

Heritage Quilters Guild Newsletter

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE FROM CATHY BOO:

Ladies and gent ,

Well, Spring finally seems to be here. Even though the snow is pretty, I am ready for some green trees and flowers.

Last week at the farm we had baby lambs born. Aaron called and said "we have a mystery lamb." Ok. No mom was claiming it. It was following AARON around the pasture - cute until it was time to eat. Took us about 20 minutes to figure it out. Mom wasn't too pleased about it at first but all is well now. No more mystery lamb.

I hope you haven't minded my farm stories over the years. Also hearing about my family and weddings, two more coming up. I've enjoyed sharing them with you.

For those of you who don't know, my grandmother quilted, and I found that out by finding an old Sun Bonnet Sue quilt top in a box in the garage years ago. It was the beginning of my quilting adventure.

I want to end by saying thank you to all of you for making my two years as your co president an enjoyable and rewarding experience. I have enjoyed it more than I can say, getting to know you all better. I want to wish the new board happiness and success going forward.

Once again thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Cathy Boo

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

Juskelis, Diane - 1
Harris, Kara - 4
Wrobel, Barbara - 5
Bromer, Linda - 9
Sayles, Martha - 9
Gentry, Susan - 28



2018- 2019 Guild Workshop and Lecture Schedule

The 2018 -2019 Guild Workshop and Lectures for the year will be concluding with the last workshop and lecture on April 9. ***If you would still like to sign up for the April 9 workshop, please contact Chris Bast at 708-704-2827***

4/9/2019 – Kim Hogan: *Workshop – Argyle Quilt*
Lecture – Trunk Show

5/14/2018 – Spring Banquet

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Due to the increase in fees presenters are requesting for workshops, the Board approved an increase in the workshop fee to \$40 beginning in September 2019. If the presenter has a flat rate fee for each workshop participant greater than \$40, the workshop fee will reflect the fee being charged by the presenter. Fees for workshops are indicated below. Registration for the September, October and November workshops has already begun.

9/10/19 - Susan Marth of Suzn Quilts: *Workshop - A Pretty Table (\$40)*
Lecture - Me, Myself & My Quilts

10/8/19 - Suzi Parron: *Workshop -Barn Quilt painting (\$45)*
Lecture - Barn Quilts

11/12/19 - Cheryl Sleboda of Muppin, Inc.: *Workshop - Pleats to Meet You (\$40)*
Lecture - Not Your Grandmother's Quilter- Be a Little Weird and a Better Quilter

12/10/19 -The Singing Quilter, Cathy Miller: Cathy will be entertaining guild members at our Holiday Party.

2/11/20 – Lori Miller of Lori Miller Designs: *Workshop –Cirque Quilt (\$40)*
Lecture –Inspired by Tradition

3/10/20 – Sue Pawlowski of Jack Squares Studio: *Workshop –Spinster (\$45)*
Lecture –No Work All Play

4/14/20 – Coleen Merte of Northwater Quilts: *Workshop –Spectrum (\$40)*
Lecture – Creating a Pattern Business and Transitioning to Modern Quilts

If you have additional questions, please text or call:

Diane Juskelis, VP of Programs – 708-525-3046

Chris Bast, VP of Workshops -708-704-2827

SOCIAL QUILTING

Social quilting will be April 23 at 7:30 PM
Bring a project to work on
And bring a small refreshment to share

Any questions? call Mary Mandernach or Maria Smith.

From Membership Chair Betty Drzal

Our March meeting was attended by 66 members. (a very good turn-out). Please keep in mind that renewal time for membership is just around the corner . Early renewals will be accepted in April and May. The renewal form is on the last page and you can print it off.

After June 1, there will be 2 new membership chairmen, Diana Vukonich and Pam Swyndro .

Also members please update your directories with the new e-mail for Dawn Price. It is dprice0152@gmail.com

And Dorothy Brumbaugh has moved:

Dorothy Brown Brumbaugh, 1100 N. River Rd., Unit 4307, Shorewood, IL 60404. Main phone is my cell at 815 325-2446. Please **do not** call the house phone listed in the membership book.

Quilt Show 2020

We still need a chair person or two for the quilt show. The dates for the 2020 quilt show have been set for September 19 and 20 with set up on September 18. Co-Chairs are needed. Please think about taking on the job. There are lots of people who have experience on various committees and are willing to share their knowledge.

