



Missouri Valley Quilt Guild

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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, October and December, at 6:30 pm. Guests and new members are welcome to attend our meetings.

Notes:

Committee appointed:

Penny Wolf
Taunia Martin
Susan Schwarz
Cindy Sorenson
Barb Headrick
Michel Deplazes

UPCOMING EVENTS

Guild Meeting is March 20, 2025.

There are still several months open if anyone would like to provide snacks. Sign up sheet below.

Minot show is April 3 & 4 - no classes but will have vendors, at state fair building. Flyer follows.

Rummage sale in March.



Our Board

Members at Large:
Penny Wolf
Taunia Martin
Susan Schwarz

Treasurer:
Cindy Sorenson

Secretary:
Barb Headrick

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Minutes

Missouri Valley Quilters Guild Meeting Minutes

Thursday, February 20, 2025.

Meeting called to order.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Current Balance - \$6777.84 Guild has 51 paid members

WARM START – Seven quilts were delivered to Ronald McDonald House. More quilts are needed. Several quilts were donated by guild members later in the meeting.

DESIGNER GENES - No report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS: National Teacher Event. Planning is on schedule. Book marks with information will be available soon. An application for grant money from the New Salem Civic Club has been written.

OLD BUSINESS: Paint Chip Challenge will be due in June, 2025. You can still participate if you like. Consider entering your finished project in the North Dakota State Fair Challenge quilt, Division M category. You must provide the name of the guild and the challenge rules. Challenge to finish your oldest kit or oldest UFO is due in September.

NEW BUSINESS: If there is interest in another Mystery Quilt pattern, it will begin in the Fall. March program will be the guild rummage sale. Bring all of your no longer wanted sewing or quilting items to be sold. This will be a free will offering sale with proceeds going to the guild. Also, you must take home any unsold items. Great excuse to clean and organize your sewing space! April program will be to show the first and the last quilt or the oldest you have made. Jan Hokenstad reported that the Enchanted Room quilt shop in Glendive, MT is holding a National Quilt Day contest. Enter quilt block of any size. Customers will vote for their favorite and you could win 15 yards of fabric of your choice.

Business meeting was adjourned. Refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Susan Schwarz gave a talk on quilt embellishment, and showed very many items and techniques that she has used on her prize winning quilts. Members brought quilts to show how they had enhanced their quilts with beads, buttons, embroidery and many other items. It was most inspiring.

Meeting Minutes submitted by: Barb Headrick, Secretary

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Missouri Valley Quilters Board Meeting

Tuesday, March 6, 2025.

Treasurers Report: \$6777.84

March Rummage Sale - Board members will come early—6:00 to get set up. Anyone wishing to help is welcome

Discussed upcoming events. Ask members for suggestions for future programs. Volunteers would be most appreciated! Discussed website. At least one or two volunteers are needed.

Submitted by Barb Headrick

This is a block of the month quilt by Sherri Noel at rebeccamaedesigns.com.

It has a lot of different techniques to revisit or in my case learn.

Hope everyone has been able to get the pattern. I cut out templates and have them available for anyone who would like them.

Block #1 Scrappy Lone Star

Block #2 - Hexi Flower

Block #7 the twisted Log Cabin

Lets try Block #3 - Joseph's Coat.

Lets try Block #8 - Carpenter's Square.

Next Block #5 - New York Beauty



MONTHLY PROGRAMS:

JANUARY: Big Show and Tell - Bring your scrappiest quilt or make up your own category.

Ok to bring whatever you like even if it has been shown before.

FEBRUARY: Discussion of quilt embellishments. Susan Schwarz will lead.

MARCH: Rummage Sale - start cleaning out your sewing room.

APRIL: Show the 1st and last quilt you've made.

MAY: Wool demonstration. Will have a demo on curved piecing.

JUNE: Completed paint chip challenge due.

July - no meeting.

AUGUST: Potluck Picnic

SEPTEMBER: UFO Challenge due. Election of officers. Dues to be paid.

OCTOBER:

NOVEMBER:

DECEMBER: Christmas Party

REFRESHMENTS:

JANUARY: Helen Just and Glori VanHukelom

FEBRUARY: Jenny Yearous

MARCH: Phyllis Stodart and Marlene Sapa

APRIL: Mary Rasumussen, Teresa Chase, Melinda Snell and Tracey Eide

MAY: Judy Kudrna and Sharon Fisher

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