

Olathe Quilter's Guild

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From the President's Keyboard

What a spread of different and delicious dishes awaited us at the June Salad Supper! Our members are very good cooks! Teresa's program on repairs for old quilts was very eye opening and gave those with quilts an answer on preserving the worth of the quilt.

As I write this, Cindy Nice and a group of members are getting ready to show off quilting at Mahaffie House—we think the majority of visitors will be preschoolers and elementary age children, so projects have been planned accordingly. Thank you to all who donated the 2 ½" squares for our project---especially Libby!

The excitement about the guild's bus trip to Lincoln was very evident at the meeting. Susan Gandy has prepared a flyer (included in the newsletter) regarding deadlines. I, for one, am looking forward to this trip as I visited an exhibit of Crazy Quilts years ago and the Behind the Scene's Look should be spectacular. Also this will be a great way to spend time getting to know other members.

The Flea Market from June's meeting seemed to be a success. We will be accepting items at both the July and August meetings once again. I'm glad that others can use what is brought in for creative endeavors.

I have been keeping my sewing machine busy as I try to stay cool this summer. I am listening to books on CDs as I sew—decided to listen to Don Quixote (a 35 disc set) as this was suggested by our tour guide when touring Spain and Portugal earlier this year. I find that I must enjoy the "voice" of the reader to really enjoy the book—I love listening to Irish readers the most.

Hope all are managing daily life with all the high temperatures. Those 2 days of cool weather were heaven! I loved having the windows open.

Mary

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From the President



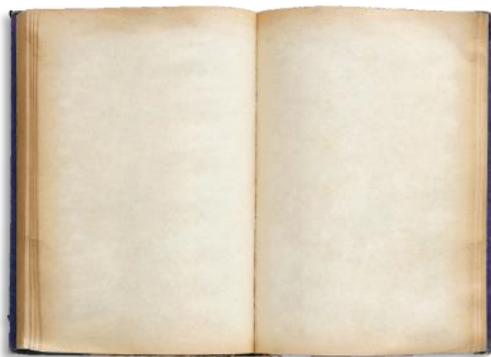
OVERSTOCK CLEARANCE

We'll be doing our 'Overstock Clearance' (aka Freecycling) again in July. Here's a reminder of the guidelines.

- The Ways & Means Committee will have first chance to hold onto items they deem usable for their projects this year or next.
- Any fabric, UFOs, or kits not started will be used for either the Charity Committee or the Ways & Means Committee.
- Items **MUST** be brought to the meeting in a non-returnable bag or box which will be left with the items for removal after the meeting.
- Members may take as many items as they want (bring your own "shopping" bag).
- Any items not chosen will be given to a church group's garage sale raising money for missions.

REVISION OF GUILD'S POLICIES & PROCEDURES

Our Policies & Procedures for the guild desperately need revision, as the current one has committees we no longer use, among other things. Shari Pine volunteered to chair a group of members who can update this document. We will have a sign-up sheet again at the July meeting for those interested. Please consider donating some time to keep our guild current!



Don't let our history have blank pages!

Our Historian board position is once again empty with the moving of Cindy Ott.

Please consider serving in this position.



Coming Up in July



Our July Speaker



Raija Salomaa will be giving her presentation “Journey as a Pattern Designer “ at our July Guild meeting.

Growing up in Finland, where every girl (and boy) learns to sew at a very young age, Raija’s love affair with fabrics began. Raija saw her first quilt after having moved to the States. Little did she know that her life would be completely captivated by what she had just stumbled on.

Raija started to share her passion for quilts almost immediately with friends, teaching classes around her dining room table. Before long, Raija was asked to teach classes at a local quilt shop. She also made a teaching trip to Finland to introduce quilting to people who had never even heard of it before.

Math had always been easy for Raija and she usually didn’t need patterns to make quilts. Maybe it was that skill that made her start thinking about pattern designing in those early days. Raija’s first patterns were published in 2004, but due to some unfortunate events, she was forced to set her desire for designing quilt patterns on hold for almost a decade.

Life is full of risks, but if you never take a chance you will never achieve your goals. So in March of 2013 Raija quit her corporate job to pursue pattern designing full time. And she has never looked back!

