Evening Meeting
Thursday, May 7, 1992
7:00 p.m. - Machinists' Hall

May's Evening meeting will be a hands-on one! Ann Degen will be the featured speaker. Her topic, "Drafting Quilt Patterns," Ann will use an overhead projector to teach us how to draft and adapt patterns that we want to use in quilting. We'll work at tables to get some real hands-on help. See you there!

Machinists' Hall
1399 Eustis Street, St. Paul

Daytime Meeting
Friday, May 8, 1992
9:30 a.m. - Machinists' Hall

Charm and One Patch Quilts
The featured speaker will be Cheryl Pederson, owner of the quilt shop Remembrance in Chardon, Ohio. Cheryl will cover the history of charm quilts and their folklore, and simple approaches to their construction. She will have slides and samples of both old and new charm quilts. Cheryl will have tips on how to organize your fabric scraps to avoid duplication. This topic is especially timely because the theme of the 1993 quilt show in Chaska will be charm quilts.

Cheryl was originally scheduled to be a speaker last fall, but because of a fire at her home, had to cancel. She did lose some of her fabrics. Since she is charm quilt aficionado, I thought it would be a nice if the members of MQ would each donate one 6" square to replenish her supply. Possibly she could start a Minnesota Charm Quilt. If you wish to contribute, please bring your square to the evening or morning meeting, or mail to Ellen Carter, 11010 Spoon Ridge, Eden Prairie, MN 55347. Please note, this donation is optional. Thanks. Ellen Carter.

Reminder:
No June Meetings
No June MQ News
Deadline for July Issue - June 5th
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Minnesota Quilters News is the monthly newsletter of the Minnesota Quilters, Inc., a non-profit organization formed to find and unite quilters and quilt enthusiasts throughout the state of Minnesota and elsewhere; and dedicated to enhancing the knowledge and enjoyment of quilting.

Membership Dues are $20.00 per year (U.S. fund only) and includes the following: monthly meetings tailored to suit the needs of beginners, advanced and professional quilters; the newsletters, workshop opportunities and an "I'm a Minnesota Quilter" button.

New Memberships/Renewals should be sent to Margaret Biwersi, 2980 N. Mary St., Maplewood, MN 55109. Watch for the expiration notice on your label. It will say: Membership Expiring-Please Renew or Membership Expired—Please Renew Now. The number on the label indicates the month and year of expiration. Example: 0791 means that the membership ends July 1991. Send change of address to David Shattuck, 1526 Sheldon St., St. Paul, MN 55108.

Advertise Rates: Classified ads: $3 per ad, business card size only accepted! If ads must be composed by editor, there will be an additional $10 charge. Make checks payable to Minnesota Quilters, Inc. PLEASE NOTE: No ads will be included in the newsletter unless they are accompanied by full payment with the order.

Deadline for Ads: All ads for the coming months must be received by the newsletter editor, Joy Eastman, 8023 Cheyenne Spur, Chanhassen, MN 55317 by the first Friday of the preceding month (i.e., ads to be placed in September issue must be received by the first Friday in August).

Librarian: Paula Hagg, 2181 Princeton Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55105.
(612) 690-3690.

Calendar of Events

May 1 - 3 American Craft Expo, Mpls. Convention Ctr.
May 7 Evening Meeting, Machinists' Hall, 7 PM
Board Meeting, Machinists' Hall 4:30 PM
May 8 Daytime Meeting, Machinists' Hall, 9:30 AM
May 9 Heritage Quilters Quilt Show, St. Cloud
May 9 & 10 Country Quilters, "Mother's & Yours" Willmar
May 15 - 16 Spring In Iowa Trip
June 5 Deadline for July MQ Newsletter issue

