NEEDLES AND THREAD
May 2016

JoAnn's Jewells.....

Well I hope the old adage is true, April showers bring May flowers. I love this time of year when everything is coming to life, minus the allergies. I think it is time for a road trip. I'm literally heading out the door for Paducah KY. I'm so excited because it is indeed my first time. I don't think my husband and family understand my unbridled enthusiasm but I'm sure you all do. Besides all those fellow quilters there is all that fabric, rulers, tools, books, quilts and do-hickeys to be seen, touched and possibly purchased. I am breaking out in a sweat just thinking about it. I need to calm down it is a long drive.

We did have our new member's coffee April 19 and we had a great time. I wish all new members could have attended. About 10 new members were able to be there and 10 old timers were there as well. We talked in depth about what our guild is all about and does. It was a real pleasure getting to know all of you, and to think, this is only the beginning!

Happy Sewing!

-JoAnn Borchelt-
President

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Nancy Van Gorp	4/3
Bonnie Bartrum	4/7
Dolores Swenson	4/8
Dana Fox	4/17
Karen Fray	4/17
Barbara Taliaferro	4/17
Deb Parker Shore	4/20
Trudy Coogan	4/23

Library News

Library Additions:

"Then and Now Quilts" by Joyce Dan Gieszler - yesterday's inspirations, today's techniques.

"Machine Applique for the Terrified Quilter" by Sharon Pederson - the title says it all.

"Lone Star Quilts & Beyond" by Jan Krentz - a wonderful collection lone star quilts that modern/bright fabrics.

"Barn Quilts and the American Trail Movement" by Suzi Parron - a large collection of barn quilts and their stories. Book donated by Collette Koll.

-Trudy Coogan-
-Library-

Mother's hold their Children's hands for a while, But their hearts forever

TREASURER'S REPORT

April 2016

Trish Rogers-
Treasurer-

Jan-Dec 2016	Mar '16	Apr'16	YTD	Variance	Budget
Starting Bank Balance	21,394.80	16,468.94			**2016**
Income		*Preliminary*			
Bank Interest	0.74		2.24	(2.76)	5.00
Book Orders (Library)			0.00	(100.00)	100.00
Fons & Porter Subs			30.00	(60.00)	90.00
Fundraiser			3,105.00	2,005.00	1,100.00
KCRQF			0.00		
Membership Dues	220.00	120.00	2,700.00	500.00	2,200.00
Membership Roster Ads		15.00	15.00	(10.00)	25.00
Memory Makers			0.00	(45.00)	45.00
Miscellaneous			0.00	(100.00)	100.00
Opportunity Quilt			0.00	(2,000.00)	2,000.00
Quilt Show			0.00	(300.00)	300.00
Retreat Income '16			710.00	(3,340.00)	4,050.00
Retreat Income '17			0.00	0.00	
Scrap Quilt			0.00	(350.00)	350.00
Workshop (Offset of Program Exp.)			0.00	(150.00)	150.00
Totals	220.74	135.00	6,562.24	(3,952.76)	10,515.00
Expenses					
Block of the Month			0.00	(25.00)	25.00
Book Orders /Library			0.00	(200.00)	200.00
Fons & Porter Subs	15.00		15.00	(75.00)	90.00
Historian			0.00	(20.00)	20.00
Hospitality	12.31		12.31	(187.69)	200.00
KCRQF					
Installation			0.00	(50.00)	50.00
Liability Insurance			0.00	(200.00)	200.00
Membership		26.39	39.35	(310.65)	350.00
Memory Makers			0.00	(15.00)	15.00
Miscellaneous	30.00		95.00	(55.00)	150.00
Newsletter		23.53	35.29	(264.71)	300.00
Opportunity Quilt			0.00	(400.00)	400.00
Post Office Box			0.00	(80.00)	80.00
Professional Dues & Membership			0.00	(55.00)	55.00
Programs	207.12	319.80	526.92	(1,867.08)	2,394.00
Quilted Blessings		26.05			
Rent (Gashland Methodist)	55.00	55.00	320.00	(300.00)	620.00
Retreat '16	3,987.88		4,037.88	(12.12)	4,050.00
Retreat '17	861.60		861.60	105.60	756.00
Scrap Quilt			0.00	(100.00)	100.00
Set Up	20.00	20.00	80.00	(160.00)	240.00
Sewing Bee			0.00	(40.00)	20.00
Sunshine and Shadows			4.90	(45.10)	50.00
Workshop			0.00	(150.00)	150.00
Bank Service Charge			0.00	0.00	0.00
Totals	5,188.91	470.77	6,054.30	(4,506.75)	10,515.00
Outstanding Check(s)	42.31				
Ending Bank Balance	16,468.94	16,133.17			

