# Cheyenne Heritage Quilters Patchwork Update January 2020



Dedicated to encouraging and broadening quilter's creativity, sharing quilting knowledge, exhibiting quilting accomplishments and contributing to the community.

## **Note from the President**

Season's Greetings!

I am sure everyone is busy getting ready for Christmas and the New Year! I am looking forward to 2020.

Carol, Debbie, and Sue have been working hard on getting programs and activities for us.

Please think about the Quilt Show that is coming up in August. We need someone or a group to head it up and start planning. The dates have been reserved with the Church (Aug 20 - 22). We also need a group of you oh so talented ladies to make an opportunity quilt. Remember, these are major fund raisers for the Quilt Guild.

I wish each and every one of you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! Hope you close out 2019 with a bang and all your hopes and dreams come true in 2020!

Deb O'Grady President

**Cheyenne Women's Civic League** sent a huge **Thanks** for the items we donated to Christmas House. I received a nice thank you note from Pam Crochet. She said all the items sold.

Thank you for the items made and donated, the money raised at Christmas House goes back into our community through a grant process.

## 2020 CHQ Board

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Community Quilts ---

We still need members to fill the positions for Vice Pres., Socials & Community Quilts. Please think about giving some of your time to the Club.

Char Nolan, the 2019 Treasurer, will have a copy of the year-end financial statement available at the January meeting if you are interested.

Thanks to Cathy, Char & Neoma for their service to the Club for the 2019 year.

We look forward to seeing them in the audience in 2020.

On a sad note I received notice that Liz Escobedo passed away on 12/14/19 in Arizona. Liz was a long-time active member. She was such a nice lady. We send our sympathy to her family.



# Calendar of Events

Mon. 1/6	Club Meeting 7pm – 9pm	
	First United Methodist Church	
	Kathy Sconce Trunk Show	
Tue. 1/7	Quilts of Valor 9am – 4pm	
	Our Savior Lutheran Church, Dell Range	
Wed. 1/8	Community Quilts 10am – 3pm at the Library	
	We would like to have more women join us for our workday.	
	Please think about joining the fun.	
Mon. 1/13	Board Meeting information to be announced	
Mon. 1/20	Club Sew night 6pm – 9pm	
	Come help make or finish Community Quilts.	
	Demo by Cynthia Helmer	
Tue. 1/28	<b>Sew &amp; Socialize</b> 1pm – 4pm at the Library, Willow Rm.	
Thurs. 1/30	<b>Paper piecing workshop</b> or open sew 10am – 3pm	
	Library. There will be \$5 charge for each session	

# Upcoming programs:

February 3, 2020 7pm Lecture and show by Susan Vincenzes. On Dalton Abby fabric and story.

February 8, 2020 Daenette's Class at Little Bear – see notice on page 10 of newsletter

February 17, 2020 Open sew at 6 pm. \*\*\*\*Guest speaker at 7 pm.\*\*\*\* "Quilting apps for your tablet or phone" Debbie Baldwin has arranged for <u>Apps4quilting</u> to come talk about new quilting information apps they are developing that go on your phone. This should be very interesting. They will have 3 apps available: Quilt size, Quilt paper & Quilt sandwich.

March 2, 2020 7 pm First Quilt/learning/do not like quilt. We can all learn by sharing our Quilting experiences with each other. All members are invited and encouraged to bring their first quilt and share the story behind it. If you no longer have your first quilt then---- Next two options, bring a quilt to show a new technique or just something new you learned while making it. Example, Carole Gardner made a quilt that she does not like now it is made. She will bring it and discuss why she does not like it and what could make it better. Please participate by sharing your quilting experiences, good or bad.

March 16, 2020 6 pm Open sew and Luann Roberts will be doing a mini class on Working with wool. She will have a small project for us to make. We should be able to finish it that night. There will be a charge for the kit. ?? \$ to be determined later. Hand work only. Sign-up sheets at the regular meetings.

