

Missouri Valley Quilt Guild

Bismarck-Mandan, ND

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About Us

Welcome to Missouri Valley Quilt Guild! MVQ was formed in 1986 to preserve, educate and expand the art of quilt making.

Meetings

Meetings are held on the third Thursday of every month, with the exception of July and December, at 6:30 pm. Guests and new members are welcome to attend our meetings.

Our Board

President: Sandi Washek

Past President: Teresa Chase

Vice President: Maxine Bondeson

Treasurer:
Michele Ripplinger

Secretary:

Newsletter Editor: Laurie Sheldon laursheldon@gmail.com 701-315-0046 (cell)

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"Big Show and Tell"

January's program is the "Big Show and Tell." Bring your new quilt creations to share at this meeting, Thursday, January 20th, at 6:30 pm.

Warm Start 2021

A **record** was set by Warm Start this year as **94 layettes** were given to the following agencies:

Heaven Helpers Closet (23), Custer Health (38), St. Alexius (16) and Sanford (17).

The Committee thanks members for their generous donations. The Guild thanks the Warm Start Committee for their service!

MVQ Needs You!

The **SECRETARY** position remains unfilled. Two or more members can easily share the duties of this office. **PLEASE** CONSIDER.

The board is also looking for a member to volunteer to provide a **demonstration of a quilt block or a technique** that is interesting to them at the March or May meeting.

DUES are **DUE**

Unpaid members will no longer receive the newsletter after this month.



Thank You to the Christmas Party Committee

Pat Conrad
Barb Wrolstad
Brenda Tangedahl
Michele Ripplinger
Barb Emery
Deb Knutson
Jenny Yearous
Cindy Sorenson
Sharon Moldenhauer



METRO QUILT EXPO

IS COMING! April 29 & 30, 2022 Hilton Garden Inn

Enter your quilts!
Volunteer to help!
Come to the show!

It's been a

long time

coming, but we're ready! Consider entering and/or attending this Fargo event which has returned after the 2021 cancellation. Quilt show entries are due March 19th. Entry guidelines and registration form may be found at ndquilts.com.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: SECOND MONDAY OF THE MONTH

Melinda's Exploding Heart



Penny's "Suitcase Show"









"FROZEN FABRIC FROLIC"

Twenty four quilters have registered for this year's Frozen Fabric Frolic, and **there is room for more**. Choose to sew on your own or take the "Exploding Heart" quilt class, taught by Mary Rasmussen. Several colorways and palettes may be viewed on <u>Slice of Pi's website</u>. The retreat registration form is attached to this newsletter.







Christmas Stocking Challenge

A total of 282 Christmas challenge stockings, made by 40 MVQ members, found homes on residents' doors at 7 different facilities.

Elm Crest Home in New Salem – 68

Maple View in Bismarck – 36

Souris Valley Care in Velva – 51

Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch in Bismarck - 25

Manchester House in Bismarck – 10

Abused Adult Resource Center in Bismarck – 22

Dakota Children's Advocacy Center in Bismarck – 70

The Christmas committee extends a huge thank you to all members who enthusiastically participated in this fun and successful project.

Important Dates

JANUARY 20 FEBRUARY 17 FEBRUARY 18-20 MARCH 11-13 Big Show and Tell "How to Maintain and Reuse Old Quilts" Frozen Fabric Frolic National Quilt Day





GUILD MINUTES

Missouri Valley Quilt Guild General Meeting Minutes November 18, 2021

President Sandi Washek called the meeting to order.

Visitors in attendance: Michele Burian and Barbara Zeigler, guests of Donna Nason.

Corrections to minutes: Add Jenny Yearous and Cindy Sorenson to Christmas Committee.

Treasurer's report - Michele reported there is \$7855.64 balance in checking account.

National Teacher committee – No new report given.

Warm Start – Barb reported the committee is well-supplied.

Frozen Fabric Frolic- Mary Rasmussen reported Frozen Fabric Frolic will take place Feb 18-20 at Camp of the Cross. The camp has new sleeping arrangement options. Mary will teach the single class offered, "Exploding Heart Quilt," which is fat quarter and scrap friendly. There are may images of this quilt on Instagram, Pinterest and the *Slice of Pi* website.

Christmas Party – Barb Emery reported that challenge stockings should be brought to the party. The stockings will be distributed to Mapleview, New Salem and possibly other facilities to be hung on residents' doors. There will be challenge prizes for all. A wrapped white elephant quilt themed gift should be brought to the party for a game, as well as a potluck item.

Election of officers - Jenny Yearous/Cindy Sorenson moved and seconded to elect Maxine Bondeson to vice president position. Motion carried. A secretary is still needed.

Old Business:

MVQ books will be audited after the National Teacher event bills are paid.

National Teacher committee member Jan Hokenstad reported that the weekend went very well. 62 people attended the Sunday tea. Both classes were filled with 24 attendees. Expenses were covered by funds received. The committee was thanked.

Sandi is working on an dedicated MVQ email address that will link to a member.

House of Prayer donation is due. Marlene Sapa/Pat Conrad motioned and seconded to donate \$500 this year. Motion passed.

Show and Tell and "Tips, Tools, and Techniques" program followed.

