

Siouxland Samplers Quilt Guild Newsletter

Presidents Message

Hello ladies,

Well, ladies, this is my last newsletter submission. It's been quite a trip the last two years. I've learned a lot about myself, but not as much as I wanted about everyone.

We should mix it up in the new year. Sit with someone you don't know as well. Especially our newer members or the quiet ones. Get to know them.

Remember December is potluck and rummage.

So bring your appetite, delicious food and money.

Do your Christmas shopping for yourself there. You know you want too.

One of the things that we'll need to do is choose my successor. So think about it. We've chosen our new membership and treasurer. Yay!! Just one more to go.

Looking forward to more years will all the people

I consider friends. Whether we're close or not,
you're the best!

Thank you for this opportunity.

Teri



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MONTHLY MINI— 2019

December- DeeDee Johnson

Upcoming Events:

December Quilt Guild Meeting

POTLUCK Dinner & Rummage Sale

December 9th 630pm

NOTE TIME CHANGE

Redeemer Lutheran Church

3204 S Lakeport St

Siouxland Samplers Quilt Guild

Board Members 2019

President -Teri Mevius

Secretary- Monica Holland

Vice President- Lois Pirozek

Membership- Christine Gengler

Treasurer- Luanna Gruber

Newsletter- Sharon Bobier

Chairwomen

Sunshine Quilts Chairwoman- Alyce King

Greeting Card Chairwoman- Mary Pointer

Website Chairwoman- Cindy Grimm



December Birthdays

12/3 Tammy Kratky

12/4 Michelle Callahan

12/17 Betty Pratt

12/19 Corlee Scott

12/20 Sue Bleck

12/25 Georgia Diavastes

12/26 Anietra Jannsen

12/28 Deb Martin

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December Quilt Meeting Agenda

December 9th at 630

Christmas Potluck and Rummage Sale

If your last name starts with **A-H** bring a hot dish

I-N bring a Salad

O-Z Bring a Dessert

A rummage sale pre-priced by each contributor please!

"Membership Renewal 2020"

You will find the renewal form as an attachment or at the guild meeting for your convenience. The guild requires a new form each year, because we keep each year's membership separately. You have until the February

2020 meeting to renew without a late fee.

Christine Gengler - SSQG Membership Director

We will be collecting hats, gloves, mittens and scarves for school children at the December 9th meeting. They can be purchased or homemade--all are welcomed. If you have questions or know of a school that would benefit from these winter items, please contact Sherry Book at 712-253-2447.



I know a lady who has what she says is a large amount of nice wool scraps and yardage from her years of sewing projects. I believe she used to teach sewing classes. She would like to just give this wool to someone who wants to make something of it. Her name is Joan Rupp.

Home phone is: 712-276-3854.

Please contact her if you're interested.

Mary Anne Nooney

Please make a patriotic banner for a Hospice veteran and bring to the December guild meeting
Any questions ask Lois Pirozek, VP



'Twas the night before Christmas,

And the quilts were not made.

The threads were all tangled, the cookies delayed.

The stocking weren't hung, the pantry was bare.

The poor weary Quilter, was tearing her hair.

Stacks of fat quarters, tipped over in streams.

Visions of Log Cabins, had turned into dreams.

When what to her wondering eyes should appear,

But a bus full of quilters with all of their gear.

They went straight to work with just a few mutters,

Sorting and stitching and brandishing cutters.

The patterns emerged from all of the clutter,

Like magic the fabrics arranged in a flutter.

Log Cabins, Lone Stars, Flying Geese & Bear Tracks

Each quilt was a beauty-even the backs.

Her house how it twinkled, her quilts how they glowed.

The cookies were baking, the stockings were sewed.

Their work was all done, so they folded their frames,

And packed up their needles, without giving their names.

They boarded the bus, and checked the next address.

More quilts to be made, another quilter in distress.

She heard one voice echo, as they drove out of sight,

Happy quilting to all and to all a good night!

~Author Unknown



Please bring empty
Christmas stockings for
hospitalized pediatric patients to
the December 9th meeting!



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Meeting Minutes November 11, 2019



- Meeting opened by Teri Mevius
- Members present: 43
- Guests: numerous family members were present
- One new member: Julie Void
- Previous minutes were approved.
- Mini made by Sharon Bobier. Won by Dianne Schlotman. Dec mini by DeeDee Johnson.
- Thank You from Jane Olsen
- Anne Crawford from Western Iowa Quilt of Valor talked about the QOV program.
- Jan Cook announced the ten recipients, and Anne Crawford presented the following ladies a QOV. Quilts were made by members of the Twisted Sisters quilt group: Vivian McPherson, Sharon Collier, Paula Kohn, Monica Holland, Debra Carson, Vicki Johnson, Lois Prozac, Susan Block, Casandra Marshall, Nadine Ruden.
- Teri asked for volunteers to fill open offices of Treasurer, membership and president.
- Betty Pratt took the office of Treasurer.
- Mary Stoneburg took the office of Membership.
- President office was not filled. Will be tabled until next month.
- Christi Lynn announced the quilt show made a profit of \$2,000. Said she was too busy to be chairman for 2021 show. A meeting will be set up for future chair.
- Jane extended a thank you from the entire quilt guild for all the work that Kristi did for the show.
- Additional ribbons were awarded. Vicki Wilson: Guild Choice. Luanne Gruber: 2nd place people's choice. Leesa Beeson: 1st place people's choice.
- Please bring any quilts that received a ribbon at the show to Dec meeting for showing.
- There is a quilt show Dec 6-7. New Life Reform Church in Sioux Center.
- Karen Wall has passed away. Sympathy card has been sent.
- There are pumpkin pies for sale from the church. \$15.
- Karen Kunas is in Intensive Care at Mercy.
- Girls Inc. is in desperate need of help. Tues 6-7.
- Dec meeting is our **Christmas Pot Luck.**
- **A-H. Hot dish.**
- **I-N. Salad.**
- **O-Z. Dessert.**
- **Time change to 6:30.**
- Anyone with stockings and banners bring them to the Dec meeting. We presently have 30 stockings. There is always a shortage of banners.
- Sherri Book asked for hats, scarves, and mittens. Can also donate shampoos, soaps etc. Bring to Dec meeting.
- There is a center for women escaping the sex trade opening in Sioux City. They have 7 beds. Queen and king size. Asking for quilt donations. Called Lila Maes House.
- Anyone interested in helping make quilts for Lila Maes House, there will be a meeting at 6 o'clock before the dec meeting.
- Laura Richard won the quilt raffle.
- Siouxland Samplers.Org website has lots of new pictures. Check it out.
- There will be a rummage sale during Dec potluck. Bring anything you wish to sell. Proceeds are your own.
- There are tubs from the scrap dive in the back for anyone who donated them.
- Show and tell and meeting was closed.

