

## **LMQG MEETING Minutes–8-26-25**

**Officers present: Jane Austin, Sue Dewitt, Janeese Olssen, Kara Sheil, Phyllis Higley**

**3 visitors: Kristina Morrow, Sandi Kosch, Bonnie Mayer**

**1 new member Goertzen**

**33 members present**

### **Agenda for Evening**

- **Announcements (see below)**
- **Program-- Heather Akerberg: "Quilt Design: from Pencil Sketch to Finished Quilts"**
- **Raffle**
  - **Proceeds \$47**
  - **Winners: Pat Kant Modrell, Jeni Kuszak, Charrye Olberding**
- **Show & Tell (reminder: "Scrappy Challenge" due September)**
  - **Quilts shown by: Vicki Bedell, Martha Turner, Bonnie Kuccera, Kathi Schmitter, Jo Goertzen, Maggie Copple**

### **Announcements and Updates**

#### **Update:**

- **Programs Committee**
- **Lux Exhibition Progress**
  - **First Friday reception September 5, 5:00-8:00pm**
  - **Cookie donations for the reception are welcome**
- **Christmas Party (December 13)**
- **QuiltCon quilt (sew day was August 9)**
  - **It is quilted and currently being bound**

### **Upcoming Events/Programs:**

- a. **Fall Retreat (October 24-26)**
  - Elisa Salas explained how the retreat works**
  - Bonky Ahern gave an idea of the food she will prepare**
  - **Payment – available through Zeffy**
  - **Payment -- by Check**
    - Members \$175
  - **Members pay for priority through August 29**
  - **Open to non-members (\$185) as of August 30, 10:00 AM**
- b. **Sew Days (10:30-1:00):**
  - **October 11 Sew Day—"Open" sew day: work on your Christmas gift sewing, UFO's, problem solving, technique help. . . etc.**
- c. **Programs:**
  - **September 30 Program: Robbi Eklow: "Contemporary Fused Art Quilts"**
  - **October28 Program: Liz Thanel: trunk show**

### **Other Information:**

- **Membership Dues (\$50): Pay September 2025 – February 2026**
  - **Payment method by CHECK (Zeffy not set up yet for membership payments)**
    - **BRING payment to guild meeting**
    - OR**
    - **MAIL Payment to:**
      - LMQG, P.O Box 5771**
      - Lincoln, NE 68505**
  - **Membership Form: available on-line**
- **October: Member Surveys (prefer to complete on-line)**

- **October Meeting: Election of 2026 LMQG Officers**
- **Kara Sheil presented information about the All-Stars Sampler Platter**
  - **The guild voted to purchase the enrollment for members**
- **Sheila Green has a sign-up sheet for volunteers for Art Market and will take donations for it**
- **Jan Sears designed the raffle quilt for the State Guild; Sheila has tickets to sell**

Minutes submitted by Phyllis Higley, Secretary 8/30-2025