Marie

2019-2020 Heritage Quilters Board Members

Co-Presidents-Martha Sayles-Gwen Malinowski
 First VP-Diane Juskelis(programs)
 Second VP-Barbara Wrobel(workshops)
 Secretary-Marie Blunk
 Treasurer-Barbara Kirnbauer
 Membership-Diane Vukonich/Pam Swyndro
 Hospitality-Kathleen Becker
 Newsletter-Bobbie Molony
 Historian-Dolores Kettman

ALL THINGS QUILT SALE at the VFW

Arrangements are continuing to be completed on our end for the All Things Quilt Sale on October 12, 2019 at the VFW. Hours of the sale will be from 10 AM until 2:00 PM. HOWEVER, the VFW will be open 2 hours before for drop off and 2 hours after for cleanup. You will be responsible for your items throughout the sale. Make sure they get on the right table. Please have all things tagged and pick up your unsold items. Donated items will be dealt with separately.

This is a great opportunity to clean out your stash and make some money. 80% of sale goes back to the seller and 20% goes to the guild. Please tape on or tie the tag to the item for easy removal. No stickers as they caused too many problems. Put your initials and the dollar amount on the tag. Only dollar amounts are to be used. Bundling is strongly suggested either by wrapping with ribbon, string, etc. or put in zip lock baggies. If you are donating items, just put the dollar amount. We will tally the tags the following day (please don't ask for amounts the day of the sale) and get a check to each one of you as soon as possible.

Any questions? Let me know.
Thanks, Sue Schroeder 630 969-7055

Quilt Retreat September 12-15, 2019

Come gather with friends and fellow guild members at our Fall Retreat:

Where: Carmelite Spiritual Center

When: September 12 – 15

Price: \$310 double
\$415 single

Time: Thursday 10:00 am – Sunday 2:00

Meals included Thursday Dinner, Friday & Saturday Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner, Sunday Breakfast only

12 spaces left (do not have to belong to the guild to participate)

See Rose Ojermark for details

From Kathy Becker—Hospitality Chair

Thank you to all who volunteered to bring treats for the April meeting. Here is a reminder to those who volunteered:

WATER: Mary Gaffney, Barb Zeman

ICE: Sue Barnhill

SNACKS: Carol Richards, Jill Brown, Dorothy Huber, Barbara Root, Karen Edgar, Diane Greenfield, Vickie Skinner, Pat Burke, Judy McCune, Maria Smith

Thanks to all for your generosity in providing treats for our next meeting.

Thanks, Kathy!

The Block Lottery for April is the Quilt Math Block

This is the #11 block from Pat Sloan's Solstice Challenge.
The pattern was sent out to everyone in the guild via Group Works in mid March.

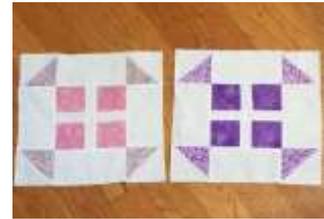
Make this block with a white background and two shades of the same pastels—ie: pale and darker pinks or purples or yellows. Any Spring Colors.

Consult the pattern to see the color placement. Or call me if you missed the pattern and need it.
At 815 258-5859 It is very, very simple.

Or you can download it from the Internet at

<https://patsloan.typepad.com/files/pat-sloan-block-11-directions-solstice-challengev3.pdf>

We will be having a drawing for this block at the April meeting.



Then the block for May will be a block called Studio Time and we have decided to change this up a bit. Where the pattern specifies DARK we will be using BRIGHT BATIKS and where the pattern specifies LIGHT we will be using any blacks that read as solid. So, reversing the color scheme.

<https://patsloan.typepad.com/files/pat-sloan-block-13-directions-solstice-challenge-mar.pdf>



Round Robin starting in September 2019

Those of us doing the Round Robins (there are 2 teams) are having a lot of fun. Each round has challenged us creatively in ways that we never imagined, and the results have been stunning to say the least!

People have been asking if there will be another Round Robin.

So, we are talking about starting up another one in September. We may also have a Row by row, instead of rounds. More to come.

We will limit each team to 5 or 6 people. Please talk to Bobbie Molony if you are interested. Cell 815 258-5859 or email me at bbmolony@comcast.net.

SOS Quilting usually meets monthly, on the 3rd Saturday of the month from 9AM to 3PM. If SOS needs the room for meetings, we will get cancelled, so check here to see if the sewing day has been cancelled. Drop in anytime, or bring your machine and spend the whole day, it is up to you. Refreshments are usually there, and if you plan on spending the whole day, bring your own lunch.

You can contribute time to making quilts for the kids at SOS, or you can bring your own projects to complete.

