

Cheyenne Heritage Quilters Patchwork Update

March 2025

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

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President's Message - Diana Clark

Here we are already in March and the weather still feels like January.

Thoughts turn towards Spring. How far away can it be? I bet all of us are glad February is over. Snow and cold all month long. I've had enough.

March is full of "days of" ... way too many to even think about. I think one of my favorites is March 3rd - Nation's Anthem Day ... Commemorating in 1931, the day the US adopted "The Star-Spangled Banner" as our National Anthem.

But let us not forget the Ides of March, which this year

is also National Quilting Day. Worldwide Quilting Day is the 3rd Saturday of March, which this year is also on the Ides of March. Told you March is full of "days of." I swear there are very few days in March without several "days of."

This month's riddle:

Name three consecutive days without using Wednesday, Friday, or Sunday.

(Find answer later in newsletter)

Let's honor our "days of" Quilting Days and quilt away all month.

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March 10 Program, - 2nd Monday of the month

Angela McPherson, Esther Trevino-Neasloney, JoEllen Mass, and Mari Harpold

"How do I Design a fabulous quilt?"

Mari Harpold's adventures in art quilting began with the establishment of Rocky Mountain Creative Quilt Guild in Fort Collins. Her quilts have been exhibited at the Colorado State Capital, Mancuso shows in Denver, Machine Quilting Expo in Salt Lake City as well as several local venues. Her quilts have won several awards, one of the first being as the Novice Art Quilt in the 2005 Cheyenne Quilt Show. She enjoys continuing to explore new techniques and challenge ideas with this group.

Jo Ellen Mass started sewing as a pre-teen knowing her mom would fix any mistakes, as her mom sewed her dresses! She joined a small quilting group in

Littleton, CO in the mid '90s and loved it. She enjoys doing "her own thing" and "doesn't like to follow directions." While in Jordan, she made her first challenge quilt, thought of a title for it and graduated from there. Her favorite way to do a challenge quilt is to use fabrics and embellishments from family clothing making the quilts more personal turning a photo into a quilt. Over the years she has won ribbons for her creative work.

A native of Cheyenne, Wyoming, **Esther Trevino-Neasloney's** lifelong passion for sewing and fiber arts began in her childhood, when her mother taught her to sew doll clothes on a treadle sewing machine. Her talent and dedication

have earned her recognition, including awards at the Rocky Mountain Quilt Festival, Cheyenne Heritage Quilters Shows and Challenges, and at various establishments and gallery exhibits.

Angela McPherson is an award-winning Fiber Artist who teaches a unique technique of using watercolor pencils on fabric and thread. "Military Family" was featured in Quilter's World Magazine, Autumn 2020, and she has been recognized with numerous awards, including the Grand Champion title and two 1st Place awards at the 2016 Alaska State Fair. She currently has five pieces traveling in SAQA exhibits.



2025 CHQ Board Members

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Website Info - Judy Gilmore

Our password protected Member Roster has been updated recently and the password has changed.

You can find the link to the Roster at the bottom of our webpage (chquilters.org). Click on the words "Members Only 2024" in the Forms and Info list and enter the password when prompted. You can print the roster, or save it to your computer, but you will need your password each time you open the document.

Get your new password from Sharon when you sign in, or from Judy Gilmore. We ask that you keep this password secure. Tell it to someone, don't text or email it. If you have trouble or have questions, please call Judy Gilmore.

Quilt Show 2025 - Sandra de Rusha

Great news, we have two co-chairs for the boutique! Now is the time to think about putting items in the boutique for sale. The Boutique really pulls in a good profit for the guild and helps us pay for guild meeting programs.

Also, another reminder that we are always looking for volunteers to help us have another successful quilt show. Don't forget to look over the sign-up sheets that will be available at guild meetings until the quilt show arrives. There's quite a variety of things to do.

We are getting closer to the Cheyenne Heritage Quilters 2025 Quilt Show! We need volunteers to help with Call for Quilts on August 18, Set-up on August 21, Take-down on August 23, and of course volunteers to help during the Show and the Boutique on August 21-23.



Click on Picture to go to site



March is here and St. Patrick's Day is not far off. Working on some Embroidery Quilts as well as a couple of traditional quilts. Revamping the Facebook and Instagram soon to be ready in a couple of weeks. To all my Quilter Customers may this year be the best year ever with your quilting endeavors.

Along other lines, Coffee Cups, Pin Cushions, Dish Towels, etc.. Official UW products for sale Remember to leave voice message or text with your name and number.

Embroidery for jackets, T-shirts, shirts, hats and more. Call for a quote.

My supply order goes in on the 1st and 15th if you would like to place an order for supplies. I do have sewing needles and thread in stock.