NO JUNE MEETINGS SCHEDULED DUE TO MQ QUILT SHOW IN ROCHESTER

June 13 - 21 "Harvest of Quilts: Native American Inspirations", Winona Historical Society
June 18, 19, 20 Tomorrow's Treasures
MQ Quilt Conference, Rochester, MN
June 26 - 27 Pinetree Patchworkers Quilt Show, Brainerd
July 2 Evening Meeting, Machinists' Hall, 7 PM
July 3 Daytime Meeting, Machinists' Hall, 9:30 AM
August 6 Evening Meeting, Machinists' Hall, 7 PM
August 7 Daytime Meeting, Machinists' Hall, 9:30 AM
Sept. 17 - 20 Fall-Get-Away

QUILTERS' RETREAT
HELEN KELLEY
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FALL SESSION 1992
September 13-15
6601 Normandale Road
Minneapolis, MN 55435
(612) 922-8083
Minnesota Quilters
Treasurer's Report, March 31, 1992
Checkbook balance, February 29, 1992 $4699.94

Income
- Memberships (69) $1360.00
- Checkbook Interest 7.54
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- Lecture Series 559.00
- Sweatshirts 52.00
- Ads 81.00

$2079.54

Expenses
- Board Expenses $2134.63
- Diane Herriot Lecture Series 1410.00
- Centennial Church 170.00
- Lecture Series Set-Up 140.00
- 2 NSF 40.00
- Change for Creative Expo 75.00

($3969.63)

Checkbook balance 3/31/92 $2809.85
Savings Balance (12/31/91) $29,916.55
Certificate of Deposit 8.2% due 10/19/92 (two year) $20,000.00

Respectfully Submitted, Margaret M. Biwersi, MQ Treasurer

Library Lines
The library opens 1 hour before and closes 10 minutes prior to the start of both the Thursday night and Friday morning meetings.

A total of 4 magazines and 3 books can be checked out per month. Have your membership card ready to show us when checking out library materials.

There is a late charge of $1 per book and/or magazine per month. If you are unable to attend a meeting, library materials can be sent prior to the due date via 4th class mail to:

Paula Hagg, 2181 Princeton Ave., St. Paul, MN 55105

Pattie's Ponderings
Tomorrow's Treasures—
The time is near! Rochester beware! The quilters are coming!

It always amuses me to observe how surprised and overwhelmed the general public is when we descend upon a community for a quilt show. It seems they expect a half dozen octogenarians to toddle in and peer at a couple of "blankets"—and they can't believe their eyes when bus loads of people arrive to look at several hundred gorgeous quilts and take classes; not to mention the purchases we make and the motels we fill.

Minnesota Quilters has as its purpose . . . to inform and educate the public about quilts and quilting. Part of that education, I believe, is the impact we have on any community where we hold our shows.

Now we are near the biggest and most extensive show we have ever held - Rochester quilters and the large show committee are ready. The general body of the Minnesota Quilters are ready. It's only a few weeks to go!

Have you signed up to volunteer a couple of hours at your favorite spot at the show? We need hundreds of units of small amounts of time from our members to make the show a success. Couple of hours is a very small price to pay for the benefits received at one of our shows.

So you have a NEW item to donate for a door prize? We need many prizes to give at those lectures. Remember how tickled you were to win at a previous show? You can give someone else that same joy by donating a prize.

Have you finished your small quilt for the silent auction? We still need many many more to support public television the way we have in the past.

Have you begun your packing list? I always feel like I'm getting ready to move when I'm packing for three or four days at a quilt show when I'm going to take a class! Sewing supplies, clothes, snacks, $$ $$ $$, camera, sewing machine, lamp, that new quilted jacket to wear to the banquet........

I am really excited about going to Rochester! It will be a wonderful way to spend one of my last weeks as your President! I hope to see you all there—it's going to be too good to miss!

Happy Quilt Show,

Patricia Black, President

National Volunteers Week April 26 - May 2!
Celebrate!
Tomorrow's Treasures
Minnesota Quilters Conference
June 18, 19, 20, 1992
Rochester, Minnesota

Quilt Show Update
Classes:
It is not too late to register; some classes are still available. Call Jo Quiram at (507) 534-3443 for information. You can register by phone.

