

The Valley North Central Washington Quilt Guild

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*From the President,
Linda Riesterer*



Something many of you may not know about me is that I am the world's shyest person. Sure, give me a meeting to run, a class to teach, a committee to chair, any specific job to do and I am fine. But put me in a group where I am expected to visit and converse—even with people I know—and you'll probably find me in the corner checking my watch to see when I can decently escape.

So it took a lot for me to come to my first Guild meeting, but I was so interested in learning more about quilting that I forced myself to go to that first meeting. (Actually, it was the second one. The first meeting I tried to go to was in July and there was no meeting that month!)

I remember distinctly wandering around looking for a seat and a woman I didn't know invited me to sit in a vacant chair beside her. That one gesture made me feel welcome and I have remembered it all these years later. Over time I joined a Round Robin, helped with the quilt show, and volunteered for committees, all of which led to increasing my quilting knowledge and skill and making some wonderful friends.

We have talked a lot lately about making members—new and not so new—feel welcome and included. Please offer a seat to someone who is wandering around or go sit by someone who is sitting alone. A simple smile and hello can make all the difference. And for you new members, whether you are shy or not, the best way to enjoy your Guild membership is to join in. Contact Pat Koehler to join a Round Robin, take a class, go on a guild bus trip, volunteer with the quilt show, go to the comfort quilt sew days, or join a committee. There are lots of opportunities. You just have to say "yes!"



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Guild Members: 15% off regular priced items
(some exclusions apply) on guild meeting day.

HINTS FROM HANNAH

(Ideas from others)

Quilting Tip

When making a backing for your quilt when the fabric isn't quite wide enough, try John Flynn's Diagonal Backing Method. It works for measurements between 45 and 64 inches. This can help save fabric!!!

www.flynnquilt.com

Large Spools of Thread

Large cone threads can be used on sewing machines with the thread spool pins that stand vertically. Place an "empty" pen over the spool pin to extend the height.

Quarterly Newsletter ~ Want to see it in full color????

Go to our webpage at ncwquiltguild.org



11007 Highway 2, Leavenworth 509.264.6169

Winter Hours: 10-3p.m. Tues.—Saturday

Regular Hours starts May 24th: 10-4 p.m., Sunday 11-3 p.m.

Membership—B.J. Tyrrell and Jodi Duncan

Welcome

Barbara Agnew

Nancy Bell

Linda Crowley

Debbie Hiatt

Colleen Holmer

Janine Miller

Marlene Murphy

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NCWQG Retreat: Sheila Burgess, Chairperson

*Sun Mountain 2016 April 28—May 1 Amazing get away!
4 days, 3 nights, members only, Check our webpage for the retreat checklist.*

NCW Quilt Guild Retreat Cancellation Policy (since 2013)

“All refunds are contingent on being filled from the waiting list. If there is not a waiting list, the member may fill the spot with another guild member.



- Full refund: until 45 days from retreat
- Half refund: from 44 days to 15 days from retreat
- No refund: from 14 days to first day of retreat
- A full refund will be made at any time for medical emergency with verification.”



SUNSHINE NEWS

Sympathy and get well cards were set to:

Lydia Dammann-Admitted to CWH
Katherine Hemstead-Admitted to CWH
Family of Ruth Geyer who passed away
Arlene Crumrine whose mother passed away
Judy West who had surgery
and
Lynn Pittsinger whose husband Gene passed away

*If you have any member news that requires a bit of sunshine, please let me know by either phone or email
~ Dianne Gillin*

Patty's Quilt Studio

Providing computer-aided long arm quilting services on a Gammill Statler Stitcher.

Patty Stith
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East Wenatchee, WA 98802
509-884-8819
Cell: 509-630-7699
E-mail: pattyquiltsstudio@gmx.com
Facebook: pattyquiltsstudio





QUILT
ANGELS



Our thanks to Carolyn Fisk, a Quilt Angel and NCWQG member has been greeting visitors at our monthly meetings since January and helps answer questions about the guild. If you want to volunteer, please contact Jodi Duncan or B.J. Tyrrell and help take visitors and new members "under your wing" and be a Quilt Angel !!!

