

# August 2018

## Kokomo Piecemakers Quilt Guild

meets on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm (Except Nov. & Dec.)

Indiana University Kokomo IUK Room KA105

2300 S Washington Ave. Kokomo In. 46901

**Parking Pass is Required!**

**PLEASE DO NOT ARRIVE BEFORE 6:30 P.M.**

Membership Dues \$30.00 per year.



### Reminders

**Do not wear perfumes as some members are allergic to them**

**PLEASE Silence all cell phones** as a courtesy to our speakers and to the other members. **PLEASE leave the room** if it is necessary for you to make or take a phone call.

**Thank you!**



**WELCOME THE NEW KPQG BLOG AND FACEBOOK PAGE**

**BLOG — [www.KokomoPiecemakersQuiltGuildBlog.com](http://www.KokomoPiecemakersQuiltGuildBlog.com)**

**FACEBOOK — Kokomo Piecemakers Quilt Guild Page**

*Tuesday, August 28 Guild Meeting  
Round Robin  
By Guild Members  
Guest—John Smith  
Guarantee Vacuum and Sewing  
Show and Tell*

### 2018 Officers

#### **President**

Julie Boldry

#### **Vice President**

Linda Wright

#### **Secretary**

Wanda Taylor

#### **Treasurer**

Cindy Hicok

#### **Newsletter**

Lana Kirtley

#### **Communications**

Ann Abel

#### **Membership**

Ann Abel

#### **Quilt Show**

Betty Shackelford

#### **Block Of the Month**

Liz Dunham

#### **Workshops**

Liz Dunham & Evie Fell

#### **Community Outreach and Service Projects**

Linda Oteham

#### **Past President**

Barbara Murphy

#### **Photographer**

Sandy Tinsley

#### **Historian**

Gloria Beaver

Each month member Liz Dunham selects a block of the month. These are presented at the free workshops each month. August's pattern is Next Door Neighbor at [quilterscache.com](http://quilterscache.com).

Pictured block created by Lana Kirtley.



### **Preview of September' Guild Meeting**

Tuesday, September 25

**ANNIVERSARY  
CELEBRATION**

#### **Donation Projects**

*Keep on making donation quilts and pillow cases for Healthy Families (children up to 3 years) and*

Jackson Commons Vets Home

To be collected at the November meeting

**See Linda Oteham**

## **2018 Programs and Workshops**

**August 28 Indiana Wesleyan**

*Round Robin by Guild Members*

**Sept. 1 South Branch Library**

*Free workshop 10 - 3*

**Sept. 25 IUK Hunt Hall Rm 116**

**25th Anniversary Celebration**

**Come to the party!**

**Sept. 29 Main Branch Library**

*Free Workshop 10 - 3*

**Oct. 23 IUK Hunt Hall Rm 116**

*Connie Lancaster—Quilts Plus*

**Oct. 27 South Branch Library**

*Free Workshop 10—3*

**Nov. 13 IUK Hunt Hall Rm 116**

*Amanda Castor—Material Girl Quilts*

**Nov. 17 South Branch Library**

*Free Workshop 10—3*

**Dec. 4 IUK**

*Christmas Party*

*2019—Planning now for a great new year!*

## **Upcoming Quilt Shows & Event**

*September 14 & 15*

*9:00 am—5:00 pm*

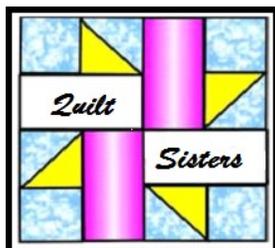
*Frankfort Quilt Guild will be presenting  
A Quilt and Rug Hooking Exhibit  
in the Anna and Harlan Hubbard Gallery at  
The Frankfort Community Public Library  
2nd floor—elevator available  
208 W. Clinton Street  
Frankfort, In  
Demonstrations throughout the  
weekend, door prizes,  
and a Dresden Plate raffle quilt*

*October 5&6, 2018: Kokomo, In  
Kokomo Piecemakers Quilt Guild  
**Quilts Along the Wildcat**  
**Kokomo Event Center***

*2 half-day workshops, a one hour program,  
and 1 half-day lecture/demo  
by Susan Cleveland*

Thank you to Ann Abel, Marilyn Craig, Teresa Mooney, Sharon Morkal, Barb Murphy, and Lana Kirtley for sharing their art quilts. The display at the Main Branch Library was very nice, and the Guild received some publicity on the front page of the Kokomo Tribune.

## **DOWN THE ROAD** **Connie Lancaster** **Quilts Plus**



The "Quilt Sisters" program is designed to pair experienced guild members with new members to help make them feel welcome: answer any questions about guild activities and quilting in general. This program is available to any new member

who chooses to take advantage of the program but it is not a requirement to become a member.

*Sharon Morkal will head up this program.*

### **Instructions for sleeve and label for quilt for display in the KPQG Quilt Show**

**Sleeve** - All quilts 36' and wider must have a sleeve attached to hang your quilt for display.

**Instructions are on the last page of the newsletter**

**Label** - Make a label for you quilt by writing on a piece of muslin with a permanent marker, or design a label on your computer and print it on fabric. Include the name of the maker, city and state, date and any other pertinent information. Sew this to the back of your quilt.

### **Show us what you do or learn something new!**

Bring something for show and tell, attend workshops, or donate a quilt and be entered into a drawing for a free membership.

Drawing at the Christmas Party in early December. Show and tell is a favorite part of our meeting. Please share your projects.

25th ANNIVERSARY  
CELEBRATION  
CHALLENGE

The challenge for this year's show is to create a quilt that celebrates the 25th anniversary of the guild. This can be any idea that shows your pride in this wonderfully diverse group of quilters.

