

SALT CREEK QUILTERS GUILD

The Patch Dispatch



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The Salt Creek Quilters Guild (a non-profit organization) meets the second Thursday of the month, September through May at the Hinsdale Community House, 8th and Madison, Hinsdale, IL. Meetings begin at 7:00 pm, but doors open at 6:30 pm. Guests are always welcome. There is a guest fee of \$10.00 when the meeting features a speaker.

Articles, announcements, or photos for the Patch Dispatch should be submitted to me by the **23rd of each month** to

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— Carol Douglas
Patch Dispatch editor

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saltcreekqg.org



Letter from the President...

Dear Guild Members,

Welcome back!!! I want thank each and every one of you for your membership and support of our guild. I am always eager to see everyone after the summer break. I love seeing you and tell to see what everyone has been up to during the summer.

Think about bringing a friend to a meeting. Even if they are not a quilter, our meetings are enlightening. There is a wide variety of lectures to look forward to this year. There will be something for everyone.

Things are progressing nicely for our Quilt Show in April 2020. The Opportunity Quilt is spectacular. The Community House has graciously offered to help with publicity for the show. We appreciate our long partnership with them.

I am looking forward to all of the workshops planned for the coming year. PayPal is now up and running on our web site. This will make sign ups easier for members. Remember you can always invite a friend to take a workshop. I am signed up for both of Pat Yanmin's workshops this month. I have known her for about 25 years. She is a fantastic teacher. I sign up for workshops for the chance to spend time with fellow quilters. Look at our website for all the classes offered this year. www.saltcreekqg.org

One who sleeps under a quilt is comforted with love.

—Sara Hochhauser

Special Library News

Free Books will be available for all members and guests at the September 2019 guild meeting. These are books that have been purged from the guild's library collection but may still be useful to our members.

So please stop at the library table and pick up some interesting books for your own library. Please note that there are some fiction books among them for your enjoyment. *Continued on the next page*

Also note that there will be a place for you to return books that you have checked out of the library, but we will not have books out on the table to check out. You will be able to ask for any book you need and we will find it for you in the bookcases. Remember that you can look in the guild's library catalog on our website under the library designation.

—*Barb Naucas*

Membership Moments.....

We are off to a great year.

I want to introduce you to 2 new members:

Jackie Naughton from Chicago

Marcai Jundanian from LaGrange

They will be wearing plaid name tags. Please say hello

Now is the time to bring your friends to join the guild.

We have lots of fun, learn many new things and make long lasting friends.

—*Martha Barry and Becky Preston, co-chairs*

Programs/Workshops

Starting this September and going through May we have a great line up of speakers. You may go to the guild web site to view detailed information about the speakers and their workshops.

September 12th, 13, and 14th we will have Pat Yamin.

October 10th, 11th, and 12th we will have the great Barn Block teacher around. You will go home with a finished block. Come join the fun.

November 14th, 15th, and 16th Lisa Binkley will show us beading, and also do some botanical dying.

January 9th, 10th, and 11th Dawn Shuck is presenting wool to us. Great classes.

February 13th, 14th, and 15th Susan Cleveland will be here. If you have never taken a class with her, you are in for a treat.

March 12th, 13th, and 14th we will feature Pam Dinnorf. Another great teacher not to miss.

April 2nd, and 3rd is Sara Nishura. She is right here in Chicago. Young and Modern teacher with a lot of knowledge. Come on out and welcome her.

May 14th, 15th, and 16th Cynthia Wiseman will be teaching us 2-day workshop. We should have a nice piece to go home with us.

With such a great selection of teachers there is no reason for you not to sign up for workshops. Let's make

these teachers show us everything they know and make us outstanding quilters.

YOU NOW CAN PAY US WITH CASH, CHECK, AND EVEN PAY-PAL.

Reach out to Terri Karls-630-257-6769,
karls256@att.net or Marilyn Montgomery- 708-246-4342, gardengrow04@hotmail.com

Vintage Books/Garage Sale

Books - 1 book \$1.00, 2 books \$1.50, 3 books \$2.00, 4 books \$2.50, 5 books \$3.00, etc.

Magazines - 1 for 25 cents, 10 for \$1.00, 6 for 50 cents.

We'll also be selling fabric, patterns, thread, etc. Please package in plastic bags and price.

—*Ann Olson, Bobbie Butler, and Debbie Wesenberg*

Hospitality



YUMMY, YUMMY, YUMMY I'VE GOT LOVE IN MY TUMMY

Welcome back to another year of great quilting programs, activities and GOODIES. We can't wait to taste all the great snacks the Guild members bring each month.

Your SCQC Board members will be providing delicious treats for the September meeting. Here's the schedule for the remainder of the year (according to last name):

September	Board members	WELCOME BACK
October	A, B, C	Get your spookiness on!
November	D, E, F	Gobble, gobble
December	GUILD	HOLIDAY PARTY
January	G, H, I, J	Let it snow, let it snow
February	K, L, M	Be My Valentine
March	N, O, P, Q	Wearin' of the Green
April	R, S, T, U	April Showers
May	V, W, X, Y, Z	May Flowers

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We love ALL treats, whether they be homemade or purchased, salty or sweet, healthy or decadent! Don't worry if you're unable to provide treats for your assigned month. You can always bring them another time.

