

OMQG October Meeting

10/6/14

Sunshine Stitches

7:10pm -

21 members present.

1 visitor present.

Quilts for Beaver Crossing:

- The guild collected over 500 quilts.
- Beaver Crossing giveaway scheduled for Saturday, October 25, 2014
- Anyone is welcome to come. We'll set up at 11am, giveaway quilts at 1pm.

QuiltCon Charity Quilt:

- 5 star blocks were turned in.
- Blocks are due at the November 4 guild meeting.
- More information on our charity quilt can be found [here](#).

Lincoln Modern Quilt Guild:

- Lincoln is starting a Modern Quilt Guild.
- Information can be found on their [Facebook page](#).
- They meet on the second Tuesday of the month at someone's home.

Charity Sewing:

- We will begin scheduling charity sew-ins again on a monthly basis, most likely at Millard Branch.
- Most people seemed to prefer morning.
- The library opens their schedule in November, Lori will check availability.

Upcoming Programs:

- November: [Solids Challenge](#)
- December: handmade pop up shop and elections
- January: white elephant exchange of projects half done, UFOs, kits you haven't made, etc. Commit yourself in January to having a list of projects you want to complete in 2015.
- February: possible speaker
- March: QuiltCon recap
- April: unplanned
- May: pincushion swap

Modernized D9P Class:

- Sunday 10/26/14 from 10am-4pm at Sunshine Stitches. Cost is \$10.
- Kits are available and contain the Michael Miller challenge solids (#80 solid charms and #100 neutral (white) charms) for \$35.

- Details can be found [here](#).

Bluffs Quiltfest:

- Saturday, October 11, 2014 at the Community Hall at 205 S. Main in Council Bluffs, Iowa.
- This year's show has a modern theme.
- Stephanie Jacobson is speaking about modern quilting at 11am, and Lynn Doyle of Bloomin' Minds is speaking at 1pm.

Miscellaneous Announcements:

- Karena Wells is moving and can no longer accept scraps for cat/dog beds.
- Beads of Courage: Good on bags right now. Alice Cunningham will be taking over for Karena Wells.
- Sunshine Stitches held a pillowcase sew-in. 20 ladies sewed for 12 hours and made 260 pillowcases which will be donated to ConKerr Cancer. Most of the pillowcases will go to UNMC and Children's Hospital.

October Program/Moda Bake Shop Night:

- 10 members shared projects using tutorial from [Moda Bake Shop](#)

Door Prizes:

Marian Denney
Kitty Bailey
Emilly Phillips
Alice Cunningham

Raffle:

- \$52 raised
- Winner: Mary Ann Morris

Meeting Minutes submitted by Stephanie Jacobson, Secretary