



MISSISSIPPI VALLEY QUILTERS GUILD

Established 1983

December 2025

P. O. Box 2636, Davenport, Iowa 52809-2636

DECEMBER PROGRAM

Holiday Potluck

Please join us for our annual holiday party. We will be having a potluck, games, and a sewing related white elephant gift exchange.

1:00 pm Dish or Dessert

7:00 pm Appetizer or Dessert

(See page 3 Programs for more info!)

President's Message By Diana Engelbrecht

It's that wonderful time of year. What does it mean to you? Family, great food, fellowship, friends, bright lights, glitz and gifts.

Or maybe its snow fall, snowball fights, snowmen and snow women, skiing, ice skating, and travel on not so nice roads.

Or maybe you are alone, missing loved ones, nowhere to go, and not looking forward to the month. If you know of anyone who is alone and your family has the space for extras, please invite that person or persons to be included in your activities. They may say they don't want to intrude. Make them feel welcome to come. We don't know how much it means to them. They may not realize how much it means themselves until it's over.

Oh, and remember, what doesn't get done will eventually. This goes for cleaning as well as homemade gifts. Let go of the stress and enjoy your season. Jill might not receive her quilt at Christmas, but it can be done by Valentine's Day or St Patty's Day. She will love it whenever she gets it. At Christmas a picture of what it might look like will go a long way.

So all of that to say Happy Hanukkah, Merry Christmas, Happy Kwanzaa, and Happy Holidays to any I missed. Our family will be celebrating the birth of Jesus. Hope your celebrations in your traditions are wonderful.

DECEMBER CALENDAR

NOTE: NEW DATE, TIME, LOCATION in YELLOW

❖ Guild Meeting

Dec 2 1pm & 7pm
1st Congregational Church 2201 7th Ave, Moline

❖ Quilts of Valor

Dec 3 9am - 2pm
Heritage Church 4801-44th St, Rock Island

❖ Quilters Get Away

Dec 5 9am - 430pm
Dec 6 9am - 730pm
Butterworth Education Ctr 701-12th Ave, Moline

❖ Board Meeting

Dec 9 6 - 830pm
Butterworth Home (Orchid Rm) 1105 8th St, Moline

❖ Fiber Arts

Dec 9 9am - 3pm
Eastern Ave Library 6000 Eastern, Davenport

❖ Charity Quilters

Dec 11 9am - 3pm
Deere Wiman Carriage House 909 - 11th Ave, Moline

❖ Quilt Queens Breakfast

Dec 11 9am
Village Inn, 53rd & Elmore ** All are welcome.
RSVP Judy Nelson, 563-271-7140

❖ Virtual Sit & Sew

Dec 15 1 - 4pm
Karla Miley, 309-738-5227

❖ Cuddle Quilts **Not meeting in Dec

❖ Scott County Sit & Sew

Dec 17 10am-3pm
Scott County Library 200 N. 6th, Eldridge

❖ Program Committee Mtg

Dec 17 9am - 1130
Butterworth Home (Orchid Rm) 1105-8th St, Moline

❖ Quilt Queens Sit & Sew (Pot Luck)

Dec 18 9am-3pm
Eastern Ave Library 6000 Eastern Davenport

❖ Mod Squad Quilters

Dec 18 6:30pm
St. John Lutheran Church 4501 7th Ave., Rock Island

❖ Fairmount Library Sit & Sew

Dec 19 9am - 3pm
3000 Fairmount, Davenport

❖ Charity Quilters (Bonus Sew Day)

Dec 19 830am - 4pm
Davenport Masonic Ctr 511 Veterans Memorial Pkwy

❖ Quilt Show Meeting **Not meeting in Dec

❖ Pin Pals Sit & Sew **Not meeting in Dec

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Evening:	
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Guild Related Quilts of Valor	
Terry Austin	309-912-1063

NOTE - Committee Chairs: If you have a schedule change, inform VP - Deb Schladt prior to the next month newsletter.*Please do not contact facilities directly*

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The Mississippi Valley Quilters Guild is a non-profit organization open to anyone interested in quilts or quilting. Monthly meetings are 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the First Congregational Church 2201 7th Ave, Moline, IL. Guests are welcome. A \$5 fee is charged to guests at meetings with featured speakers.