Workshops with Openings:
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Banquet Tickets are still available! Friday, June 19th

Raffle Quilt:
Tickets for the raffle quilt are available at MQ meetings or Rochester Quilt Sew-cyty meetings, or from:

Vera Oestreicher       Barb Feldt
8616 Darrel Road       1804 Walden Lane SW
Eden Prairie, MN 55344 Rochester, MN 55902

Small Quilt Auction:
Barb Boyd and Julie Hanson are still looking for small quilts. The proceeds go to sponsor quilt programs on public TV.

Challenge Project/Judged Category:
Don't forget these special opportunities to participate. Check your registration brochure for more information.

Boutique:
The response for the boutique has been overwhelming. We anticipate a terrific success. Keep those boutique items coming. Send a photo with your name, address, phone, and approximate number of each item you will have available to display and sell to Lori Kryzer, 915 - 24th St. SE, Rochester, MN 55904. (507) 288-0851.

Vendors:
Vendors, Vendors, Vendors everywhere. 50+ Vendors will be showing their wares at the show!

Volunteers:
Much of the enjoyment of a quilt show is full participation. One of the ways to participate is to volunteer. We need volunteers especially to help set up the show Wednesday afternoon, June 17th. Call or Write to: Linda Abbott Roe, Rt. 1, Box 80, Taopi, MN 55977. (507) 324-5007.

Welcome Party:
The quilt Show will kick off on Wednesday night with a welcome party at the Plaza Room of the Holiday Inn. The party is from 7:30 - 9:30pm, Eileen Lenninger and Debra Baker from the Pfaff Sewing Machine Co. will have a continuous demonstration of various machine quilting techniques. Come early, stay late!

And Finally, Quilts:
What's a quilt show without your "treasure" to display? Extra entry forms are available at the MQ meetings or at the Rochester Quilt Sew-cyty meeting, call or write: Jane Hansen, 2361 Summit Drive NE, Rochester, MN 55906. (507) 285-0599.

Quilt Show Door Prizes Needed
This years quilt show is rapidly approaching. The Committee in charge of door prizes is looking for your help in acquiring interesting and unusual gifts to be distributed at the banquet and lectures. All prizes are to be new items.

Donation are tax deductible and greatly appreciated. Send your item to: Judy Rutz, 933-15th Ave. NE, Rochester, MN 55906. If you have any question or need to arrange for pickup, call Judy (507) 280-6325.

Additional Quilt Pickup Point: Pattie Black - New Brighton
(612) 633-3312
Reminisce Challenge Entry
You can drop your Challenge Entries off at the May MQ meetings or at the Rochester Quilters Sew-city meeting on June 1st or at the home of Ann Murray no later than June 8th. Please refer to your official entry form for necessary details. You must have your official Challenge Quilt Entry Form to enter. If you have lost it, there will be a $5 charge to receive a new one. Entries will not be accepted at the other quilt collection points. Entries are insured from June 8-24, 1992. MQ will not assume responsibility for entries before or after those dates. If you want your entry returned to you after the show by mail, you must include the correct postage when you drop off your entry, postage clearly marked in an envelope with your name and address. Call Ann Murray (507) 356-4607.

Dear Pattie and Minnesota Quilters:
The time has come to say goodbye to Minnesota Quilters. I wish I had known that I was attending my last meeting in December, so that I could have given all my friends a last hug. (But I'm sure there would have been more tears, as well.) Sometimes it is amazing how fast unanticipated events can occur.

Last fall, my husband and I explored the option of his taking early retirement from his job with the State of Minnesota, but although he was eligible to do so, the retirement income was not enough to make it possible. One way to deal with that was for me to find a full-time professional position. Although we love Minnesota, and most of our children are settled here, we realized that relocation was probably the only way to find an appropriate job. Accordingly, when I met Bonnie Leman in Houston, I mentioned that I might be interested in an editing position if she knew of any available.

I flew out to talk to her the first weekend in January, and started work January 27. What an amazing change in lifestyle. And even more amazing, I love it! The people are wonderful to work with, the Denver area and especially the near-by mountains are beautiful, and the work is challenging.