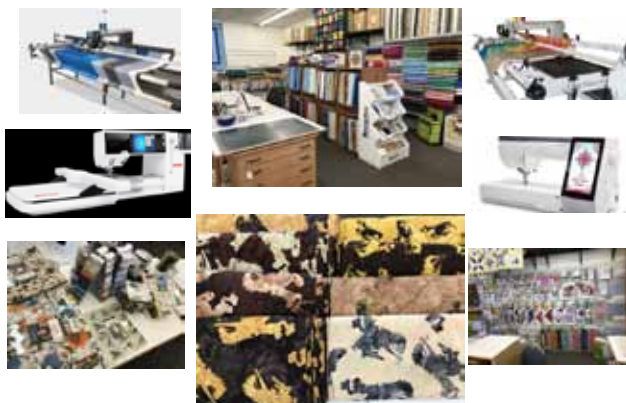
Call or Text 308-641-8638 leave a message I will return your calls at lunch time or after 4:30 pm . I am sure you all get Spam calls. If your in my phone I will answer otherwise leave a message please.

Individual one on one workshop for those who are learning to sew. Also those who would like to make their first quilt. Give me a call and we will get you started. **Feel free to text me at 308-641-8638.**

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2025 Programs -

Marci Rulon, Vice-President, Programs Chairman

March 10, 2025 **2nd Monday of the month** – How do I design/start a fabulous quilt? 15 minute discussions by **Angela McPherson, Esther Trevino-Neasloney, JoEllen Mass, and Mari Harpod**

March 17, 2025 **Board Meeting**

April 14, 2025 **2nd Monday of the month – Scott Flanagan**

Positively Pre-cuts - guest fee \$5

For those who are interested, Scott Flanagan will give his program, "My Quilting Journey," in Torrington on Friday, April 11, 2025 at 7 p.m. Please contact Dee Haden at 307-534-6067, if you need more details about this program.

May 5, 2025 **Diana Clark, Bonnie Ross, and Sharon Waring**

Poly Rope Baskets

June 2, 2025 **Becky Riley** - Dresden Plates

July 7, 2025 **Michele Everts** - Judy Niemeyer Certified Instructor

Judy Niemeyer Paper Piecing Made Easy - guest fee \$5

August 4, 2025 Game Night/Social by the Hospitality Committee

*Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Meeting starts at 7 p.m.
Feel free to let Marci know if you have suggestions for programs.*

Small Groups

Afternoon Quilters

Debbie Baldwin

*Meets every Tuesday at the Library
Starts at 9:00 a.m.*

Community Quilts

Donna Dolan

*Meets second Wednesday of the month
at the Library. Starts at 10:00 or 11 a.m.
depending on room.*

Quilting Cowpokes

Quilts of Valor (QOV) Group

Marilyn Lanham

*Meets first Tuesday of month at
Our Savior Lutheran Church on
East Dell Range.*

*Bring a carry in lunch to share if you want.
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

Paper Piecers

Robin Dempsey

*Meets at the Library. See article for
upcoming dates.*

*The answer is Yesterday, Today,
and Tomorrow.*

Treasurer - Gina Vining

It is time to pay CHQ 2025 dues (\$30). I will have pre-filled out membership forms at the registration table at each membership meeting for those who were members last year. New members can find a form at the end of each newsletter and online at chquilters.org. Here's to a GREAT year.


Around the Block
QUILT SHOP

Winter Hours: M-S, 10-5:00
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Paper Piecing Fridays! - Robin Dempsey

Due to Library room conflicts on the first Fridays of March and April, we have moved our monthly sew days (for just these two months) to the second Friday of the month. Plan to join us in the Willow Room at the library on Friday, March 14, from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm, and Friday, April 11, from 11:15 am - 3:30 pm. Come and discover your inner paper-piecer!



New Member's Corner - Helen Jarvis

A Note to New Members - About Cheyenn Heritage Quiltes' Guest Policy

If you are ever curious, CHQ's "Guest Policy" is listed on the last page of our newsletter. Please invite your friends to attend our meetings and hopefully join us. All skill levels and even non-quilters are welcome. Non-members may attend two meetings at no charge.* On the third time attending,

we ask that they pay \$2 per meeting or join the club.*

*When we have a paid guest speaker, we ask that all guests pay a \$5 fee. The newsletter list of Programs will show what programs will charge \$5. This paid meeting

does not count against the two free meetings.

If you have questions, our greeter, Sharon W. can probably help you out.



If you are a new member and haven't received a packet with instructions for how to make your nametag, please let someone at the front desk know.



Please welcome our new members: Kathy Fales, Mary Wolf, Julie Schroyer and Kimberly Oberstadt.



