



# North Central Washington Quilt Guild Newsletter

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November 2007

## PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Hello Quilters.

Where has this year gone? It doesn't seem possible that we're into the holiday season already, tho' all those gorgeous fall colors outside tell us it's so. It also means that we're at the end of another quilting year, and with this one we have a change of officers.

Congratulations to Judy Preston (President), Geraldine Warner (Vice President), Wilma Delp (Secretary), and Terry Murphy (Treasurer), our officers for 2008. I want to take this opportunity to thank my officers these past last two years – Judy Preston, Nena Husted, and Ann Koch – for their efforts, their input, and their dedication to the Guild and its activities. I am proud to have had the opportunity to work with these three ladies. I also want to say thank you to the committee volunteers for their good work, and thank you to the Guild for your support and participation.

We do have one more task before us this year (besides enjoying all that good food at the November potluck!). Our by-laws have been in need of updating, so a committee was appointed to suggest revisions. A copy of the by-laws with those suggested revisions is included in this newsletter. We will be voting on these at the November meeting; please take time to read through the insert so you will know what the changes are.

May you all have wonderful Holidays, and a new year full of blessings.

Patty

### **NCW Quilt Guild Meetings**

7:00 P.M.

WVMC Sleep Center  
1000 N. Miller, Wenatchee

**November 28th, 6:30 pm:** Potluck and showing of Quilt Show winners. A-G Bring Salads, F-N Bring Desserts, O-Z Bring Main Dishes

**December:** No Meeting

**January 30th:** Video of the quilt show by Sherry Krebs

**February 27th:** Getting to know Gloria Palmer

**March 26th:** June Moore, National Longarm Quilts of Valor  
Co-coordinator

**April 30th:** Photos on Quilts by Kathy Storrs

### **Board Meetings**

Board meetings are held the first Monday of each month at 6:30pm  
At the Attic Window Quilt Shop  
Everyone is welcome.

### **Newsletter E-Mail Address:**

**[ncwquiltguild@gmail.com](mailto:ncwquiltguild@gmail.com)**

Please put Newsletter in subject line.

### **Quilt Guild Website Address:**

**[www.ncwquilt.org](http://www.ncwquilt.org)**

### 2008 NCWQG Officers

*President:* Judy Preston - 884-2002  
*Vice Pres:* Geraldine Warner - 663-5624  
*Secretary:* Wilma Delp – 884-8150  
*Treasurer:* Terry Murphy – 884-2676  
*Past President:* Patty Stith – 884-8819

### Committee Chairs

*Comfort Quilts:* Chris Dugan - 884-8220  
**open assistant**  
*Historian:* **open**  
*Librarian:* unavailable, in the process of reorganization  
*Name Tags:* **open**  
*Newsletter Editor:* **open**  
*Parliamentarian:* **open**  
*Programs:* Doni Palmgren - 662-7777  
Lori Kutch - 662-2991  
*Quilt Show: 2007-* Sandy Ashbrook - 886-8146  
Patty Stith – 884-8819  
*Block of the Month:* **open**  
*Retreat:* Marie -Tiedeman - 663-6626  
**open-assistant**  
*Round Robins:* **open**  
*Sunshine:* Dianne Gillin - 664-5295  
*Web Site:* Jody Leonard – 670-7176  
*Workshops:* Brooke Thomsen - 663-6463

**If there is a committee you would like to be on or chair, contact Judy Preston, 884-2002.**

### 2007 Quilt Show Committees and Chairs

Admissions: Terry Murphy  
Advertising: Emiley Smekofske & Sue Enright  
Awards: Sew Classy RR, contact Tamara Dezellem  
Boutique: Heather Bertameu  
Challenge 2008: Kathryn Hemsted & Shelia Englert  
Challenge 2009: open  
Labels: Patty Stith  
Layout: Lynn Pittsinger  
Live Demonstrations: Cindy Rowe  
Merchant Mall: Jean Aksdal  
Photographer: Sherry Krebs & Hilda Goetzinger  
Programs: Patty Stith  
Props:  
Publicity: Judy Preston/Beth Riebschlager  
Quilt Felicitator/Set up: Deanna Navone  
Raffle Quilt 2008: Louise Brown  
Raffle Tickets: Barb Vincent  
Raffle Quilt Display: Linda Riesterer  
Silent Demonstrations: Gloria Palmer  
Take Down: Marla Madson  
Take In: Valerie Valaas  
White Glove: Joyce Fisher

