



Dear Quilter,

*Press, press, press, Cut, cut, cut,
Line it up & sew
1 quarter inch is your seam
So off you go to sew! Hey!
Border it, square it up
Make a big o sandwich
Quilt that quilt in the frame
And border it with love! Hey!
A day or two ago, I thought I'd take
drive
I wound up at the Needle
My debit card I slide
I snuck it all inside, in other piles to
hide!!!
I know it will never hurt him...
..... what hubby will not find!!*

*And that my Dear quilter is today very
true!!! Merriest of Christmases and the
Happiest of New Years.*

From My Quilt Room to Yours,

Kelly Irvin

*p.s. What is your favorite version of
Jingle Bells? Mine? Lena Horne!*

Greetings from the VP Corner

Our December meeting will be our annual Christmas party. We will not have a guest speaker. We will have an ornament exchange for anyone that would like to participate. Just bring a wrapped ornament.

The fat quarter is "Christmas" fabric.

See you soon,

Lisa

Toilet paper rolls

Thanks to all that brought toilet paper rolls to me. I exceeded my expectations and need no more. Thanks so much

Madeline

Quilt Show Wrap Up

Thanks to each and every one of you that participated in the Quilt Show. From entering a quilt, to working on any of the committees, to bringing friends and relatives to the show.

Although the turnout was disappointing, we have some ideas for the future. I have not been able to set a date for the wrap up but will work on it and hope to find something in December. Thanks again for being a part of our wonderful show.

Madeline



The Quilts of Valor Committee would like to thank all those who attended and were involved in the presentation at the November guild meeting! We also would like to thank Mrs. Allison Page and the Advance R-IV High School Concert Choir for their performance! And thank you to Linda Tansil for adding this information to our guild website!

Nov. 12, 2018 Quilts of Valor Honorees:

1. Dwayne Bierstedt - US Marines (Debbie Morris)
2. Joseph Brown- US Air Force (Ellis Brown, Nancy Bishop)
3. Larry Corn - US Army (Nancy Kester)
4. Terry Crowell - US Air Force (Barb Narsh)
5. Nathan Davie - U.S. Army (Angie Davie)
6. Joseph Dittmaier - U.S. Army (Barb Egbert)
7. Leon Grass - U.S. Navy (Mary Green)
8. Shane Kirby - US Army (Priscilla Kirby)
9. Andrew Hill - U.S. Navy (Donna Irwin)
10. Calvin Jackson - US Marines (Delois Jackson)
11. Harold Jackson - U.S. Navy (Delois Jackson)
12. John Leibel - U.S. Army (Delois Jackson)
13. Timothy Malmin - U.S. Army (Angie Davie)
14. Steve Payne - U.S. Navy (Marla Moore, Jo Payne)
15. Joseph Simmons - U.S. Army (Sharon Hart)
16. Robert Wentz - U.S. Navy (Barb Egbert)
17. Delbert Williams - US Marines (Delois Jackson)
18. William "Bill" Colman - US Navy (Joycelyn Kasten)
19. Dean Hagler - US Army (Delois Jackson)

Patriotic patchwork: Quilters express appreciation for military through the making of special quilts (11/17/18) | Southeast Missourian newspaper, Cape Girardeau, MO

Missouri!

THANK YOU Nancy Bishop & River Heritage Quilt Guild

<https://www.semissourian.com/story/2567192.html>

Respectfully,

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Please take a few moments to watch a [short video](#) about the impact of the Quilts of Valor Foundation.

Note of Thanks,

Dear Darla and Deanna,

On behalf of Birthright, I would like to thank you and the River Heritage Quilt Guild for your donation of a baby quilt. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

God Bless,

Birthright Volunteer



- 12/1 Ann Beggs
- 12/1 Ruth LaClair
- 12/1 Anne Marietta
- 12/2 Frannie Essner
- 12/3 Denise Steck-Carpenter
- 12/3 Julie Samuelson
- 12/4 Mary Tripp
- 12/7 Joycelyn Kasten
- 12/11 Linda Biri
- 12/12 Nelda Steffen
- 12/17 Linda Tansil
- 12/18 Marla Kay Clark
- 12/18 Kathryn Keith
- 12/27 Cookie Little
- 12/29 Karla Kiefner
- 12/30 Kelly Irvin
- 12/30 Jeanette Mastin
- 12/30 Thelma Stone

Community Quilts

Community Quilts meets at Abbey Road Christian Church, 2411 Abbey Road, Cape. Work days are on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month 9:00 am-11:30am. They are in need of sewers.

Darla Snider/Deanna Easley

November Minutes 11/12/18

Meeting was opened with welcome from President Kelly Irvin. There were 68 members, 1 new member, Anita Seyer, and over 17 guests.

Our program, the Quilts of Valor, was next. Carol Gallagher prayed and led the pledge of allegiance. The Advance High School sang. There were 19 presentations this year.

Duane Bierstedt-US Marines (Debbie Morris)

Joseph Brown-US Air Force (Ellis Brown, Nancy Bishop)

Larry Corn-US Army (Nancy Kester)

Terry Crowell-US Air Force (Barb Narsh)

Nathan Davie-US Army (Angie Davie)

Joseph Dittmaier-US Army (Barb Egbert)

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After taking a break, November birthdays-Jo Payne, Donna Irwin, Terrie Bert, Jean Mason, Barb Reininger, Joanne Moore, Susie Owens, Rosie Conrad, Lisa O'Brien, Sherry Pressley, Evelyn Beussink, Janice Collier, Roseanne Myers, Shirley Dallmier, Rebecca Moore, Betty Carroll, and Marla

Moore who was missed last month-were given gifts by Jo Payne and sung to.

