June 2015

MVQ Newsletter

Minutes Submitted by Penny Wolf

The Missouri Valley Quilters general meeting was held May 21, 2015 at 6:30 at House of Prayer Church in south Bismarck. President Mary Rasmussen opened the meeting with 23 members present.

- Guests were introduced.
- No changes were needed for the minutes.
- Treasurer's report showed a balance of \$1522.52.
- National Teacher's Committee reported that all went well for the classes.
 MVQ did not quite break even due to paying the church rent money for the last
 two times we used the facility for National Teacher's classes. In addition, the
 current committee is stepping down and Michelle Ripplinger has volunteered
 to chair the committee. Other members are welcome to volunteer for the
 group.
- Sandi provided a national teacher contact business card from Carolyn McCormick. Carolyn is the national teacher who invented and teaches the "Add a ¼ ruler". Carolyn was teaching a paper piecing class in Fargo on her way back from Market in Minnesota. Everyone who took her class that Sandi talked to loved it.
- Warm Start is still in need of more quilts and can always use more flannel blankets
- Frozen Fabric Frolics is taking a break for right now. Please remember they need volunteers for the Frozen Frolic Committee.
- The December X-mas party is being organized by the Friday Sisters group
- The MVQ will be electing officer in September; Del Rae Martin has volunteered to run as Vice President we are still in need of a Secretary for the guild.
- The Board will be reviewing the by-laws of the guild in the next couple of months

Reminder for July & August Meetings

- No meeting for July
- Potluck Picnic for August meeting



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If you have any information you would like included in the next newsletter please call or email the editor.

Newsletter deadline is the first Tuesday of the month.

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Announcements

- There is an estate sale this Friday that has quilt fabric and other quilting supplies
- The Rapid City Black Hills Quilt Show is June 5-7. 2015
- Minnesota Quilt show in Duluth is June 11-13, 2015
- Minot Quilt Guild is holding and Fall Educational Class featuring Debbie Bowles (Maple is lands quilts) and Clem Buzick (long Arm Quilting) October 16-17, 2015
- Grand Forks North Start Quilt Guild is having their annual "Quilting on the Red" Show October 16-18, 2015
- ND State Fair is coming up and all guild members are invited to enter one of their quilts or projects into the State Fair
- June's meeting is going to be a demonstration on different quilt rulers
- The next board meeting will be June 3, 2015 at Boneshakers in north Bismarck at 5:30. If you have any concerns or suggestions for upcoming meetings please contact one of the board members or consider attending the meeting yourself. All members are welcome.
- Show-N-Tell
- Introduce Sandy Fix and her show on Scrappy Quilt's including patterns you can use to make scrappy quilts.

National Teacher Committee

The National Teacher Committee will be looking for volunteers to serve on the committee to help find and list of National teacher & set up for the next National Teacher Classes. If you are interested please contact Michelle Ripplinger.

For Sale:

Rita Fuller has 2 very nice sewing machines for sale. Both have *very* minimal hours, were purchased new by her, and are still in like-new condition! Neither does embroidery. She has too many machines and need to make room!!! Both retailed for about \$2.000 when new.

Pfaff Quilt Expression 4.0 - \$1200

Babylock Symphony - \$1400

Call or email with questions. Rita Fuller

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Information for Hostesses
Hostess for June are:

Sharon Fisher, Judy Kudrna & Susan Riedinger

Remember part of being a hostess are KP duties

Thank you hostesses!!

If you'd like to volunteer to be a hostess call our President Mary

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Upcoming Events

Minnesota Quilt Show June 11-13,2015 Duluth, MN

Black Hills Quilt Show June 5-7, 2015 Rapid City, SD

Fall Education Opportunity
Debbie Bowles
(www.mapleislandquilts.com)
& Clem Buzick—Long Arm Quilting
Minot, ND
October 16-17, 2015

Board Member Needed

There will be a position open for a new board member this fall. The MVQ Guild will need someone to volunteer for the Secretary position. The position open this September 2015. I know everyone is very busy with their lives and other commitments. But this is a time when we as a group and as an individual can help grow and develop our quilt guild.

If you are interested in the position or have questions about the time commitment and/or duties for any of the Board positions please contact one of Board members.

In addition if you want to serve on a committee please talk to one of the committee member or one of the board members.

Thank you for your consideration.

Reminder MVQ Meeting June 18, 2015

Demonstration on Different Quilting Rulers

June 2015 Board Meeting Submitted by Penny Wolf

The Missouri Valley Quilters board meeting was held June 3, 2015, at Boneshakers, at 5:30. All members were present. Items discussed included: the upcoming meetings, show-n-tell, ufo's, the State Fair donation, our by-laws, getting a Facebook page, and the National Teacher Committee.