\$35 yearly dues are renewable in September.

To change your address contact
DeLaine Lanman 563-343-3224.

Find us on line at: www.mvqg.org

www.facebook.com/mvqguild

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Newsletter submissions:

Contributions to the Newsletter are welcome. Articles and ads are due no later than the second Friday of each month and can be submitted to Susan Nixon at:

newsletter@mvqg.org

All contributions must be accompanied by the name and phone number of the author.

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* Business card \$5.00 * 1/4 page \$12.50

* 1/3 page \$15.00 * 1/2 page \$25.00

OUR MISSION:

Organized in 1983 to educate and encourage members in the quilting arts; to encourage high standards in color, design, and construction of the quilted medium, and to stimulate interest in quilting in the community.

PROGRAMS



Holiday Potluck **December 2**

Please join us on December 2 for our annual holiday party. We will be having a potluck, games, and gift exchange. Please bring food to share as described below. And also bring one white elephant gift that is sewing related. Please do not go out and buy anything. Pull something from your sewing space that you don't use, no longer like, or that is simply undesirable to you. Please bring your show and tell. We love seeing each others creations. Thank you to those of you who are bringing a tablescape.

1:00 pm Dish or Dessert

7:00 pm Appetizer or Dessert

January 6

1 pm & 7pm 2025 UFO Challenge Reveal. We will also be sharing some tips and tricks that are valuable.

February 3

1 pm & 7pm meeting will be our Quilt of Valor pillowcase drive. Kits will be provided and we will give you more details soon.

Attention!

Due to staffing changes at the Butterworth & Deere-Wiman Complex, times for our morning activities at these locations have changed.

Speaker and Class workshops with begin at 930 am,
Arrival times will be shared when signing up for workshops.

Meetings and Sit & Sews will begin at 9 am

****Changes to these guidelines will be indicated in the newsletter and the online calendar.****

November Meeting Statistics

Afternoon Meeting

102 Members
0 Visitors
3 New Members

Evening Meeting

48 Members
0 Visitors
1 New Member

NOVEMBER NAME TAG WINNERS

Afternoon: Jacki Carmichael, Mary Korreect, Sally Stewart, Faye Kunz, Dorine Donaubauer, Joan Bush, Carol Burrus, Sandy Bender, Deb Kopacz

Evening: Barb Schloemer, Shannon Woods, Jennie Gist, Kathie Stockwell, Susan Nixon

NOVEMBER DOOHICKEY

Drawing Winner: Dorine Donaubauer

Winner of Orange Ring Quilt: Rene Robinson

COMMITTEE REPORTS AND EVENTS

COMMUNITY EDUCATION

You Are All Amazing! A huge *Thank You* to each person who contributed quilts and items and helped with installing the Maquoketa Art Experience Exhibit and The Feast For Your Eyes Exhibit at the Botanical Center. Another *Thank You* to those who helped take down the Maquoketa Art Experience Exhibit. It really does take a village to do these important exhibits to help promote our art. They had so much wonderful feedback and were very excited about it—they even left the light on at night for people to view the quilts from the sidewalk! You are all fantastic, first-rate people. Thank you so much.

Diana Engelbrecht, Community Education Chair

QUAD CITY BOTANICAL CENTER EXHIBIT “A FEAST FOR YOUR EYES”

The exhibit “A Feast For Your Eyes” will be hanging from
October 30, 2025 through January 31, 2026.

This is a perfect time to support the Botanical Center during their holiday events and experience the beauty of our quilts. They have supported us by asking us to display our art for years during the holidays.

It helps people know we are here.

Contact Diana Engelbrecht with questions. 563-370-4239



CUDDLE (DOLL) QUILTS

Well done, Merry Christmas to over 700 little kids! Such a great donation of fun and colorful cuddle quilts, will be delivered at or by the December quild meeting.

