

Upcoming Events:

Sept. 7 - Guild meeting No presenter. This is a prep meeting for the guild quilt show.

Sept 23/24 – MCQG Quilt show

Oct 5 – Guild meeting Reeze Hanson presenting

Oct 7 Reeze Hanson workshop on Apple Core quilts

Oct 28 & Nov 11 Terry Lassen workshop on sweatshirt/lining jackets

Oct 28-30 Fall retreat

Nov 2 – Guild meeting

Dec 7 – Guild meeting Potluck and elections



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Minutes August 3

In the morning, Regina York, president, opened the meeting with her thank you note to guild members for their support for her mom's passing. Laura Davids opened the evening meeting. There were six guests in the morning meeting and one new member, Stacie Gammel. There were 17 in attendance in the evening meeting with guest Jonell Hammon who is moving to Miami Co.

Member Updates:

Mary Ann Thornton passed away recently. Cindy Toburen is doing well following her surgery. Rebecca Potter has a new grandson. Verna Garret is in Hospice Care; keep phone calls short. Erma Bauer fell recently. Charlotte Bousman is in the hospital with fluid on her knee. Pat Noel has a new pacemaker and her foot is better.

Minutes from the last meeting were approved with a motion from Diane Burnett and second by Barb Brown in the morning meeting. Minutes were approved with a motion by Robin Barry and seconded by Cindy Toburen in the evening meeting.

The only correspondence was from the guild in Independence, Kansas, inviting us to their quilt show August 11 thru 25, 10am to 4pm.

Birthdays

9/6 Vicki Bledsoe

9/17 Jeanne Ainsworth

9/18 Karen Kiss

9/18 Marilyn Barbour-Gray

9/20 Loree Gardner

9/21 Regina York

9/22 Beth Matthews

9/56 Ruth Flading

9/5 Nancy Geiger

Cee Kueser, treasurer, summarized her report. The guild has a total of \$12,541.06. In the morning, Cindy Wilbur moved and Marilyn Barbour-Gray seconded that the report be approved as reported. In the evening meeting the treasurer's report was approved by acclamation.

Upcoming programs and workshops:

August 19 workshop with Pam Pearson about paper piecing New York Beauties. There are still spots available and a supply list was given.

September meeting will be used to prepare for the show.

October meeting and workshop will be making jackets using a sweatshirt as the base.

Community Service:

Lap quilts are still needed for cancer patients.

Nancy Hart-Kline reported that on August 19, there will be a meeting to distribute checks following the quilt festival in June. Miami County Guild will probably need to provide a representative and an alternate for the next festival. There is a meeting monthly, usually in Johnson County.

Miami County Quilt Guild Show

Branda Jenkins shared:

September 23 and 24 the show will be held at Holy Trinity School

Entry fee is \$5 unless you have volunteered and then you will receive a free admission ticket,

Quilt entry forms are available and need to be turned in by the evening of the September meeting,

Quilts on display at Paola
Library:

Contact Joyce Geiger

Sept- Nancy Hart-Kline

October- Debra Dameron

November- Pam Pearson

December- Jackie McLean

People will be available to work on feather weight machines
and sharpen scissors, knives, etc,

Get boutique items done and turned in with initials and
birthdate,

Quilts for “Quilts Around the Square” need to be turned in at
the September meeting also,

Seats need to be filled for vendors and publicity for next year,

Featured Quilter will be Laura Davids.

Cindy Wilbur reminded:

Bed turning will be presidents' quilts,

Please reach out if a past president is no longer in the guild,

Please include a couple of memories of your presidency.

Cee Kueser discussed the new t-shirts:

They contain the new logo

Round neck or V neck, samples are blue and white

Any style can be done, long or short sleeves

If you get a woman's, order one size larger

Range from \$15, \$17, \$19

Need to order by the evening of the September meeting

Quilts on display at the
Extension Office

Contact: Jerri Hefling

September – Branda Jenkins

October – Pam Pearson

November – Marilyn Gray

December – Jackie McLean

Block of the Month:

Your choice of color with white background

Finish 12 inches

Morning winner – Terry Couture Evening winner: Jeanne Ainsworth

Old Business:

Garage Sale made about \$300 plus \$5.40 from boxes of books taken to Half Price Books. Several boxes were taken to Bethel Community Center to help make products for immigrants.

They will also be happy to use beans and rice if no longer needed at home.

Thanks to those who helped at the fair.

Remember to bring blocks for Laura Davids' president's quilt by next meeting.

Still space for the Oct retreat—contact Karen Ulanski-Swank.

New Business:

Discussion about the guild's buying an Accuquilt Cutter and some dyes. Before voting it was suggested that a program or workshop be set up to show people how it works.

Birthdays were read and it was suggested that cards be sent to Verna Garret whose birthday is August 19.

Door Prize in morning – Debra Dameron Evening: Cindy Toburen

Name Tag in morning – Kathy Armstrong Evening: Jeanne Ainsworth

Food Pantry in morning = Carol Vandenburg Evening: Ginger Vail

Theresa Pritchard moved and Margaret Baldwin seconded that the meeting be adjourned. The motion passed unanimously. The evening meeting was adjourned on a motion by Kelly Schroeder and second by Ginger Vail.

Program:

World Famous designer and applique artist Amy Bradley presented our program. She shared her history, her process as well as many of her best quilts. Quilters were able to purchase some of her patterns.

Respectfully Submitted,

Pam Pearson, Morning Secretary

Nancy Hart-Kline, Evening Secretary