1/4/19 Program: Tae Yamaki Fort Collins Quilting since 2005

## How she got started:

Learned how to sew from mom; garments, not from patterns. Then in US for college and met Cindy Paul when interning at Peak Wellness Center.

Called patchwork in Japan. At that time, everything! Was done by hand.

Cindy's oldest then became her roommate and Tai ended up spending a holiday at Cindy's house. Cindy asked if she sewed, and would you like to learn how to quilt.



First quilt, she wanted it to represent USA as she wasn't sure how long she would stay after graduating.

Decided to stay and got a job in Lincoln, Nebraska, just as the Quilt Center was being built (2008). Joined a local guild, where she met a long arm quilter who introduced her to long arm quilting.

Returned to Fort Collins in 2013.

Took dyeing class workshop at Juke Box and learned about renting a long arm machine. Gave it a try and thought it was very exciting.

## How she designs:

Originally, she would sketch on paper. Then learned how to design without sketching first. Hangs quilt top on design wall, and stares at it a long time... eventually "it speaks to me."

Primarily quilts for others, leaving less time to piece her own quilts, but she still manages to produce some.

A favorite pattern is the One Block Wonder. Doesn't like to follow instructions, like to add own twist, so change scale. Scale down, so can use smaller design fabrics...

Next, she participated in a workshop with (didn't get name). Used wrong side of fabrics to get muted effect was trying to achieve. Keeps this top unquilted so can see both sides.

For a Jelly roll challenge, she didn't add corner triangles, which changes border, and binding.

She can tell who made the quilt when she sees it. Hopes to be same type artist.

She makes her quilts unique by how she binds them. She uses a 2 inch bias strip, sews a 1/4 inch seam, and folds all of the remainder to the back, almost like piping. Likes to use

contrasting colors as well. Makes it easier to bind curves and around corners. Hard to sharpen corners with this method.

### Trunk Show:

- 1. Jennifer Golden pieced, she long armed.
- 2. Cindy Paul quilt, playing children. Asked to work in nursery rhymes in quilting. Made it look like the kids were drawing on sidewalk with chalk. Also included her dogs.
- 3. Margie pieced, 1652 hexagons, hand pieced. Echo quilted every one of them! Made video for Instagram (quilted by Tae)
- 4.Cindy Paul, challenge quilt for small group. "Fat quarter Girls". Added names of all the ladies in group.
- 5.Flip quilt
- 6.One block wonder (3.5" tris)
- 7.One block wonder (2.5" tris)
- 8.One block wonder (circle within a square)
- 9.Star border (showcases binding technique), used Kay Fasset fabrics
- 10.Ombre double wedding ring
- 11. Margie's modern
- 12. Tae's own design, photos of pets.
- 13. Mary Jane's big print pink star. Heavily quilted, especially borders.
- 14. Cindy's houses, most work in borders.
- 15. Cindy's giraffe with dancer.
- 16.Margie's double wedding ring.
- 17. Cindy's African village (huts).
- 18. Cindy's Gypsy Wife
- 19.2d Gypsy Wife. Same pieced pattern, very different quilting.
- 20.2018 Houston dyeing class, stars and geese.
- 21. Cindy's half star, VERY heavily quilted
- 22.Gee's Bend quilt.

Now using a lot of quilting rulers!

























Alice Kay Arnett's Feathered Star Class





Show & Tell 11/4/19































Show & Tell 11/18/19



I'm sure you've all received texts with abbreviations, but I thought I'd list a few from the Quilters Code. I'll give you a new one each month.

## **WOMBAT**

Waste of Money, Batting and Time.





## Travel, Explore, Cruise, Quilt!

Do you want to cruise to the Panama Canal? We are sailing with Princess Cruises on December 29, 2020-January 8, 2021.