SOS refers to the SOS Children’s Village located at the SW corner of Bruce Road and Briggs Street.

This is a live-in facility for children who cannot live with their parents.

SOS kindly lets us use a work room with storage space in exchange for quilts for the children.

A win-win situation for all.



SOS Village Work Days

Please note there will be no SOS sewing in September, October or December.

2019

Apr 20
 May 18
 Jun 15
 Jul 20
 Aug 17
 Sep 21
 Oct 19
 Nov 16

There will be no sewing in December.

Many thanks to those members who support Our SOS endeavors.

We received pillowcases, quilt tops and finished tops at our last guild meeting.

We also delivered 8 quilts recently and could only do that because of your continued support. You’re the best!

SOS Committee



RESCUE Manhattan Elwood Crafters’s Resale
Saturday, April 27, 2019 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Manhattan Township Building
230 Wabash St.
Manhattan, IL

Quilting Crafting and Sewing Supplies

For a \$5.00 donation you will receive a bag to fill to the top!

There are also vintage quilts, sewing machines, and Acuquilt Die Cutter on tag sale.

Sale proceeds will support ME Library Quilt Group community service projects

More information is available on Facebook—Manhattan-Elwood Quilt Group.

PERSONAL NOTES

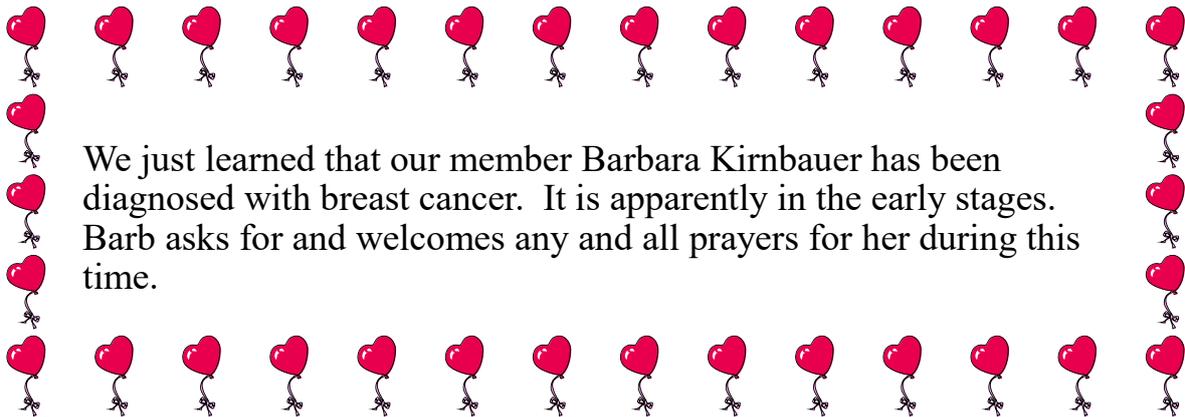
This page is to communicate any personal news items to the guild.

Please send any personal news item to Bobbie Molony at bbmolony@comcast.net with the subject of “newsletter—personals” otherwise I might miss it. We want to share your life events with you. Anything worth sharing is accepted—weddings, births, deaths, illnesses or surgeries. We are a guild of friends and quilting sisters, and not strangers.

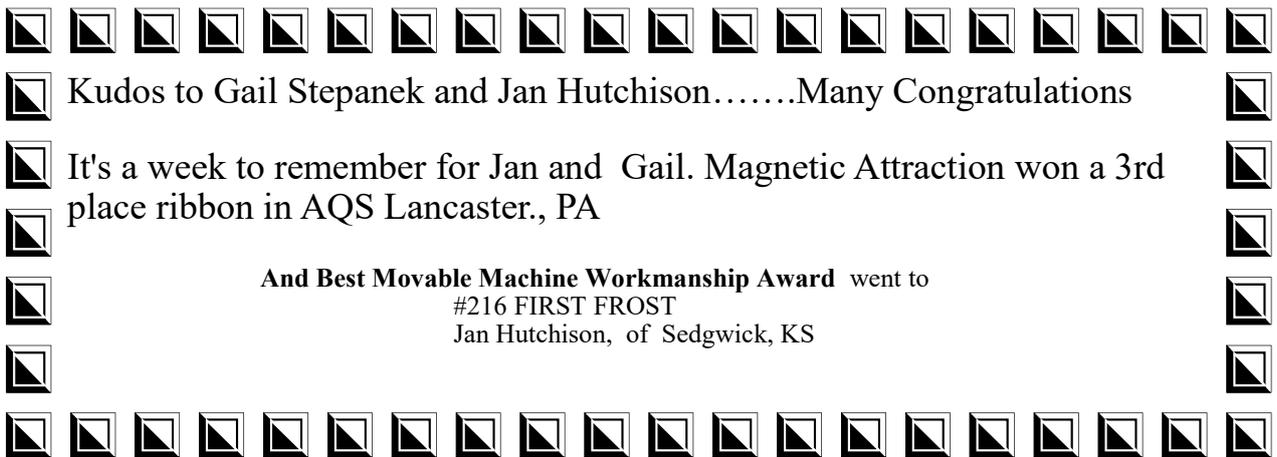
Please send an email to bbmolony@comcast.net with “newsletter—personals” in subject line.

