149.90	(160.10)	310.00
	Web Site			0.00	(116.00)	116.00
	Workshop			0.00	(150.00)	150.00
	Totals	2,648.90	509.72	3,158.62	(10,468.38)	13,627.00
	Outstanding Check(s)	115.00				
	Ending Bank Balance	27,344.89	28,255.17			



NORTHLAND QUILTER'S GUILD

Minutes of General Meeting

February 10, 2022



The meeting was called to order by president Barbara Laxson.

Minutes/Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report printed in the last newsletter was approved by the members. The minutes printed in the last newsletter was approved by members.

New Business: Barbara Laxson reminded attendees that our monthly meeting and sew bee will not meet if the North Kansas City School District is closed due to inclement weather. Therefore, there is also no zoom meeting on these days.

Barbara sent emails with information for logging into today's meeting via zoom. If you did not receive this email, please follow-up with Barbara to insure she has your correct email address.

Ellen Fox spoke again on the Fons & Porter subscriptions. Fons & Porter offers new and renewed subscriptions to guild members for \$15 annual. The offer that some members saw on Facebook for \$10 is separate as the guild discounts. If you would like to order via our guild, you will need to send a check to Ellen Fox, payable to Northland Quilters Guild in the amount of \$15.00. She needs to receive these by February 28.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Historian: Jo Forsythe: Jo reported that she will no longer be serving as Historian but that her niece, Brandi Snyder is taking over these responsibilities.

Hospitality: Leah Stanley, Terri Schroder: Leah reported that beginning in March hospitality will resume providing coffee/iced tea and members may once again bring snacks. It was requested that everyone observe covid-safe procedures with the food/drinks.

KC Regional Quilt festival: Mona Meyers & Joann Thomas: Mona reported that the first meeting for the 2023 KCRQF was held. The representatives from each participating guild are now called Coordinators. The quilt festival will be held June 15-17, 2023. The theme for the 2023 festival will be City of Quilts. There are 14 guilds participating. This year guild coordinators will go online on a set day to choose their preferences of where they work. Guild members will also be requested to go onto Sign Up Genius to select the area where they want to volunteer during the show; they may choose from any of the opportunities. Detailed information is online about the Showcase Challenge which is the exhibit at the show entrance. These entries must be registered by October 31, 2022. The next KCRQF meeting will focus on how profits from the show will be divided between the participating guilds.

Library: Karen Allen: The library was not made available today. Any books that are being returned may be given to Trudy Coogan.

Membership: Mary Cason: There were 2 visitors today, 54 members were in attendance and one attended via zoom. As of today, our total membership stands at 63.

Memory Makers: Beth Curasi: There are two quilts to be basted at Sew Bee & Skill Builders this month, February 24, and so far, there is one for March.

Mini Groups:

Wool, Helen Tidics: There is space for two more participants.

Patriotic Quilts, Joann Thomas is the new group leader. They will be meeting during Sew Bee & Skill Builders on the 4th Thursdays.

Stitch Chix: Helen Tidics: This group is currently full.

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Newsletter: Doris Torres: Doris published the last newsletter under the direction of Rhonda Thiedke and it went very smoothly. Doris is assuming this new responsibility quite well.

Opportunity Quilt: JoAnn Borchelt: The pattern "Evolution" is being used for the Opportunity Quilt. JoAnn showed two completed blocks. Sew Bee this month will be the last time to donate jewel toned fabrics for the quilt. Block pieces are ready to be pieced.

Programs: Donna Brattin: Donna coordinated today's program of our annual basket sale bingo fund raiser. Next month our speaker will be Candy Hargrove.

Quilted Blessings: Teddie Broughton: Teddie thanked those who have given her quilts. She asked that donations be completely finished if possible. The quilts are donated to North Kansas City Hospice and Baby Grace.

Guild Quilt Show: Joann Thomas: February 24 will be our first quilt show meeting at 6:30 p.m.; all members are welcome to attend. Mary Cason will be the 2022 quilt show treasurer. The show will be held the 3rd weekend of September. Karen Allen and Trudy Coogan will be the bazaar chairs this year.