We skip work days in December and January, but would love to see a whole bunch of members in February 2026, to sort, plan, cut and (if time), sew. We could get a jump start on next year!

Happy Holidays!

Debbie Schladt, CQ Chair 309-786-4387; Margaret Paulos, Co-Chair 563-323-5745

FIBER ARTS

The Fiber Arts group will meet Tuesday December 9, 2025 at the Davenport Public Library Eastern Avenue Branch. Everyone is welcome. Inspire and Create, 9am-3pm, is a great time to come finish your Christmas projects or anything else you want to work on. There will be no morning workshop.

The meeting will begin at 1pm. Anyone interested can bring a homemade ornament for an exchange. It will be put in a brown paper bag. Those who brought an ornament will take turns picking a bag and opening. Everyone is asked to bring 1-3 items from their fiber related stash for door prizes. You will receive a ticket when you arrive that will be drawn for the door prizes. We will repeat the drawing until all door prizes are gone. Show and tell will be a good one in December. Further questions, contact Colleen Curry by phone or email.

Colleen Curry, cocu@custeldridge.com 563-285-1305 (land line)

CHARITY

Bonus Charity Sew Day

Help us turn the many quilt tops we have received into quilt bundles ready for quilting! We are having a special bonus sew day on **Friday, December 19, 2025 from 830am - 4pm** at Davenport Masonic Center, 511 Veterans Memorial Parkway, Davenport. We will need backing fabrics selected, backing/binding sewing, batting cut, etc. Questions, contact Carol Downey.

Carol Downey, Charity Committee Chair, 309-236-3886, charityprojects1@mvqg.org



Habitat for Humanity Upcoming House Openings

Come and be moved at the wonderful, thankful vibes that happen at a Habitat for Humanity House Opening! The family is celebrating not only Habitat's work, but their own, as they have invested building skills into each home. The Mississippi Valley Quilters Guild donates quilts to the family (among many other groups with gifts) at this moving event:

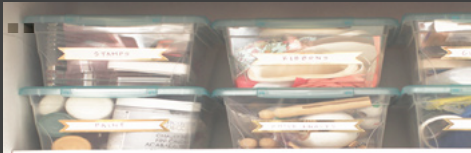
**Upcoming House Opening: Saturday, December 13th 10:00 AM
Koto Tebi Habitat House 2510 5th Avenue Moline.**

Rene Robinson, Habitat for Humanity Chair, 309-738-3266

FIGGE Quilt Show

Don't forget to pick out your favorite quilts (big, little, medium) for the Spring Quilt Show at the Figge Art Museum. It will run from Monday to Monday for National Quilt Week, March 2nd through March 9th, 2026. Also, plan to attend the Open house to gnosh on hors d'oeuvres and be available to chat about your quilt on Thursday March 5th from 5-7 pm. See René Robinson about this event. More info forthcoming as we get closer to the date.

Rene Robinson, 309-738-3266



2026 UFO Challenge

Believe it or not, it's time to start thinking about the 2026 UFO Challenge!

Over the years, the challenge has inspired many to complete those long-standing unfinished projects. Sign-ups begin now! The \$5 participation fee is due when you submit your form. You may join at any time. The Challenge Form has been revised to include four projects, plus two optional substitutions. Come join us—you'll be amazed at what you can accomplish over the year!

Kathee Secor and Mary Kay Hymes, UFO Challenge Coordinators



QUILTS OF VALOR

I want to extend a huge **Thank You** to all who helped make the award ceremony a success. We invited 77, and as always, it was a real challenge to get them there. Thank you for the cookies; they are always welcome. The leftover cookies went to the QC Veterans Outreach Center in Davenport. If you are a veteran and in need of their services, it is an amazing place. The day I brought the cookies, they had many volunteers sorting for the food pantry they offer. They were very welcome!

