SEPT. MEETING DATE CHANGED!

Bring a bag lunch and join us Friday, Sept. 15, at Nel Bredesen's home, 945 Mendel Rd., Stillwater. (that's not the second Friday)
Nel will show us her quilts and lecture on quilt history. She will provide beverage and dessert. (bring a lawn chair if you can)
From the Twin Cities, come East on Hwy. 36 to Co. Rd. 15. Turn left and go north to Hwy. 96.
Turn right to Mendel Rd. Turn left. It's the first house on the lake side.
From Stillwater, drive west on Hwy. 96 to Mendel Rd. Turn right and proceed as above.

FAIR IS GREAT PUBLICITY

Minnesota Quilters working on the carnival "snow rose" quilt to be used during the winter carnival were seen by thousands of people at the state fair.
Reporters from the news media interviewed quilters; and Helen Kelley, MQ president, was on local television to spread news of the organization.
On Preparation Day, 40 MQ met in the humidity and rain to be shuffled around and finally sheltered in the publicity bldg. awning to put the quilt in the frame.
Pat Cox and Jeannie Spears, chairpersons of the Jan. show demonstrated an alternative way of putting a quilt in a frame.
The backing was nailed to the frame; filling put on; and top stretched on; the whole then being pinned every three inches with size 0 brass safety pins. All this took less than an hour.
This safety pin method drew varied comments from fair goers and quilters. Some felt that despite the speed the pins were a nuisance.

STATE FAIR PRIZEWINNERS

Carol Laitala--blue ribbon for quilt
Rita Shimota--Minnesota County Sweepstakes quilt
Agnes Leer--ribbon for quilt
JoAnn Holzknecht--blue ribbon for wall hanging
Congratulations!!!

SEN. HUMPHREY WRITES...

Sen. Muriel Humphrey wrote the Minnesota Quilters telling us:
"Although I am not a quilter, I do wish your group well..."
Thank you Sen. Humphrey.

QUILTER'S DIRECTORY (Q-SHEET)

In response to the general public's inquiries on "who does hand quilting; who teaches quilting; and who will lecture on quilts in my area?", the MQ will publish a directory to be available free to the public for just a SASE.

For YOU to be included in the directory (formerly called the Q sheet) send us $1 for each category you wish to be listed in: teachers, hand quilters, quilter's
makers.

Tell us your name, address, phone, where you teach, length of course, areas covered, lecture subjects and fee, what kind of quilts you make (pieced, applique, hand or machine quilted, contemporary, etc.) price, fee for your work.

Send to: Quilter's Directory
Box 192
Maple Plain, Mn. 55359
Directory will go to press Oct. 10.
No late entries will be accepted!

DEADLINE FOR NEWS AND ADS FOR OCT.
NEWSLETTER IS Sept. 20!
NEW MEMBERS

MQ will publish addresses of new members each month. It is your job to add them to your original list...ed.

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ABOUT PEOPLE....

* Eleanor Elmstrom and her daughter put on a one day quilt show at the Forrest Lake State Bank in August. They showed over 40 quilts.

* Norma Ahlquist is becoming known as "the color lady" and was asked to do her color presentation for quilters in Ann Arbor Michigan.

Norma visited the Amish quilt shop at Shipshewana, Indiana and was surprised by the shop owner's comment: "new Amish quilts never use black. When they do it is old materials and I don't want those." Norma found the new brightly-colored Amish quilts were traditional patterns and were priced from $125- $275.

* Carol Adelman, Pat Cox and Helen Kelley will attend the 3rd Annual Nassau County Quilt Convention in Long Island, N.Y. this month.

*"The Craft Connection" a magazine of the Minnesota Craft Council will feature quilting in their October issue. (more to come...ed.)

*A spur-of-the-moment MQ meeting was called in August when Alice Hersom, president of the National Quilting Association, was in town. She was anxious to let us know of this organization. For more information about individual memberships, write: National Quilting Association, Box 62 Greenbelt, Md. 20770.

