Heber Valley Quilters

NEWSLETTER JULY 2024



Hi there, ladies!

I apologize for not being at the Guild meetings the last two months. May was a personal reason and June was an emergency trip to visit my brother who has stage 4 liver cancer, among other things. He is sticking in there and many prayers have been offered so we will see. Funny how life rearranges things for us without our permission!

How are your UFOs coming along? My goal is to finish a quilt every month and so I tried two new bindings using Deonn's new binding book. I will show them at the next Guild meeting - I think you will really like them as they really set off the quilt tops. One is using prairie points and the other makes a faux piping on the front.

Oh, I had a work appt in Evanston, Wyoming this last week and I dropped into the local quilt store - Common Threads. They currently have a sale on because they are going out of business after 20 years. Everything is 40% off so you may want to go on a field trip with some of your friends/Guild members before it closes at the end of July. It takes about an hour to get there. I also dropped in on Bee Kind, a quilt store two blocks away. It is packed with cute stuff and very well displayed. Be sure to go there too:)

I want to say that I have really enjoyed the Open Sew Days we have had each month. It's fun to see a rotating group of you all with your projects. This last time Natasha was able to come because it fit in with her work schedule and she self-taught herself with Desiree's help acute and obtuse angle binding. I think she said she had never bound anything before and she took this on as her first project - and she did great! And thank you Desiree for helping all of us with our questions! Open Sew Day will be at Deonn's house on July 27th. Please come:)

Are you ready for a fiesta??! This month's guild meeting will be held on the 11th because of the July 4th holiday. It will be held at my home at 880 E 600 N starting at 6 p.m. and we will be having dinner and Sew 'n Tell. My husband is doing the cooking just like last year so it promises to be yummy! We are still planning the menu but I believe it will be carnitas, carne asada and/or a chicken burrito type filling. Click here to sign up to bring a dessert! Oh, and please park on the street as we have multiple drivers now;)

Enjoy the 4th and see you on the 11th and 27th!







UQG State News

I just wanted to remind everyone that the Utah Valley Quilt Guild will have their annual "Quilt Fair" in Wallsburg on July 17. Starts at 9:30 am and goes until about 3 pm. There will be quilts to look at, vendors to shop at, free classes to attend, a bake sale, food truck, silent auction and a big yard sale. We hope that you will be able to attend. It is at the home of Karen Ashton (Thanksgiving Point owner). After the turnoff to Wallsburg, go .8 miles and it will be the big red barn on your right. If you want to see a list of the free classes, check them out at www.uvag.org

Have you signed up for Quilt Fest yet? It is the state guild annual event, being held at the convention center in Layton. The dates are August 20-24. So many classes to choose from. If you cannot come the entire time, at least go for a day and enjoy the quilt show, vendors and other activities. www.utahquiltguild.com. Sign up for the classes now, before they are full.

The Springville Quilt show opens July 20 at the Springville Art Museum. This is a quilt show that you do not want to miss.

Barb Murdock Area Rep

Friendship Block Exchange

We enjoyed working on Paige's block in June and look forward to working on Margaret's block for July. Please bring your completed blocks to the meeting in July. Christina is holding onto all of them until December. Happy Sewing this Summer!!! Please don't hesitate to contact Christina Williams if you have any questions. Her number is 571-239-0171



Charity Quilts

Sandy and Natasha delivered 54 completed placemat/napkin sets to Cora Briggs of the Meals on Wheels program on Tuesday, June 18th. She and her staff were thrilled and will distribute them to Meals on Wheels' recipients during the week of the Fourth of July.

For the rest of the calendar year, we'd like to continue to support Quilts for Kids (SLC Chapter) and the Meals on Wheels (Wasatch County) program by:

- A. Sewing Quilts for Kids' kits (in your own home)
- B. Quilting and Binding a QFK quilt sandwich (on your long-arm OR domestic machine)
- C. Donating kids' fabrics:
 - 1. 100% cotton novelty prints and solids for quilt tops
 - 2. 1.5 yards x WOF for backings
- D. Sewing another Meals on Wheels' placemat kit (in your own home)

PLEASE bring any completed QFK or Placemat Kits or Fabric donations to the July 11th Fiesta at Paige's for "Sew and Tell" & then turn them in.

We will have more QFK and Placemat kits available for you to take home that evening.

Sandy Hindy and Natasha Endito





2024 Design Challenge:

"WOVEN"

THE CHALLENGE:

Create a quilt or other article that appears to be "woven".

This may be the illusion of fabric weaving atop and beneath other fabrics to create the look, or it may be the literal weaving of fabrics or other fibers together.

Think: Woven-Linked-Knit Together; interpret however you'd like!

- · Quilts must be no smaller than 24" x 24", but may be as large as you desire.
- · All Articles must be completed by Guild Meeting on September 6th in order to display and enter the contest.
- Prizes will be awarded for participation.
 Cash prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place
 Viewer's Choice awards.

Contact Deonn Stott with any questions.

See details on the member page of the HVQ website www.hebervalleyquilters.com

Open Sew Days

We are planning on 8 Open Sew Days for 2024, taking place at either Deonn's house or Paige's. The next one will be July 27 @ Deonn's from 9-4.

Deonn's address is 972 S 770 E

Bring a lunch and any snacks to share :)

Meeting Info

Our next meeting will be:

July 11 @ 6 pm

Paige's House

880 E 600 N. Heber

Please Bring

- July UFO Project or your \$\$
- Completed placemats or QFK kits

Looking Ahead

Sew Day in July @ Deonn's - July 27







Be sure to join the Heber Valley Quilters Facebook Group for Sew'n'Tell photos and between-guild interaction and fun!

Leadership

President: Paige Douglas

Vice Pres/President Elect: Cindy Blackburn

Treasurer: Carol Hunt Historian: Deonn Stott Newsletter: Ali Rogers

Social Media: Desiree Muheim

Zoom: Andrea Hicken UFO Chair: Tamara Ellis

Charity: Sandy Hindy & Natasha Endito

Design Challenge: Deonn Stott

Friendship Exchange: Christina Williams

Round Robin: The guild needs you! Retreat: Jane Leaphart & Tamara Ellis

> Birthdays: Teresa Gamboa Door Prizes: Barb Murdock

Birthdays

Cindy Blackburn	July 1
Kandy Adams	July 22
Lara Wilson	July 23
Fran McGrath	July 24
Kathy Davis	July 27
Brooke Moss	July 30