Quilt Show Bazaar: Karen Allen and Trudy Coogan: Trudy announced that they will begin accepting bazaar donations at the March meeting.

Quilt Show Miniatures/Silent Auction: Marianne Cohen: Some suggestions have been received for the charity to receive the receipts from the silent auction. April the guild will decide on the charity.

Retreat: While this year's guild retreat has been cancelled, Barbara Laxson announced that we now need to be selecting the committee to plan the 2023 retreat. Please talk with Barbara if you have an interest.

Scrap Quilt: Barbara Laxson announced that we need a volunteer(s) to plan and coordinate this year's scrap quilt. The scrap quilt is raffled to members only and the winner is announced at our December meeting,

Sew Bee & Challenge Committee: Roberta Waterfield: The date is February 24, 9:00 to 300 at the church. Those doing the Skill Builder project must bring: the designated fabric strips that will be cut WOF, sewing machines, large cutting mats and rotary cutters. Three irons and ironing boards will be available. Jan Kramme will be bringing enough of the pebble print fabric for everyone. The March meeting will be for our quilt guild show special exhibit.

Julie Sherman will be available to clean sewing machines. She will pick up the machines at 10:00 a.m. and will return them in the afternoon. You must register with Roberta ahead of time if you plan to bring your sewing machine for cleaning.

Sunshine & Shadows: Shirley Justus: Shirley Justice has been sending cards to members for serious illness, hospitalizations, death in family, etc., for approximately 20 years. While she enjoys doing this and is willing to continue, she is willing to step aside and allow someone else to assume this position if someone is interested. Anyone interested should contact Barbara Laxson or Shirley.

Membership: Mary Cason: There were 2 visitors today, 54 members were in attendance and one attended via zoom. As of today, our total membership stands at 63.

Sew and Share: Approximately 17 members showed their projects.

Website: Shirley Green: No report.
The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rita Fenn, Secretary

Mini Groups

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

- ♦ **Wool Group** led by Helen Tidics meets the third Thursday at 9:30 AM at Helen's home.
- ♦ **Patriot Quilts** 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. Thanks. Joann Thomas
- ♦ **St CHIX** is led by Helen Tidics and meets the first Thursday of each month at Helen's home at 9:30. This group is full at this time.



QUILTED BLESSINGS

Thank you to all the generous quilters that donate their time and quilts. I donated 10 this month to KC Hospice and have several to deliver to Baby Grace. I will accept small quilts from baby size up to twin size. Bring them to guild or I can pick them up.

Thank you.

Teddie Broughton
816-803-9312

Memory Makers

Memory Markers have two quilts to baste in February and one for March. All are welcome to come and help out.

Call Beth or Martha if you have a quilt to be basted.

Happy Birthday to all the March 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 Shirley Justus so the she can send them a card on behalf of the guild.

Her telephone number is 816-453-6884.

Library

The library will be open before and after the meeting .

Karen Allen.

Travel Toiletries

Please collect your unopened travel toilet-ries. They are a special treat for the shelters for abused spouses or homeless teens who are serviced by Synergy House. I also pass on twist tabs which I donate to Ronald McDonald House.

Jan Kramme

Silent Auction

I have received several charity suggestions already. If you have a charity, you'd like us to consider, please email it to: mpcohen01@hotmail.com. We are changing the voting on the charity to April; I will be out of town on our March meeting date.

Thank you!

Marianne Cohen

Programs

Program for March will be Candy Hargrove ———

'Can you have too many Churn Dash quilts?

I don't think so!!

Donna Brattin

Northland Needlers Quilt Show
February 24, 2022 Meeting Minutes

The Meeting was called to order by Debbie Davidson.

Attendees: Pam Peugh, Vicki Nagayama, Joann Thomas, Barbara Laxson, Jean Newton, Mary Cason, Debbie Davidson
Due to the inclement weather, attendance was small. A quorum of 5 members was met.
It was reported that both guilds voted and we will continue with a yearly Quilt Show.