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Northland Quilter's Guild
Minutes of April 14, 2016 General Meeting

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The meeting was called to order by JoAnn Borchelt, President. She welcomed members and asked if there were any visitors. There were 8 visitors today.

JoAnn wanted to remind all new members that there will be a New Member Coffee on Tuesday, April 19 at 10:00 am. This is a great way to learn more about the guild.

Program: - Daphne McClure introduced the speaker for our program today:
Carl Hentsch of 3Dog Design Company

After the program, Daphne awarded prizes from Carl to the oldest and youngest members present: Dessie Brown and Valerie Hill.

A short break was taken after the program.

Membership: Michelle Midtbo – There were 86 members present.

Minutes/Treasurer's Report: The Minutes/Treasurer's report from the previous meeting were approved as written in the newsletter.

Old Business: No old business.

New Business: For the June program, Daphne McClure is looking for antique quilts from pre-1930. Contact her if you have any. May's program is on machine quilting. A question was raised if a workshop will accompany the program. About 20 said they would be interested and Daphne will find out if a workshop would be possible.

Committee Reports:

Treasurer: Trish Rogers – nothing to report

Publicity: Mary Rohrbeck- Nothing to report

Historian: Mona Meyers – She is working on the member directory and the goal is to complete it by June.

Hospitality: Esther Reed- Esther thanked everyone for bringing the wonderful snacks and reminded us that the guild is a great place to try new recipes.

Library: Trudy Coogan- New additions include:
"Birds and Flowers Album" by Bea Oglesby, "Baltimore Bouquets" by Mimi Dietrich, "A Quilter's Ark" by Margaret Rolfe, "A Thimbleberries Housewarming" by Lynette Jensen. Trudy also reminded us that the library includes a copy of "Amish Inspired Quilts" by Carl Hentsch, from today's program.

Memory Makers: Dolores Swenson- There are 2 or 3 quilts to baste on April 28th at 9 AM.

Miniatures/Silent Auction: Helen Tidics/Rita Fenn/Greta McGregor – Keep working on Silent Auction Donations.

Newsletter: Betty Fogarty- Nothing to report.

Opportunity Quilt: Sandy Cliff – Quilt top has been pieced and appliqued and Dave has it to be quilted.

Quilt Show: Denise Dodd – The quilt show is September 16 – 17 this year. September 15 is setup day and volunteer signups will start soon. The nighttime guild has chosen The Sewing Lab as the recipient for the silent auction proceeds. Registration forms for the show quilts will be included in the May newsletter. Please use the exact quilt measurements on the forms. All forms are due by the July meeting. There is a limit of 4 quilts/member. Non-member quilts can be included in the show if sponsored by a member but they will not be included in the judging. The quilts are due at the September meeting.

Boutique: Nancy Bellis – Some suggestions for donations for the boutique: Books, patterns, unfinished projects, table toppers. Volunteers are needed to help with the boutique.

Quilted Blessings: Teddie Broughton/Pat Peterson – Jane Bromberg will take any quilts tops since neither Teddie nor Pat were at the meeting.

