



Happy Holidays



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Happy Holidays!

As Olathe Quilters Guild members, we will be celebrating the **40th anniversary** of our guild at this month's meeting! The Special Events committee has planned a wonderful meal, program, games, drawings and a gift for all. Come hungry and prepared to have fun!

The following members have volunteered to chair our committees in 2022: Block of the Month, Linda Hagen; Challenge Quilt, Nic Deplazes; Charity, Nic Deplazes; KCRQF reps, Rachel Rohrer and Jenny Boudreaux; Opportunity Quilt, Ava Wright; Outreach/Education, Cindy Nice; President's Quilt, Ava Wright, Special Events, Heather Schaller; and Welcome Table, Linda Hagen. Thank you all so much for volunteering to do these important jobs that keep our guild vibrant and active!!!

I can't wait to see Show and Tell this month, as I am sure many of you have been preparing quilts for your loved ones! Your creations are an inspiration to us all!

On my recent trip to check out Ridgeview Road, I found signs that said the road was closed to through traffic, but I was able to drive the entire distance on Ridgeview from 151st north to the church and then on further north with no issues. Though work is still being completed, it appears we should all be able to drive our regular routes to the church. Whew!

As ever, please feel free to come to our guild meeting as early as 5:30, to help set up and visit with other guild members prior to the meal and program.

Happy Quilting,
Libby Corrison, Guild President



Olathe Quilter's Guild

meets on the second
Tuesday of each month
at 6:30 p.m. at:

Olathe Christian Church
1115 S. Ridgeview Road
Olathe, KS 66062

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 2651
Olathe, KS 66063

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olathequiltersguild.com

It's Open—Ridgeview to the Church!

**No more checking Google Maps—just drive to the
church like you did pre-construction!**

Guild 40th Anniversary Party!

DECEMBER PROGRAM:

*Olathe Quilters Guild
40th Anniversary Party!*



This is a friendly reminder to bring your appetites to our **40th Anniversary Celebration** in December! We will celebrate with a Mexican fiesta, a program from some of our founding members, and a raffle drawing with prizes including long arm quilting services and gift cards to local quilt stores. Don't miss the fun!!!

Kathy Kolodziejczyk, Gretchen Ryan, and Heather Schaller

Here are the three charter members of our guild: Kenda Camp, Mary Pacey, and Gloria Donohue.

Can't wait to hear what they have to say about the origins of our guild and the changes over the past 40 years!



Membership & Marketplace

It's that time of the year again. Membership renewal is taking place now. Dues are due January 31st, but, if you have paid by the end of December, you are entered in a drawing for a free membership! A 2022 form is attached to this newsletter, is on our web site (olathequiltersguild.com), and will be at the membership table during our December 14th meeting. The January meeting is via zoom. If paying by mail, the PO Box is on the form.

If you have already paid, stop by to pick up your new membership card.

Jean Heer
Member Chair



December Member Birthdays!

Rachel Rohrer	12-13	Teresa Duwe	12-15
Beverly Berberich ...	12-24	Conna Hiltner	12-29
Deb Lybarger.....	12-29	Arlene Thompson	12-29

MEMBER MARKETPLACE & BUSINESSES

Guild members can place a free ad in the Members Marketplace for items they wish to trade, buy, or sell.

Cheryl Newell - CAN Designs - quilting & longarm services 4537 Reese Drive, Wellsville, KS 913-749-6668

Heather Buchwitz - QuiltKC - custom and e2e long arm, quilt alongs, batting, backing and other solid/print fabrics, threads and more for sale. 4520 Silverheel St., Shawnee, KS 913-488-8055

Check out the list of members' businesses online at [https:// www.olathequiltersguild.com/business-links](https://www.olathequiltersguild.com/business-links).

FOR SALE: a Brother Scan N Cut DX, SDX225F. NEVER USED! \$400, includes unit, accessories and carrying case. Contact Ruthi Hoadley, 913-800-1120 or nelsruthi@gmail.com.



Board Members & Committee Chairs

Board	2021	2022
President	Libby Corrison	Libby Corrison
Vice President	Nic Deplazes	Nic Deplazes
Program	Mary Ellen Winter	Cindy Nice and Lisa Hirsch
Program Elect	Lisa Hirsch and Cindy Nice	Lisa Hirsch
Secretary	Carol Crane	Karen Genis
Treasurer	Rachel Rohrer	Ava Wright
Ways and Means	Karen Genis	Carol Crane
Ways and Means Elect	Carol Crane	Shelia Pierce
Historian	Cheryl Wilcox	Cheryl Wilcox
Public Relations	Melissa Toburen	Melissa Toburen
Membership	Jean Herr	Jean Herr
Newsletter Editor	Jenny Boudreaux	Adrienne Clevenger
Advisor	Teresa Jones	Teresa Jones
Committee Chairs		
Block of the Month	Linda Hagen	Linda Hagen
Challenge Quilt	Sherri Irving	Nic Deplazes
Charity	Cindy Nice	Nic Deplazes
KCRQF	Mary Ellen Winter & Heather Buchwitz	Rachel Rohrer & Jenny Boudreaux
Opportunity Quilt	Lisa Hirsch	Ava Wright
Outreach/Education	Mary Pacey	Cindy Nice
President's Quilt	Ava Wright	Ava Wright
Special Events	Gretchen Ryan, Kathy Kolodziejczyk & Heather Schaller	Heather Schaller
Welcome Table	Shelia Pierce	Linda Hagen

No December OQG Board Meeting

Board meetings are scheduled for the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm and held on Zoom (unless re-scheduled for some reason). **Please note** we will not have a board meeting in December. Any guild member is welcome to attend board meetings; please contact Libby Corrison at libbycorrison@gmail.com if you wish to attend the meeting, so she can send you the link to join via Zoom.