Rules

1. The quilt can use any fabric and colors.
2. Quilt construction is your choice—regular piecing, paper piecing, appliques, mixed techniques, hand or machine done.
3. Distance around the quilt cannot exceed 84 inches, such as 21 x 21, 18 x 24 or 84 inches in circumference, etc.
- 4 You must be a member of the guild to enter the challenge.
5. Quilt is to consist of a top, batting, backing and binding.

Jean Mize has an old quilt she would like repaired. If interested, call her at 765-453-0391.

A nurse is looking for someone to make a quilt from her deceased mother's things. If anyone is interested or knows someone that may be able to do this, please contact Danielle Saylor-Binder at 765-419-5030.

MEMBERSHIP NOTES

Membership for 2018 is \$30 and can be paid at the membership table.

Membership Chair Ann Abel declared 2018 the Year of the Nametag. Let's all make a name tag or find one we previously made and wear it at each meeting. Ann has a pattern available at the meeting for those who need one and a few pre-made tags for \$4 for those who prefer that convenience.

2018 Quilt Show News  
Celebrating 25 Years of KPQG  
October 5 & 6, 2018

Susan Cleveland - Presenter  
Friday am—3 hour workshop  
Friday pm 1 hour lecture followed by pictures and book signing  
Saturday am—3 hour lecture/demo  
Saturday pm 3 hour workshop  
Registration and information at  
[www.guaranteevac.com](http://www.guaranteevac.com)

All entry forms will be passed out at the May meeting and will be due at the August meeting.

**Long Arm Quilters**

Pat Slusher 765-947-5357 [tricia35mm@aol.com](mailto:tricia35mm@aol.com)  
Debbie Smith 765-258-3094 [debsmith@geetel.net](mailto:debsmith@geetel.net) has a Gammill  
Maggie Fellow 765-453-9596 [maggiefellow@gmail.com](mailto:maggiefellow@gmail.com)  
Diana Robertson 765-271-1266 [country46901@aol.com](mailto:country46901@aol.com)  
Julie Boldry 574-721-5899 [jbaldry@hotmail.com](mailto:jbaldry@hotmail.com)  
HandiQuilter & KenQuilt machines  
Karen Moser 765-469-2310 [clutzyk21556@aol.com](mailto:clutzyk21556@aol.com)  
Shirley Shedron 574-753-2780 [countryquilter@email.com](mailto:countryquilter@email.com)

**Hand Quilters**

Leanna Hershberger 765-628-0576  
Sarah Ann Miller 765-628-3624  
Lydia Bontrager 765-395-7170

### QUILT SHOW NOTES

All entry forms for quilts to be displayed in the show are due at the August meeting. If you will not be at the meeting, contact information for Margo Martin is on the entry form: send the form directly to her.

Sign-ups for the **Susan Cleveland** workshops and lectures are still available. Go to Guarantee website to do this: [www.guaranteevac.com](http://www.guaranteevac.com).

Sign-up for **quilt appraisal** will be available at the August and September meetings. Remember that if you want a quilt appraised that will be hanging in the show, you must prepay for that appraisal at the time you sign up.

The **yard signs** for the quilt show will be handed out primarily at our September meeting, but Marilyn Parkin will have a few at the August meeting for those who are not able to make the September meeting. These signs are displayed during the week before the show starting on Sunday.

If you have **donations for the guild table**, be sure to bring them to the August meeting.

We have a **display case** at the south branch library to fill with information about the quilt show for the month of September. If you would be will to take care of that, contact Diane Poisson(765-210-4180;edianepoisson@gmail.com).

Diane Poisson is looking for someone **to ride with her** to Indianapolis on Thursday after noon, October 4, when she drives to the airport to pick up Susan Cleveland. This is during the time of quilt check in and set up. If you are interested, contact Diane.

### ITEMS NEEDED FOR GUILD TABLE

Handmade gift items are needed for the quilt show guild table. Ideas include placemats, pot holders, table runners, small quilts, mug rugs, pin cushions, casserole carriers and decorated towels. Since the show is in October, items for Halloween, Thanksgiving, and Christmas are also appropriate.

Remember to save items when you “destash” you sewing supplies during spring cleaning. Fabric, books, patterns, thread and any other sewing or quilting related items you clean out can be used for the guild table.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Sign-up for volunteers to work at the quilt show will be available at the August and September meetings. There are a few sit-down jobs available. If you have questions or won't be at either of the meeting, contact Debbie Piercy (765-883-8141; [dkpiercy@gmail.com](mailto:dkpiercy@gmail.com)).

### SPECIAL CATEGORY FOR QUILT SHOW

There will be a category for Cancer Awareness quilts. October is both the Quilt Show and Breast Cancer month, so we will have a special category to raise cancer awareness.

1. Quilt must be made by a member.
  2. Quilt should be double bed size or smaller.
  3. Quilt may have been previously displayed.
- Quilt may be any color, have ribbons, words of comfort, or celebration or any other design that the quilter feels may relate to cancer awareness. We have made all sorts of quilts in support of family and friends dealing with cancer so now would be a great time to share your work. Look for a pink paper when we pass out the entry forms.

Chris Coapman: [c2coapman@att.net](mailto:c2coapman@att.net)

### WORKSHOP INFORMATION

**Free Guild Workshops are held the Saturday following our 4th Tuesday of the monthly membership meeting. They are usually located at the Kokomo South Branch Library from 10am to 3 pm.**

**This year the focus is the KPQG block of the month along with the opportunity to be tutored by our talented members to learn and develop our skills. Blocks might be included in a donation quilt to the community outreach program. The ideas are endless. Workshops are open to members and non-members.**

**Please volunteer to work with a newbie quilter at these workshops.**