

NCW
Quilt Guild
Newsletter
The Valley
~
July 2021



A Message from the President Diane Mitchell

We have made it through a difficult time and have much to be thankful for. We have changed some of our habits in the process to stay hale and hearty. As a guild member we need to do the same. I still hear the common refrain that we are not friendly to new members and critical of people who will step up and take a job. To stay healthy as an organization each of us needs to try to have a conversation with someone you don't know at the meetings. We need to invite new members into our Round Robins because that is the level of interaction that is easiest to get acquainted. And the worst mistake is to criticize some who has stepped up to do a job in the guild. Remember the cowboy adage, if you criticize the cooking you are the next cook.

We have many open positions of responsibility. Please volunteer to give a hand as you are able. Putting yourself out there as a volunteer is yet another way to get to know the membership and how the guild functions. We do not ask that anyone take on more than they can manage but without someone to do the job there is no organization. The ones who get up and take on the responsibilities need help and time off. New leadership can mean new ideas that can be fun. So let's all be open to this altered experience as we move on from Covid and hope the worst is over.

Let the good times roll.

Back Yard Quilting—Let's Get Together!



Where: Diane Mitchell's back yard 4071 NE Bluerock Dr.

E Wenatchee, WA

When: Tuesday's starting at 10:00 a.m.

Phone: 509.679.8071



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The Quilt Show has been postponed again. See you in 2022!

NCW QUILT GUILD BASICS

Please Note Summer Schedule - change in location -

Who: All Members

What: General Meetings:

When: Last Wednesday of the month

Social at 6:00—6:30 p.m.

and Meeting begins at 6:30 p.m.

NEW

Where: June ~ July & August 2021

Pybus Market, foot of Orondo St

Hoping to return to the Celebration Lutheran Church,

801 8th St. NE, East Wenatchee, WA

Why: Come to get involved with all aspects

of the Guild, to make new friends, learn about workshops, skills, share,

but most of all, to have FUN!

Cost: \$25.00 annually

(January through November),

Dues are not prorated





To view the newsletter at any time, visit our website at nowquilt.org

July, August and September Members





If you have questions about meetings, times, or places, or some other guild function, please send your question to: ncwquiltguild@gmail.com.

Need to Get a Hold of a Member or Committee Chair?



Contact information for members can be found on the Members Page of our website—password required! If you don't know the password, ask a member or contact Liz Arbaugh, Webmaster or Diane Mitchell, President.

Slice of Pi Quilts ~ From a recent Blog Quilts go to the library!

After months—maybe years of preparation, Laurel made ten quilts from the illustrations in children's books. First, Laurel started by making a spreadsheet of every children's book she could find with a quilt in it. She then contacted her local library about having them displayed there. Now a reality for Laurel, quilter, homeschooling mother of three, pattern designer and business owner, all ten are currently on display at her local library for the month of June!

Angelina and the Rag Doll



Bear's Loose Tooth



Happy Thanksgiving, Biscuit!



Corduroy



Maisy's Bedtime



Let's Go Froggy!



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The Little Ghost Who Was A Quilt



Goodnight Already!