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NCWQG Past—Current President(s)

2001	Jan Lawr
2002	Jan Lawr
2003	Marie Tiedeman
2004	Heather Bertermeau
2005	Doni Palmgren
2006	Patty Stith
2007	Patty Stith
2008	Judy Preston
2009	Geraldine Warner
2010	Lori Kutch
2011	Kathy Baker
2012	Ann Baye
2013	Jill Therriault
2014	Michelle Weaver
2015	Linda Riesterer
2016	Linda Riesterer

Thank you, ladies, for your contributions, time and efforts through serving as President to help further our mission and goal for the North Central Washington Quilt Guild!



Stitching in Heels

Long Arm quilting services by Jill Therriault at
3204 Ohme Garden Rd, Wenatchee, WA 98801
509.670.5318

QUILT SHOW NEWS

Meeting of all quilt show committee members will be April 26th at 6:00 p.m. at the Douglas County PUD. Any questions call Terry Murphy. 509.884.2676



An elderly Chinese woman had two large pots, each hung on the ends of a pole which she carried across her neck. One of the pots had a crack in it while the other pot was perfect and always delivered a full portion of water. At the end of the long walks from the stream to the house, the cracked pot arrived only half full.

For a full two years this went on daily, with the woman bringing home only one and a half pots of water. Of course, the perfect pot was proud of its accomplishments. But the poor cracked pot was ashamed of its own imperfection, and miserable that it could only do half of what it had been made to do.

After two years of what it perceived to be bitter failure, it spoke to the woman one day by the stream. 'I am ashamed of myself, because this crack in my side causes water to leak out all the way back to your house.' The old woman smiled, 'Did you notice that there are flowers on your side of the path, but not on the other pot's side? That's because I have always known about your flaw, so I planted flower seeds on your side of the path, and every day while we walk back, you water them.' For two years I have been able to pick these beautiful flowers to decorate the table. Without you being just the way you are, there would not be this beauty to grace the house.'

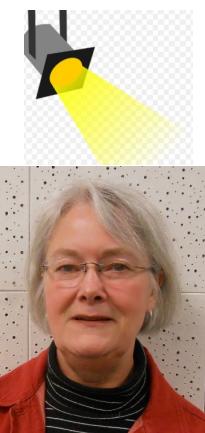
Each of us has our own unique flaw. But it's the cracks and flaws we each have that make our lives together so very interesting and rewarding.



Sewing machine sales, Babylock and Bernina and we service all brands of machines. 1139 Princeton, Wenatchee, WA 98801 509.663.5516
Hours Mon-Sat, 9:00-6:00

April Spotlight

Give a big hand & thank you for these volunteers !!!



Marilyn Burchett,
Hospitality

Penne Zacharow,
Hospitality

Terry Murphy,
Quilt Show

Geraldine Warner,
Quilt Show

Program Schedule

July 27

Jody Houghton of
'Jody Houghton Designs'
Presentation & trunk show

June 29

Panel discussion
"What is an Art Quilt"

May 25

"Peace through Pieces"
Presentation by Patty Federighi

April 27

Janet Nesbit of "One Sister" quilting
Presentation & trunk show.

August 31

Julie Luoma of "Off the Wall
Quilts" Presentation Angle Play
with Borders & trunk show

September 28

Modern Quilt Guild from
Ephrata

October 26

Patricia Belyea of Oakan Arts
"The Alluring World of Japanese
Yukata Quilts" Presentation &
trunk show

November 16

Panel discussion with Long arm
quilters



Member or guest??

Please remember to wear your nametag to the Guild meetings.