Raija’s quilts have been in national quilt magazines and in some top quilting catalogs, including a “Best Seller” in the Keepsake Quilting catalog. Raija is thrilled to work with several fabric companies, creating designs to best showcase their latest fabric collections.

See her website at

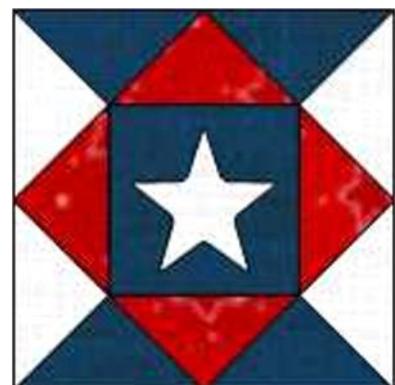
www.quilterstreasurechest.com

July Charity Work Night

Please note that this month the Charity Committee work night will be on the third Thursday, July 19th, from 6 to 8 pm. This is shifted from the usual fourth Thursday due to VBS being held that week at the church.

July Block of the Month

Square
In a
Square





Coming Up In July



SET YOUR SUMMER TABLE!

Our current small challenge is to make something for your summer table!

Here are the rules: There are no rules! You can make anything! Table runner, place mats, baskets, napkins, anything you would use at a summer party!

Be CREATIVE!

Projects are due at the July meeting. All participants will be entered in a drawing for a prize!

Our July Workshop—The Dresden Plate

The Dresden Plate can be used in a variety ways. So learn to make a pointy circle, a little village, a flower, a fan block, or an easy table runner.

Please bring sewing machine and basic supplies, such as pins and scissors.

If you have a Dresden Plate ruler, please bring it. However, there will be a variety of rulers brought to class by the instructor and helpers.

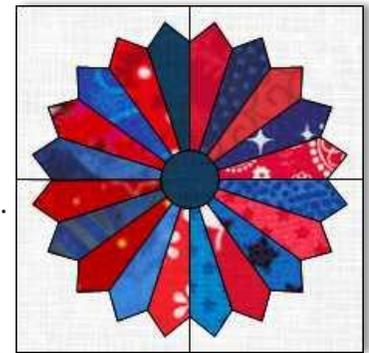
Fabric- Most Dresden Plate patterns include 20 petals, so bring 20 different fabrics, or 10, or 5 depending upon the look you are wanting. You also need fabric for a circle in the middle. The amount of background fabric needed will depend upon the size of the blades. For example 5 inch blades will need about a 15 inch square background (or larger). A charm square will yield at least two plates.

Feel free to bring your own mat, rotary cutter, iron and ironing "board". An extension cord may be helpful.

Provided by instructor: Large mat, rotary cutter, some Dresden rulers, ironing board, and iron.

Workshop date is July 24. Class will start at 6:00 and end at 8:00. Please be prompt.

The class will be in room 1070/75 at the Johnson County Extension Office, 11811 S. Sunset Dr in Olathe. Register online at www.johnson.k-state.edu/classes-events/index.html, in the Family & Consumer Sciences (Home and Family) section—or by calling 913-715-7000.





Coming Up In July



Hi All,

The JoCo 2018 Fair is approaching. Thankfully, being in the Air Conditioned Building will be a plus if the heat continues.

The Cleanup day on July 21st may be an easy day as there is likely to be a 4-H club doing the work. More details later.

Set up day, July 28th, we need a few more people. There are Mary P., Kenda and I signed up for that time. We will be setting up our area. Also, we may be helping a few other new chairs set up their areas, as we are more knowledgeable to where cabinets and tables go.

Still needing help for Registration on Monday night and Tuesday morning. We will need one more scribe, as we are hoping to get two more judges. We will need help on placing quilts for judges and hanging the quilts afterwards. Cheryl Wilcox and I will be staying from 5 to 10pm to monitor the quilts and the building on Tuesday night.

We still have many openings which I hope you will take a look at during the July meeting and see if you can fill them or partner with someone.