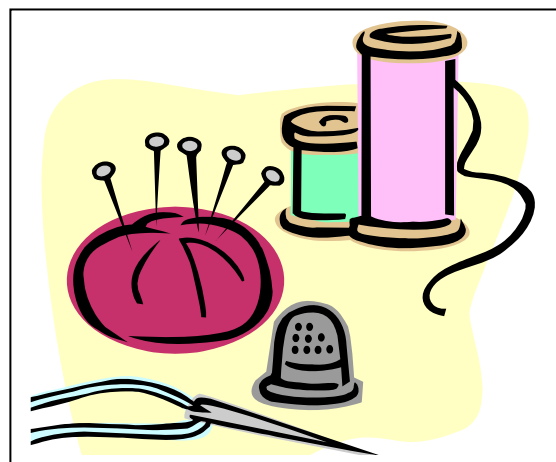
**If there is a committee you would like to be on or chair, in 2008 contact Sandy Ashbrook, 886-8146**

## Membership Dues

Membership dues are \$10.00. Make checks payable to NCWQG. Mail to **NCWQG, PO Box 2715, Wenatchee, WA 98807**. Pick up your membership card at the meeting or include a SASE if you wish to have your card mailed to you. Membership supports our guild and makes you eligible for Quilt Guild events and to receive our quarterly newsletter. **Please let us know if there is change in your address or phone number. Newsletters are sent bulk mail and are NOT FORWARDED.**

**Please remember to wear your nametag to the Guild meetings**

***Next Newsletter deadline January 2nd, mail date January 16th.***



# Potluck

## Don't Forget the Potluck

Wednesday, November 29th, 6:30PM

Last Names A-F: Salads

Last Names G-N: Desserts

Last Names O-Z: Main Dishes

The Guild will provide the drinks, plates, napkins, and utensils. The Cotton Club Round Robin, as winners of our second annual Round Robin Comfort Quilt Challenge, will lead the line past the food table; our program will be winners from this years' Harvest of quilts.

# Round Robins

If you are a guild member but not in a Round-Robin (small quilting group) and would like to join one, let me know. We can find an existing one that suits your schedule or start a new one. Nena Husted, 670-2886, E-mail: [snowy.nikki@charter.net](mailto:snowy.nikki@charter.net) or Judy Preston, 884-2202

# Sunshine News

The following guild members were sent cards of sympathy, support, and get well wishes. Alma Quehrn, Lillie Romero, Ruth Swallow and Dorothy Buchanan.

Please feel free to call or email me with your requests and concerns at 664-5295, or [diannegillin@gmail.com](mailto:diannegillin@gmail.com).  
Dianne

# Bus Trip

The Tacoma Art Museum and the Washington State History Museum currently have three quilt exhibits: Gee's Bend Quilts, Evolution of the Quilt and Washington Historic Quilts.

On December 1 there will be a one day bus trip to visit all three exhibits. If you would like to join us or have questions, call Joyce Fisher at 663-1905 or email [j1fisher@charter.net](mailto:j1fisher@charter.net)

Cost of the trip will be determined by the number going, the more of us there are the less it will cost. This is your chance to visit all three exhibits along with other quilters.

# Quilt Show News

## 2007 Quilt Show Recap

Our 2007 quilt show was a wonderful success. Thanks to all of you who worked so hard to make it so great. Also thank you to those who entered your quilts, without which we would not have a show. Special thanks to Ruth Geyer, our guest artist. She and her quilts were a great addition to our show.