Regional Quilt Festival: Jane Bromberg/Page Burns – The show is in June 2017. Jane has the information for the contest for the entryway quilts. The quilt must be 83" X 83" and April 1, 2017 is the deadline for the quilts. The Facebook page is Kansas City Regional Quilt Festival.

Joann also reminded us of the Facebook pages for the guild – Northland Quilters Guild, and for the quilt show – Northland Needlers QUILT SHOW.

2016 Retreat: Janell Gust/Collette Koll – Joann reported that it will be the 4th weekend in February and more information will be coming.

Scrap Quilt: Barbara Laxson – Thanks for the scraps for the quilt. More cream colored fabric is needed. Thanks for working on the blocks. Dave has generously offered to quilt it when it's ready.

Sunshine & Shadows: Shirley Justus- Correction from last month – Fran Richmond had knee replacement not hip replacement. Hope Velasquez had shoulder replacement. Shirley collects toiletries for Synergy House and is always accepting donations. She is also a member of the Smithville Quilt Guild and they will have Barb Eikmeier for their program this month.

Sewing Bee & Challenge Committee: Roberta Waterfield – Sewing Bee meets the 4th Thursday of the month from 9 – 3. Five have signed up for "We Bee Gifting" challenge. At the March Sewing Bee, someone left a book, please see Roberta to reclaim it. Let Roberta know ahead of time if you have a machine to be cleaned or scissors to be sharpened.

Minutes of April 14, 2016 General Meeting Continued...

Announcements:

- Northcare Hospice requests donations of patriotic quilts 48" X 48" or bigger so that they can honor their clients who are veterans.
- The 2016 Tulsa Quilt Show will be June 3-4, 2016.

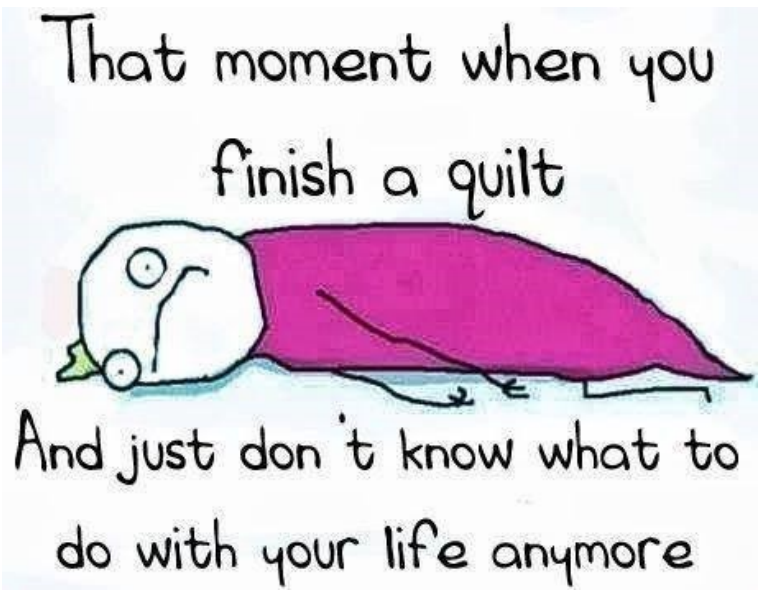
Sew and Share:

Sandy Cliff, Gloria Miller, Ilene Ankenman, Terry Schroder, Robin Musgrave, Mary Hunter, Betty Fogarty, Beth Curasi, June Caldwell, Diane Boehm, Collette Koll, Jane Bromberg, Page Burns, Roberta Waterfield, Carol Thompson, Nancy Bellis, Dessie Brown, Jamey Hurd, Trudy Coogan, Ruth Grady.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

-Shirley Green-
Secretary



Copied from Pat Peterson's Facebook Post….too funny to not share!

Sweet Retreat

Feb, 23-26, 2017

It's time to think about our spring retreat.
We will be taking a $50 deposit the month of May
to reserve your spot for the retreat in Feb.

