

August 12, 2013

Meeting second Monday
of each month at
St. Thomas More
Catholic Church
2900 Kimball Ave
Manhattan, Kansas

Social time at 8:30 a.m.;
meeting begins at 9 a.m.

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Prairie Pointer

KONZA PRAIRIE QUILTERS' GUILD NEWSLETTER
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Upcoming programs:

August 12: Tony Munoz will present One Man's Viewpoint of the Quilting World. We have had Tony before, and he is always entertaining and informative. A few spaces for his workshop are still available.

Prez Sez

It is definitely summer time, and we haven't been near as hot as last year. Still nice to stay in and do some quilting, though. Now might be a good time to get to or finish up that Quilt From the Heart that you planned to make this year.

And how about that "150 Shades of Purple" Challenge? How is that coming along? October will be here before we know it. There is still one more bag of 150 purples at All About Quilts if you need one. I bought an extra one to send to a friend in Idaho, just to challenge her, too!

One more trip to Pat King's needed for putting together the final pvc repairs, and everything will be pretty well in shape for the next quilt show--- in 2015! The bundles of pvc are all organized, and the instructions are ready to go, too. Thanks to Pat and Susie Weir for all their help.

And I am happy to report that I finally got the information together and off to Virginia for the newsletter that we hope will answer your questions about President's Block for this year. Check it out, and let me know if you still need more information.

Ronna

Workshop Change!

Attention all you ladies who will be attending the Tony Munoz workshop! St. Thomas Moore Church has recently told us that they will be setting up for its annual garage sale on Tuesday, Aug 13, so they are unable to give us our usual space. Their alternate space is unsuitable for our needs. Fortunately, Karen at All About Quilts has saved our bacon at the last minute. We will be using the classroom out there instead. Thank you Karen!

Please note the following address changes in your directories:

Ann Lee PO box number is 412

Bonnie Olsen

2582 Benz Dr.

Las Cruces, NM 88001

575-571-4046

Thank you.

August Refreshments

If you are unable to bring refreshments in your assigned month, you must arrange your own substitute.

Sydney Carlin
Jewel Christopherson
Virginia Cleek
Anne Collins
Mary Corah
Carol Cowen
Sue Damkroger
Donna Dawson

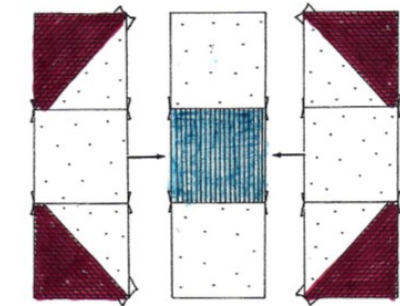
August Birthdays

Celebrating in August:

Alison Boyd	1
Susie Sapp	8
Marilyn Frank	22
Elaine Baxter	24
Joyce Hutter	26
Joan Page	31
Melanie Hawks	31
Judy Adams	31



Celebrating in August, pictured: Elaine Baxter, Judy Adams, Marilyn Frank, and Susie Sapp



President's Quilt for Ronna:

President's Quilt Block for Ronna: Known by many names, Ronna found this Kansas Dugout block and would like it done in red and white with a blue center.

Cut one block of blue fabric & four blocks of white fabric, $3\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$ ". Then cut two blocks each of red and white fabric, $4\frac{1}{2} \times 4\frac{1}{2}$ ". With a red and white placed face to face, stitch $\frac{1}{4}$ " on each side of the diagonal & cut on the diagonal to create 2 corner blocks. Repeat for the other 2 corner blocks. Press to the dark fabric. Trim to $3\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$ ". Join the blocks as shown to be $9\frac{1}{2} \times 9\frac{1}{2}$ " to finish to 9×9 ". Please be sure to sign your block.

Patchwork Pieces

Every Thursday from 11 am-3 pm a group meets at the Riley County Senior Center to sew, quilt and visit. Lunch is on your own. Call Susie Wong for more information.
Fourth Tuesday: 9:30-3. Riley Co. Senior Service Center. See Mary Jo Harbour about class schedule.

Norma Larson has generously agreed to bring the laundry basket each month for any donations for the Safe Shelter (or Crisis Center) and then take the donations to the shelter's office. Almost anything is welcome--personal items, baby needs, household goods, bedding, etc. Thanks!

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Konza Prairie Quilt Guild would again like to thank Karen Malone of All About Quilts for all her help this month. In case you missed it, she is allowing us to use her space for our workshop when our usual space became temporarily unavailable, and she donated a very large amount of fabric for Quilts from the Heart. Thank you Karen!



The *Prairie Pointer* is the monthly newsletter of Konza Prairie Quilters' Guild. Membership is open to all those interested in quilts and quilting. Yearly dues are \$35 and include 12 Opportunity Tickets, admission to all meetings, monthly newsletter, access to library materials, block of the month patterns, and opportunity to participate in workshops, field trips and public events. Guests are welcome to attend twice before joining.