So, thank you to the quilters for the beautiful quilts;
To the volunteers that helped make it go pretty smooth;
To the bakers;
To the Botanical Center;
To anything else I may have missed. This is a "blanket" thank you.

I most certainly can't do this without all of your help. It humbles me!

The numbers are changing daily, but we have about 13 quilts left to deliver. Ten moved to the May 17, 2026 ceremony, which has about 50 on the list so far. Thank-yous have been coming in and I will share them soon. February 1st is the National Sew Day. More info to follow on that. Have a great Thanksgiving, may you be surrounded with family or friends.
Humbly grateful,

Terry Austin, QC QOV 309-912-1063

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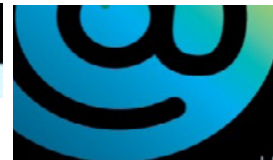
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Historical Interest

Nancy Duvall gave me a treasure at the meeting last Tuesday—a box of Depression-era newspaper clippings! During the Great Depression (1929–1941), newspapers encouraged people to buy the newspaper by including a quilt pattern each Sunday. In the box was a full set of Ruby Short McKim's "Toy Shop" patterns from 1933.



Little girls began learning embroidery at about five years old. They started with samplers, then moved on to Redwork, which was especially popular in the early 1900s.

During World War I, many fundraiser quilts were made. People would pay to have their names embroidered on a quilt. There were many quilts designed in a circle with "pie pieces" containing a name. My own embroidery adventure began in the winter of 1959–1960. We had ten snow days! My mother had ordered the patterns for a State Bird quilt from the Sioux City Journal. I now have all the birds stitched. Sometime, I'll start working on the names of the birds and their states.

Catherine Litwinow, Historian

Snowflake Cookie Walk

Bettendorf Presbyterian Church
1200 Middle road
Bettendorf, Iowa



Goodies sold by the pound

Come early for best selection!

SATURDAY
DECEMBER 6
9:00 - 11:30AM

Delight your holiday guests with
delicious homemade treats

Contact Nancy Duvall with questions 563-449-6015

DECEMBER DOOHICKEY

- Double Wedding Ring Template Set
- Small Notebook
- Pins
- Set of 3 Quilted Postcards

The tickets are \$1.00 each



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Historical Interest Opportunity

The Kalona Quilt and Textile Museum will hang a Patriotic/Civil War exhibit in the English Gallery all of 2026. If you have a Red, White & Blue quilt that you would like in the show, call 319-656-2519 and ask for Nancy Roth.

Bring quilts to the December meeting and I will take the quilts to Kalona.

Catherine Litwinow, Historian 563-332-8588

HELP NEEDED!

Co-chair and assistants needed for the 2026 Quilt Show Raffle Basket Committee. Karen Mach, who has stumbled into a co-chair position really needs help! She is looking for creative and energetic people (outgoing wouldn't hurt but not required) to help plan, gather materials, build, store, and transport raffle baskets over the next year. I will beg and grovel if needed!

**Karen Mach, Quilt Show Raffle Basket Committee Co-Chair
563-343-0470**



Please send news articles to Susan Nixon newsletter@mvqg.org

January's Newsletter deadline is December 12th, 2025

Volunteer Spotlight

Meet **Rene Robinson**, our National Quilt Day Committee Chair. Rene began quilting when her local shop hosted a Block of the Month program for the *Corps of Discovery* quilt honoring Lewis and Clark. “I bought three of each block in case I messed up—which I did, often! But after many attempts, I ended up with a quilt.” She enjoys quilts with rich, artistic colors and patterns, though she doesn’t have a preferred style yet.

After retiring from the Arsenal in 2023, Rene joined MVQG, though she had previously belonged to the Bishop Hill guild. She is self-taught and credits PBS’s *Fons & Porter* show for her ¼-inch seam watching show faithfully for years. Before quilting, she sewed medieval garb or clothing. She learned on her mother’s Featherweight, which she inherited and still uses today.

Last year Rene assisted the set up committee for the MVQG quilt show and oversaw the Figge exhibit. This year she’s coordinating the Figge exhibit, serving as point of contact for Habitat for Humanity, and assisting with the 2026 quilt show set up.

