

# Cheyenne Heritage Quilters Patchwork Update

# September/October 2022

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

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*Hiya everyone. This is a make-up newsletter for September, as well as the October issue, and it was hastily prepared by me. If you see anything and have questions about it, please call the committee chairman in charge of that section to be sure you have the correct information. Judy Gilmore* 

# **CHQ Club Meeting**

#### Monday, October 3 at 7 p.m.

The October program will feature a guest speaker, Laura Shotwell, the owner of Figleaf in Fort Collins. She will bring her collection of Antique Quilts from the 1800's to share with us. We will be taking her to dinner prior to the meeting. If you wish to join us, please let Debbie Baldwin know for the reservation count.

# From Debbie Baldwin

Our workshop with Robbin Flockhart went well and almost all the pillow tops were finished. Please bring yours, finished or not, to share at the October meeting.

November program will be a Trunk Show by member, Mari Harpold. She will be sharing quilts that she has made over the years.

December will be our annual Christmas Party and gift exchange. Please bring a pot-luck dish to share with the group. The guild will providing paper goods, utensils and water. The gift exchange is to be a wrapped sewing related item valued \$10.00. Please put a tag indicating who the gift is from. The Pot Luck categories are:

A-G Dessert

- H-O Main Course
- P-Z Side Dish

This December will finish my 3-year term as VP and Programs Chair. I have learned a lot about quilting from the various speakers, programs and workshops. I will be handing the reigns over to Gwen Harris. She has been working on programs, speakers and workshops for this next year. If she asks you to help with programs, etc., please help her. It will make her job a little easier and a lot more enjoyable for the guild.

The Open-Sew group meets every Tuesday at the Laramie County Library from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. We're on the 3rd floor in the Windflower Room. Bring something to work on and your lunch. We have an enjoyable time and have had several ladies join us who become members of CHQ.

## **CHQ Board Members**

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President —————	–—Cynthia Helmer
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& Carol Gardener	
Pick-a-Pocket Challenge	e ———Judy Gilmore
Round Robin ———-	——Cynthia Helmer
Quilt Show Chair ——–	<ul> <li>Daenette More</li> </ul>
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# Cheyenne Heritage Quilter's 2022 Pick-a-Pocket Challenge

This year we had 45 entries into the Denim Pocket Challenge and 21 of them finished. What a great turnout. Those attending the August meeting voted on the projects in three categories...Quilts, Bags and Miscellaneous. Each winner won \$20 each. The awards were Denim potholders with a back pocket on each one. We called them "Hot Pocket Awards" and each Pocket had a pink envelope in it, labeled "Pocket Money," with the winner's cash inside. Gotta love those pocket references, eh? Thanks to everyone that helped make this display a success.



# Winners \*



And now a Pocket wish to you: May you have at least one "pocket full of dreams," and a "light in your pocket," to guide your way. May you never experience "short arms and long pockets," and may nothing in your life be a 'pocket' lyptic! **But most of all, remember, "Never put the key to your happiness in someone else's pocket!**"

# **Community Quilts**

Community Quilts is a Club effort. Each contributor is greatly appreciated as you expertly make quilts, donate fabric, cut blocks, make kits, sew tops, quilt, bind, deliver or guide us to needy agencies. We can be proud of our club's efforts to meet the needs of our community while we enjoy using our skills of quilting. The recipients are very grateful. There was less need for warmth this summer, but Char found our quilts could benefit agencies with opportunity quilts especially on Thankful Thursdays.

Thanks to all who contributed. We'll begin getting more requests with winter coming. Safe house needs boys' quilts. It looks like we'll give even more this year while staying within our

budget. We have received many thanks from the community for our generosity.

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October 3	Antique Quilts from the 1800's with Laura Shotwell	
Øctober 15	Watercolor Pencils on Fabric Technique Class with Angela MacPherson	$\langle$
November 7	Mari Harpold Trunk Show	
December 5	Christmas Party / Gift Exchange	

## 2023 Programs This is Gwen Harris with Cheyenne Heritage

This is Gwen Harris with Cheyenne Heritage Quilters. I will be taking over as the new programs director in 2023. Debbie Baldwin (the current programs director) had indicated that I will be notifying you of upcoming programs for 2023 and beyond. So far I have the following programs scheduled and confirmed.