Some have asked if they should take home or leave the (few) snacks left after the meeting. Rest assured that nothing goes to waste. Leftovers go to the workshop

the next day, so don't feel guilty if you leave them must make sure you take your plates with you!

An important part of the hospitality committee is to arrange for the area guilds to display their raffle quilt. Please support our quilting neighbors by purchasing raffle tickets from them. Bon appetite,

—Kim Siwinski and Barb Morris, Hospitality cochairs

Quilt Show 2020—

Sewn Together: Peace by Piece

Welcome back everyone! How many quilts did you finish over the summer? We can't have a show without your quilts! We'll be asking for your quilt entries before you know it, and our Retreat is a great time to finish them up. Be sure to pick up your quilt show packet when you arrive at our 1st meeting (or at your first meeting if you can't make it in September). We need everyone's effort to sell both admission and opportunity quilt tickets. They make great hostess gifts for the holidays. DeAnn Ellis will be asking each of you to contribute your time and talents by volunteering to work for the show in some capacity. Please don't make her beg! It takes an effort from all of us to put together a successful show, and by doing so, we will also have a successful guild. And we'll have fun doing it!

—Kim Siwinski and Claudia Moffat, Quilt show chairs

Opportunity Quilt

It is time for us to be preparing for the quilt show in 2020. We have a beautiful quilt to raffle off. Each member will be receiving packets of raffle tickets to sell. The price is the same as in the past, \$1 each or a book of 6 for \$5. Please do your part to sell the tickets allotted to you. Of course, you may always sell more. Remember, you won't have a chance to win the quilt if you don't take the chance and buy a ticket and your friends will miss out on the opportunity as well. So, look for those tickets in your show packet in September. If you have any questions please contact me at 630-969-0256.

—Arlene Forst, chair

Silent Auction—Starting this September please bring in as many Silent Auction Items as you like. Bring them

over to us at our table. Remember items as baby things, purses, bags, quilts, table runners or toppers. Sewn things for pets, pot holders, aprons, casserole carriers, etc. Please just make sure you use quality materials and items that present themselves nicely. We are a great group of sewers.

Baskets—Start thinking about making a basket to donate. Be creative—Sewing, Sports, Kids, Movie night, a sewing chair, Wine, Pasta Dinner, Thread, Fabric, Hand or Machine Embroidery. How about outfits for an American Girl Doll, Sporting events, Games. Remember you can just bring items in and we will put the basket together.

We are also asking all members to donate a good spool of thread and a quality fat quarter. Jan and I will be collecting the items at the meeting. If you are bringing a finished basket please have an itemized paper with is so we know what's in it.

—Terri Karls and Janet Woratschek, cochairs

Demonstrations—Calling all you talented members out there! We're beginning the show countdown in earnest now. Can't you feel the excitement and anticipation building?

So how about considering sharing your love of all things quilting by demonstrating your unique talents at the show. Perhaps you love appliqué-needle turn, machine appliqué, reverse appliqué or wool. Or maybe curved piecing is your forte. Share your hints and secret tricks. Maybe you're a pro at machine quilting, free motion feathers or ruler work quilting. Show the world your skill! How about English paper piecing or using freezer paper for paper piecing? So many ideas, so many talented members.

If interested, contact *Lolly Gajda*. (see Membership Book)

2020 SCQG Retreat

It is September, summer is ending and fall will soon be here officially. The chill of winter is still far enough away but...it's not too soon to start thinking of our upcoming 2020 Guild Retreat on **January 31st to February 1st** at the Carmelite Spiritual Center in Darien.

The fee (\$145 double occupancy, \$165 single occupancy) is all inclusive and covers your overnight accommodations. Four meals are included - lunch and dinner on Friday and breakfast and lunch on Saturday.

We will be taking sign-ups at our September meeting. We are limited to 40 participants so don't delay and miss your opportunity to have a great fun-filled quilting weekend!

Stop by the retreat table at our September meeting. Please fill out the form in this issue and include it with your payment to reserve your spot.

—Lolly Gajda



What's Up?

Pride of the Prairie Quilters 2020 Quilt Show

Symphony of Colors

Richland Grade School

1919 Canton Farm Road

Crest Hill, IK

Saturday, March 14th 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Sunday, March 15th 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Admission \$8.00 Children under 12 free

prideofprairie.org

September is National Sewing Month

For your convenience, you now have another option to pay for our Workshops. And that is **PayPal!**

Go to our website, saltcreekqqg.org, and sign up for classes using the PayPal buttons.

This is available to members and non-members.

Check with Marilyn Montgomery for further information.

The **St Louis Modern Quilt Guild** is so excited to be bringing Giuseppe Ribaldo (aka [Giucy Giuce](#)) to St. Louis this September 13-15 and is pleased to extend an invitation to his trunk show/lecture to the entire St. Louis-area quilting community. Giuseppe learned to sew from his grandmother at a young age. In 2008 he began quilting and has never looked back. Giuseppe is an avid modern traditionalist quilter, designer, and teacher with a great passion for simple designs in bright colors. He is also the multimedia manager at Andover Fabrics. This year will see the release of his fourth fabric collection with Andover, as well as a new round of tiny piecing block patterns in collaboration with Alison Glass. Giuseppe has made a name for himself with his bold, bright, intricate foundation and English paper piecing designs.