Born in Kalamazoo, Michigan, Rene has lived in Milwaukee, WI; Macomb, IL; London for a semester; Yorkville, IL; and now the Quad Cities. She earned a degree in Secondary Education and taught high school for two years prior to returning to direct a day care while completing a Computer Science degree. She worked for 25 years at the Arsenal as a computer programmer and IT specialist.

Rene is the youngest of four children. Her sister Robin lives with her; her brother Mike is in Dallas, and her brother Harry has passed away. Her immediate family includes her husband Steve, his daughter Donna, and their large orange Siberian cat, Cosmo.

Her hobbies include knitting, embroidery, crochet, basket making, watercolor, gardening, and kayaking. She plays handbells (four in hand!) at Salem Lutheran in Moline. She also enjoys journal making, sourdough baking, and jelly making (for the bread, obviously!) Rene loves being part of MVQG because of the talented members, THEIR many interests, and the beautiful work they create.



Rene Robinson

Meet **Susan Nixon**, our newsletter editor. Susan began playing with fabric very early. Two of her aunts were elementary art teachers, and they encouraged every creative endeavor. While her Aunt RaeAnn sewed garments, Susan dug through the scrap bin, creating outfits for her toys. She still has a few of those scraps tucked away! As a teen, her Aunt Janice helped her pick fabric and guided her through making her first quilt.

Originally from Kansas City, Missouri, Susan completed an undergraduate degree in Psychology at Truman State University in Kirksville, Missouri, and obtained her Doctor of Optometry degree at UM–St. Louis. In 2013 she relocated to Bettendorf, Iowa, after her then-boyfriend, Aaron, accepted a teaching position at Muscatine High School—his hometown school. They married in 2015 and now live just outside Muscatine. Though they don’t have children, Aaron jokes that as a teacher, he has “over a hundred kids every year,” which he insists is more than enough. Although Susan is an only child, she comes from a large extended family with 28 first cousins. Family gatherings are always fun!

Susan enjoys a variety of quilting styles and is open to learning almost every technique. She gravitates toward traditional piecing, but with a modern spin—unique uses of traditional blocks or surprising color palettes. She became a member of MVQG in late 2023 after a coworker mentioned she had been wanting to come to a meeting. This year, she was co-chair of the 2026 Raffle Quilt Committee with Cheryl Peck.

Susan and her mother are avid birdwatchers, and she has a life list of over 590 species. Birding adventures have taken her to a frozen bog in Minnesota in –23°F weather (her eyelashes froze, but they saw amazing birds), a trash dump at the southernmost tip of Texas (they spotted a Chihuahuan Raven!), scanning ocean waves at 11 pm during endless summer sunlight of Alaska, and hiking the sky islands of Arizona searching for Elegant Trogon (they saw two!). Fair warning—if someone is talking to her outside and she gets distracted, she probably heard a bird. If that conversation occurs outside a fabric store, there’s no way for her to pay attention to birds, fabric, and the conversation all at once!



Susan Nixon

MVQG 2026 UFO Challenge

1. List 4 UFO's. We are keeping the option to add 2 additional projects (A & B). These can be substituted for your project. Fill in the form with a brief description of the current status of the UFO and what your goal is for the project, ie., whatever YOU want to achieve for each project. **Be sure to make a copy for yourself!!**
2. Mail* your completed form and \$5 fee to Mary Kay Hymes or turn this in at any Guild meeting.
*See membership book for address.
3. The numbers will be drawn at the January, April, July and October Meetings.
4. Photo proof of completion must be **EMAILED to Kathee Secor**, (kathee@frontiernet.net) by or on **the Sunday Before** the April and July, 2026 Meetings. October 2026 and January 2027 should be sent to Mary Kay Hymes (mkhymes@gmail.com). Mark your calendar. **PLEASE USE THE FOLLOWING AS THE SUBJECT: UFO CHALLENGE # __.** Also, notify us if you substituted either A or B for the drawn number. This enables us to quickly find your project if you have any questions. Please bring your UFO to the guild meeting for Show and Tell on the month it is due.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