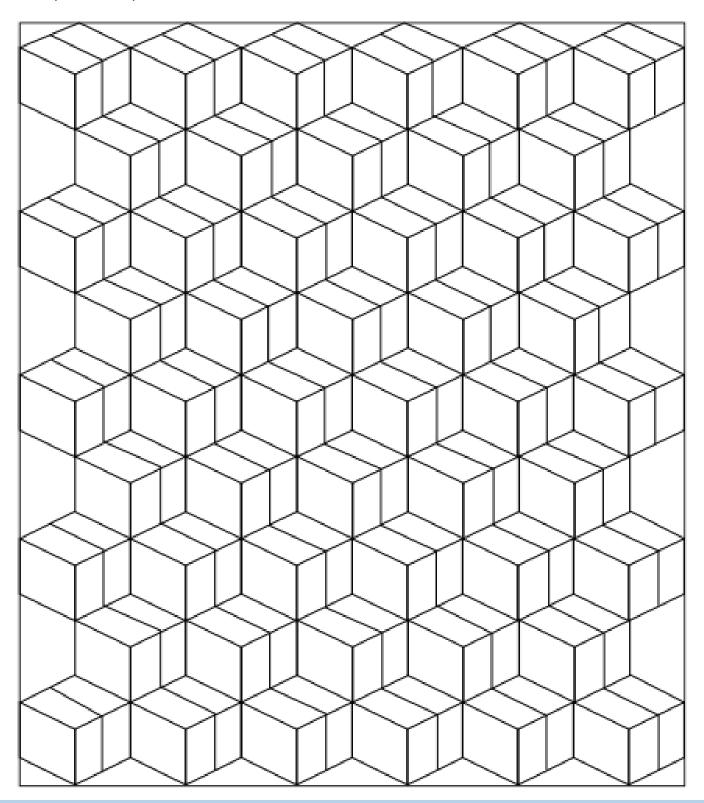
Llama, Llama Red Pajama



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Something Different

As we begin to re-open after Covid, I thought many of you might like something a little different. This is a free quilt "Infinite Honeycomb" for you to color.



Sunshine Community Bulletin:

If you know of anyone in the guild that could use a note saying "thinking of you" or "hope you're healing" please let the Sunshine Committee Chair know or maybe the President to pass on your information.

This has become so important during 2020 and still now if and when we all cannot meet in person.

IN LOVING MEMORY

Forever in our hearts until we meet again.

Sharon Elaine







Pat Kaasa



Saturday, July 10, 2021 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

FABRIC BY THE POUND SALE! \$4 per pound

WHERE: Wenatchee Eagles #204

1208 N Wenatchee Avenue (Across from the Red Lion Inn)

DETAILS: We are finally able to gather for our Fabric & More Sale. This year is being handled a little differently than usual, but I feel confident this should be a great success. Already a group met and sorted all the fabrics in the storage units by color and type of fabric, notions, patterns, books, etc.

Donations: If you have fabrics/donations for the sale, please keep them until the set-up at the Eagles. We have no room to store anything else. **Please PRE-SORT** your donations by color and fabric type: cotton, wool, fleece books patterns and **NO MAGAZINES**.



Help Needed - - Yes, it will only be 1-Day, and a long day at that. I am hoping several people will be able to meet the evening before (Friday, July 9th) at the storage units located on S. Wenatchee Ave, help load vehicles with all the totes of fabrics and donations, and keep them loaded until we are able to unload and set-up at the Eagles on Saturday, July 10th, starting at 7:00 am. There will be hand trucks available to move the totes into the Eagles building, and a back door entrance also. Thank you so much for everyone's help and support. I hope this will be as successful as other sales have been in the past. Please let me know if you have vehicles available to load on Friday, July 9th.

You may contact me at: Linda Lane Email: ladylane50@msn.com Text: 206.200.7126

2021 Programs



Committee Members: Debbie Deardorff Kathy Keagle

We are looking forward to some fun programs in the next few months. Our first meeting happened a few days ago with a big share and tell.

July and August will be announced soon, but we DO KNOW (thanks to the Warm & Natural Company). There will be some pretty nice giveaways during the programs!



Guild Financials:

Treasurer: Rebecca McFann

2 Checking Accounts

Regular & Quilt Show \$4,461.06

2 Savings Accounts:

Regular & Quilt Show: \$39,729.25

TOTAL \$44,190.31



As of June 1, 2021 the Guild has 185 members, including 8 Life Time members!



Spokane, October 2021! — Date & time TBD

Washington State Quilters Quilt Show

Karla Huff, The Bus Lady, is organizing and more information is coming.