As a quick reference for time slots still needing volunteers:

Thurs Aug 2 4-7 pm	Sat Aug 4 1-4 pm, 4-7 pm, 7-10 pm
Fri Aug 3 10 am –1 pm, 4-7 pm, 7-10 pm	Sun Aug 5 9 am to 1 pm (time for returning quilts)

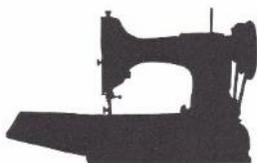
This year we are just giving the quilts back to the entrant and they will receive their checks in another area.

Please let me know by email if you know when you would like to help.

Lists will be available at the July Meeting.

See you there...and come to the Fair and have a Squealing Good Time!!!

Thanks, Karen



Show your Singer Featherweight some love

Maintenance Workshop July 31st 1 – 4 pm

By Jean Schlenk in Spring Hill at the Quilted Sunflower

Call 913.592.0100 to reserve your spot

Our Guild Members



Spotlight Quilter of the Month—Shari Pine

I am Shari Pine and I started quilting when my husband gave me a quilt class for my birthday after we were first married, probably 25 years ago. The class was at Johnson County Community College and our instructor was Terry Clothier Thompson. I have not been quilting for 25 years, I had my daughter and stopped and then didn't pick it up again until a few years ago.

I don't think I am locked into any particular type of quilt, I have made many different types! I'll try whatever catches my eye!

I machine piece my work. I really like to hand piece, but I decided one day if I kept doing that then I would never get anything finished! Most of my quilts are quilted by longarm, however I am trying to do them myself more at home, especially the smaller ones. I am getting really good at straight lines!!

I am still at the stage where I keep what I make or I make one for someone in particular. My ultimate goal is to have my own longarm someday!

I am so thankful that I took that first quilting class! Quilting has given me so many dear friends and it gives me so much happiness to have a skill that makes others happy too!

July Birthdays

Janie Benander - 7/12

Pauline Sanders - 7/18

Karen Goodwin - 7/12

Joli Winer - 7/27

Gretchen Schafer - 7/15

Gloria Donohue - 7/28

Welcome



To our new members who joined at the June meeting:
Jean Heer, Cheryl Lowrance
and Mary Whitchurch.

Good News!

Gretchen Ryan's doctors said her surgery could not have gone better. She had a small setback over the weekend, but they've addressed it. We look forward to seeing this awesome lady back to being her active self and bringing her smile to our meetings!



Recent Activities



Quilters Helping Quilters led by Teresa Jones at the June Guild meeting. From small stains to quilts who have gone way beyond seeing the better years, a variety of issues were presented. Thank you to all who participated, by bringing quilts and by offering suggestions.



Teresa Jones and Janie Benander



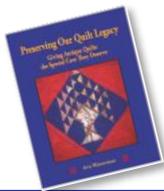
Cindy Nice shows how she saved parts of a quilt by framing them for family members, and attaching the quilt's story to the back.



Sherri Irving



Bottom row pics, left to right: Mary Pacey, the sad quilt Mary found, Sally Kennedy and Anna Mae Wagner



The book recommended by Susan Gandy (who gave a lot of great suggestions) is "Preserving Our Quilt Legacy" by Ann Wasserman, at www.annquilts.com/ or Amazon. Print book: \$29.95, Ebook: \$12.99

Acorn's Promise was one of the quilts shown by Mary Honas at our April meeting. Mary held a workshop on the quilt block for guild members in June.



Standing, L to R: Mary Honas, Kate Thompson, Jean Schlenk, Carol Crane and Jenny Boudreaux. Seated is Mary Ellen Winter.



Anna Mae Wagner with two of the children who participated in the "Art of Quilting" at the Mahaffie Historic Site in June



Committee Updates



July 2018 – Charity News

Ladies, you are the best! From the charity quilts that we received last month, we were able to select two for the VA Medical Center HUD-VASH Program! Several of you took kits to help with the Isolette Covers and of course there were more quilts for Project Warm Embrace. Thank you!

The Charity committee (although everyone is welcome) continues to meet each month to work on sorting fabric, cutting, and making up 'kits' for quilt tops. Join us if you can. Usually we meet on the fourth Thursday of the month, but please note that in July we are rescheduled to the third Thursday (July 19th).