NOW WHAT DID I DO WRONG?
TENTATIVE CARNIVAL SCHEDULE SET

Winter Fantasy quilt show committee announce their tentative plans:

Thursday, January 25, 1979
12 p.m. check in
1 p.m. tour of quilt exhibits
 Minnesota Historical Society
 Invitational exhibit
 Block Contest
 National quilt show
 Joyce Aufderheide's collection
 4 p.m.-9 p.m. commercial exhibits
 6 p.m. dinner (on your own)
 7:30 p.m. welcome
 8 p.m. speaker, Helen Kelley
 Quilting of Many Cultures
 9 a.m. reception. Meet the committee.

Friday, January 26, 1979
8 a.m. breakfast
9:30 announcements
10 a.m.-9 p.m. commercial exhibits
10 a.m. lecture to be ann'd
11 a.m. break
11:30 a.m. lunch
afternoon at the Landmark Center
 a talk by Donna and Bryce
 Hamilton on their Amish
 quilt collection
*2 p.m.-5 p.m. workshops
 6 p.m. dinner (on your own)
 8 p.m. autograph party and show
 and tell

Saturday, January 27, 1979
8 a.m. breakfast
9:30 a.m. announcements
10 a.m. speaker Michael James
11:30 a.m. lunch
12 p.m. program to be ann'd
* 1:30-4:30 workshops
 6:30 p.m. banquet
 7:30 p.m. speaker to be ann'd

Price for the weekend will be $40
which includes two breakfasts,
two lunches. Banquet is extra.
Day tickets will be available
for $20 which will include lunch.
Single lecture tickets are $5.

More details and registration forms
will be available by sending a SASE
 Winter Fantasy, Box 192, Maple
 Plain 55359

*Workshops planned

Michael James--color and design
 Chris Edmunds--picture quilts
 Virginia Avery--applique
 Candy DeMaggio--seminole patchwork
 Pat Cox--reverse applique
 Jeannie Spears--surface design
 Joyce Gross--Hawaiian applique
 Helen Kelley--traditional quilting
designs
 Charlene Burningham--creative design
 Carol Adelman--patchwork in clothing
 Becky Jerdee--home accessories
 Bonnie Ellis--folk art
 Agnes Leer and Ann Degan--English
 patchwork technique
 Nancy Raschka--machine applique
 Holice Turnbrow--quick cutting
 methods and machine quilt-as-you-go
 Jeanette Michaels--pattern drafting

Block contest and quilt contest
details in October newsletter...

Advertisements

CATHEDRAL WINDOW--illustrated
instructions for machine sewing. Only
hand work is colored insert. Send
$1 to: Homeart, Box 447, Maple Plain,
Minn. 55359.

CALICO CAT--Calico, broadcloth,
gingham, Mountain mist batting,
quilting supplies, classes, craft
supplies, gifts; antique doll kits.
Rockford. 477-5861.

QUILTMAKING CLASSES--Now taking
registrations for fall classes in
my downtown St. Paul studio. Call
291-2909 for information. Jeannie
M. Spears.

"THE QUILTING STITCHERY"--
information on quilting your quilts.
Includes over 50 patterns for
quilting designs. $3.25. Homeart,
Box 447, Maple Plain. 55359.

CALICO CAT--Fabric marker, wipes
off with damp cloth. $2 ppd. Zipper,
46" sturdy white..great for baby bunting
$3 ppd.. Calico Cat, 5830 Maple St.
Rockford 55373
Advertisements con't.

QUILT NUT

Get a personalized, colorful lucite key ring 1½" by 5½" long with a generous brass ring. Low priced at only $2.75 ppd. Send check to: Practical Gifts, 4104 42nd Ave. S. Minneapolis, Minn. 55406. Choose Quilt Nut or make up your own slogan.

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