Even though there are lots of active and enthusiastic quilt groups in Colorado, I already miss you all. Newer members of Minnesota Quilters probably don't realize what a difference a group like that can make. As a charter member, I can remember how isolated I felt before I found someone else who spoke the same language and dreamed the same dreams. Your support is one of the reasons I am sitting at this desk today, and thank you.

My husband retired as of April 3 and is happily planning his second career. He will be moving our household out to Colorado, probably sometime in May. We are planning to live in the foothills, about 1/2 hour from work, and will have lots of space for visitors. So please plan to stop by if you're in the area. My new address is: Box 1628, Wheat Ridge, Co 80034.

Jeannie Spears, Charter Member

Bulletin Board Ravelings

June 2 - 7, 1992-Quilt Canada '92, Lakehead University, Thunder Bay, Ontario. Sponsored by the Thunder Bay Quilters Guild and the Canadian Quilters' Association. SASE to Barb Coburn, 1217 Minto Avenue, Kenora, Ontario, Canada, P9N 3Yp. (807) 468-8855.


June 26 & 27, 1992-Pinetree Patchworkers 6th Biennial Quilt Show, Brainerd High School. SASE to Darla Sathre, 1011 Forest Drive North, Baxter, MN 56420. (218) 829-0794. Friday 10am-8pm & Saturday 10am-4pm. Please send Quilt Show notices four months prior to show. Minnesota Quilters Inc., 8616 Darnel Road, Eden Prairie, MN 55344.

For the Home - April 12 - June 18, 1992
MN Museum of Art - Landmark Center Galleries
Fifth at Market, St. Paul, MN
*Quilts & Commemoration in Women's Lives* - Helen Kelly
Thursday, April 30, 1992 7:30PM
Weyerhaeuser Auditorium, Landmark Center
*Commemorating Events in People's Lives* - Bonnie Ellis
Saturday, April 25, 1992 10AM - 4PM
The Museum School, Landmark Center
*Concert & Quilt Demonstration*
Sunday, May 3 & May 10, 1992 1:30PM
Landmark Center Galleries
*Lakota Indian Quilts of South Dakota* - Brother C.M. Simon
S. J., Thursday, May 14, 1992 7:30PM
Weyerhaeuser Auditorium, Landmark Center
*American Choral Music From 1840 to Contemporary*
Thursday, May 28, 1992 6:30PM
Landmark Center Galleries
*Crafts in the Amana Society* - Barbara Hoehnle lecturer
Thursday, May 28, 1992 7:30 PM
Weyerhaeuser Auditorium, Landmark Center
*The African-American Presence in American Quilts* - Cuesta Benberry lecturer, Thursday, June 4, 1992 7:30PM
Weyerhaeuser Auditorium, Landmark Center
*Art Pottery & Culture - American Design & Manufacture* - John Keefe lecturer, Thursday, June 11, 1992 7:30PM
Weyerhaeuser Auditorium, Landmark Center
*Future Directions in Crafts* - Panel Discussion
Tuesday, June 16, 1992 7:30PM
Weyerhaeuser Auditorium, Landmark Center

Public tours Sundays April 26, May 10, 24, June 7, 28 at 1:30PM
Position Paper

The National Quilting Association, Inc., is outraged that the Smithsonian Institution, which has been entrusted as the conservator of American heritage quilts, has licensed the right to have its collection of priceless quilts mass-produced in China.

Smithsonian officials have stated that there are no American quilt groups that can produce the tens of thousands of reproductions needed. But this "need" has been created by importers, promoters and advertisers who lead the consumer to believe that a foreign reproduction quilt will bring charm, warmth and an "authentic" piece of Americana to their homes.

The Smithsonian, which receives a considerable portion of its budget from congressional allocations--taxpayer funding--has been seduced by the promise of profits from the vast Chinese textile manufacturing monolith. Importers have for years flooded the United States with Chinese-made quilts; we believe that importers, seeking new markets for these quilts, have turned to museum reproductions as a fresh source of revenue.