Comfort Quilts

Committee Members: Louise Brown: 663.1964

catlou@nwi.net

Drop off: 1411 2nd St., Wenatchee (between 5th and Orchard St)

Doni Palmgren: 662.7777 Lynn Pittsinger: 662.6715

Thank you to everyone that continued to make and donate comfort quilts during the shutdown. We gave out 100 quilts in 2020 and 53 so far this year. In addition to the 3 quilts per month we give to Palliative care, we also donated to The Bunker for wheelchair bound vets, CASA, Women's Resource, Grace House, Sage and 11 quilts to a Tiny House Project in Okanogan. We welcome suggestions for future donations.

We have over 50 palliative size quilts in storage so at this time we are asking you to concentrate on twin sized quilts (approximately 60"x80"). It has been working well for people to pick up and drop off at my front porch so we will continue this. No contact needed just call or email letting me know the date you plan to drop off or pick up.



Committee Members: Darlene Johnson Diane Garlini

Plans are afoot, but nothing quite yet until September. The committee is looking for a place to meet for classes. The first workshop will be the Quilt Smart Bitty Star.



NCW Quilt Guild Library

Hi.

I'm Sharon, your Librarian. If you are looking for something new to quilt, check out the library housed at **Sew Creative.** You can see what books we have online at <u>www.librarything.com</u> or you can physically take a look at the library at Sew Creative.

To find books go to:

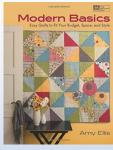
To Search:

Type search into Search Your Library box Click on Search and put what you are searching for. You will get a list. Click on title to see details, summary, and reviews. http://www.librarything.com/ Log in as: Name: ncwquiltguild Password: fatquarter14 Choose the **Your Books** tab

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. Or you can go to Sew Creative. The books are in a cabinet against the wall in the workshop area. If you find one you like, fill out the card in front with your name, phone number and the date. Leave the card in the" return books here" box you should see on top of the cabinet. Also return books to that box.



Strip Savvy: 2 1/2"-Strip Quilting Designs by <u>Kate Henderson</u> In this book, you will find ideas for using 2 ½ strips using one of the 18 projects suggested by the author. You can try several techniques such as flying geese, half-square triangles, and strip piecing.



Modern Basics: Easy Quilts to Fit Your Budget, Space, and Style by <u>Amy Ellis</u>. The author gives suggestions for storing fabric as well as buying fabric for a specific projects so you don't stock pile fabric.

Round Robins ~ ~ Sewing Bees

Committee: Kari Black

Cassie Black

There are two Round Robins that meet every Thursday from 10-2p.m at the Fraternal Order of Eagles on North Wenatchee Avenue across from the Red Lion Hotel. The two groups are; "Sheep Thrills" focusing on using felted wool and "Area #51" ~ where UFO's disappear! Both are open to new members. Because there is an attended kitchen, we are able to order from a limited menu where the portions are large enough, most of us split an order. There are so many other groups, Kari and Cassie feel the weekly meetings can encourage any and all to join us whenever they wish.





Beef n Broccoli

Ingredients: Broccoli head, 2 tsp sesame oil (or to taste), 1-2 Tbsp vegetable oil, 2 pounds sirloin steak, sliced thinly, 1 large sliced onion, 2 clove minced garlic, 2 tsp grated ginger, 6 Tbsp Tamari or Soy Sauce, 2 Tbsp Hoisin sauce, 2 Tbsp brown sugar, 2 tsp chili sauce, 2 Tbsp cornstarch, 3/4 cup beef broth 1/2 cup sliced scallions.

Directions 1. Blanch broccoli florets and drain. Next, Heat oil in large sauté pan & lightly brown beef in batches and remove. Sauté sliced onions, garlic and ginger for about 3 minutes. Then add 1/2 cup broth, sesame oil, soy sauce, hoisin sauce, brown sugar, chili sauce and stir to combine. Next, make cornstarch slurry with remaining broth, slowly add to simmering sauce until desired consistency is achieved. Add blanched broccoli & meat to pan & stir. Garnish with scallions and serve with rice or noodles of choice.