Treasurer's Report

Olathe Quilters Guild

Treasurer's Report

November 30, 2021

Operating Account Balance 10/28/2021	\$10,549.93
Money Market Account Balance 9/30/2021	<u>\$12,156.02</u>
	\$22,705.95
Receipts	
Membership Dues	\$630.00
Opportunity Quilt	\$22.00
Ways and Means	\$32.00
Total Income	\$684.00
Money Market interest earned in October	\$0.30
Money Market interest earned in November	\$0.30
Expenses	
Church Rental	\$100.00
President's Quilt	\$9.80
Other Costs (US Treasury)	\$600.00
Programs	\$200.00
Total Expenses	\$909.80
Operating Account Balance 11/30/2021	\$10,324.13
Money Market Account Balance 11/30/2021	<u>\$12,156.62</u>
Combined Balance 11/30/2021	<u>\$22,480.75</u>

Meeting Minutes

Olathe Quilter's Guild Meeting Minutes

November 9, 2021

At 6:30 pm on November 9, 2021, Libby Corrison, as President, welcomed all attending the meeting at Olathe Christian Church. She gave a reminder that the Opportunity Quilt drawing would be held later this evening.

The program was presented by Vicki Kerkvliet, who led a question and answer hour "All About Threads." She is a Superior Thread representative. She had Reference Guides to hand out.

Business Meeting:

Jean Heer, Membership Chairman, corrected the October minutes as printed in the newsletter to say dues paid in November or December will be eligible for the free membership drawing. Susan Gandy made a motion to approve the minutes as corrected, Cheryl Wilcox seconded and the motion passed. Karen Lacy made a motion, seconded by Peggy Anderson, to approve the treasurer's October report.

Libby gave good wishes to the November birthdays.

The President then instructed members to visit committee locations in the room during the break to sign up, meet other members of that committee and select a chairman. Committee chairs will be reported soon. Ava Wright has volunteered to head up the next Opportunity Quilt with the assistance of Pam Pearson, but could use committee members. Linda Hagen will handle the BOM for 2022.

Committee Reports:

Block of the Month – Linda Hagen has sent out all 10 blocks. Prepare your projects to be displayed at the December meeting for a gift for the winner.

2021 Challenge – Sherri Irving has books for inspiration if you haven't started your two-color quilt yet. They will be shown in February.

Charity – Cindy Nice is collecting donations to be made into kits. Anyone wishing to quilt a top may call her.

Outreach/Education – Mary Pacey said events are done for the year.

Ways and Means – Karen Genis has 2 items to raffle.

2021 Programs – Heather Schaller noted the check list at the Welcome Table to estimate a head count in December. The meeting will be members only for the 40th Anniversary of the Guild, celebrated with cupcakes. Dinner will have a 'Feliz Navidad' theme with authentic Mexican tacos and will also have American fixings. Raffle drawings will be held for lots of great prizes such as longarm members' quilting. Original members Mary Pacey and Kenda Camp are going to speak on the history of the guild.

2022 Programs – Lisa Hirsch announced the programs for the first three months of 2022.

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Meeting Minutes (cont.) & BOM Judging

Libby Corrison gave reports on members having health issues.

***25 minute Break ***

Winners of Drawings:

The Opportunity Quilt winner was drawn by Lisa Hirsch, naming Linda Fillwock.

Winners of the Ways and Means drawings were Mary Pacey and Cheryl Wilcox.

Welcome Table – Shelia Pierce announced 38 members present. Cindy Nice won the drawing.

Announcements:

Mary Pacey gave a thank you for donations to the Olathe Library workshops to make fidget quilts.

David Duwe offered to trade 34 aqua finished Dresden blocks for fat quarters of quality fabric.

The next Board meeting will be September 21 at 6:30 on Zoom. New and old board members should attend, and every member is welcome.

Show and Tell participants were Karen Genis, Carol Crane, Melissa Toburen, Rachel Rohrer, David Duwe, Heather Schaller and Karen Hill.

The president adjourned the meeting at 8:25.

Carol Crane, Secretary

Last Call—2021 Block of the Month!

December is the time to judge the 6” BOM stars. Please bring in your finished project, the winner will receive a great prize that will be VERY beneficial for the 2022 BOM program. There is still time if you hurry, you won't regret it I promise. - Linda Hagen



Show and Tell



Karen Genis

Carol Crane



The whole quilt is more important than any single square.

- Rohinton Mistry

Show and Tell (continued)

Melissa Toburen



Rachel Rohrer

Show and Tell (continued)

David Duwe (2 quilts)



Heather Schaller



Show and Tell (continued)

Karen Hill (3 quilts)



Show and Tell (continued)



Karen Hill (2 quilts)

Rachel Sum, holding a few of her project hexes

