Missouri Valley Quilters Guild



June 2018





MVQ Newsletter

EVERYTHING WOOL!

Come join us **Thursday**, **June 21st**, **2018 at 6:30pm** at House of Prayer Fellowship Hall (1470 South Washington Street, Bismarck, ND)!

There will be a short meeting at 6:30pm and then its time to learn—everything you can about wool!

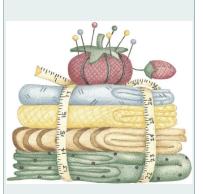
Ever wondered how to work with wool? Been wanting to try working with wool but don't know where to start? This is the meeting for you! We will be discussing and learning everything wool.

The board is still looking for a President – elect! It's vital to have a President—elect so our group can continue. Talk to a board member if you are interested.

Just a friendly reminder that there is no meeting in July and the August meeting will be a potluck picnic. The challenge is due at the August meeting also.

Have something you want in the newsletter? E-mail it to Diana Trussell (diana_trussell@hotmail.com) or Sandi Washek (washeksandi@gmail.com)

We hope to see everyone there!



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BOARD MEMBERS

- President:Penny Wolf
- Vice-President: Vacant
- Treasurer: Susan Schwarz
- Secretary: Taunia Martin
- Newsletter Editor: Sandi Washek
- Newsletter Assistant: Diana Trussell

ENTRY FORM: Departments 109 - 114

(Ag Products, Plants & Flowers, Fine Arts & Crafts, Foods, Needlework, Photography)

Please use separate entry forms for each department entered

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You may photocopy this form or download additional forms at www.ndstatefair.com.

MISSOURI VALLEY QUILTERS MAY MEETING MINUTES—MAY 17, 2018

Opening Meeting—Penny called the meeting to order

Introduction of visitors/new members – 2 visitors

Minutes: Corrections or Additions – There was no April newsletter, couldn't discuss the minutes.

Treasurers Report – We have a balance of \$5,126.67. Cindy Sorenson has agreed to audit the treasurer's and frozen fabric frolic books.

Committee Reports:

Warm Start: \$356.66 – Barb Wrolstad—Quilts are needed. Donations of quilts and receiving blankets are always welcome.

Angel Project: No report

Frozen Fabric Frolic: February 15-17, 2019

National Teacher: We have a signed contract. The dates are November 1—3, 2019, no classes have been decided.

Old Business:

Penny reminded everyone about the August Challenge

Still need a Vice-President for the guild this year through August

New Business:

Discussed officer positions for the upcoming year starting in September will need a President, Vice President and Treasurer. If positions are not filled, there will be no guild. If interested, talk to a current officer.

Members are encouraged to enter quilts in the North Dakota State Fair. We are donating \$100.00 towards quilt show premiums.

Announcements:

No announcements.

Hostess:

May Hostesses-Sisters in Stitches

June Hostesses-Material Girls

July Hostesses-no meeting

August Hostesses—guild picnic

September Hostesses—no one signed up

Next meeting date and future programs:

Thursday June 21, 2018, 6:30pm at House of Prayer

June program will be all things wool.

Adjourned Business Meeting:

Meeting Program:

Sisters in Stitches held a trunk show

Show and Tell:

Show and tell was held

LET THE ENTRIES BEGIN!

We hope to fill the building with quilt entries and other projects.

Sign up for entry of quilts and sewing projects is now open! Application for State Fair Quilt entries due July 3 for the paper applications to be sent into the fair office. The application is scanned and on the MVQ website for people to print off. It can also be found on page 2 of the newsletter. More information can be found on pages 6 and 7 of the newsletter.

The dates for the North Dakota State Fair are July 20-28, 2018.

Sandi will collect quilt entries and get them up to the State Fair and back again. Please have a copy of your quilt application form that you sent into the State Fair office with your quilt entries.