We do not have exact figures yet, but with the addition of program ads and CD sales and the super job on the raffle ticket sales, the boutique, admissions and 2008 challenge and the great vendor booths we are real close to a \$4,000.00 profit. So we just want to say a really big thank you to everyone for all the long hours and hard work you put into the show to make it such a success.

Special thank yous to Dee and Al Howie for lending us their hangers and drapes. Setup went so much easier and we didn't have to rent drapes for the vendors.

We also want to thank Meg Hawkey for donating the Crab-Apple Hill basket that we raffled.

Thank you for a great year!  
Jane and Sandy

## Thank You from Sew Classy

Many thanks to all of you ladies for making our little fabric awards for the quilts. This year Ann Koch and Susan McWilliams made special rosette style awards for our "Best Of.." quilts. We also thank our regulars, those ladies who make 10 to 20 quilt prizes year after year, Gloria Palmer, Carolyn Sprout, Ruth Geyer, Barb Vincent and Lynn Pittsinger. We had a LOT of ladies who helped us this year, by making 1 or more prizes. Thank you, thank you, each prize helps. I had a list of your names to thank individually, but my dog ate the list. Really. Ty is an almost 3 year old American Eskimo, who also likes toilet paper rolls. The only name left was Marion Gillin.

Thanks also to some of you who have already given us prizes for next year! Wow!!

Doni Palmgren and the members of Sew Classy

## 2008 Quilt Show Challenge

Fat quarters are still available for \$3 each for the 2008 Quilt Show Challenge fabric. The theme is "Apple Capital of the World". The idea is to take the fat quarter and incorporate it into something you make, whether it be a quilt, pot holder, vest or where ever your imagination takes you. Next year enter it in the quilt show and the general public will vote on their favorite entry. This is a fund raiser for the quilt show. You are under no obligation to make something once you have purchased the fabric. I will have the fabric at each Guild meeting until they are all gone!

Kathryn Hemstead

## Quilt Show 2008

Sandy Ashbrook and Patty Stith are our co-chairs for next year's quilt show. If you are interested in chairing or working on a committee please contact them. Committees are listed on page 2. The quilt show is really fun and a lot easier than you may think.

# 2007 Quilt Show Winners

Please bring your winning quilts to the potluck to share

**Best of Show:** Mary Rozendaal

**Best Hand Quilting:** Mary Rozendaal

**Best Machine Quilting:** Ann Blanchard - Quilted by Carrie Peterson

**Extra Large Pieced:**

1st: Marty Scott - Quilted by Cynthia White  
2nd: Rebecca Simmons - Quilted by Jill Therriault  
3rd: Donald Larson - Quilted by Lynn Pittsinger

**Extra Large Appliqué:**

LaVanche Rhodes - Quilted by Jill Therriault

**Large Pieced:**

1st: Diane Garlini - Quilted by Janae We  
2nd: Eileen Dvorak - Quilted by Carrie Peterson  
3rd: Wyvonna Jackson - Quilted by Nancy Freese

**Large Appliqué:**

Linda Riesterer

**Med Pieced:**

1st: Lavonne Zodrow  
2nd: Trudy Dant & Ardella Edwards - Quilted by Sandy Ashbrook  
3rd: Gloria Scott Palmer - Quilted by Lynn Pittsinger

**Med Appliqué:**

1st: Mary Rozendaal  
2nd: Shirley Daling - Quilted by Sandy Ashbrook

**Small Pieced:**

1st: Barbara Vincent - Quilted by Lynn Pittsinger  
2nd: Pat Koehler - Quilted by Lynn Pittsinger  
3rd: Susie Williams - Quilted by Jill Therriault

**Small Appliqué:**

1st: Rose Butler - Quilted by Sandy Ashbrook  
2nd: LaWanda Freed - Quilted by Jill Therriault

**Group Quilt:**

1st: Quilt friends Online Group - Quilted by Janae We  
2nd: Barbara Vincent

**Challenge:**

1st - Barbara Vincent

**Embellished:**

1st: Gracie Pulse  
2nd: Doni Palmgren  
3rd: Doni Palmgren

**Extra Small:**

1st: Verna Winsor - Quilted by Kathleen Ament  
2nd: Sandy Ashbrook  
3rd: Linda Riesterer