Charity Committee work nights

The planned dates for work nights for the remainder of 2018 are Jul 19, Aug 23, Sep 27, Oct 25, Nov 15 and Dec 27.

Sherri Irving



Pictured above are Charity Quilts recently completed by guild members and shown by Sherri Irving during the June guild meeting Show and Tell



Committee Updates



KCRQF Updates from Janie Benander

- All 18 Guilds voted to provide a 12-inch finished block for a Festival Quilt pattern. The pattern will be for sale to help increase merchandizing revenue. Color placement will use four of the festival colors plus black and white. It can be an existing block or one we design. We are asking for someone to take this project on. All that is needed is a picture of the block with color placement and dimensions. No physical block has to be made. The block must be named and have a reason why this block was chosen for our Guild. The block should be a pieced block. NO APPLIQUE OR PAPER PIECING. We must have the block to the Raymore committee by September 2018. ***(Arlene Banks and Susan Gandy, with support from Pam Pearson and Ava Wright, have designed and delivered the block for the KCRQF Guild Quilt pattern. The friendship star pattern with four patches on each corner and in the center was chosen. All felt that our focus has been on building friendships over the last few years and therefore represented our Guild very well. I hope everyone agrees. A HUGE THANK YOU TO ARLENE, SUSAN, PAM AND AVA! Their help is so appreciated.)***
- Challenge Showcase Quilt color Magic Mint has been replaced by Sheen Green. See KCRQF newsletter for colors and parameters for the quilt. The board needs to know by January 2019 if our Guild will be submitting quilt(s) for Showcase competition. The quilts must be finished by May 2019. Block must be pieced.
- Sleeves on quilts for display must be no less than four inches finished. Specifics have been sent out in the KCRQF newsletter for options and will be posted on the web site.
- The Guild Representatives voted to split the money raised at the preview night and through the small quilt auction (sales) between both charities. Once We Were Refugees and Sewing Labs.
- Ricky Tims has been confirmed for the festival. He will perform on Friday night location TBD. Cost to be determined to attend. Hoping for 800 in attendance. Tickets will be open to Guild members first. He will also teach three master classes.
- Sponsors and vendors are being announced on Facebook and the KCRQF website. We have 35 confirmed teachers and 40 plus vendors have signed contracts. Hope to have all teachers under contract by end of June. Watch Facebook and the Web site for updates. So far, they have 15 new teachers and 15 from outside of our area
- The vendors will have an extra day to move in the machines and get them set up and working.
- The vendors will be OPEN on preview night, quilts will be available for viewing as well as the silent auction/buy it now quilts to support the identified charities. Preview night will have live music, cash bar, hors d'oeuvres, final cost to attend to be determined. The Executive Board is thinking preview night will be about \$40 or \$50 dollars per person. Half will go to charity and the other half to cover the costs associated with the preview night. More information to come. Guild members will have to purchase a ticket to attend. The Executive Board has not determined if you will have to purchase a ticket if you work the event. More to come on this topic
- We will need white glove support for Preview night.
- A Vice President elect position has been added to the Executive board to ensure continuity for the 1st Vice President rotation.

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Committee Updates



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- KCRQF has \$34,000 in the bank
- Plan to make many structural layout changes so vendors are not split up between rooms. All quilts will be in one room and all vendors in the other. The entrance will be around the corner past the coffee place for the festival and the exit will be where the old entrance was across from the escalators.
- The Executive Board will be purchasing two ads in national magazines. One in the Fall/Winter issue of Quilt Sampler and one in April 2019 Patchwork and Quilting. Will help to bring in people outside of our area and give the festival a national presence.
- Hope to open class registration to the Guild members by September or October
- It was suggested that those with limited mobility might want to attend the preview night since there would be less people on that night than during the open hours of the festival.
- Quilt categories will be decided by 4th quarter.
- Samantha Donley has resigned as KCRQF treasurer due to family issues and has been replaced by Allison Saunders from Nimble Thimble Guild.