People can drop off their entry(ies) off at her work office located at:

Gold Seal Building

NDDoH

918 E. Divide Ave., 2nd Floor (Air Quality)

Bismarck, ND

Her secretaries know the quilt entries are being dropped off if Sandi is not at the office.

Happy Quilting!!

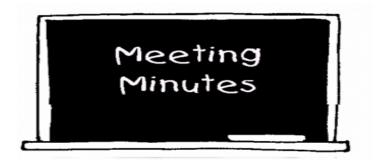
OFFICERS NEEDED!

We need the following officers for next year:

- President
- Vice-President
- Treasurer

Let the Board know if you can help out and be an officer!

Elections are at the September meeting.



MISSOURI VALLEY QUILTERS BOARD MEETING MINUTES—MAY 2, 2018

Present – President – Penny Wolf Treasurer – Susan Schwarz

Past President – Del Rae Martin Newsletter Editor Asst. – Diana Trussell

Absent-Secretary-Taunia Martin

Newsletter Editor - Sandi Washek

"Asking a quilter to mend is like asking Picasso to paint your garage" Anonymous

AUGUST CHALLENGE— 2 MONTHS TO GO!

2 months! Don't forget......only 2 more months left to complete your projects for the August Challenge!

There will be a drawing for prizes for those who completed their challenge!

Good luck!!

Treasurers Report - \$ 5,483.33 [Main acct \$5,126.67; Warm start acct \$356.66]

Discussion -

Penny brought ND State Fair book. Form for entry will be posted on web site newsletter and facebook page.

Penny brought up Susan Lindsey as U Tube lecture on Civil War Quilts as idea for Sept meeting. Would last about 1 hour.

Officers needed for President, President elect, and Treasurer. Some people have expressed interest. Discussed placing brief description in newsletter.

May meeting program: Trunk Show by Sisters in Stitches

June meeting: Everything Wool

No meeting July

August meeting Potluck and challenge project due.

Hostess for May: Sisters in Stitches

Meeting Adjourned

Respectfully Submitted: Del Rae Martin

MISSOURI VALLEY QUILTERS APRIL MEETING MINUTES—APRIL 20, 2018

Opening Meeting-Sandi Washek brought the meeting to order

Introduction of visitors/new members – No new members/visitors

Minutes: Corrections or Additions – There were no corrections to the minutes.

Treasurers Report – We have a balance of \$4,604.67.

Committee Reports:

Warm Start: $$3\hat{8}6.35$ – Michelle Ripplinger provided a report for Barb Wrolstad. Quilts are needed. Donations of quilts and receiving blankets are always welcome.

Angel Project: No report

Frozen Fabric Frolic: Nothing to report at this time

National Teacher: No report

Old Business:

Sandi reminded everyone about the August Challenge Still need a Vice-President for the guild this year through August

New Business:

Need a President, Vice President and Treasurer for the next guild year starting in September. If positions are not filled, there will be no guild. If interested, talk to a current officer.

Members are encouraged to enter quilts in the North Dakota State Fair.

Announcements:

Del Rae Martin and Susan Schwarz volunteered to be on the Christmas committee.

Jean Wolf gave a presentation on the million pillowcase challenge program

Buggies and Blues asked if our guild would be interested in organizing a quilt show during their event. It was decided that there was not enough time to organize something this year, but will bring it up at the May meeting as possibly for next year.

Metro Quilt Expo will be May 11th & 12th in Fargo. For more information go to www.ndquilts.com

Caring Heart Quilters will be having a quilt show and sale May 5, 2018. Quilts can be dropped off and used for display only for the day. For more information contact Susan Tschider at 701.471.0816 or at FiyNow@bis.midco.net

Hostess:

There was not a hostess for April. Pot luck snacks were enjoyed by all.

May Hostesses-Sisters in Stitches

APRIL 20, 2018 MEETING MINUTES CONTINUED

Next meeting date and future programs:

Thursday May 17, 2018, 6:30pm at House of Prayer

Sisters in Stitches volunteered to do a trunk show

Adjourned Business Meeting:

Meeting Program:

Staycation—Friday, April 20 following the business meeting, potluck snacks

Saturday April 21, starting at 8:00am, lunch will be potluck. It will be open sew.

