

September 2015

MVQ Newsletter

Minutes Submitted by Penny Wolf

The general meeting of the Missouri Valley Quilters was held August 20, 2015 at 6:30 at House of Prayer Church in south Bismarck. President Mary Rasmussen opened the meeting and introduced one guest – Melinda Snell's 99 year old father.

- Twenty-seven members were present.
- Treasurer's report shows a balance of \$1,329.30
- Frozen Fabric Frolics committee members are looking for class ideas for the retreat in February. If you have an idea let one of the committee members know.
- National teacher committee will meet Tuesday, August 25, at Boneshakers at 5:30. Anyone who is interested in being on the committee is invited to attend.
- Applefest is looking for quilts to display at their event at Buckstop Junction Sept 26 – 27. It was agreed to pass on this as it did not give much time to put things together.
- A quilt retreat is scheduled for Sept 18 – 20 at Camp of the Cross. Lisa Mackey is the national teacher that will be offering classes. Contact Vickie @ Camp of the Cross for more info.
- September 2 is the date for our next board meeting at Boneshakers @ 5:30. Anyone can attend this meeting.
- Our next general meeting will be Sept 17. Dues will be due at that time. Our elections will also be held at that meeting. A secretary is still needed.
- Show-N-Tell brought out many beautiful quilts.
- Minot Quilt Guild has challenged MVQ (or was it the other way around?) to see which guild can have the most members participate in the quilt show at next year's State Fair. This does not mean the most quilts... it means the most members to enter at least one item. You have almost a year to plan!
- We had our wonderful picnic supper. Thanks to everyone who brought dishes. Everything was delicious!!



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Newsletter

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Volunteer Needed for 2016 Secretary's Position

- Duties include: Taking the minutes at the monthly guild & board meetings
- Sending the minutes to the newsletter editor
- Maintain a copy of the minutes
- If you can not make the meetings other's will help take the minutes and send them to you.

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.

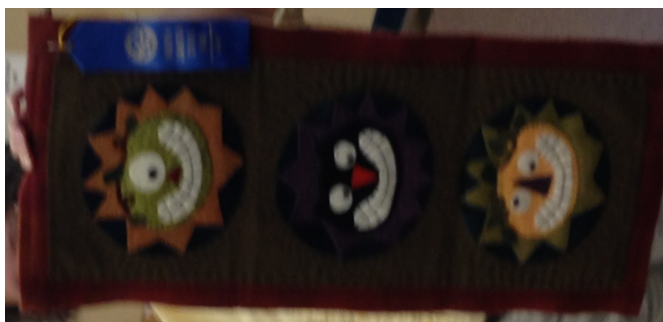
Message From Our National Teacher Committee

The National Teacher Committee is being headed up by Michelle Ripplinger and is looking for suggestions for classes and instructors for the next national teacher workshop. If you have a suggestion please send it to Michelle or to one of the MVQ board members.

North Dakota State Fair Winner for Quilting 2015

Del Rae Martin

Best in Show & Multi Blue Ribbon Winner



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Upcoming Events

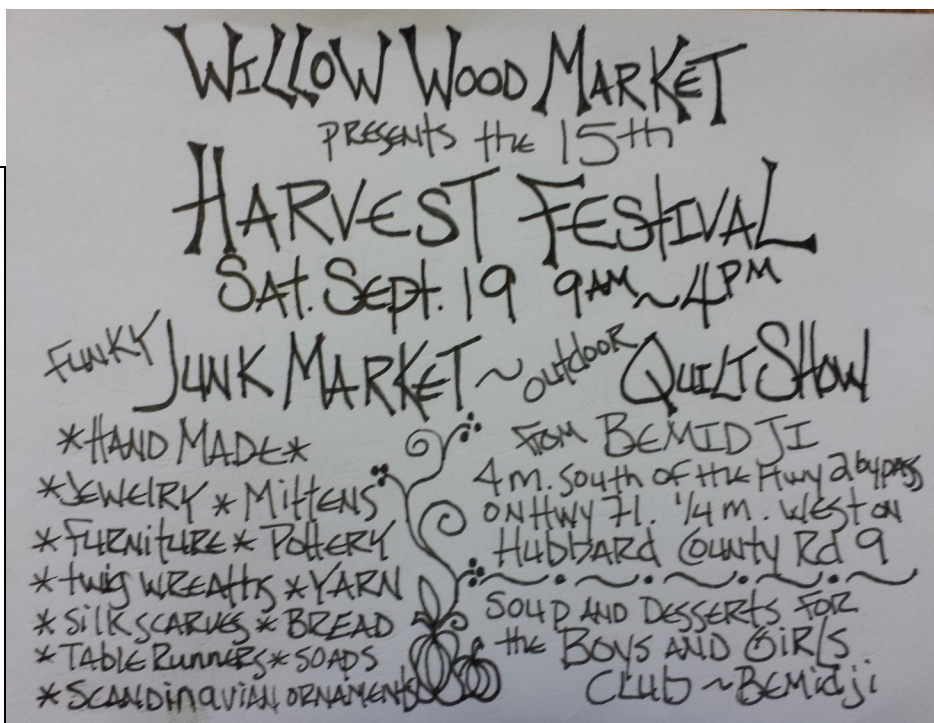
2015 Badlands Retreat
Oct 9-11, 2015
Medora, ND

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

Quilting on the Red
Oct 16-17, 2015
Grand Forks, ND

Dakota Pieces Quilt Show
Oct 31-Nov 1 2015
Sioux Falls, SD

Girls Night In—Open Sewing
Bismarck, ND
October 16, 2015



Information for Hostesses **Hostess for September are:**

Donnie Johnson & Monica McCleary

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

Reminder **MVQ Meeting September 17, 2015** **Election of Officers**

September 2015 Board Meeting Submitted by Penny Wolf

The Missouri Valley Quilters board meeting was held September 2, 2015 at Boneshaker in North Bismarck. Present were Mary, Michelle, Del Rae, Camille, Monica, and Penny. Items discussed included the confirmed dates for the next year of meetings; elections – still need a secretary; the church contribution; auditing the books of the general group and the FFF; girl's night in; the budget; upcoming meetings; show-n-tell; UFO's – when to be completed; new pamphlets to be handed out; updating the standing rules and by-laws; FFF dates.