A thank you from Marla Moore for our collection for her was read. A motion was made by Madeline Gieselman and seconded by Maxine Michael to approve the October minutes. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Madeline Gieselman and seconded by Jo Payne to accept the slate of officers as announced last month. Motion passed.

Lisa O'Brien announced that next month's meeting is our Christmas dinner in the large room. Sign up for this by November 26 by sending \$10 to Judy Douglass. We are to bring a wrapped ornament for exchange. The fat quarter is Christmas.

Ravan Simms had everyone show their blocks from the pineapple and cathedral window classes. The wooly gals will meet on December 8 at noon at Donna Kiel's house for cookie exchange. Bring 1 dozen cookies.

Madeline Gieselman recapped the quilt show by announcing that it ended up losing \$359.92, even though the kitchen made \$1139.89. We donated \$1158.50 to St. Francis Dig for Life.

Merle Deneke said we made \$2545 this year on the opportunity quilt-compared to \$1700 last year. Barb Egbert said there will be work days for next year's quilt on November 19 and December 3 at The Golden Needle.

Meeting was closed with show and tell by Tracy Vaughan, Jocelyn Kasten, Karla Kiefner, Nancy Kester, Linda Byerley, and Nancy Bishop.

Respectfully Submitted,
Secretary Martha L. Cox



MEMBER TYPE (Circle One): New Member / Renewal

Dues may be paid by completing this form and mailing it along with a check for \$20.00 to R.H.Q.G. (River Heritage Quilt Guild, PO Box 1905, Cape Girardeau, MO 63702-1905). You may also bring this form to any meeting. To assure your listing in the Membership Yearbook, please renew by the January meeting.

Date: _____

(mm/dd) of birthday: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: Home: (_____) _____ Work: (_____) _____

Cell: (_____) _____

Email: _____

***IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THE NOTICE THAT THE NEWSLETTER IS AVAILABLE ON ONLINE, WE NEED AN EMAIL ADDRESS. NEWSLETTER IS ONLY AVAILABLE ONLINE.**

Please indicate which committees you would like to serve on and/or be chairperson:

Committee	Chairman	Member
Community Projects (Make quilts to be given away, i.e. trauma quilts, Birthright, LFCS, etc.)	_____	_____
Hospitality (Coordinates refreshments at Birthday meeting, Guild Picnic, and Christmas Dinner)	_____	_____
Membership (Keep the roll, door prizes, collecting dues, etc.)	_____	_____
Newsletter (Put out monthly newsletter online)	_____	_____
Yearbook (compile member's addresses in book, publish)	_____	_____
Pattern of the month (Presents members with monthly block pattern)	_____	_____
Special Events (Coordinates Workshops, Seminars, Bus Trips, etc.)	_____	_____
Opportunity Quilt (Planning and construction of fundraiser quilt; Coordinating ticket sales)	_____	_____
Publicity (Publicity chairperson and members coordinate publicity needs of the guild in reference to special events, etc.)	_____	_____
Quilt Show (Quilt Show chairperson(s) and members plan and oversee quilt shows and appoint chairs of sub-committees.)	_____	_____

Updated 10/2017

Pattern for our regular committee and guild meetings. . .

Community Projects Work Day
Abbey Road Christian Church
2411 Abbey Road Cape Girardeau, MO
First and Third Monday of each month,
9:00 am-11-30 am.

Guild Meeting

Second Monday Cape LaCroix UMC

6:00 sign-in, 6:30 pm meeting all but picnic
and dinner meetings
6 pm for September picnic and for
December dinner

12/10/18 CHRISTMAS PARTY

LaCroix UMC
Lexington Ave, Cape
Entrance 7, Large Room

FAT QUARTER

— “Christmas” —

PINTEREST

Check out RHQG’s page

2019 RETREAT

Kentucky Dam Village

March 4-10, 2019

or

March 6-10, 2019

2018 Committee Chairpersons

Audit-Barb Miller
Block of Month—Karla Kiefner
Comfort Quilts-Nancy Bishop
Community Projects-Deanna Easley & Darla Snider
Correspondence-Donna Irwin
Gadget of the Month-Carla Wren
Hospitality-Jo Payne
Membership-Nancy Buchanan
Newsletter-Melody Loveless
Opportunity Quilt-Barb Egbert
Opportunity Quilt Raffle-Merle Deneke
Publicity-Marla Moore
Quilt Show-Madeline Gieselman/Linda Gast
Quilts of Valor-Mary Green
Retreat-Denise Steck-Carpenter
Special Events-Ravan Simms
Website-Linda Tansil
Yearbook-Diana Diebold
Scrapbook-Mary O’Connell

2018 Officers

President-Kelly Irvin
Vice President- Lisa O’Brien
Secretary-Martha Cox
Treasurer-Judy Douglass
Historian-Darlene Crocker

****NEWSLETTER & EMAILS****

**Please send all information (in typed format in a Word document) to be published in the newsletter, by the 20th of the previous month, to Melody Loveless. If your email changes, or for any announcements, send an email to Donna Irwin.

NOTE: Please double check your information before passing it on to ensure it is correct.