**Innovative:**

1st: Kay Hall- Quilted by Jean Shute  
2nd: Loose Threads Round Robin - Quilted by Lynn Pittsinger  
3rd: Geraldine Warner

**Wearable:**

1st: Barbara Vincent  
2nd: Bonita Hadley  
3rd: Marge Marshall

**Christmas:**

1st: Susie Erickson - Quilted by Sandy Ashbrook  
2nd: Gloria Scott Palmer

## Machine Quilting Awards

This is to clarify what those gold ribbons mean. If your winning quilt was machine quilted by someone other than you, an award with a gold ribbon, saying "machine quilting" was also attached to your quilt. This award is for the person who quilted your quilt. Since it is a combination of quilting and piecing which makes a winner we feel it is important to acknowledge both with an award. So be sure to pass the award along to your quilter.

# Friendship Quilts

## Suggest Quilt Sizes:

**Crib Quilt:** Mattress 27 x 52  
Quilt @ 42 x 54 (width of fabric)  
Age appropriate fabric up to @ age 31/2

**Youth Quilt:** @ 50 x 65  
Age appropriate fabric up to age 10

**Couch Throw:** @ 60 x 72

**Twin Quilt:** Mattress 39 x 75  
Quilt @ 65 x 95

**Double Bed Quilt:** mattress 54 x 75  
Quilt @ 80 x 95

**Queen Bed Quilt:** mattress 60 x 80  
Quilt @ 86 x 100

The 2nd annual Round Robin Quilt Challenge was a big success. The quilts were beautiful and we took in 6 to help replenish our stash in storage. The winner of this year's challenge was "Cotton Club". They get the privilege of being first in line at the November potluck. Way to go quilters!

We had a sew-in on Wednesday, October 10th, at the WV Sleep Apnea Center. We took boxes of fabric stashed in storage to see if we could use it up. Approximately 8 women showed up. We put together some kits that need to be quilted or tied. We will be bringing them to the Guild meetings for pickup or you may call Chris Dugan or myself to be picked up or delivered. One of your Round Robin nights could be tying a quilt.

It is a good thing we are replenishing because we have given 3 quilts in September already. Brandon Peterson, age 3, who has Lymphoblastic Leukemia. Jennifer Mathews of Cashmere, who's leukemia has returned. Casey Tuttle, a teacher at Sterling Middle School, who has a brain tumor.

Would like to give a BIG THANKS to LaVonne Zodrow for making 2 quilts, one of which is going to the teacher, and someone, not sure who, for making a cute little flannel quilt which we felt was perfect for the 3 year of boy. Patty Stith gave me back 2 quilt kits she finished with quilting and binding.

If you are thinking of making a Comfort Quilt for 2008 and need a theme, we will be needing 6 children's quilts for the Chief for a Day which is happening during Apple Blossom. Every year the Chelan and Douglas County law enforcement picks 6 different children to participate.

The year is ending and I want you all to know Chris Dugan, who was my assistant this year, will be the Comfort Quilts chairperson next year. She could use as assistant, which hopefully will be in training to chair it the following year. Let Chris or I know if you are interested.

Lorna McGill  
Comfort Quilt Chairperson

**Notice:** *The guild has a roll of batting and some extra wide backing in a tan print and white on white. If you need some for a Friendship Quilt project, please call Lynn Pittsinger, 662-6715 with measurements and it will be cut to the size of your project. You can pick it up or Lynn can deliver.*

# Retreats

Spring Retreat Sun Mountain Lodge, Winthrop  
April 18th & 19th 2008

Room rates for guild members in Lodge rooms are \$80 per night and Mt Gardiner rooms are \$100 per night. Dues for 2008 need to be paid before the retreat and a \$10 fee for the work room rental paid to the guild treasurer.