Open Positions

Assistant co-chair for Nitetime
Bazaar for Nitetime
Door Prize for Nitetime
Quilt Release for Nitetime
Silent Auction for Nitetime – Pam Peugh volunteered
Secretary

Procedures

The following procedures are due: Bazaar, Quilt Registration, Set Up, Silent Auction, Ribbons, Quilt Release, Treasurer

Treasurer's Report

An Audit was completed by Janice Kramme and Debbie Davidson in December 2021. All books were in excellent condition.

Program Booklet

We discussed the need to continue the Program Booklet for the show. A motion was made and we voted to discontinue the booklet.

Judges

We discussed whether to continue having judges for the show. A decision was made to take this back to both guilds for further discussion.

2022 Budget

The 2022 was developed and the group voted to accept. Per the by-laws, it will be taken to both guilds for approval.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted by,

Pam Peugh
Acting secretary

Courteously by Joann Thomas

UFO Challenge

The Challenge is ON! Continue to check and recheck your sewing space for projects you've been putting off.

IT'S TIME TO GET THEM DONE! We will explain how the Challenge will proceed in the March meeting.

MAKE YOUR LIST!

Diane Lasco and Kathy Taylor

Boutique

We will begin accepting donations for the Bazaar this month.

Karen Allen

Sew Bee/Skill Builder

Sew Bee Skill Builder. Anyone signed up to do the Bargello project. Please bring cutting mat ruler rotary cutter sewing machine and the fabrics for your bargello. Try and be there by 9 a.m. if possible.

Quilt Show "Special Exhibit". I will be showing an example of what requirements there will be as to sizes colors etc. at March's guild meeting. You will be able to sign up then also and receive the instruction sheet. So if you think you would like to enter this exhibit plan on being at the March meeting.

Any questions please call me Roberta Waterfield 816 935 9650.

Roberta Waterfield

"Notable Men and Women of Missouri" Quilt Exhibit

(A Portion of the Exhibit: Quilts by Guild Members)

Photos by Dori Torres

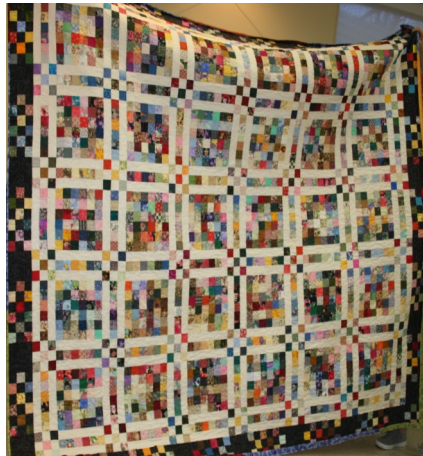


Quilted by guild member Joann Tobiason, which started this exhibit. Job Well Done!!!



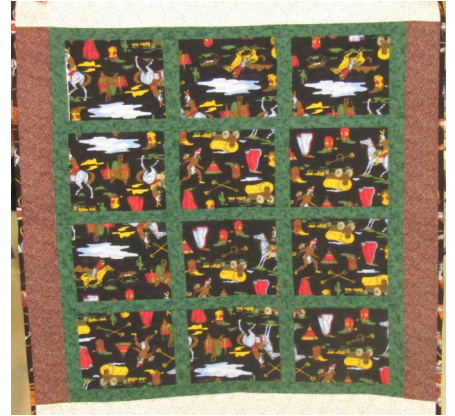
February - Members Quilts

Photos by Jo Forsthye



January - Members Quilts

Photos by Brandi Snyder



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Open

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Retreat

Open for 2023

Scrap Quilt

Open

Sewing Bee/Skill Builder

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Show and Tell

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UPCOMING EVENTS

NORTHLAND QUILTERS' GUILD MEETING

March 10, 2022

10 am

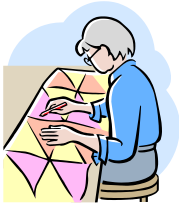
Gashland United Methodist Church

7715 N Oak Street, Gladstone, MO

March 24th—Sew Bee/Skill Builder, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

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