Dalgona Coffee is Korean whipped coffee. This recipe creates a frothy iced coffee drink.

2 Tbsp Instant Coffee

2 Tbsp Sugar

2 Tbsp boiling water

1 c. Milk, or half and half, or other

milk substitute—we will use this last.

Ice Makes 2 servings.

Start ~ Mix instant coffee, sugar, and hot water into a bowl, whisk together, once sugar is dissolved whip with an electric mixer until stiff peaks form. The mixture will be shiny & resemble a whipped meringue.

Next ~ In a large mason jar or oversized cup. Mix ice, milk, and Dalgona Coffee mixture, shake/stir until well mixed. Pour into serving glasses. Makes 2 strong, frothy, icy delicious coffee drinks! Milk to coffee mix can be adjusted to taste.

*TIPs: Keep ratio 1:1:1 for coffee, sugar, and hot water if increasing or decreasing recipe.



Use a microwavable cup, mug or ramekin Add 3 Tablespoons cake mixture

Add 2 Tablespoons of water

... Mix well ...

Microwave for 1 minute

Add extra goodness ~ Cool Whip, ice cream=enjoy!



Celebrations in July:

July 2: World UFO Day

July 4: Independence Day

July 7: World Chocolate Day

July 10: Don't Step On a Bee Day

July 15: Celebration of the Horse Day

July 20: Moon Day

July 23: Gorgeous Grandma Day

and . The Summer Olympics

July 26: Bagelfest Day



My ideal weight is me holding six bolts of fabric!





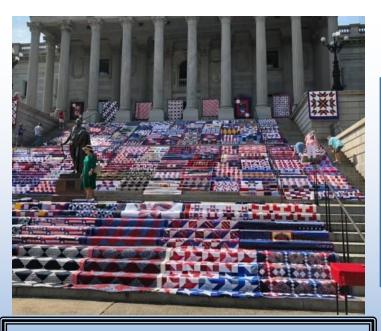
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with love" on our
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and lots of wine"
just won't fit on a
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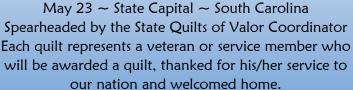


A huge thanks to all the people who made gowns, surgical caps and masks!

Thank You!





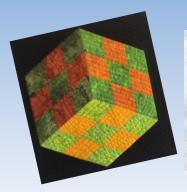








UPCOMING EVENTS



46th Annual Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show Renewal

Saturday, July 10, 2021



CONCONULLY CRAFT AND QUILT SHOW

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MBQG Quilt Show
2021 Quilt Show in the Park
August 21, 2021, 10:00 am to 4:00 pm
Pioneer Park, Bend, OR

AUGUST 2021

August 21 ~ 3rd Saturday Main Street by the General Store

10th Anniversary



Molson Quilt Show (Washington)
Molson Grange Hall 9—3 pm
August 28th—Last Saturday in August
Food n Fun Pulled pork, etc.

Walla Walla Valley Quilt Festival Walla Walla Fairgrounds September 17,18 & 19th





Please mark you calendars for September 23, 24 and 25, 2021. Join us in 2021 to celebrate 20 years of quilting and inspiration and our 21st birthday!



Saturday, October 16, 2021 - 9:00 am - 6:00 pm Sunday, October 17, 2021 - 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Evergreen State Fairgrounds



"Harvesting Quilts"

Friday – Sunday, October 15 – 17, 2021 10:00 – 6:00 (Sunday 10:00 – 4:00)

Spokane County Fair & Expo Center 404 N Havana, Spokane, WA 99202 On-line Registration is open through August 8, 2021.





