SIOUXLAND SAMPLERS

QUILT GUILD

April 2022

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Happy April all!

It's the season of rain and flowers and bunnies and green! A time of new beginnings... including quilts.

Will you start a new quilt? Learn a new technique? Try something out side your comfort zone! Stir up your stash and make a masterpiece!!

I myself am trying to rotate backstock in my fabric closet and dealing with those "what was i thinking" fabrics. I also learned a new quilting term. PUFF! Project in uncut fabric form. I will not disclose how many of those I have. Happy spring!

Don't forget your 5 x 10 pieces for the sweatshop, colors are as follows:

Jan - blue and grays

Feb - red and pink

Mar - green and yellow

April - purple and orange

May - white and black

June and July - color of your choice

Request from Michelle

Hi all

Ok, it has been brought forward that a booklet about our guild would be nice for new members. I think this is a great idea.

What i am asking from you is a paragraph or 2 about something you specifically handle, like for example Alyce and sunshine quilts. Or if you are a general member, how about a bit about what you get out of or what you like best about the guild.

I will put this together in a booklet and hope to have one done by April. Is this a can do for you???

April Program and Upcoming Events

Donna Bremer of Holstein will present a trunk show and short demonstration of how to use all those little cut off triangles from sew 'n flip corners. "What to Do with All the Castaways" will provide us with hints and methods to sew these all together in some other cute project. Donna came highly recommended by her guild members in Cherokee. I'm sure she'll delight.

I'll have the hand-outs for Part C of the Mystery Patriotic Table Runner. But I have also included an attachment of it. Part D and the final layout illustration will be available at the May 9th meeting.

The Flower Pop class is quickly approaching. Jane Vereen will be on hand to provide the instruction on Saturday, April 9th. This is a learning experience and instruction in new and different techniques. Sew Kind of Wonderful rulers are designed to make the cutting of pieces conducive to easily sewing curved pieces together. You'll be amazed at how well the pieces fit together. All who have signed up have received a supply list from us. Class will start at 9:00 am. You may arrive after 8:30 am to set up. We're looking forward to it.

Our May 9th meeting will bring a guest from Mission SD, near the Rosebud Reservation. Vi Colombe specializes in traditional lone star quilts of the many Sioux people. She'll present a trunk show and give us some history of how the lone star became the traditional motif of the Sioux nations. Below is a YouTube link to a short video about the lone star tradition. Vi Colombe is interviewed at the very beginning. We've also invited a sewing group, from Winnebago NE, to be our guests for the meeting.

On June 25th we'll present a class for learning how to make your own Lone star quilt. Courtenay Hughes is the Sewing Room Manager for Missouri Star Quilt Company. She has a class on Craftsy called Luminous Lone Star and travels often to present classes. There are no special rulers or templates required. All you'll need is a <u>45-degree angle on your ruler</u>, fabric choices, machine, and normal sewing tools. The class will be on Saturday, the 25th of June at Redeemer Lutheran Church. Save the date. We'll have more information as it's available. Hopefully, we can get lots of participation.

Here are a couple of links for your enlightenment. Copy and paste into your browser.

(258) Points of Pride: Lone Star Quilts - YouTube



<u>Points of Pride: Lone Star Quilts</u> <u>www.youtube.com</u>

(258) How to do Sew-ga (Yoga for Sewists) | WeAllSew - YouTube



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Have you heard of sew-ga? It's yoga for sewists! These fun stretches will help release the tension in your body and allow for a few more hours at the machine....

www.youtube.com

See you all on Monday, the 11th of April for "What to Do with All the Castaways". Have a blessed Easter this month.

Christine and Luanna

Upcoming Events

Saturday, April 9 Flower Pop Class Saturday, June 25th Luminous Lone Star

October 21-23 Carol Joy Holling retreat

April Birthdays

4/07 - Lois Pirozek

4/14 - Sue Chartier

4/19 - Lucy Reed

4/22 - Jan Wineland

4/28 - Joann Sadler Willa Yates

Monthly Mini For 2022

April - Nellie Olsen May - Vicky Johnson

June - Willa Yates

July - Lois Pirozek

August - Lynn Morgan

September - Michelle Matney

October - Lori Baldwin

November - Sherry Book

December - Kay Minor

Co-Vice President - Christine Gengler & Luanna Gruber Treasurer - Dianne Schlotman Secretary - Teri Mevius Membership - Rhonda Weber Newsletter - Julie Boyd Quiltshow Chair - Tammy Kratky Webmaster Chair - Julie Boyd Sunshine Quilts Chair - Alyce King Greeting Card Chair - Mary Pointer

Board Members

President - Michele Hayden

Recurring Monthly

Guild meeting second Monday of the month Girl's Night Out 2nd Friday of the month Hand sewers and Appliquers meet 4th Thursday

Sunshine Quilts

Requesting Sunshine Quilts be at least 44 X 50 inches for size and can be larger if you choose.