Friday, September 13, 2019--Doors open at 6:00 pm
Lecture starts at 6:30 pm, followed by a meet and greet

Where:

Brentwood Community Center
2505 South Brentwood Boulevard
Brentwood, MO 63144
Meeting Room C

Cost:

--Free for members

--\$5 for non-members (payable by cash or check at the door)

Giuseppe will also be teaching two full-day workshops for members on **Saturday, September 14** (Tiny Piecing) and **Sunday, September 15** (English Paper Piecing (EPP) with Moonstone Quilt).



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A Fresh Twist on Fabric Folding

Rebecca Wat

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Each chapter in this book begins by introducing a fabric-folding technique. The folding instructions are provided, followed by several related projects. You will learn six different folding techniques. Then you will learn how to use them to create fabulous quilts with dimension and unique texture.



Happy Quilter Word Search

by Pat Yamin

CTPUB.com

Turn idle time into fun time with 72 word search puzzles just for quilters! With topics all sewists can relate to like "Have iron, will travel" and "Best places to hide fabric," these puzzles make a perfect gift for stitchers—and a great group activity for guilds, retreats, and quilting cruises. Large-print word searches are easy on the eyes, and a helpful answer key is included.

SALT CREEK QUILTERS GUILD RETREAT REGISTRATION

January 31-February 1, 2020

NAME: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

ROOMMATE NAME: (IF APPLICABLE) _____

ROOM RATE: \$145 double occupancy/\$165 single occupancy

CHECK# _____ CASH _____ BY: _____

**SCQG RETREAT RECEIPT
CARMELITE SPIRITUAL CENTER
JANUARY 31-February 1, 2020**

NAME: _____

TOTAL PAID: _____

RECEIVED BY: _____

Salt Creek Quilters Guild Minutes from May 9, 2019

Sara Hochhauser, president, called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm. A motion to accept the April meeting minutes as posted in the Patch Dispatch was made by Arlene Forst and seconded by Linda Marcangelo.

Sara pointed out that we have 40 hats that will be on parade. Also, don't forget to get a dollar raffle for a chance to attend one of our workshops for free. Becky Hubler is at the back table ready to give you a charity quilt kit to complete. You have the whole summer to finish. Please consider making a Quilt Of Valor quilt block and handing it over to Arlene Forst. All instructions needed for these blocks are in The Patch Dispatch. Deadline is August 1.

Remember to fill out and submit your membership application. These need to be turned into Martha Barry or Becky Preston.

The stunning traveling Opportunity Quilt came to us this month from the Faithful Circle Quilt Guild. Their show is September 21 and 22, 2019.

The name of our 2020 Quilt Show is Sewn Together: Peace by Piece. Ellis has volunteered to be Volunteer chair. Our Quilt Show packets will be handed out at our September meeting.

Elections.

Lois Flood for First Vice President/Contracts

Janet Woratschek for Treasurer

Mary Querfurth for Secretary

The yeas have it.

Library.

If you check out a book tonight at the May meeting, you can enjoy it all summer. It's not due back until our September meeting.

Workshops.

We have a slate full of fantastic quilting experts headed our way next guild year. Here is a quick list. The website has been updated so you can get more information and see all the wonderful workshops.

September- Pat Yamin

October-Suzi Parron

November-Lisa Binkley

January-Dawn Schuck

February-Susan Cleveland

March- Pam Dinndorf

May-Cynthia Wiseman

Our Retreat will be in January and we will be able to reserve our spots at the September meeting.

At 7:14 pm we had our wonderful Show and Tell. We showed small and large quilts, arty quilts, workshop quilts and quilts for gifts.

Our Hat Parade began at 7:35 pm. It was a pretty rough start, but Claudia jumped in and organized and emceed our first ever Hat Parade. It was so nice to see all the colorful and creative hats, it brought us some warmth and gaiety.

Break was over at 7:52 pm. Martha Barry gave out one Door Prize and announced that we had in attendance 70 members, 2 visitors and one new member.

Kathy Tracey won the free workshop raffle.

Frankie Caruso introduced our speaker Rhonda Pierce. Rhonda works for Schmetz needles and has been an innovator for color coding needles. A Schmetz needle takes 12 weeks to make. 60 is the smallest size and 120 the largest. The five best selling needles for quilting are: Universal, Jean, Quilting, Microtex and Topstitch. We all received a Schmetz booklet and a free needle.

At 9:00 pm our May meeting, and thus our guild year, concluded.

—Submitted by Mary Querfurth, Secretary

Looking for talent... Members interested in sharing their talents with the guild.

If you are willing to teach a class, present a "trunk show" at a meeting, or a school house program, with other members, please contact Lois Flood with these ideas, or any other suggestions you have for a program/workshop for guild in 2020 - 2021.

Membership form