## Help Needed

### Ornaments Requested for Holiday Baskets for Fire Victims

Patty Stith is asking your help, on behalf of a good friend who was lucky enough to escape damage to her home and business from the Fallbrook (Rice Canyon) fire, and is now helping those not so fortunate. Friend Lisa is concentrating her efforts on residents of a large trailer park that was almost half destroyed; most of the victims are elderly and/or on fixed income. Lisa wants to deliver holiday baskets with some baked treats, gift cards to various stores, and a handmade ornament, and asked if the Guild could help by making some ornaments. Patty will be collecting the ornaments at the November meeting, and will attach a tag telling where the ornament is from. If you would like to contribute a gift card, suggestions are denominations of \$5-\$50, to Wal-Mart, Target, Lowe's, or Home Depot. Those should also be brought to the November meeting.

Thank you for helping; it'll make the holidays a little brighter for those who have lost so much.

### “Still at war, still quilting”

That is the motto of Quilts of Valor, a national organization dedicated to providing all combat wounded service members from the war on terror, whether physical or psychological wounds, with wartime quilts, to give honor and comfort. To date, nearly 12,000 quilts have been awarded. Yet, with the wounded tally at over 63,000, there is still a huge need for patriotic quilts.

To that end, we have reserved the Chelan County PUD auditorium for the second Saturday of each month starting in January of 2008, for sew days to work on quilts for Quilts of Valor. We will be passing around a sheet at the next guild meeting to compile a list of names, phone numbers and email addresses, so that we can gauge the number of quilters we may have, and to be able to send out reminders each month.

We hope you will join us! If you have any other questions, please contact one of us –  
Lori – 662-2991 or [lorilovesred@charter.net](mailto:lorilovesred@charter.net) Debby – 662-4149 or [daphillips@nwi.net](mailto:daphillips@nwi.net).

Lori and Debby  
NCW Quilts of Valor

## Casa Christmas Stockings

We are needing Christmas stockings to fill for the foster children again this Christmas. If you would like to help this year, there will be patterns and information at the November Guild meeting. Please turn stockings in by December 15th.

If you have questions, please contact Kay Hall. [KHall412@aol.com](mailto:KHall412@aol.com) and 884-3371

## Message Center



### Appliqué Club

Meets at the Attic Window Quilt Shop from 3:00 – 6:00 pm the last Friday of each month. Bring project of your choice.

### Quilt Show at Wenatchee Valley Museum

The exhibition spans almost 100 years with examples of Presentation quilts, decorative quilts and functional quilts.

It is located in the museum's second-story gallery. The quilt will continue through December 1.

## Machine and Hand Quilting

**Blue Dahlia Quiltworks, etc.,** Janae (White Eagle) Longarm Machine Quilting. Services offered include: Custom machine quilting, Custom piecing and Binding; Trapunto, Quilt repair, including Antiques. Sewing Services include: Custom Clothing, Alterations, Hems Linings, Zippers, All Types of Repairs or Restyling, Leather or Fabric for Men or Women. Call for an appointment or drop-off quilt at The Attic Window. 509-664-0634

**“Changing Views” Machine Quilting.** Located at 1301 Ormiston St. Wenatchee. Call Jill Therriault at 663-9165 for appointment and price list.

**Ewok’s Eversharp,** Call John Davies (509) 886-4645 to sharpen scissors, knives, tools.

**Longarm Ken’s Machine Quilting:** PO Box 182, Malott, WA 98829 (509) 422-1646, cell 322-3680 e-mail [kenjoy@bmi.net](mailto:kenjoy@bmi.net)

**Machine Quilting - “Jodi’s Quilt & Things”.** Call Jodi Duncan at 886-1055 for more information.

**My Quilting Room” Quality Hand Quilting.** Call Louise McCallister – Phone (509) 687-3412, 994 W Manson Blvd, Manson.

**Nancy's Custom Quilting and Longarm Rental** – Nancy Feese 509-548-2183

Two Gammill Optimum Plus machines for rental, call for rental fee and machine availability. Also available, custom quilting with reasonable rates and return time. Local drop off spot at Wenatchee Sewing and Vacuum. Thank you NCW quilters for your continued support, keep up the awesome quilting!