Spaces are limited on a first come first serve basis.
Handicap rooms are limited and will be reserved for individuals in need.
No refunds will be given if canceled after Jan. 12th guild meeting.
Please give your deposit to Collette Koll or Betty McCullough at the meeting.

Your retreat team,
Mary Hunter, Janell Gust, Collette Koll, & Betty McCullough

Sunshine & Shadows

Nancy Van Gorp has had a Knee Replacement.

-Shirley Justus-

OPPORTUNITY QUILT

The Opportunity is being quilted and hopefully will be at the next guild meeting thanks to David's quilting.

-Sandy Cliff-

PROGRAMS

MAY Mary Verstrate Honas "Machine Quilting on Home Machine"

JUNE Bettina Havig "Three Points of View: Historian, Appraiser, Judge" This is an interactive presentation. I will be looking and asking for a variety of quilts from our members to be used for this presentation. Sounds very interesting to me!

JULY Ron Elmore Log Cabin Tales" "Presentation and Trunk show.

AUGUST Cyndi Johnson "Rhapsody Experience" Presentation Workshop to follow

-Daphne McClure-
Vice President/Programs

QUILTS of VALOR

Raylene Mason of the Quilts of Valor foundation contacted me last week to ask for more quilts. There are some soldiers returning in May to Ft. Leavenworth. The ceremony will not be until August or September but the quilts need to be done before that time. She will accept tops until July and then have them quilted by volunteers and she will accept quilts that are completed too. If you want to donate please bring them to guild and I will pass them on to her. If you contribute a quilt then you may attend the ceremony. The ceremonies that I have attended are very touching.

Thank you in advance.

-Teddie Broughton-

Sale at Linda Brannock's Studio

A year ago, the quilting world lost a leader in primitive design. Her family is enjoying the majority of her quilts, rugs and collections. Now they want to share some of the things Linda loved with others.

Saturday, May 14, 2016

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

15016 E. 42nd Terr.
Independence, MO 64055

Enter by side gate that goes to the garden – studio is at the back of the property

Fabric - Books - Baskets - Buttons - Quilts - Sewing Table - Shelves & More

Cash and Check only

Can't come? Watch www.piecenplenty.com for selected items

Call Julie at 573.723.4312 for more information

Quilted Blessings

Thank you to everyone that has contributed to our growing number of small quilts. David has been quilting them for us. Please continue to bring the tops or completed baby size quilts to guild. We will let you know when we distribute them.

Teddie Broughton and Pat Peterson

MEMORY MAKERS

If you have a quilt that needs to be basted please call me at 816-792-3279.

-Dolores Swenson-

SMILE

By MONA MEYERS

Quilt Show Meeting

April 28, 2016

Stars of Kansas City then & now
Sept. 16 & 17, 2016

Quilt Show Dates: **September 16-17, 2016**
Quilt Show Location: **Salvation Army Community & Worship Center**
5306 N Oak Trafficway
Kansas City, MO 64118

Hours: Thursday, September 15 **Vendor Setup** 10:00 A. M. -3:00 P.M.
Friday, September 16 **Open to Public** 9:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Saturday, September 17 **Open to Public** 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.

Attendees:	Grace Albright	Sharon Brizendine	Denise Dodd	Janice LeMasters
	Kathy Limpic	Vicki Nagayama	Jean Newton	Cherie Pedigo
	Pam Peugh	Esther Reed,	Patricia Rogers	Martha Schumann
	Carol Sparks	Robert Waterfield	Gwen Weakley	

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 by Gwen. The minutes were approved as printed. Cheri reported that she had the signatory card completed and would take them to the bank. Cheri completed the audit and added the expenses to the March financial report.

Special Exhibit: Ruby McKim Centennial Denise is working with Ruby McKim's granddaughter but is having trouble getting a response from here. She will keep working to make the contact.

Vendor Quilt Design by 3 Ladies. Mary Jenson is doing the quilt in batiks (she has already started) and Kathy will also be making the quilt in red, white and blue fabric which was shipped today. Kathy will be checking the pattern as she works.