A. _____

B. _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____
Email: _____ Phone: _____

Figge Art Gallery Quilt Show

March 2nd through March 9th 2026

Please complete the following entry form and submit it to Rene Robinson by February 15th 2026. If entering more than one quilt for display, indicate your first choice, second choice, etc. It is our desire that every quilter submitting a quilt will have a quilt displayed. Depending on space additional quilts will be used.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Quilt Title: _____

Size: _____

Pattern and designer _____

Quilting Used (hand/domestic/midarm/longarm)

Description/Story of your quilt:

Drop your piece with this form at the January or February meeting, or Fiber Arts meeting
Or at Renes house – 768 25th Avenue Court Moline Il 61265.

Pick up will be at the Figge on March 9th, 2026.

Questions? Contact René at 309 738 3266, call or text.

RULERS FOR RENT:

Rulers and patterns will be available for use at Get Away, meetings, PinPals, and Quilt Queens. Please contact Faye Kunz at 563-505-2579 if you have any questions or wish to rent a particular ruler. Faye is usually at general meetings and PinPals but you will need to contact her to ensure that she is at Quilt Queens or Get Away and that the ruler that you wish to use is available. There is no charge to use the rulers at sit & sews. If you wish to use a ruler/pattern at home, you will need to pay a \$15 deposit. Your deposit will be returned to you when the ruler/pattern is returned to Faye.

Deb Tucker Studio 180

Square Squared

Includes Technique Sheet for Stacked Squares and Design Sheet for Large Square Squared 4" finished units Square 2 Trim Down Ruler

Wing Clipper I Trim Down Ruler for Flying Geese Units

Includes Technique Sheet for Pickets & Quickets and Design Sheet for Wing Clipper I 2x4" Finished Units Tucker Trimmer

Includes Technique Sheet for Shaded Four Patch and Design Sheet for Tucker Trimmer 4" Finished Units "V" Block Trimmer

Includes Technique Sheet for Sidekick & High/Low and Design Sheet for V Block 4" Finished Units Diamond Rects

Split Rects

Split Rects

Includes Design Sheet for Split Rects 2 x 4 finished units

Rapid Fire Lemoyne Star

Technique Sheet for Little Houses

Technique Sheet for Migrating Geese

Technique Sheet for Banded Lemoyne Stars

Technique Sheet for Blazing Lemoyne Stars

Technique Sheet for Fussy Cut Lemoynes

Technique Sheet for Lemoynes as Triangles

Technique Sheet for Liberty Lemoyne Stars

Technique Sheet for Strip Pieced Lemoyne Stars

Design Sheet Diamond Rects 2"x4" and 4"x8" Finished Units

Design Sheet for Rapid Fire Lemoyne Star Advanced I

Design Sheet for Rapid Fire Lemoyne Star Advanced II

Design Sheet Rapid Fire Lemoyne Star 4" Finished Units

Design Sheet for Square Squared 4" Finished Units

Marti Michell - Templates

2 1/2" Strippers (3 Pieces)

Drunkard's Path (2 Pieces)

Drunkard's Path (4 companion pieces for making 3", 3 1/2" and 4" units) #8960

Mini Dresden Plate (4 Pieces)

Multi-Size Kite Ruler

Not So Giant Dahlia (9 Pieces)

Stack N Whack Ruler 18 degree Fan (2 sets)

Storm at Sea Diamond Template Set (2 Pieces)

Tessellating Windmill

Winding Ways 6" Set 8052

Set A 3-inch square Basic Set

Set B

Set D 4-inch Square Basic Set (8 Pieces)

Set F Sunburst Block (5 Pieces) (2 sets)

Set H Large Hexagons Plus (3 Pieces) (2 sets)

Set K Schoolhouse

Set L 12" Seven-Patch Block Set

Set N Mini Geometrics (5 Pieces)

