

Siouxland Samplers Quilt Guild

May 2021

NEWSLETTER



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

"TIS THE MERRY MONTH OF MAYING..."

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So goes the song. I don't know about you, but my fingers are itching to start planting flowers!

It was wonderful to see so many at the last meeting. It was an enjoyable program. I know it was crowded, so I hope you're all well. Thank you for wearing masks.

I hope the fellowship hall will be finished by the May meeting. You'll get an e-mail the 10th if we'll be meeting in the basement room again.

Spring is in the air....no that is just the lagoon....

I hope you'll be thinking of what committee you'd like to help out with for the quilt show. The entry form is ready, so you can be thinking of quilts you'd like us to see. Remember, to enter quilts you must attend two guild meetings.

Hope to see you soon.

Kay Dahlquist

Quilt

RAFFLE QUILT

We will be ready to show the quilt the raffle quilt. The quilt is approximately 96' x 102". Over the next few months the quilt will be available to members to show at sites they choose. Now is your chance to show off all our hard work. Please contact Brenda Barwick (kidcrzy4@msn.com). It will be finished by the May meeting and will begin to be shown at this time.



PRESIDENT-Kay Dahlquist

CO VICE PRESIDENTS-

Luanna Gruber

+ Christine Genglert

Treasurer-Betty Pratt

Secretary-Teri Mevins

MEMBERSHIP-Mary Stoneburg

NEWSLETTER-Mary Bartram

QUILTSHOW CHAIR-Brenda Barwick

SUNSHINE QUILTS CHAIR-Alyce King

GREETING CARD CHAIR-Mary Pointer

WEBMASTER CHAIR- Cindy Grimm

"Upcoming Classes

We have firmed up two quilt teachers coming to teach classes in the near future.

Karla Randall is a certified teacher for Laura Heine's collage wall hanging method. She will present her instruction Friday night , June 4, 2021 and all-day Saturday June 5, 2021. Details will be forthcoming. In the meantime, check out Laura Heine's web site for inspiration. <https://www.fiberworks-heine.com/shop/patterns/laura-heine.htm>.

Billie Hansen is a former shop owner in Minnesota who has an interesting class she teaches to guilds in the mid-West. Those of you who attend retreats at Okoboji may be familiar with her. Her program is called, 'Finishing School'. Billie will present numerous ways to finish a quilt other than mere binding. From prairie points to scallops, there are many ways to finish your quilt. Save the date, August 14, 2021 for her class. She also suggests that you bring an unfinished quilt to get her opinion for completion.

Luanna and I hope many of you will take advantage of the knowledge and talent of these two teachers. Times, prices, and materials you will need to provide will be explained soon.

Christine & Luanna ~ Co V.P.s"

"Our May Program

Lynn Doyle of Bloomin' Minds will be visiting us for our May 10th meeting. She will treat us to her pop-up shop of patterns, kits, and ideas. Lynn is coming from Council Bluffs for her first presentation away from her own guild since Covid-19 hit. You'll find that Lynn has numerous and fun wall hanging kits, tips, and design ideas. Let's make sure her drive is worth her time. Check her out at www.bloominminds.com. See you all on the 10th. Christine Gengler ~ Luanna Gruber."

QUILT SHOW September 24th, 25th, 26th at the Sioux Convention Center

Admissions: Betty Prat

Raffle Quilt: Rhonda Weber

Quilt Mom:

Quilt Show Raffle: Tamera Kratky

Vendors: Michelle Matney

Banquet: Lois Pirozek

Judge/Speaker: MaryAnne Nooney

Registration/Quilt check in: Kay Dahlquist,
Rhonda Weber

T-Shirts/Posters Andrea SU

Scrap Drive: Sharon Bobie

Marketing/Advertising: Mary Bartram

White Glove/Logistics: Teri Mevius

Ribbons: Lisa Beeson

Judges Room: Kay Dahlquist

Finance: Lynne Morgan



MAY BIRTHDAYS

Brenda Barwick-05/30

Luanna Gruber-05/18

Michele Hayden-05/26

Robert Jaminet -05/03

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Upcoming Events

May meeting for the Quilt Show May 3, 2021 East Perkins

May Guild Board Meeting May 10, 2021 6:00 Redemers

May Guild Meeting May 10, 2021 7:00 Redemers

Karla Randall present her instruction Friday night , June 4, 2021 and all-day Saturday June 5, 2021. *"FYI Collage Class*

We've had wonderful interest in the Collage class coming up on June 4th and 5th. Those of you who have signed up, or will sign up shortly, will receive final instructions directly from Luanna. Do you have your kits/patterns yet? Christine Gengler ~ Luanna Gruber

Challenge Quilt

Theme is "Quilting Candy".

Cost of kit is \$3.00.

Total outside edge no more than 72" around.

Must use some of the fabric provided in the kit.

Projects must be registered to be shown.

There will be no additional charge to show the challenge project at the show.

Kits will be available from the February guild meeting until gone.
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If you have any questions or concerns please contact Rhonda or place inside

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Sunshine quilts **NEEDED**.....please

Requesting Sunshine Quilts be at least 40 X 50 inches for size and can be large as you choose Please include your name on a piece of paper and attach to a place inside bag when turning in a Sunshine Quilt to be donated. And if you used your own batting let us know.

I needing a piece of batting please contact me with the size piece you would like by e-mailing me @pwsptakkng@gmail.com or by calling 1.712.898.2477 and leave a message. Your batting can be picked up @the next Guild Meeting.

Thank you,
Alyce

"Call for UPC (Universal Product Code) Donations

SSQG provides and pays for the batting for Sunshine Quilts and Sweat Shop Quilts. In order to get price breaks for rolls of batting, one of our members collects UPCs from packages of Hobbs Batting. The UPC off any package of Hobbs Batting is eligible. She depends on membership donations of the UPCs. The UPCs are used on her order form for the Guild's benefit. When a new roll is needed, she is able to order it using the UPCs to give us the price break. The next time you open a new package of Hobbs Batting, please cut out the UPC and give it to one of us. We'll make sure it gets to her. Your help will be appreciated. Christine Gengler ~ Luanna Gruber."



Monthly mini Raffle

May-Lori Salem

June-Dee Johnson

July-Mary Bartram

August-Nancy Muecke

September-Brenda Barwick

October-LaTomah Hauff

November-Kristy Lynn

December-Teri Mevius

CONNECTIONS CONNECTIONS

About Our Organization MAKING CONNECTIONS If you are looking for a way to connect with other quilters, please join us at a guild meeting. We welcome quilters from newbies to experts. Membership dues are \$20.00 a year. You will enjoy the informative meetings and workshops, the monthly newsletter, and the inspiration you can't help but pick up from our Show and Tell quilts at every meeting.