Quilters are distressed to see American quilts placed in the same category as plastic toys, shoes and novelty items; disposable goods that are produced in China by low-cost labor by the tens of thousands, and hawked to American buyers.

A fine hand-stitched quilt does not lend itself to mass-production. This should be obvious to the observer who compares a well-made quilt to what, in our opinion, are inferior reproductions from China.

The National Quilting Association, Inc., recommends that imported quilts be required to bear a permanent imprint on the back, stating the country of origin. The fact that tear-off labels can be easily removed will hinder quilt historians and researchers years from now.

One of the goals of the National Quilting Association, Inc., is to promote excellence in quilting. The average consumer who is not familiar with the characteristics of a well-designed and well-made quilt is being led to believe that these imports represent American standards. The National Quilting Association, Inc., objects to advertising what we consider to be extremely poor quality quilts with terms such as "traditional heirloom" or "American heritage."

But its as if getting into bed, so to speak, with the importers, we believe the Smithsonian has delivered a blow to the hundreds of thousands of American quilters who have spent years developing their skills. The prevalence of cheap imported quilts is also hurting incomes; the Smithsonian has contributed to that.

We find it ironic that a Chinese quilter, who is most likely a woman earning 25¢ an hour, who lives under a repressive regime, is employed stitching a replica of the Smithsonian's "Great Seal" quilt, or one of the many quilts that evoke American traditions of freedom, democracy and individuality.

We invite non-quilters to attend a meeting of one of the many quilt guilds that are active in cities and towns all across the country. We invite people to attend one of the thousands of quilt shows held annually. We invite potential buyers to seek out a domestic maker--whose prices are likely very reasonable--and treat themselves to an authentic American quilt. We invite Americans to explore the vast body of work by designers and quilters who have adapted this medium to create wonderful artistic expressions of color, design and dimension, which are truly our American heritage.

Marie Salazar, President, The National Quilting Assn., Inc.
PO Box 393, Ellicott City, MD 21041-0393

Gruber's Fabric Challenge 1992

Gruber's Market is a store with a combination of groceries, a meat market, a self service fuel station, and of course fabrics. We have a large selection of quilting fabrics in a wide array of colors and patterns.

We are located in Central Minnesota, 13 miles east of Little Falls, or 30 miles south of Brainerd, on Highway 25. Our location is in downtown Genola and is easy to find.

The Quilt Challenge comes in a packet, that includes the mandatory fabric, plus the "Jinny Beyer new Pattern" leaflet, all for $15.

Rules of the Challenge:
1. The quilt is to measure maximum 36"x36" and minimum 24" x 24" and can be any size or shape within the maximum and minimum size. No clothing is allowed.

2. The Challenge Fabric must be used on the face of the quilt in any combination, and must cover 1/3 of the face.

3. There is no limit to the number of additional fabrics used within the quilt.

4. Quilts must be completed and received by July 30, 1992.

5. All quilts must have a 4 inch sleeve attached to permit hanging for display. Quilts will be displayed August 28-30 in Gruber's Market to determine the Viewer's Choice winner.

6. Judging will be done by 2 certified and independent judges.

7. The following prizes will be awarded: 1st - $100, 2nd - $50, Viewer Choice $25.

8. All participants must agree to have their quilts displayed at Gruber's Market between August 28-30.

Gruber's Market, #1 Main St, Genola, MN 56364. (612) 468-6553.
MINNESOTA QUILTER'S OFFICIAL BALLOT

The members of the nominating committee present this slate of candidates for office in Minnesota Quilter, Inc., for the year 1992-1993. All current members are eligible to vote. Please mark your ballot or use the space for write-in candidates and return the ballot to the address below no later than May 15, 1992.

For your convenience, a ballot box will be available at the May Day and Evening Meetings.