Workshops 2018

- See page 4 for information on the July 24th Dresden Plate workshop .
- The remaining 2018 workshops at the Extension Office are English Paper Piecing on August 21st and Machine Applique on October 23rd.
- Please see the New York Beauty Class email attachment for information on the full day workshop scheduled on August 11th.



2018 Olathe Quilter's Board

President: Mary Pacey

Vice-President/Program: Teresa Jones

Program Elect: Pam Pearson

Secretary: Susan Gandy

Treasurer: Libby Corrison

Ways & Means: Linda Hagen &

Mary Rayborn

Ways & Means Elect: Arlene Banks

Historian: **Vacant**

Public Relations: Karen Lacy

Membership: Karen Goodwin & Jean Spohrer

Newsletter Editor: Sherri Critchfield

Advisor: Shari Pine



Minutes and Reports



Olathe Quilters Guild Treasurer's Report June 2018

Operating Account Balance 5/17/2018	\$9,376.91
Money Market Account Balance 5/31/2018	<u>\$12,131.01</u>
	\$21,507.92
Receipts	
Membership	\$90.00
Ways and Means	\$62.00
Lisa Hirsch – Reimbursement to guild *	<u>\$23.65</u>
	\$175.65
Expenses	
Olathe Christian Church – June rooms	\$100.00
Linda Hagen – for Ways and Means	\$49.98
Karen Lacy – for guild website with WIX	\$149.00
Jean Schlenk – for Opportunity Quilt supplies	\$43.00
Crossroad Tours – 10% down payment for bus	<u>\$147.00</u>
	\$488.98
Operating Account Balance 6/22/18	\$9,063.58
Money Market Account Balance 5/31/18	<u>\$12,131.01</u>
Combined Balance 6/22/18	<u>\$21,194.59</u>

*Your guild treasurer accidentally paid Lisa Hirsch \$81.55 last month. That amount was actually what Lisa **saved** (60% off) when buying backing for 4 charity quilts she is working on. Lisa had permission from the charity committee to buy backing, because there are rarely big enough pieces donated. She actually **spent** \$57.90, so she reimbursed the guild \$23.65 for the overpayment. Thank you, Lisa! Your treasurer apologizes for the mix-up.

*The deadline for submissions for the August newsletter will be Wednesday, Aug 1st.
Please send items to OQGNews18@outlook.com.*



Minutes and Reports



General Meeting Minutes
Olathe Quilters Guild
June 12, 2018

The June, 2018, meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Mary Pacey. As this meeting was our annual potluck picnic, she immediately dismissed us to proceed to the serving line and dinner.

The meeting then came back to order at 7:06 p.m. The Welcome table reported that we had 45 members present and 3 guests. We had 3 new members join. Mary Pacey then noted our featured member of the month, Deb Lybarger and acknowledged the members whose birthdays fell in June. They were invited to receive a small gift from the guild.

Teresa Jones started the program "Quilters Helping Quilters" by asking for examples and questions from members about how to repair or salvage various quilts. Janie Benander, Sally Kennedy, Cindy Nice, Anna Mae Wagner, Mary Pacey, Sherri Irving and Teresa Jones all participated while guild members suggested solutions in a free-wheeling discussion. After the program, we adjourned briefly for members to purchase basket chances, socialize and check out the table of free items which was started on a trial basis.

A motion was made to accept the May meeting minutes. A second was made by Karen Lacy. A brief discussion was held on a correction (which was actually to the newsletter). After clarification, the motion was voted and passed.

The Treasurer's report was discussed. Some of the expenses had repayments posted for specific members, but lacked explanation for what the expense was. Treasurer Libby Corrison stated that the reimbursement to Shari Pine was for challenge quilt prizes. The reimbursement to Lisa Hirsch was for charity quilt backing from JoAnn's and quilting. There was discussion that some members had access to quilt backings at a lower cost. As Lisa was not in attendance, Sherri Irving explained how the Charity Committee was operating and volunteered that some of its processes needed tightening up. Everyone was satisfied with the discussion. Barb Fife then made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report, as corrected. Arlene Banks seconded. The motion passed.

Charity Projects

Karen Lacy discussed how to make the Neonatal Isolette Covers and passed around miniature examples. The information was also in the newsletter. She had several kits available as well as fabric.