February Fun 2016



Wonky Star Class



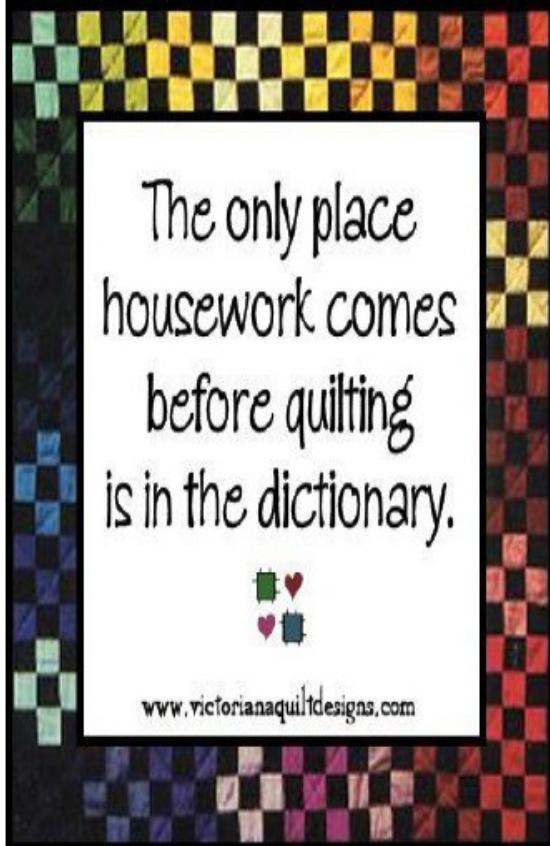
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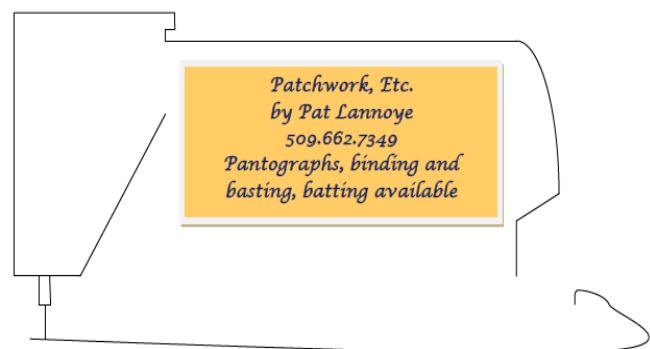
Sew, What's happening in June ??



What? ~ ~ ~ Fabric Origami Workshop
When? ~ ~ ~ June 11th
What Time? ~ ~ 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
How Much? ~ ~ \$15.00
Where? ~ ~ ~ TBA
Anything else? ~ ~ Yes, bring a lunch. When you sign up, you will receive a list of supplies needed for the class, and have fun!!



Summer quarter deadline for newsletter
items is July 6th





Out and About

(Submit items you think we'd like to know about!)

April 22-23, 2016 (Fri 4-8, Sat 9-5)

Annual Central Washington Quilt Show
sponsored by the Ellensburg Chamber of Commerce and the
Quilters in the Valley Quilt Guild, Kittitas Valley Events Center
901 E 7th Ave, Ellensburg, WA 98926
Admission \$5, 200 quilts and quilt vendors
kquiltersinthevalley@yahoo.com

April 23-24, 2016

36th Annual BEE-utiful Quilts Show
Busy Bee Quilter's of Snohomish
Evergreen State Fairgrounds, Commercial Building #400
14405 179th Ave SE, Monroe, WA 98272
www.busybeequilters.com

24TH ANNUAL FRONEN STEPPDECKER ODESSA SPRING FLING QUILT SHOW NOT JUST ANOTHER SMALL TOWN QUILT SHOW!

WHEN

April 29 & 30, 2016
Friday 9am– 6pm
Saturday 9am– 5 pm

WHERE

Odessa High School Gym
Odessa, WA

ADMISSIONS \$5.00

Pre-show discount for groups of 10 or more



SUN MOUNTAIN LODGE

October 21-23, 2016
Sun Mountain Quilt Show & Retreat

All quilters are invited
Enter your quilts and admire
others!