Submitted by Laurie Sheldon



BOARD MINUTES

Missouri Valley Quilt Guild Board Meeting Minutes January 6, 2022 Via Teams

Member Present = Sandi Washek, Teresa Chase, Michelle Ripplinger and Maxine Bondeson

Treasures report = \$6,312.96

Business: -

- 1) Audit of Books for both Guild & Frozen Frolic (National Teacher of the books)
- 2) Christmas Stocking give away update great project.
- 3) New visitors' packages Contact person email set up for the website? Email account for people send to MVQ guild info. Having programs with the set up.
- 4) Updates on Frozen Frolic 24 registered for the FF. Still have room for additional people.
- 5) Feb, March & April Programs
 - a. Jan 20, 2022 Big Show and Tell
 - b. Feb 17, 2022 Jenny Yearous How to Maintain and Reuse Old Quilts can bring in your old quilts for Jenny to look at and comments or give ideas on.
 - c. March 17, 2022 (Looking for a program/ Demonstration)
 - d. April 21, 2022 Rummage Sale?
 - e. May 19, 2022 check with church closer to see about conflict with their rummage sale. (Need Program)
- 6) Will be removing people from the Membership list who have not paid dues as of this Jan 2022.

Put in to Newsletter – ask if anyone would be interested in doing a Demo of a technique or block, they have done and share with the group. For March and May.

Sec. Position – Still Open – Announce in Newsletter

National Quilt Day in March 11- 13, 2022 - Capitol Quilters (Quilts hung on Friday and taken down on Monday) Classes will be offered. Information will be up on the Capitol Quilters website later this month.

State Fair Challenge – Entries reminder – Minot, Hebron, Badland's quilter group – May need to send letter out for a challenge again.

Other activities:

- Committee for National Teacher 2024
- Committee for Christmas Group Next Year

Other ideas/ Announcements:

New members and younger members – How to bring new people into the MVQ Group. If we go back to remote meetings MVQ will look into going live on MVQ website. But maintain in person only right now.

Frozen Fabric Frolic, February 18-20, 2022

"Exploding Heart"



QUILT SIZE 72" X 72"

"Exploding Heart" by Slice of Pi Quilts is a fat quarter and scrap friendly pattern.

Supply list will be mailed in early January.

This delightful class will be taught by Mary Rasmussen.

- "Exploding Heart" Quilt class will begin Friday evening following Bingo
- Or BYOP (Bring Your Own Project)
- Cost will be \$175 for the weekend.
- Registration for MVQ Guild members will begin December 1st, 2021.
- Registration will be open to all on January 1st, 2022
- Registrations will not be accepted before these dates
- A limited number of private rooms are available for the additional cost of \$35/person
- New this year—Semi-private cabins available, additional cost of \$20/person
- Private and Semi-private rooms assigned "first come—first served" based on postmark
- Registration form and detailed information at <u>www.missourivalleyquilters.com</u>
- Quilt Shop vendor will be Designer Fabrics Quilt Shop from Carrington, ND



22nd Annual 'Frozen Fabric Frolic' Quilt Retreat

Missouri Valley Quilters, Bismarck-Mandan
Will be held at Camp of the Cross, Garrison ND February 18-20, 2022
Quilt Retreat will begin Friday afternoon and will end 4:00 PM Sunday
All sewing and meals will be in the Fellowship Center
\$175 Registration Fee. \$75 is required with application.
Cancellation before Feb. 13, 2022 will receive a refund minus a \$10 fee.

Meals provided are: Supper Friday, Brunch & Supper Saturday, Brunch Sunday

Lodging Choices:

- 1. **Dormitory style cabin included with the registration fee.** Each of the cabins has its own bathrooms, but shower facilities are located in another building. You will need to bring your own bedding, pillows, towels, etc.
- 2. **Semi-private cabin, additional \$20 fee.** Shared with another person, bathroom and shower are connected and will be shared with another cabin. Please provide names if you would like to share or a roommate will be assigned as needed. Bedding and towels are provided.
- 3. **Retreat Lodge, additional \$35 fee.** Private rooms, also has 3 bedrooms large enough to share. Please provide names if you plan to share rooms. Bedding and towels are provided in the Retreat Lodge.

We will do our best to accommodate your lodging request but cannot guarantee your first choice. The Retreat Lodge and Semi-private cabins will be filled "First come-first served" based on your application postmark.

Participate in a class—information at missourivalleyquilters.com or bring your own projects.

Applications will be accepted based on postmark, but will not be accepted early. Members of Missouri Valley Quilters may send in their registration on December 1, 2021 Open registration will begin January 1, 2022 for non-members of MVQ.

Detailed supply lists will be mailed prior to the retreat.

Please mail to: Barb Headrick 122 East Arikara Ave. Bismarck ND 58501
Name Phone
Address
State Zip Code E-mail
Amt. Enclosed \$175 (Paid in Full) \$75 (\$100 due at Registration) This includes a \$10 nonrefundable registration fee. Make checks payable to Missouri Valley Quilt
Please indicate Class Preference Exploding Hearts Sew Your Own Project
Lodging Request (Please indicate 1 st and 2 nd choice)
Dormitory style cabin included with the Registration Fee.
Semi-private cabin, additional \$20 due at registration. Roommate if any
Retreat Lodge additional \$35 fee due at registration. Roommate if any

If you have any questions, please call Barb Headrick at 258-0290 or email bhquilt@midco.net