Linda Hagen coordinates our donations to the VA homeless program (known as HUD-VASH). She spoke to her contact person who was thrilled to learn that we had chosen them as one of our charities. Lap size (for wheelchair users) and twin-sized quilts are needed.

Sherri Irving noted that we will also be continuing to work with Project Warm Embrace. That makes 3 charities we are supporting as the top vote-getters. She announced how many votes each charity candidate got. We also have materials for fidget quilts which can be donated to another charity.

Johnson County Fair

Karen Lacy reported that two judges have been lined up and she is considering an additional two. Volunteer signups are going well, however, more are needed. Additional information is in the newsletter.

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Minutes and Reports



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Mahaffie Program

Cindy Nice announced that more 2 ½" fabric squares were needed for the Mahaffie program June 27 & 28. More volunteers are also needed.

Opportunity Quilt

Heather Buchwitz announced that there have been 3 sew days at Quilter's Haven and all the blocks are now complete. Jean Schlenk is assembling the blocks.

Programs & Workshops

Pam Pearson discussed the July 24 *Dresden Plate* workshop, as well as the proposed *Advanced New York Beauty* workshop which has not yet been finalized. She gave away fabrics for promotions of coming lectures.

Teresa Jones announced that our July speaker would be Raija Salomaa discussing "My Journey as a Pattern Designer".

Ways & Means

Linda Hagen showed samples of this year's Mystery BOM and encouraged everyone to get to work. She also announced that we would have a UFO & fabric yardage sale at the November meeting. She is asking for donations which can be made from now up to the November meeting.

For Sale

Carolyn Routh announced a wooden quilting frame is for sale by an elderly woman who can no longer use it. Carolyn is the contact, see her if interested.

Bus Trip to Lincoln, Nebraska

Mary Pacey announced that the Board had voted to schedule a bus trip to the International Quilt Study Center and Museum. The proposal was to have both the bus and the lunch paid for by the guild from our KCRQF windfall funds. Susan Gandy is the contact person with the Museum and explained the logic for setting the date (Friday, September 7) as well as what to expect from the trip. There is a \$25 admission & behind-the-scenes tour fee that each person must pay on their own. Mary explained the details of the bus contract. Non-members will be able to fill in any empty slots on the bus, but costs had not yet been determined. An informal poll was taken to gauge interest and then sign-up sheets were passed around. A motion to move forward with the plan was made by Janie Benander and seconded by Linda Hagen. The motion passed.

The Welcome Table Door Prize was won by Heather Buchwitz. The "Christmas in June" Ways & Means baskets were won by Anna Mae Wagner and Mary Ellen Winter.

Show and Tell Participants were Gretchen Schafer, Ruthi Hoadley, Heather Buchwitz, Mary Pacey, Jenny Boudreaux, Jessie Vandenberg, Pauline Sanders, Carol Crane, Linda Hagen, & Sherri Irving.

The meeting adjourned at 8:58 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Gandy, Secretary



Schedules



2018 Guild Meeting Schedule

- **January 9** – Guild Social – Getting to know each other
- **February 13** – Jane Bromberg – Finishing up!
- **March 13** – Liz Granberg – Adventures with 60° Triangle Quilts
- **April 10** – Mary Honas – Intensity, Value, Contrast & Scale
- **May 8** – Angela Walters – How Do I Quilt It?
- **June 12** – Guild Summer Social and Quilters Helping Quilters
- **July 10** – Raija Salomaa – Journey as a Pattern Designer
- **August 14** – Lori Triplett – Pieces of the Prairie
- **September 11** – Gail McKay – How Fabric is Made and the Life of a Fabric Representative
- **October 9** – Guild Charity Night
- **November 13** – Guild Fall Dinner
- **December 11** – Guild Holiday Social

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

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



Please join us for dinner prior to guild meeting at Panera on 20120 West 153rd St. in Olathe. (Near Home Depot at 153rd and 7 Highway/169 Highway) We meet at 4:30, but member's trickle in as they get off work. Join us for some quilting fellowship before the meeting.

Reminder: If the Olathe School District calls off school due to the weather, we will not have our guild meeting.