QUILT FESTIVAL HOUSTON

OCTOBER 28 THRU 31 - 2021

Preview Night: October 27 Classes and Events Begin: October 25

George R. Brown Convention Center 1001 Avenida de las Americas Houston, Texas 77010



Quilt, Craft & Sewing Festivals

Puyallup, WA—November 18—20, 2021

Puyallup Fairgrounds



QuiltCon Phoenix

Join us at the Phoenix **Convention Center in sunny** Phoenix, AZ

February 16-20, 2022



HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE INTERNET:

The Internet is ALIVE with things to see, read, and do! Below you will find some sites that contain Blog-Spot's, tutorials, and more that may be of interest. Enjoy.

Artfulquiltingandsewing.com



colourwerx.com

TeresaDownUnder mypatchwork.wordpress.com



Machine Embroidery Enthusiasts



Hatched in Africa JuJu Designs Stitch Soup Stitch Delight

hatchedinafrica.com designsbyjuju.com Stitchsoup.com stitchdelight.net



Shipwreck Beads Art Beads Fire Mountain Gems

shipwrechbeads.com artbeads.com firemountaingems.com



Tip: Don't make a big deal about how long it actually has been since your last confession, I mean, sewing machine service.



White glue! I dilute it like 10 parts water to 1 part glue and paint it on cotton before using. Let it dry (blow dryer helps), iron, and use. Seems to stop fraying.

Bias on the Bottom (BOB). The bias should be on the bottom (next to the feed dogs) of the two pieces being sewn. It is the presser foot that will do the stretching

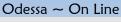
The love of sewing is our common thread...



Something for All

Odessa







Omak



Ephrata



Winthrop



Twisp

The Quilting Hive

Quilt Shop



Cle Elum







Reardon



Grand Coulee





Wenatchee





Oroville



Waterville



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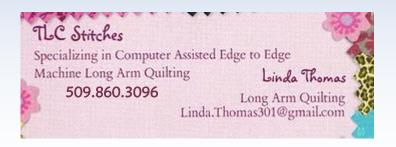




Something for All ~ Continued



Patchwork, Etc. by Pat Lannoye 509.860.6550 Pantographs, binding, basting and batting available





QUILTING ON ASTATLER BY GAMMILL

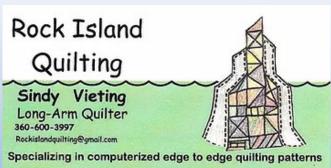
Patty Stith 509-884-8819/H 509-630-7699/C Email: pattysquiltstudio@gmx.com Facebook: PattysQuiltStudio

> Basic to custom, with attention to detail.



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





Something for All ~ Continued

Karen's Long Arm Quilting

(Wilson Creek Area)
By Karen 509.641.0298

Charisma's Corner Long Arm Quilting
By Charisma 509.431.4685

Custom Long Arm Quilting

By Shanie Veenendaal 509.398.6618



Hand Binding Services

By Marla Madson, 509.745.8683



Methow Quilting

By Kathy Podmayer, 425.478.3897 Edge to Edge & Custom



Long Arm Quilting

By Brianna 509.754.8280



Sew Rite Alterations and Repairs By Diane 509.699.0762

Apple Blossom Little Chiefs-2018







Cle Elum, WA New Owner, Pat Tobin twotobys@aol.com 253.569.4300



Featherweight Parts & Service
By Roy Baumgart 509.745.8859

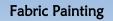
Fabric Patch 509.754.8280

Gate 17 Retreat Center

410 1st Ave NE Soap Lake, WA 98851



Tula Pink's Butterfly quilt





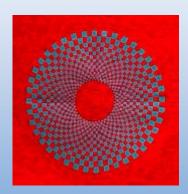


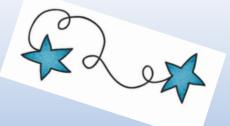












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Organized in 1984 to promote the art of quilting.

Meetings are held on the last Wednesday of the month

Social starts at 6:00p.m.