Open sewing sessions—\$5.00/day
Classes

OCTOBER 6TH - 8TH 2016
\$299 EARLY REGISTRATIONS

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LA CONNER Quilt & Textile Museum In the Historic Gaches Mansion

2016 Quilt & Fiber Arts Festival

September 30 - October 3, 2016



Library Corner

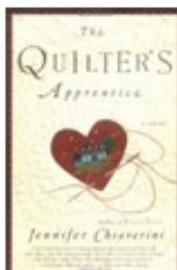


Since there might be some rainy Spring days, take a look at the fiction in the NCW Quilt Guild library located in a cabinet in Andrew's Sew and Vac. Or you can go online to: <http://www.librarything.com/>

Log in as: Name: ncwquiltguild
Password: fatquarter14

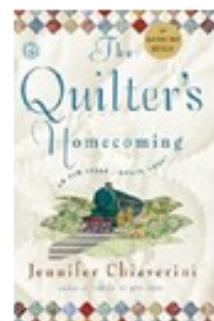
Choose the Your Books tab which will pull up the books in the library. You browse through the titles or you can do a search. To Search: Type search terms or book titles into Search Your Library box + Click on Search - - you will get a list. Click on title to see details, summary, and reviews.

To check out a book, e-mail request to: paine.s@applecapital.net or call 663-4006. I will bring the book to the next meeting. If you find a book from the cabinet and want to check it out, write your name, phone number, and the date on the card in the front of the book. Leave the card in the box on the bottom shelf. You can return the book to the cabinet or bring it to a monthly meeting and give it to Sharon Paine. If you have a book you think might be a good addition to the library, let Sharon know.

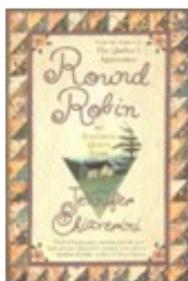


Here are three new to the library novels by Jennifer Chiaverini.

The Quilter's Apprentice features Sarah McClure who takes a position helping Sylvia Compson get ready for an estate sale. As their relationship deepens, Sarah is determined to help Sylvia find a brighter tomorrow. This was Jennifer's debut novel.



The Quilter's Homecoming tells the story of Elizabeth and Henry Nelson who travel to California in the 1920's expecting to run the Triumph Ranch. Once there, they find that their deed is a fake and they must work to earn their keep. Elizabeth trades fine quilts for the goods they need. She becomes friends with Rosa Diaz Barclay and discovers quilts with a past that were stitched by a member of the Diaz family. This is book 10 in the Elm Creek Quilts series.



Round Robin is the second in the Elm Creek Quilts series. Sarah is part of a round robin where each member confronts a crisis, a truth, or a choice. The quilt becomes a bond between the women.

Write a short review or recommendation of a book to share in the newsletter and send it to Sharon. You may also write a review on the web.

Grape Yogurt Salad

8 oz Greek Yogurt, 1/2 C whipped cream cheese, 2T honey, 1/4 C brown sugar, 1/4C chopped walnuts or pecans ~ 2lb. (6 cups) red or green seedless grapes
Mix first four ingredients together

Stir in nuts and grapes

Chill until ready to serve



2012 Show & Tell
Angie Sherwood, Ann Baye, Diane Garlini
and Donna Rankin



"No Curves Circles"
by Alycia Jacobsen &
her quilter, Kathie at
Yesteryear Quilting.
This won 2nd Place in
the Extra Large Pieced
Category



Marie Tiedeman & Louise Mertes
2012 Sun Mountain



Judy Lundberg also
works on an appliqué
Heirloom, 2013



2014 Retreat
Sisters, Vivian Chrisman and
Linda McMaster



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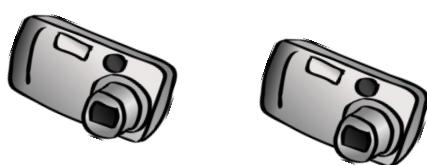
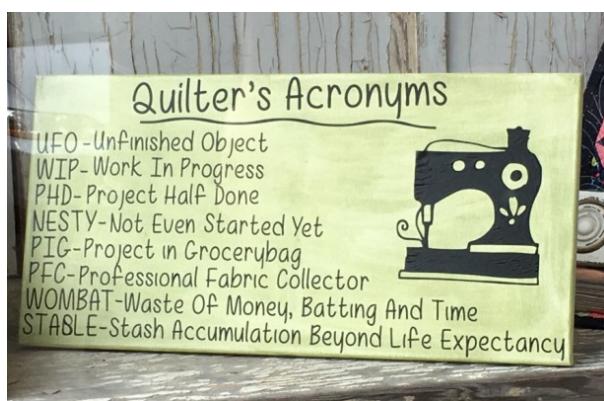


Photo submitted by NCWQG member
while travelling. Thank you!