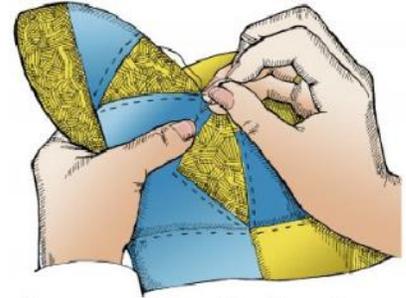
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Hand Quilters

The **Hand Quilting Stitch Group** meets the third Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm. The next meeting will be **July 19, 2018.**

The meeting is located at Olathe Christian Church. Enter the main entrance, go down the hallway to the right to Room 2. Everyone is welcome. Bring quilting or piecing to work on.



If you have questions, please contact Susan Gandy at 913-764-1250 or at ganfam@att.net.

OQG Board Meetings

All guild members are welcome to attend the OQG Board Meetings.

Beginning January, 2018, Board Meetings are at 6:00 pm on the Wednesday of the week following the regular guild meeting. They are held at Olathe Christian Church in Room 2.

The next Board meeting will be on **July 18, 2018.**

Olathe Christian Church—Entrances from main parking lot



East entrance—best for regular guild meetings



West (main) entrance—best for Hand Quilters and Board Meetings

Want another way to stay in touch between meetings? Sign-up to our OQG Facebook group.

The address is [facebook.com/groups/OQGuildGroup](https://www.facebook.com/groups/OQGuildGroup)



Show and Tell



Pauline Sanders with a king quilt and a throw for charity



Carol Crane with a T-shirt quilt and pillow



Jenny Boudreaux with a lap quilt



Show and Tell



Jessie Vandenberg with
3 quilts and a Jacket





Show and Tell



Gretchen Schafer with two miniature quilts



Mary Pacey with her Floating Squares Charity Quilt



Heather Buchwitz with her project bag





Show and Tell



Ruthi Hoadley with her 3 quilts



Linda Hagen with her
Hand Embroidered Quilt





Upcoming Area Quilting Events



2018

Dates and City	Name of Event and Group	For more information
July 13-14 Eudora, KS	Eudora Quilt Show at United Methodist Church, 2084 N. 1300 Rd	Friday 13th—10 am to 5 pm Saturday 14th—10 am to 3 pm \$5.00 Admission for adults
July 21 Overland Park, KS	Sew, Sell & Swap—garage sale by The Kansas City Modern Quilt Guild at Atonement Lutheran Church, 9948 Metcalf Ave.	9 am to 5 pm \$5.00 Admission at the door
Aug 24-25 Overland Park, KS	Kaleidoscope of Quilts—by Quilters Guild of Greater Kansas City at Abdallah Shrine Temple, 5300 Metcalf Ave	Friday 24th—10 am to 6 pm Saturday 25th—10 am to 5 pm \$5.00 Admission
Sept 8 Ottawa, KS	Sunflower Piecemakers Quilt Guild Quilt Show—Goppert Center at 15th and Ash St.	sunflowerpiecemakers.wixsite.com/quiltguild
Sept 15 & 16 Topeka, KS	Stitching Stories—by Kansas Capital Quilters Guild	www.kscapitalquilters.com/2018-quilt-show.html
Sept 27-29 Springfield, MO	Ozark Piecemakers Quilt Guild Celebrate Quilting Show	opqgshow.com
Sept 28-29 Mission, KS	A Stitch in Time—by Starlight Quilters Guild at Abdallah Shrine Temple, 5300 Metcalf Ave	www.starlightquilters.com/2018_quilt_show
Sept 29-30 Paola, KS	Drag & Brag Quilt Show—by Miami County Quilters' Guild at the Paola Middle School	www.miamicountyquiltguild.com/Drag-N-Brag-Quilt-Show.html
Nov 8-10 Multiple cities	"Jingle All the Way" Shop Hop by Ad Astra in KS towns of Leavenworth, Paola, Overbrook, Shawnee, Baldwin City, Holton, Lawrence, Spring Hill and Eudora	www.facebook.com/adastraquiltshophop/

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June 13 - 15	Kansas City Regional Quilt Festival	kcrqf.com
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