Sponsorships and Program Ads – Esther has started making contacts and will be sending the 2nd round of e-mails next week. Pam Peugh will be assisting.

Publicity –Kathy had the postcards at the meeting and distributed many to committee members who are planning to visit the listed quilt shops in the new few weeks.

Boutique - Nancy Bellis and Tina Robinson will be coordinating the Boutique. We need to get started on collecting donations and setting up some work day for guild members to work on items for the boutique.

Judges Kathy Fischer has returned Judging Agreement. Cindi Johnson has signed the Judging Agreement and put it in the mail along with her bio. Julie Kiffin –Judging Agreement hasn't been received – this is being followed up.

Silent Auction – we will be emphasizing getting the projects started so they will be ready by August/September. The miniature, table topper or baby quilts must be completed by August in order to be voted on at the August guild meeting. However, quilts can be turned in up to the show day.

Admissions – Two-day admission tickets will be sold to guild members prior to the show for $5. We have two boxes of last year's quilt show books and two boxes of the regional quilt show books. They will be offered to guild members at the May meeting, a few kept for history and the remainder will be recycled.

Set-up/Take Down - Gwen has asked that Roberta and Jean work on getting the set-up procedure in writing – from entering the quilts in the software to getting the info to Vicki and through the entire process. Jean has come to us from LA and they are encouraging members to register the quilts on-line. They are using a free software called Google Forms. Gwen and Jean will continue researching this option for future quilt shows.

Quilt Release – Betty Fogarty has agreed to assist in this area.

Ribbons – Janice says the ribbons are in the planning process.

We discussed purchase of frames, etc. for set-up and also the renting of pipe and drape to separate the vendor booths. We determined that Gwen, Denise, Vicki, Cheri and Trish will meet soon to discuss the **equipment** that needs to be purchased for the 2016 Quilt Show.

NOTES: (1) Please retain receipts for any expenditure you make and bring them to the Quilt Show meeting so you can be reimbursed. (2) Guidelines/Timelines are available in Dropbox for: Boutique, Door Prizes, Program/ Sponsorship Ads, Silent Auction

Next Quilt Show Meeting – May 26, 2016 at Gashland Methodist Church.

Submitted by

-Patricia Rogers-
-Quilt Show Secretary-

From the Boutique…

Again, thank you all for the great variety of items you brought to the April Guild Meeting!!! One of the boxes I received was filled with items made or started by Bonnie Pearce. I worked with Bonnie on a committee many years ago, and she was such a sweet lady and I was honored to be able to see and receive some of her work.

The more items we can stock up on now and price ahead of time, the easier it will be closer to Showtime!! So please be as generous next month as you were this time! And remember what I said during the meeting — the more you clean out of your stash, the more you can justify adding some new treasures!!!

Nancy Bellis

Ready, Set, Go…

It's time to start on Silent Auction Donations for our September Quilt Show. Profits from the auction will be donated to a charity. Prizes, prizes!! New this year: Prizes will be given to the first 3 people who make a donation. A 4th prize will be given to the person with the most auction donations.

We need items for the following categories:
Miniature Quilts – no side to exceed 24 inches
Wall Hangings – no side larger than 40 inches
Table Toppers/Runners
Baby Quilts – maximum size 45" x 50"
We request that panel/cheater cloth only be used if embellished.

At our August meeting, guild members will vote for their favorite in each category and ribbons will be awarded for each category. For judging, please be sure your name is on the back of your donation when submitted. (It is also nice if there is a quilt label on the back with the year and your name or that says "2016 Northland Needlers Quilt Show 2016.")