Show and Tell:

Show and tell was held

Department 113 – NEEDLEWORK

Superintendent: Fern Laudenschlager & Sharon Schwarz

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5 Entries due by 5pm	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 10am-5pm: Drop off Open Class Needlework Exhibits	14
15	16 10am-5pm: Drop off Open Class Needlework Exhibits	17 9am: Needlework exhibits judged	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 6-8pm: Open Class Needlework Exhibits may
29 10am-2pm: Pick Up Needlework Exhibits	30	31				be picked up

Entry Fee: None

- DEADLINE FOR ENTRY FORM: JULY 5, 2018. Exhibits cannot be accepted unless an entry blank is properly filled out and on file with the Fair office prior to the closing date for entries. DUE TO THE COMPUTER ENTRY PROGRAM, YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO MAIL YOUR ENTRY BLANK IN AHEAD OF ENTRY DAY. The Fair management is not bound to accept entries made after the deadline. Use separate entry blanks for each department (i.e. flowers, needlework, etc.).
- Competition is open to North Dakota residents only.
- Any article, having been properly entered, can be forwarded by mail or prepaid express to Dept. 113, ND State Fair, PO Box 1796, Minot, ND 58702, who will then place the goods on exhibition. The management however, will not be responsible for any breakage of glass or loss of any article. Send complete list of articles contained in the package. Mailed exhibits must reach the Fair office no later than 5pm Friday, July 13.
- Exhibitors in this division may bring their exhibits to the 4-H Hall in the ND State Fair Center on Friday, July 13 from 10am to 5pm and on Monday, July 16 from 10am to 5pm. No entries will be accepted after the deadline. Judging will begin Tuesday, July 17 at 8:30am.
- EXHIBITS WILL NOT BE RELEASED BEFORE 6 PM ON THE LAST DAY. Exhibits may be picked up on Saturday, July 28 between the hours of 6pm and 8pm or on Sunday, July 29 between 10am and 2pm. A claim check must be shown before release. The building will close at 8pm Saturday, July 28. Those picking up exhibits on Saturday, July 28 must pay gate admission.
- No person can enter more than one item under the same class number in any division. The "any other" class is for items not listed.
- The judges are instructed not to award prizes unless the articles are deemed of real merit, even though they may be the only entry in the class.
- Best of Show ribbons will be awarded in each department at the discretion of the judge.
- Any article exhibited in prior years at the North Dakota State Fair is ineligible to show.
- Please enter exhibit under person's name who made it.
- Unless exhibits comply with these rules, they will not be accepted.

The prize money appropriated by the state budget process has been reduced by state government for our 2018 Fair. State Fair shall be required to reduce cash prizes accordingly. The State of North Dakota provides only the prizes at State Fair, all other operational funds are derived from the Fair's income. Cash awards will be mailed September 2018.

Division J - Quilting

Sponsored by the Minot Prairie Quilter Guild and the North Dakota State Fair

Premiums: \$6.00 • \$5.00 • \$4.50

100% of monies sponsored by North Dakota quilt guilds and quilt shops will be added to premiums in this division. Ouilts including more than one technique should be entered in the category of the predominant technique. All quilts must be constructed and quilted by the person entering them, except for the "commercially quilted" and "group categories." The term "Machine Quilted" indicates that the person entering the quilt did the quilting on a home sewing machine or on their own longarm machine. A quilt is a fabric sandwich (three layers) held together with hand or machine quilting stitches. Mixed techniques must have at least 2 techniques, i.e., piecing, applique, embroidery, trapunto, folding, etc. No hanging rods please. The State Fair reserves the right to move an entry to another class or combine with another class as needed. All quilts that fall in the "Commercially Quilted" category need to list the name of the Quilter.

