

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE BLUE VALLEY QUILT GUILD

MARCH 2018 ISSUE

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEW DAYS

West Fireplace Room, Seward Civic Center, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. March 24

April 28 May 26 June 23 July 28 August 25 September 22 October 27

MARCH 17

National Quilting Day http://nsqg.org/events/

APRIL 28

Quilters Day Out NSQG—Region I Seward Civic Center

QUILTNEBRASKA 2018

July 26-29, 2018

Hotel RL 72nd and Grover Omaha, Nebraska

THREADS ACROSS NEBRASKA

October 12 & 13. 2018

October 11 & 12, 2019

Exposition Bldg., Buffalo County Fairgrounds,

Kearney, Nebraska

FROM THE PRESIDENT. . .

Spring is coming. I promise! With all of this winter weather, I hope you've had the opportunity to enjoy our favorite indoor sport...QUILTING! Somehow, I've collected quite a large pile of quilt tops that need to be turned into real quilts. Since quilting is supposed to be fun, and not a punishment, I try not to have too many of my own quilting rules. But, this year, I am trying to stick by the "finish two before I can start a new one" theory. So far, so good. I'm excited to bring some Show N Tell quilts. I bet the rest of you are, too.

Our program for March will be "Bargello Quilting", presented by two of our own talented members: Sheila Beins and Diane Swartzlander. If you've made one, or own one, they'd love to have you bring it to the meeting.

Linda Riesberg has come up with some great program ideas, so we'll continue to put those in place. Please let us know if you can help by making some phone calls, or arriving a little early on nights when we have an outside speaker who may need help setting up.

After not meeting since November, we'll have a lot to talk about. We're working on plans for a summer bus trip, as well as our 2nd annual "Bed Turning" in September. We should have another mystery quilt clue coming soon, and are working on a simple, but important service project.

I begged Mona and Carol to bring snacks for this meeting (my poor family...oh, how I love them) and we'll have a signup sheet to take us through the rest of the Guild year.

I look forward to seeing you all on the 19th. Becky W.



MEETING MINUTES AND TREASURER'S REPORT

Due to the cancellation of the January and February meetings, there are no new minutes to report.

NATIONAL QUILTING DAY

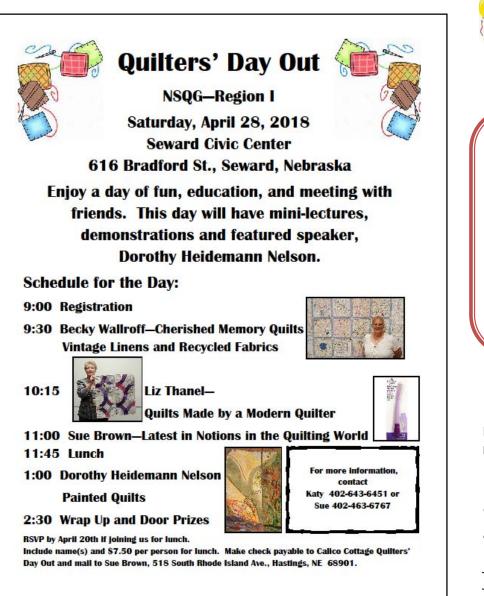
IQSCM's 9th Annual National Quilting Day is Saturday, March 17th from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. It is a free event including admission and tours of the IQSCM, demos, lectures and displays. Lecture topics include: So I got it pieced, now what? by Kris Vierra (aka Quilter on the Run), the Made by Hand quilt exhibition by Lydia Newman, Creating the Unique by Dorothy Heidemann-Nelson and Carolyn Ducey on the Ken Burns' quilt exhibition.

Go to http://nsqg.org/events/ for additional information.

Blue Valley Quilters	
Treasurer's Report	
December 2017	21.242.10
Beginning Checkbook Balance Income:	\$1,343.18
Pins	\$100.00
Dues	\$100.00
Quilt Raffle	
Bus Trip Registration	
UFO Fees	
booth rental \$100 X 2 Nov 2017	
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Total Income	\$100.00
Expenses:	\$100.00
Copies & Postage	
Library Subscription/Quiltmaker	
Challenge Prizes	
State Fair Prizes	
Speaker Fees	
Website Maintenance	
U S Post Box rent	
Total Expences	\$0.00
Ending Checkbook Balance 11/30/2071	\$1,443.18
Petty Cash	\$20.00
Savings Account @Cattle Bank	\$2,014.97
Savings Account @Cattle Bank Interest income	\$2,014.97 \$0.50

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JANUARY, FEBRUARY AND MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Kriss Moulds — Jan 11th Lori Duffek — Jan. 12th Cindy Milligan — Jan. 31st Mona Kunasek — Feb. 1st Jeanette Richardson — Feb. 8th Katy Coleman — 11th Teresa TeSelle — 28th

NEWSLETTER ARTICLE SUB-MISSION DEADLINES:

Because the newsletter is for your use, the following are the deadline dates for news/info submission.

April 4 May 9 June 6 July 3 August 8 September 5 October 3 November 7 January 9, 2019

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Show and Share

A Friend: 1+1 Guest Challenge General meeting is held the third Monday of each month, excepting December, at the Seward Civic Center (lower level) at 7:00 PM. Board Meeting is held the first Monday of every month or as decided by board. Any member may attend. Contact any board member for time, date, location. Any interested quilt maker or quilt lover is encouraged to attend a meeting as our guest!