Treasurer's Report by Diane Mitchell



Main Checking	\$13,163.39
Reg. savings	\$24,237.99
Quilt Show Checking	\$3,021.39
Quilt Show Savings	\$15,515.09

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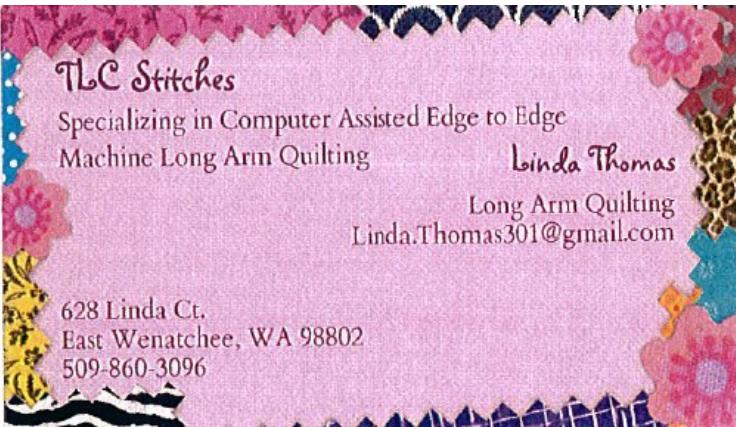
This spring and summer, pack a lunch, take a friend or loved one and take a drive to see area barn quilts! Visit www.barnquilts.washington.org for detailed area maps and easy directions. These can even be downloaded to your phone! Example below ~

ID	Name	Address
T1	Flying Horseshoe Ranch - Weathervane	3190 Red Bridge Rd
T2	Ballard Farm (C. 1900) - Wagon Wheel	901 Ballard Hill Rd
T3	Swauk Teanaway Grange - Border	1361 Ballard Hill Rd
T4	Masterson Farm (c.1895) - Crazy Quilt/ Angus Bull	341 Masterson Rd
T5	Miller Farm (c. 1895) - The Defender by Karen Watland	541 Seaton Rd.
T6	Canyon River Horse Ranch (c. early 1900's) - Star of Bethlehem	1751 Betas Rd



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Some websites and you tube channels that offer free webinars or videos:

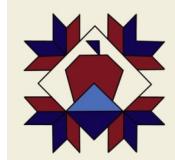
- ❖ <https://www.handiquilter.com/webinar/>
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- ❖ <http://www.bernina.com/en-US/Events-US/Webinars>
- ❖ <http://www.sulky.com/education-events/sewing-online-with-sulky-sos/>
- ❖ <https://www.superiorthreads.com/videos/>
- ❖ <http://www.quiltingismytherapy.com/>
- ❖ <https://www.youtube.com/user/FonsandPorter/playlists>
- ❖ <https://www.youtube.com/user/FatQuarterShop>
- ❖ <https://www.youtube.com/user/SewVeryEasy>
- ❖ <https://www.youtube.com/user/ShabbyFabrics>
- ❖ <https://www.youtube.com/user/MissouriQuiltCo>
- ❖ <http://quiltville.blogspot.com/p/videos.html>

(If you come across anything that you would like to add to this list,
send a link to the newsletter editor.)



*To learn more go to:
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Notes About Quilts & Quilting History Various Bits of Quilt History



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The NCWQ Guild Newsletter is Published four times a year: January, April, July & October

Guild Meeting Location

The Quilt Guild meetings are held at the Masonic Center,
811 N. Chelan Ave, Wenatchee
Social starts at 6:00pm, meeting at 6:30 pm