Bed Quilts and Throws

1. Hand Quilted - Any Technique

Bed Quilts - intended for use on Twin or Full Size (less than 350" perimeter)

- 2. Pieced Machine Quilted
- 3. Pieced Commercial Quilted
- 4. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Machine Quilted
- 5. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Commercially Quilted

Bed Quilts - intended for use on Queen or Larger (350" or more perimeter)

- 6. Pieced Machine Quilted
- 7. Pieced Commercial Quilted
- 8. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Machine Quilted
- 9. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Commercially Quilted

Throw/Lap Quilts - intended for use as such (less than 300" perimeter)

- 10. Pieced Machine Quilted
- 11. Pieced Commercial Quilted
- 12. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Machine Quilted
- 13. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques-Commercially Quilted

Child/Crib Quilts - based on theme and size (less than 300" perimeter)

- 14. Hand Quilted any technique
- 15. Pieced Machine Quilted
- 16. Pieced Commercial Quilted
- 17. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Machine Quilted
- 18. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Commercially Quilted

Large Wall Hanging - intended for use on a wall, must have sleeve (more than 200" perimeter)

- 19. Hand Quilted any technique
- 20. Pieced Machine Quilted
- 21. Pieced Commercial Quilted
- 22. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Machine Quilted
- 23. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Commercially Quilted

Medium Wall Hanging - intended for use on wall, must have sleeve (120" to 200" perimeter)

- 24. Hand Quilted any technique
- 25. Pieced Machine Quilted
- 26. Pieced Commercial Quilted
- 27. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Machine Quilted
- 28. Appliqué, Mixed, Special Techniques Commercially Quilted

Small Wall Hanging - intended for use on a wall, must have sleeve (less than 120" perimeter)

- 29. Hand Quilted any technique
- 30. Pieced Machine Quilted
- 31. Appliqué Machine Quilted
- 32. Any Miniature (less than 96" maximum 24" per side) blocks must be 4" or less and a replica of a large pattern)
- 33. Garment or Accessory any technique, must include quilting
- 34. **Household Items** any technique, must include quilting (any table topper, placemats, pillows, or kitchen accessory)
- 35. Holiday Theme any technique, must include quilting
- 36. **Beginning Quilter** any size (having quilted for one year or less) Special Ribbon
- 37. Local Guild 2018 "Challenge Quilt" (include name of guild and challenge rules).
- 38. "Group Quilt" Bed Quilt (include names of quilters group)
- 39. Quilt Top Made with "Recycled Fabrics"
- 40. "Memory/Album Quilt"
- 41. Other **Special Techniques**, including cross-stitching, yo-yos, felt, hand tied, embroidered, whole cloth, etc.
- 42. "Found and Finished" include sample of the quilt or materials
- 43. "Modern" A quilt using a new design or reinterpreted traditional design, including improvisational piecing, alternative block structures, or emphasis of negative space and asymmetry
- 44. Display Only- any size, any quilting method
- 45. Youth Ages 10 and under and 11-17 (state youths age) Any size, any quilting method

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MISSOURI VALLEY QUILT GUILD

Welcome to Missouri Valley Quilters Guild! The guild formed in 1986 to preserve, promote the heritage, educate and expand the art of quiltmaking. We are located in Bismarck-Mandan, North Dakota.

Meetings are held the third Thursday of every month. No meetings are held the months of July and December.

We meet at the House of Prayer Lutheran Church (1470 South Washington Street, Bismarck). The meetings begin at 6:30pm.

Members receive a monthly newsletter and fabric purchase discounts at local fabric stores.

If you are interested in joining, please fee free to attend a meeting!

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 20-28, 2018: North Dakota State Fair

September 10-17,2018: Quilting Memories—Trip to Paducah Quilt Show

October 1-6, 2018: Quilting Adventures—Trip to Missouri Star

Quilt Company

November 2-4, 2018: Capitol Quilt Show