I (Bobbie Molony) will be collecting plastic lids for my niece—probably for a long time. Still collecting for the middle school boy in the Thornton Township schools who drowned in his school swimming pool. My niece was his teacher. Everyone is devastated by this horrible loss. Then—this same class just lost another student to brain cancer, so they are talking about another memorial bench. Please keep on bringing those plastic lids.

I will collect any lids at the Guild meetings from now through May, or maybe longer. You can find me at the Block Lottery table.



We just learned that our member Barbara Kirnbauer has been diagnosed with breast cancer. It is apparently in the early stages. Barb asks for and welcomes any and all prayers for her during this time.



Kudos to Gail Stepanek and Jan Hutchison.....Many Congratulations

It's a week to remember for Jan and Gail. Magnetic Attraction won a 3rd place ribbon in AQS Lancaster., PA

And Best Movable Machine Workmanship Award went to
#216 FIRST FROST
Jan Hutchison, of Sedgwick, KS



Treasurer's Report from Rose Ojermark

APRIL Treasurer's Report

Balance
25,383.07

DEPOSITS

Membership/Guest 5.00
Retreat Reimb 800.00
Programs 1,010.00

TOTAL DEPOSITS 1,815.00

BMO BMO Min Balance 100.00 100.00

EXPENSES

Speaker 721.00

Lunch/Dinner with speaker
54.12

2020 Raffle Quilt Fabric
158.96

Deposit Fall 2019 Retreat
500.00

Retreat Gifts Pending
163.53

TOTAL EXPENSES 1,597.91

25,700.16



HERITAGE QUILTERS GUILD

MEMBERSHIP FORM

Annual Dues \$30.00

*****(Existing members who renew after June 1st will be charged \$35.00)**

Calendar Year June 1–2019 – May 31, 2020

Please Print Clearly

Last Name	First Name	Birthday (Mon
Street Address		City, State, Zi
Home Phone	Cell Phone *	

*Email Address – Print Clearly

Year Joined

Newsletters will be e-mailed unless specific request is made for US Mail

The main goal of the Heritage Quilters Guild is to have fun while promoting quilting in the area. In order to accomplish this, members are asked to share their interests, time and talents generously to better our guild. Each member is automatically required to donate *two hours of time* to the quilt show.

Following are the areas in which members are required to participate. Please remember that more hands make less work. Joining in is the only way to get to know others, and share experiences and knowledge.

How can we count on you? Please check your areas of interest!

Program: i.e.:

- Assisting the speaker by holding folding quilts.
- Speaker transportation

Business Meeting: i.e.:

- Assisting with Show and Tell.
- Set up speaker system.
- Room set up and take down.
- Hospitality: i.e. Assist chairperson with refreshments.
- Social Quilting: Teaching new methods or projects.
- SOS Workshops: i.e. Making quilts for the SOS Village Children.
- Heritage Quilters Guild Quilt Show: i.e. Travel with raffle quilt.

MEMBERSHIP OBLIGATIONS: Serve on a committee, work at special events (i.e. Quilt Show), sell or purchase Guild raffle tickets assigned to you, provide refreshments at least once a year at a membership meeting, and otherwise volunteer your time and talent to support the Guild.

Signed _____ Date _____

PLEASE COMPLETE, SIGN & RETURN by June 1 to be included in the membership book. Make check payable to Heritage Quilters Guild and mail to Membership Chairperson: After June 1st-return to membership persons, Diana Yukonich 7342 Baybury Rd. Downers Grove, IL.60516 or Pam Swyndro 203 Brynn Dr. Manhattan, IL. 60442

To be completed by Membership Chairperson:	Renewal _____	New Member _____
Date Received: ____/____/____	\$ _____	Cash/Check # _____
Year 2019 - 2020		

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