Set P Perfect Patchwork Templates (5 Pieces) (2 sets)

Marti Michell - Patterns

60 of One, Half a Dozen of Another

Apple Cores

Bali Breezes

Columbus Square

Fat Quarters Log Cabin

High Flyer Kites

Inner City Wallhanging

I Spy - One is Not Enough

Lazy Afternoon

Radiant Unfeathered Stars

Scrappy Bear's Path & More

Seven Sisters

Sunburst Quilts to Make

Twinkling Star

Winding Ways (2)

Zig Zag Geese

The Perfect Patchwork System Volume 1

The Perfect Patchwork System Volume 2

The Perfect Patchwork System Volume 6

90 Degree Double Strip Ruler (Creative Grids)

Easy Six Ruler

Easy Half Square Triangles Template (Sewing with Nancy)

Fantastic Fan

Flag Day Tumbler Template & Fruit Punch Quilt Pattern

Fun and Done Batting Buddy: Chit Chat, Easy Diamonds,

Fast Lane, & Woven Wonder patterns

Joseph's Coat Templates & Today's Quilter magazine

Log Cabin Hexagon Tool

Quilters Apothecary Mystical Designer

Quick Points Ruler 1 Inch

Quick Points Ruler 1 1/2 inch

QuickStar by Judy Martin

Quilters Strip Ticket Bias Tube Construction and Yardage Tables

Shortcut Binding Tool

Tri-Recs Tools set of 2 (Darlene Zimmerman)

Wheel of Mystery Pattern and templates

Zig Zag Ruler & Windy Day and Diamond Trip patterns

NOT FOR CHECK OUT - USE AT SIT AND SEWS ONLY

12 1/2" Square Sullivan's Edge

Omnigridd

2 1/2" Square

4" Square

6" Square (3)

6" x 24" (2)

1" x 12"

Half Square triangle

Omnigridd 3 1/2" Square

Artstick Expandable yardstick

6" Add an Eighth





MISSISSIPPI VALLEY QUILTERS GUILD
Membership Application/Renewal 2025-2026
Due Sept. 2, 2025



Please complete Parts 1 & 2. Use an address label or PRINT CLEARLY. Complete all sections or indicate NO CHANGE for renewals.

PART 1 (for use by Membership Chair)

Renewal _____ New _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Cell Phone _____ Home phone _____

Email address (**Essential**): _____

Members acknowledge that email will be used for Guild business. Personal information will not be sold.

Please circle all that apply:

Special Listing for Membership Directory: Shop Owner (S); Teacher (T); Lecturer (L)

Quilting for Others: Basting (Q/B); Binding (B); Hand (Q/H); Machine (Q/M); Long Arm (LA); Quilt Restoration (QR)

PART 2 (for use by Guild President)

Name _____ Phone: _____

The Guild depends on volunteers to ensure it runs smoothly. Please **circle** any areas in which you can assist:

Anything!	Doohickey Drawing	Hostess (Meetings)	National Quilt Day	Quilt Show
Guild Challenge	Hostess (Speakers)	Newsletter	Social Media	Charity
Guild Retreat	Library	Programs	Community Educ.	Habitat for Humanity
Membership/Directory	Publicity	Videoconference (e.g. Zoom)	Doll Quilts	Historical Interest
Website	Transportation	Travel		

Would you be willing to serve on the Board of Directors? _____

If interested in conducting a workshop, please indicate what subject or technique you would teach.

Please list any special skills, talents, or abilities unrelated to quilting (e.g. computing, accounting, social media) that you would be willing to share with the Guild. _____

Membership renewals are due by Sept. 2, 2025, and are non-refundable. Annual dues are \$35 (\$17.50 Full-time Student ages 14-21). Renewals may be submitted at meetings or mailed to MVQG, PO Box 2636, Davenport, IA 52809. Checks are payable to MVQG. Membership cards are issued when renewing in person or mailed if a SASE is enclosed with the renewal. Information for Members renewing by the due date is included in the printed Membership Directory.

Upcoming Member Opportunities.