**Patchwork Etc. machine quilting** Pat Lannoye 662-7349

**Sandy’s Machine Quilting, etc.** – 201 N Nile, East Wenatchee. Call Sandy Ashbrook at 886-8146.

**Sharpen your scissors at Johnny’s Custom Knifemakers,** 15 S Lombard Avenue in East Wenatchee. Phone – 884-6591.

**Sweet Sage Machine Quilting** – 775 N Keller, E Wenatchee - Call Linda Boatright - 884-5520.

**Traditional Hand Quilting:** Marie Sisson, P.O. Box 1732, Chelan, WA 98816 PH: (509) 682-5691 *25 Years Experience*

# Local Area Sewing Shops

Many of our local quilt shops are very generous to our guild.  
Please support them and let them know that their efforts are appreciated.

**Columbia Basin Quiltworks & Bernina**, 122 West 3rd Avenue, Moses Lake, WA 98837 (509) 764-2238 Open Monday-Friday 10:00am-5:30pm Saturday 10:00am - 5:00 pm [www.cbquiltworks.com](http://www.cbquiltworks.com)

**Craft Warehouse**, Valley North Mall, Wenatchee, 509-663-9559.  
10% discount for Guild members on fabric, books, pattern, and notions. *Please have your membership card with you.*

**Dee's Country Accent**, 917 Commercial St., Leavenworth, WA. 98826, 548-5311 or 1-800-253-8990  
[www.quiltersheaven.com](http://www.quiltersheaven.com), E-mail [info@quiltersheaven.com](mailto:info@quiltersheaven.com) *We are excited about all the activities and events coming your way and are free to attend.* QUILT SOIREE: Will be on the first Tuesday of every month from 1:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.  
FAST FRIENDS GET-TOGETHER: Will be on the third Sunday of every month from 2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. **Threads and Hands Stitch Together:** Meet every Monday from 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. **Girlfriends Quilting Bee:** Meet every Wednesday at 6 P.M. to 8 P.M.  
All activities and events will meet at Dee's Country Accents

**Sew Creative**, 1139 N. Princeton (behind JC Penney) 509-663-5516. [SewVacShop@aol.com](mailto:SewVacShop@aol.com). This year we are celebrating our 30th year in business! How many of you can remember our first downtown location in 1977?? If you purchased a sewing machine from me during the years 1977-1980, come in to reminisce and get a free gift. Yours for Happy Sewing, Karen

**The Attic Window Quilt Shoppe**, 1630 N. Wenatchee Ave. Suite 8, Wenatchee, WA 98801 - (509) 888-2006, E-mail: [atticwindow@nwi.net](mailto:atticwindow@nwi.net) We just returned from Quilt Market in Houston and our heads are still swimming with new ideas. Our embellishment and wool areas are growing as we speak. And, of course, our fabrics and notions are only the best. Some of the new Husquvarna-Viking machines have arrived...we've priced them competitively. And....don't forget our gift registry. Hours: Mon-Thurs 9:30-6:00, Fri 9:30-5:30, Sat 10:00-5:00, Sun 12:00-4:00

**The Fabric Patch**, 220 Tenth Avenue, Ephrata - 509-754-8280 Call or stop in – or see [www.fabricpatch.net](http://www.fabricpatch.net).

**Wenatchee Sewing & Vacuum**, 1544 North Wenatchee Ave. #300 (formerly JC's Stitching Post). 509-662-8627  
E-Mail: [wensewinc@aol.com](mailto:wensewinc@aol.com). We have a larger classroom area and are carrying more fabric. We are looking for class instructors to teach classes, if you are interested give us a call.

**Woven Threads**, 136 E. Woodin Ave - 509-682-7714 or email us at [info@woventhreads.com](mailto:info@woventhreads.com) Hours: Mon- Saturday: 9:30-5:30pm  
Happy Stitching! Rosie

**Yesteryear Quilting**, 107 West Locust, Waterville, WA 98858 – 509-745-9306 Hours: Mon- Saturday: 9:30-5:00pm