The Panama cruise will be approximately 10 days. Ports of call would include Fort Lauderdale, Jamaica, Cartagena (Columbia), Panama Canal, Costa Rica, and Cayman Islands. Traveling on a ship during the holidays is one of the most fun things to do. The ship will be beautifully decorated, New Year's will be celebrated at sea and there is bound to be free champagne everywhere you look. I will teach several hand stitching projects while at sea. The main project will be a Mola. Molas are reverse appliqués, mainly done by the Kuna Indians.

Details of pricing, cabin choices, flights, etc., are in my newsletter. And please contact me if you are interested.

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# Posh Penelope Class by Daenette More

The class date: Saturday, Feb 8, 2020

9:00am - 4:00pm

Little Bear Inn Lunch included

**After January 15th** you may purchase the Quick Curve Ruler (\$25) and the Posh Penelope pattern (\$12) by Sew Kind of Wonderful at a **10% discount at Around the Block.** You will get this class discount if your name is on the Class list that Barb will have. Even though this is a stash friendly pattern, anything will work -- fat quarters included.

Posh Penelope is a fun scrappy quilt that combines gradual curves with on point sashing's and cornerstones. The perfect mix of modern and traditional elements that create a quilt that is timeless. This is a stash pattern and requires the Quick Curve Ruler by Sew Kind of Wonderful. If you are afraid of inset curves, this is an easy, fun class for you. The ruler does the work. The Supply list is what is to be handed out at sign up in January.



Show & Tell 12/2/19















# **CHQ** Festival of Trees to benefit **Magic City**

Our tree sold for \$1000. There was one other tree out of 16 that sold for more. The small tree in the silent auction sold for \$ 190.00. See the picture of the family who bought the tree. The kids kept going over to the tree and checking put all the ornaments. Joel and Caroline Hickerson.

Thank you. Carole Gardner



Small tree











# 2020 Cheyenne Heritage Quilter Registration Form

Please fill out and submit with \$20.00 to: CHQ, P O Box 21194, Cheyenne WY 82003, Attn: Treasurer Your membership is valid from <u>January through December</u>



Please fill out the entire form, even if there were no changes from last year.

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Joyce Holub, CHQ Librarian

Dear Ladies,

Last year you did very well at finding Sue (our Photographer) during the Show and Tell sessions. We now have a new Photographer – Nicki. Please look to her during your show time. I enjoy getting wonderful pictures of you & your quilts for the newsletter & Facebook.

Sue will continue to take pictures for our Facebook account and Judy Gilmore would like pictures of quilts for our website header.

Thank you!!!

## **General Club Information**

## **Guest Policy**

Please invite your friends to attend our meetings. All skill levels and non-quilters are welcome. Non-members may attend two meetings for free unless we have a guest speaker, then guests are asked to pay a \$5 fee. On the third and subsequent meetings, the non-member must pay \$2 unless membership dues are paid

#### **Advertisements & Articles for Newsletter**

Ads and articles must be quilt, craft or sewing related. They must be "copy" ready. The newsletter editor is not responsible for typing your information. Email articles, questions or advertisement artwork by the third Wednesday of the month. Cost for advertisements is: ½ page \$10.

#### **Cell Phones**

We ask that cell phones be silent or off and that emergency conversations be held out of the meeting room.

Cheyenne Heritage Quilt Guild P O Box 21194 Cheyenne, WY 82003

## **Meeting Schedule**

We meet at 7 p.m. the first and third Mondays of most months. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Please feel free to come early and help set up or to socialize. Please view the newsletter for exact meeting dates. Meetings often include a featured quilter, as well as show and tell. At the first meeting of the month you will have access to our Library.

#### **Show & Tell Guidelines**

Show one or more projects. Share information regarding each piece.

## **Meeting Location**

First United Methodist Church, 108 E. 18<sup>th</sup> St. Parking is on the north side of the church, enter from Central or 19<sup>th</sup> St.

### Find us online at chquilters.org