All are welcome!

Pin Pal Quilters

Faye Kunz 563-505-2579

Diana Engelbrecht 563-285-4348i

This group meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month from 9am to 3pm at the Butterworth Education Center, 701 12th Avenue, Moline. We work on our own projects so you must bring everything you will need. Any guild member is welcome. Bring your sewing machine or handwork. Beaders and others interested in embellishing with beads are welcome to come work on their projects during this time also. Large tables are available to baste and mark quilts.

Charity Quilts

Carol Downey 309-236-3886

Charity Quilts Day is held the second Thursday of the month, 9am to 3pm Deere-Wiman Carriage House, 817 11th Ave., Moline unless otherwise noted in the calendar.

Quilt Queens

Bev Hoy 563.391.8685

Judy Nelson 563-271-7140

This Sit-n-Sew group meets every third and fourth Thursday, 9am to 3pm, Eastern Avenue Library, 6000 Eastern Ave., Davenport.

Just bring your lunch and enjoy the day!

Join Quilt Queens for Breakfast on the second Thursday of each month. Meet at Village Inn, 53rd & Elmore, Davenport, IA. 9am. RSVP Contact Judy Nelson for your spot! Everyone is welcome.

Fairmount Library Sit-N-Sew

Diana Engelbrecht 563-370-4239

3000 N Fairmount Street, Davenport.

Please come and bring a friend.

On the third Friday of the month 9am to 3pm

Cuddle (Doll) Quilts

Deb Schladt 309-786-4387

& Margaret Paulos 563-323-5745

Doll quilts are small quilts made by members and given to Head Start and selected preschool programs. Come to the workday, 3rd Tuesday most months at the Deere Wiman Carriage House, 817 11th Ave., Moline, 9am to 2pm, to plan, cut and sew with donated fabric, about 24" square. Donations always welcome. Quilts are distributed by December guild meeting.

Quilt Get Away

Denise Greer 309-269-0940

If you have projects to finish - Quilt Getaway is the place for you and open to all guild members. We meet at Butterworth Education Ctr., 701 - 12th Ave, Moline unless otherwise noted, from 9 am to 4:30 Friday, 9 am to 7pm Saturday the first Friday and Saturday of the month. Stay all day or leave your things and come and go as you like. Microwave and refrigerator are available. You may want to bring a light and an extension cord.

Please remember do not come before **900am.**

Quilts of Valor

Terry Austin 309-912-1063

Make quilts to honor our veterans. Quilts of Valor group meets on the Wednesday following the Guild meeting, 9 to 2pm, Heritage Church, 4801-44th St. Rock Island.

Fiber Arts

Colleen Curry 563-285-1305

The Fiber Arts group meets on the second Tuesday, Eastern Ave. Library, 6000 Eastern Ave., Davenport Inspire and Create 9am to 3pm

Play Day 930am to 12pm

Fiber Arts Meeting 1pm to 3pm

The room will be open from 9am to 3pm for Inspire and Create time for anyone who would like to work on any non messy project of their choice. Play Days are various mini workshops to learn new techniques. Demos, information and show and tell from 1pm to 3pm. Any sewing machines will be asked to stop during the meeting. It will be an open creative time for all fiber mediums.

Virtual Sit-N-Sew

Jane Darin 309-523-3296

Karla Miley 309-738-5227

Held via Zoom every third Monday Contact Jane or Karla by 12 noon on the Sunday before.

Mod Squad Quilters

Vicky Morrow 309-948-3066

Susie Goodley 309-786-7229

Karla Miley 309-738-5227 T

Our new sit-and-sew for members interested in Modern Quilting. Mod Squad meets on the third Thursday 6:30 pm at the Parish Hall at St. John's Lutheran Church 4501 7th Ave, Rock Island

Scott County Library Sit-N-Sew

Deb Daniels 563-349-7115

200 N 6th Ave., Eldridge. Please come and bring a friend. The Second Friday of the month 9am to 3pm

****Date fluctuates due to Library's schedule.**