Please include your name on a piece of paper and attach to or place inside the bag when turning in a sunshine Quilt to be donated. If you used your own batting please let me know.

If needing a piece of batting please contact me with the size piece you would like by emailing me @ pwsptakkng@gmail.com or calling 1-712-898-2477 and leaving me a message. Your batting can be picked up @ the next guild meeting.

Thank You Alyce King

March Meeting Minutes

March 14, 2022

Michelle opened meeting.

No guests.

1 new member. Bobbi Bentsen. Welcome.

Minutes and treasurers report were approved and 2nded.

Monthly mini was made by Jean Erichson and won by DeeDee Johnson.

Girls inc is working with 2 girls weekly. LaTomah has volunteered to help.

Sunshine Quilts. 12 guilts were donated to Trinity Lutheran Church, 5 to Habitat for

Humanity, 12 to the Soup Kitchen and 15 to Sunnybrook Church.

More batting will need to be ordered for the sweatshop in August.

The quilt theme is Quilts Under Construction and will be in August or September 2023.

National Quilt day was March 19 and a pattern called Diabolical Jane was done.

Sweatshop will be Saturday August 19. Time will be determined later. If you come to Girls Night Out on Friday the 12, you can set up your stuff and secure your seat. We're using 5"x 10" strips.

Carol Joy Holling will be hosting a retreat October 21-23, 2022 with an additional night available on the 20th.

Flower Pop Class is happening on Saturday 4/9/2022 beginning at 9am.

Chrome will be including the mystery block B in the newsletter.

The new logo was introduced and approved. Andrea is looking into the costs for t-shirts.

LaTomah has volunteered to do the Festival of Trees.

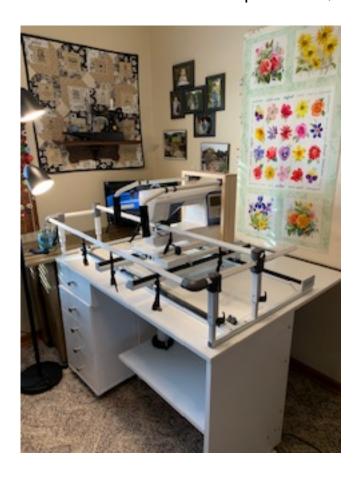
Looking into a bus trip to Des Moines for the APQS show. Estimate it will cost about \$100 per person.

Guest was Dr. Courtney Kruzemark w/Briar Cliff Occupational Therapy.

Show &Tell.

Meeting was adjourned.

FOR SALE: Cutie Tabletop Frame \$600



The Cutie Tabletop Fabric Frame allows you to quilt, sew, and stitch to your heart's content in a much easier way, managing your fabric for you so you can enjoy the process more. This frame fits on top of a table or desk and is compatible with most sewing machines. Has had a mod done to move the handles to the top for a more comfortable operator position. Can be switched back to the original location in a couple minutes. I have quilted wall hangings to queen sized quilts on this frame.

Text or call 712-281-1749

Hi, I am Sandra from Just Sew in Wayne, NE. I have met many of you sometime during my time as a store owner. I have vended, taught and sold fabric for Just Sew for the past 42 years. I have enjoyed every minute spent doing what I love. Last summer Ron my husband of 54 years had a heart attack. He had one stint put in and is recuperating wonderfully. He is back to everything he did before the attack. Volunteer fireman, teaching for the Nebraska Fire Service, Drives an ambulance and does maintenance for our rental units. I have always called him my energizer bunny!

Because we are not getting any younger and there is a lot traveling we would like to do in our RV, I have decided to close Just Sew. I will be selling all the inventory. Two floors of all kinds of knits, woven fabrics, fashion fabrics, notions, patterns, books, etc.... too much to list.

I have chosen all of April and May for my closing sale, which is the two months for the Kansas/Nebraska Shop Hop 2022. Just Sew will be open 6 days a week 10 AM-5PM (later if needed).

(Closed Sundays and Memorial Day)

Selling all inventory!

Just Sew

512 East 7th

Wayne, NE

Clearance Sale

April 1-May 31

Open 6 days a week 10 AM-5 PM (Closed Sundays and Memorial Day)

Weekly Discounts

20% off April 1 - April 16

30% off April 18 - April 30

40% off May 2 - May 14

50% off May 16 - May 28

Closed Memorial Day

60% off May 31

Like Just Sew's Facebook page to get further notifications!

Thanks for 42 Years of Quilting Fun! Sandra Wriedt (owner) Questions call Just Sew 402-375-4697.