

# MVQ May 2016



## MVQ Newsletter

### Minutes Submitted by Effie Carr

#### Quilt Guild Meeting Minutes Thursday, April 21, 201

Mona Kay McCleary, Guild President, opened the meeting. Fern Fleck was a visitor to the meeting. She brought a quilt and asked the guild members for help in quilting it.

There were no corrections to the minutes from the March meeting

#### Treasurer's Report:

Checkbook balance \$2,100.78

Proceeds from rummage sale: \$715.00. Mona Kay challenged members to clean out their stash and make it a goal to exceed this year's proceeds at the sale next year!

Suggestion was made for the treasurer to include deposits and disbursements with the monthly treasurer's report at meetings. Mona Kay said this would be discussed at the next board meeting

#### Committee Reports:

National Teacher – nothing to report.

Warm Start – 22 layettes distributed since the first of the year. There is a need for layettes and quilts.

Unfinished Projects – extended to June. Bring a picture or discuss the finished projected – don't need to actually bring it to guild.

30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration – Del Rae said snack sets are needed for the celebration scheduled for the May meeting. They can be dropped off with Mona Kay McCleary, Penny Wolf or Barb Emery. Need 60 cups and saucers, salad and dessert plates, light colored quilts or hanky quilts. The theme is "30". Quilts with 30 blocks, a 30 degree angle – bring the items – they don't have to be finished. There will be a drawing.

Guild members with last names A – M to bring salads; N – Z to bring deserts.



#### Board Members

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Monica McCleary

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If you have any information you would like included in the next newsletter please call or email the editor.

Newsletter deadline is the first Tuesday of the month.

**Old Business:**

National Quilting Day scheduled for April.

Pillow cases can be dropped off at Sewing Machines Plus and Bismarck Sewing.

Wishek Quilt Guild Show is May 14 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the National Guard Armory.

There will be a vendor. They will also have buttons and a vendor.

**Announcements:**

Phyllis Stoddart - selling HQ 16 long arm

Penny Wolf – let her know if there is interest in a Bernina

Quilt sale in Lemmon SD – shop closing

Quilt show in Fargo has been cancelled

Reminder to send announcements or items of interest about quilting to Sandi Washek for the newsletter

**Upcoming Nominations:**

Vice President

Newsletter

Respectfully submitted:

Effie S Car

Guild Co-Secretary

**Bring a Friend**

Do you know a friend or neighbor who is into quilting but is not a member of a quilt guild. Bring them to the next Missouri Valley Quilt Guild meeting to see if they would be interested in joining our Guild. All levels of quilters are welcome.

**Upcoming Events**

**North Dakota State Fair - July 22-31, 2016**

Applications to enter quilts are due in to the State Fair Office by Tuesday July 5, 2016

Quilts must be delivered in Minot by Monday July 18, 2016 between 10am-5 pm at the All Seasons Area. Quilts can be picked up after the Fair closes on Saturday July 30, from 6-8 or Sunday July 31, from 10-2

**QuiltED CON 2016 - October 21-23, 2016**

North Start Quilter's educational conference. National teachers are: Catherine Redford & Annette Ornelas

Grand Forks, ND

**Quilt Fest - November 4-6, 2016**

Bismarck, ND



## Missouri Valley Quilters Board Meeting

The Missouri Valley Quilters board meeting was held May 4, 2016 Tuesday, at Schlot-sky's.

- Reminder of 30 year anniversary party was discussed
- Discussed the next two months programs
- Need for officers for the next year election in September.
- June Program is UFO
- Passing of MVQ Member Diane Bullinger

**MAY 19, 2016**

**30<sup>TH</sup> "PEARL" ANNIVERSARY**

**COME AND CELEBRATE**

**STARTS AT 6:30P.M.**

## **A FEW REMINDERS:**

- **PEOPLE WITH THE LAST NAME STARTING A-M BRING SALADS AND N-Z DESSERTS**
- **PLEASE BRING YOUR "30" CHALLENGE IN A BAG.**
- **EVERYONE WHO BRINGS A CHALLENGE IS ELIGIBLE FOR AND PRIZE.**

**\*THE COMMITTEE WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE WHO BROUGHT THEIR TREASURES SUCH AS TEAPOTS, QUILTS, DISHES FOR THE USE FOR THE PARTY.**

## 30 Challenge Information:

To participate in our 30 Challenge, make something that is quilt related that has 30 of something in it. That could mean using a section of polka dot fabric with 30 dots, or maybe 30 blocks, or maybe just 30 – 1” squares, or maybe it would be 30” long. These do not have to be finished – a quilt top is fine – but bring them wrapped up in some way so we can show them off as we go around the room. All participants’ names will be put into a hat and door prizes will be given away.

## Sites to Visit for Quilting ID’s

1) A great place to visited for free quilt patterns is the website Art Gallery Fabrics. The link is:  
<http://www.artgalleryfabrics.com/projects/>

2) From Baker, Montana the link to their quilt shop:

<http://www.whichwayquilting.com/>

3) Michael Millers Free Pattern Downloads

<http://www.michaelmillerfabrics.com/get-inspired/free-downloads.html>



4) Aardvark Fabric:

<http://www.aardvarkquilts.com/index.php>

Interesting place to buy quilt patterns. Very simple patterns but make great quilts.

## Passing of a MVQ Guild Member & Friend

On May 1, 2016 Diane Bullinger long time member of the MVQ guild passed away. The family had a private service. For those who wish to send cards or sign the tribute wall, Diane obituary can be found at:

<http://www.buehlerlarsen.com/obituaries/Diane-Bullinger/#!/TributeWall>

You will be missed my friend.