- January 2nd, 2023 Robin Dempsey program on Paper Piecing
- February 6th, 2023 Marilyn Lanham program on Quilts of Valor
- March 6th, 2023 Table Top Program Presenters are: Darlene McClure, Di Wisley-Geer, Gale Davis, and Laraine Hutchison
- May 1st, 2023 Kara Enyeart program on Applique quilting



## 2023 Quilt Show Corner

#### September Update:

YOU are to be congratulated! We flooded the Laramie County Fair with quilts.! We had 42 entries from our guild!. You are awesome, and have shown that when we unite in a common cause we can get the job done. And their visitor numbers were up also. Thank you, and I hope that you will consider entering again.

A word about Judges. These experts are skilled in recognizing the physical attributes of a good quality quilt, that meets the qualifications of the categories that are set-up by the event. Our fair needs some updates in the categories . If you have an opinion on that, please write it down and give it to me because we will appoint a person to be our representative for the Fair. We have done this in the past, with good results. We have not had a representative for quite a few years. It is now time to update.

The 2023 Quilt Show Committee has had our first meeting. We had 16 ladies in attendance. Most have committed to what they want to work on in the committee and several are not committed. We still are looking " for a few more good women " who can help us out with your skills and volunteerism.





#### November Classes & Events

Pieced Baltimore Beauty Sat., Oct. 1 (And first Sat. in Nov. and Dec.) 1-5 Drunkard's Path, Rainbow version Sat., Oct. 8, 1-5 Hand Appliqué Thurs., Oct. 13; Nov. 10; Dec 8, 1-4 Curvy Log Cabin Sat., Oct. 15, 10:30-4 Hand Quilting Thurs., Oct. 20 & Nov. 3, 1-4 Kaleidoscope Quilt Sat., Oct. 22, 10:30-4 Ribbon Candy Sat., Oct. 29, 10:30-4 FREE CLUBS AND CLASSES BOM, First Saturday of each month, 10:30-11 Free Embroidery Club Second Saturday of the month, 10-12 Hours: M-S 10-6, Sundays 1-5 Closed 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of month 453 Vandehei Avenue, Suite 120 - 307-433-9555 See aroundtheblockquilts.com for full schedule

#### **October Update:**

The Count-down begins! It is 357 days until The CHQ Quilt Show. Our committee has been busy making decisions that we will share with you later. Just know that we are trying to standardize our process so we don't have to decide on something different every year. One thing I need to ask you is this: Last year we were really down on the number of quilts that were appraised, for insurance or need to know purposes. Is this trend going to continue and there is no longer a need for quilt appraisals? Let me know if you are going to use this service this coming year or should we no longer offer this service at our 2023 quilt show.

We as a committee have decided to increase the goal for moneys gained at the Boutique. So, this month you will be receiving a flyer to tell you what kinds of things will sell from past experience and what things are difficult to get people to pay for. This will be given out by Char Nolan who is the Chairman of the Boutique. YOUR ASSIGNMENT: this fall thru Christmas, go to as many Craft Fairs and Bazaars and money makers as you can, searching for the perfect project that you can make and sell at our Boutique!! Challenge yourself to provide at least 3 things to go in the Boutique. We have changed the reimbursement this year to be 50/50. We are still having the Bake Sale as well and it is still 100% donation. Get your thinking caps on and accept this challenge. We will have have a great Quilt Show this year.

*Next QuiltShow 2023 meeting will be at Laramie County Library on October 27, Thurs. afternoon at 2:00-3:30 in the Windflower Room.* 

Come and join us. Many hands make work light. 🦻 Daenette More , 2023 Quilt Show Chairman



### Workshop

Our October workshop with Angela has one openings left. Please sign up and pay with Debbie Baldwin at the October meeting. Members are \$40.00, non-members \$45.00. Debbie Baldwin has class information hand-outs.

## New books in the CHQ library!

Fall into reading books from the CHQ Library - many ideas and cozy mystery novels.

24 Missouri Star Quilt patterns and 4 cozy quilt mysteries by Sandra Dallas and Marie Bostwick.

Thanks Daenette More. Check them out!

## **New Members**

Our membership is now up to 96 members. New members that have joined since the August Newsletter are: Jan Bradley, Rachel Hintz, and Maggie Glick. Please welcome them.