President (1 year term)
Helen Ziegler

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Ellen Carter

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Susan Vento

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Laura Nagel

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Cheryl Hazen

Membership (2 year term)
Lynette Disrud

Corresponding Secretary (2 year term)
Audrey Mead

Education (1 year term)
Marian Fredlund

Education-elect (succeeds to Education)
Judy Dahlin

Public Relation (2 year term)
Susan Iverson

Special-events (1 year term)
Darlene Dols & Audrey Sells

Special-events elect (succeeds to special events)
Joyce Kroenberg

The following individuals are completing the second year of their two year term:

Longe Range Planning - inactive
Financial Planning - Gail Kieper
Editorial - Joy Eastman
Treasurer - Margaret Biwersi
Historian/Parliamentarian - Virgie Hagen - Appointed to fill remaining 1 year term

Please return to:
Marge Herrington
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New Brighton, MN 55112
Fold along dotted lines. Tape or staple open end. Mail with a .29 stamp.
Or drop in the ballot box at either of the May meetings.
The Great Minnesota Quilt-In Update

The Good News!
- Hundreds and hundreds of quilters have signed up for The Great Quilt-In, October 17, 1992.
- The Minnesota Committee for the Prevention of Child Abuse has agreed to endorse the Quilt-In.
- Several chapters of the Red Cross, Lutheran Social Services (Mpls) and the Mpls. United Way are among several agencies that have agreed to help distribute our quilts to kids at risk.
- Several shopping malls in the Twin Cities metro area have donated space, tables, chairs and electricity for the Quilt-In. Space is limited at each location. Call to reserve your spot!
- The Mall of America, Bloomington. 200 quilters wanted. Mall to provide incentives. Call Sylvia Burgos Wader, (612) 722-8236.
- Southdale, Edina. 30 quilters. Call Carolyn Parnell, (612) 721-6928.
- Rosedale Mall, Roseville. Call Phyllis Ostrom, (612) 571-8511.

The Needs!!
- Well-crafted quilts needed to auction during the Great Minnesota Quilt-In. All monies to go to agencies serving children at risk. Please call Sylvia Burgos Wader, (612) 722-8236, ASAP!
- Quilters needed for The Great Minnesota Quilt-In, October 17th. Help make quilts for kids at risk: children who are critically ill, who have been abused, who are in crisis. Call Sylvia Burgos Wader, (612) 722-8236, or Carolyn Parnell, (612) 721-6928 for information.

Wearable Art
It's not too late to send in your registration form for the Patchwork and Pinafores wearables exhibit. The exhibit is scheduled to coincide with the Minnesota Quilter's show and conference in Rochester, June 18-20. Registration forms and rules can be obtained by sending a SASE (business size) to Wearables Exhibit, Patchwork and Pinafores, 400 S. Broadway, Rochester, MN 55904. Registration forms will be accepted through Monday, June 8. Be sure to stop by when you are in Rochester to see this display of wonderful creativity. If you have questions, please call (507) 288-2040.

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Jan Steeves (612) 253-3696
1028 22 Ave. N., St. Cloud, MN 56303
May 1992...

...Block of the Month

Drawing for this block will be held at the July daytime meeting. Drawing for the King's X block (April 1992) will be held at the May daytime meeting.

Submitted by Joanne Holzknecht, Brooklyn Center, MN

- Add seam allowance to templates
- Occasionally, printing distorts pattern pieces
- Please check for accuracy before making!
- Print NAME/ADDRESS - Attach to backside of block
- To participate, make one or more blocks. Your name will be entered in the monthly drawing.
- You do not have to be present to win.
- If you are unable to attend the meeting, please mail blocks before meeting date to:
  
  Joanne Holzknecht
  2618 65th Ave. North
  Brooklyn Center, MN 55430

House - 9” Finished Block

Fabric
Background (sky) - Muslin
Sidewalk - Solid Grey
Grass - Green Print
House - Your Choice

Optional Add Ons:
Button door knob, appliqued bushes, mailbox, tree, flag, lace in windows or on house gables, embroider flowers, birds, smoke, window panes, USE YOUR IMAGINATION!

House Pattern Designed By:
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