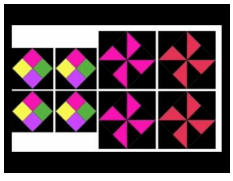
Your donations will be accepted at each quilt meeting by Helen Tidics or Rita Fenn or Greta McGregor

-Rita Fenn-

Quilt Show Entry Form

The Entry Form for the Quilt Show is not available at this time.
It will be sent out in a separate E-MAIL

Sorry for the delay



QUILT SHOW FINANCIALS

2016	Jan '16	Feb '16	Mar '16	YTD	Variance	Budget	Proposed 2016 Budget
Boutique							
Starting Bank Balance	6,460.26	6,460.26	6460.26	**2015**		**2015**	
Admissions				0.00	(2,100.00)	2100.00	2,100.00
Boutique				0.00	(1,800.00)	1,800.00	2,000.00
Cash Box				0.00	(400.00)	400.00	400.00
Interest				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Men & Women of MO				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pins				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Program Ads				0.00	(350.00)	350.00	400.00
Quilt Appraiser				0.00	(100.00)	100.00	0.00
Sponsors				0.00	(600.00)	600.00	700.00
Surplus				0.00	(1,998.71)	1,998.71	1,460.00
Vendor Quilt				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vendors 2016			375.00	0.00	0.00		2,175.00
Vendor 2017				0.00	(2,100.00)	2,100.00	0.00
Income Totals	0	0	375.00	0	(9,448.71)	9,448.71	9,235.00
Expenses							
Artwork				0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
Boutique				0.00	(60.00)	60.00	75.00
Building Rental				0.00	(1,500.00)	1,500.00	1,500.00
Cash Box				0.00	(400.00)	400.00	400.00
Computer				0.00	(250.00)	250.00	250.00
Decorating				0.00	(100.00)	100.00	100.00
Excess Paid to Guilds				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Men & Women of MO				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Miscellaneous				0.00	(201.00)	201.00	200.00
Pins				0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Program Books				0.00	(800.00)	800.00	800.00
Publicity				0.00	(300.00)	300.00	300.00
Quilt Appraiser				0.00	(500.00)	500.00	0.00
Quilt Show Judges				0.00	(300.00)	300.00	375.00
Rack Purchase				0.00	(3,230.71)	3,230.71	3,385.00
Ribbons				0.00	(75.00)	75.00	75.00
Signs				0.00	(50.00)	50.00	50.00
Silent Auction				0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00
Sponsor/Ad Expense				0.00	(50.00)	50.00	0.00
Storage Rental				0.00	(1,032.00)	1,032.00	1,100.00
Supplies				0.00	(200.00)	200.00	200.00
Vendor Expense				0.00	(200.00)	200.00	200.00
Vendor Quilt				0.00	(200.00)	200.00	200.00
Expense Totals	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	(9,448.71)	9,448.71	9,235.00
Uncleared Checks							
Ending Bank Balance	6,460.26	6,460.26	6,835.26				

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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Nominating
Teddie Broughton 803-9312
Jane Bromberg 868-1494

Opportunity Quilt
Sandy Cliff 452-0420

Publicity
Mary Rohrbeck 741-0320

Quilted Blessings
Teddie Broughton 803-9312
Pat Peterson 863-1011

Regional Quilt Show
Jane Bromberg 868-1494
Page Burns (913) 302-6387

Retreat

Scrap Quilt
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Valerie Hill 913-645-3041

Sewing Bee/Challenge Committee
Roberta Waterfield 935-9650

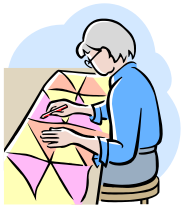
Show and Tell
Joann Thomas 628-4162

Sunshine and Shadows
Shirley Justus 453-6884

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 12—NORTHLAND QUILTERS' GUILD MEETING, 10 am
Gashland United Methodist Church, 7715 N Oak Street, Gladstone, MO

MAY 26—NORTHLAND QUILTERS' SEWING BEE, 9 am—3 pm
Gashland United Methodist Church, 7715 N Oak Street, Gladstone, MO



Northland Quilters' Guild
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Meeting Place
Gashland United Methodist Church
7715 N Oak Street
2nd Thursday of Each Month
10:00 a.m.