Halloween freestanding embroidery, \$12 for each Halloween item. Check out by clicking on the 10 spool Embroidery picture Embroidery Online has some really cool items to embroidery. I now do embroidery on Jackets, Caps, T-Shirts. Quilt Blocks, and so much more.. Also have the License for UW logos too place on items as well.



My supply order goes in on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> if you would like to place an order for supplies.

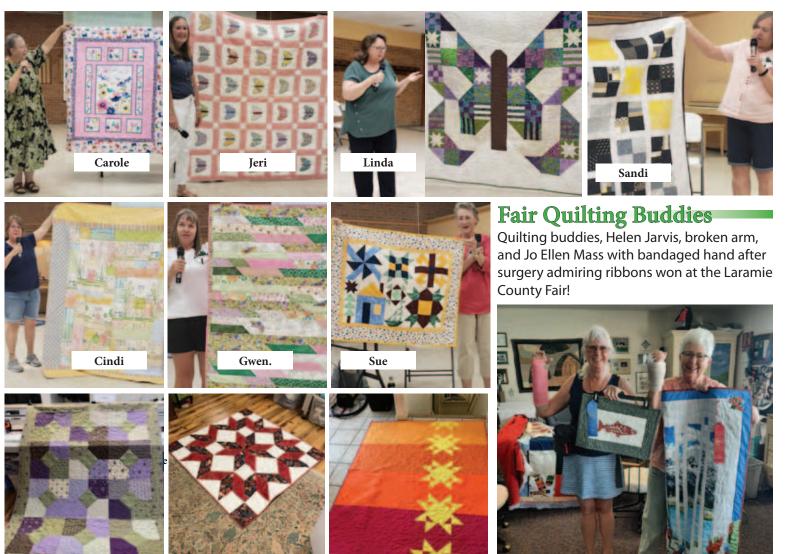
For those out of town, I have openings for your longarm quilting. Ship me the quilt and I will pay to ship it back completed. Call or email to set up a time.

Call or Text 308-641-8638 leave a message I will return your calls at lunch time or after 4:30 pm

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## Show and Tell



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Small Group Meeting Dates , Info, & Times		
Quilts of Valor Small Group by Marilyn Lanham	Meets the first Tuesday of the month at our Savior Lutheran Church on East Dell Range. Carry in lunch to share if you want.	9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Community Quilts by Donna Dolan	Meets the second Wednesday of the month at the Library.	Starts at 10:00 am
Afternoon Quilters by Debbie Baldwin	Every Tuesday of the month at the Library	Starts at 10:00 am

# Ready or not, THINK CHRISTMAS!!! Club Volunteer Activity



# Cheyenne Heritage Quilters will be decorating a tree for teh Magic City Festival of Trees. The trees are auctioned off as a funddraiser for Magic City. We've decorated trees for a couple of years now and it is that time of the year to start making ornaments for this year's tree. This is strictly a volunteer activity. We would appreciate "all" to help make ornaments.

This year, the theme of our tree is "**Red and White Christmas**." All ornaments need to be red and white, or red, or white. Please do not make them too large. Maybe 3 or 4 inches or smaller.

It takes around 200 ornaments to decorate the tree, so be generous as to how many you make. We have someone making the tree topper and the tree skirt. We have ladies assigned to decorate the tree. I could use two more to help with decorating. Call Carole if you are interested.

**Ornaments need to be turned in by November 7, 2022.** That is our regular monthly meeting. Just bring them to the meeting. There is an incentive for this activity. When you help in any way, your name will go into a drawing for "two" free tickets to the Festival of Trees Dinner and auction.

Thanks for your help. Carole Gardner (307-631-7388)







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# **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 paid quest 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. Ad size is 3.5" wide x 4.5" tall. Articles for the Newsletter can be emailed to quiltingfriends307@yahoo.com no later than the 3rd Wednesday of each month.

#### **Cell Phones**

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

#### Show & Tell Guidelines

Show one or more projects. Please share information regarding each piece.

#### **Meeting Location & Schedule**

We meet at the First United Methodist Church, 108 E. 18th St. in Cheyenne, Wyoming, on the first Monday of each Month starting at 7 p.m. Please view the newsletter for exact meeting times and programs as we sometimes change meeting dates to avoid holidays. During the meetings you will have access to our Library.

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