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Americana
by Lori Holt of Two to my Street

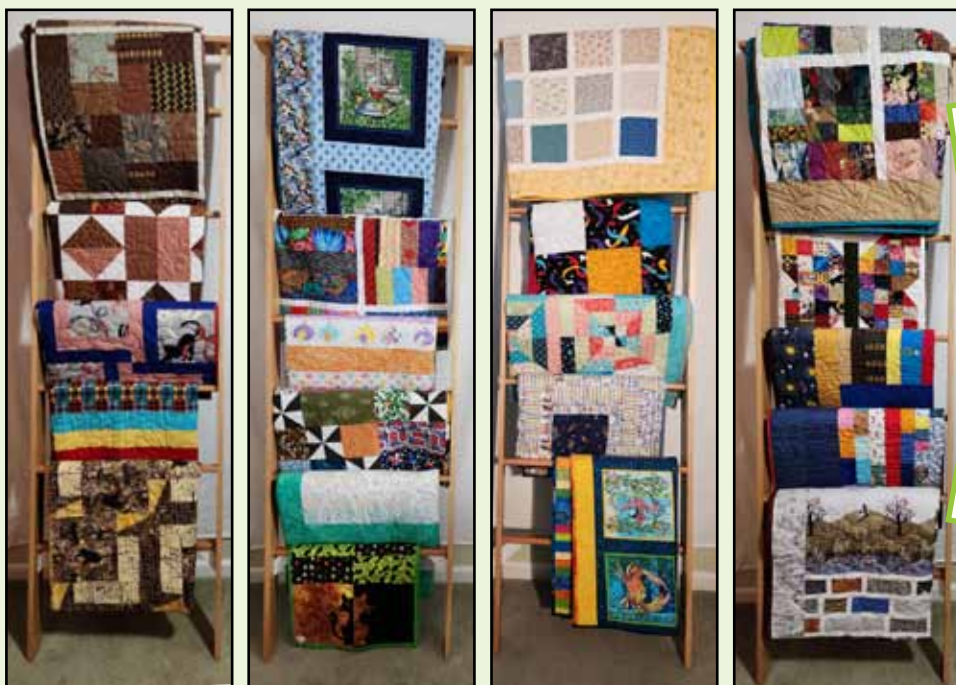


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COMMUNITY QUILTS - Donna Dolan and Laraine Hutchison



This month our Quilts are going out to the VA Women's Clinic and two Seniors Groups.

Community Quilts Sizes

Baby: 42" by any size
Lap/Youth: 45" or more by anything but less than twin
Adult lap quilts: 56" x 76"
Twin: 63" by 87"





Keith B.
Twin Scrapper Quilt



Stacy M.
Rainbow Waves Quilt

Show & Tell- February 3, 2025



Mary Ellen L.
Two Sided Table Runner



Angela M.
Crazy about Hearts & Stars Quilt



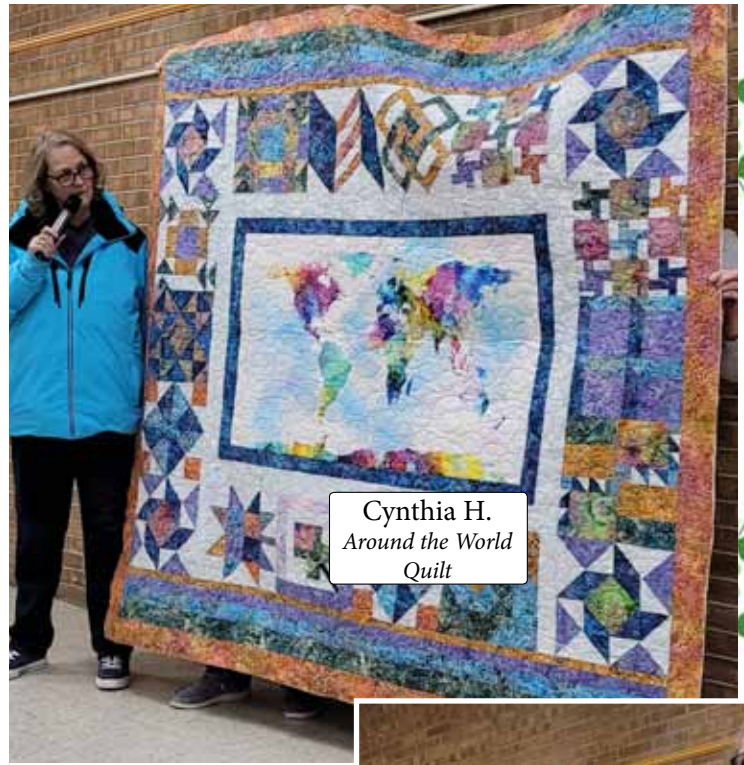
Cindi Y.
4 Quilts



Sheryl M.
Twinkle Block Quilt



Devonna R.
*Lepidoptera
(Butterflies) Quilt*



Cynthia H.
*Around the World
Quilt*



Gwen H.
Paper Pieced Quilt



Marci R.
Nana's Quilt



Cynthia H.
Living Free Quilt

Show & Tell - February 3, 2025



Mari H..
*Virginia Dale
Raffle Quilt*



Sandra D.
*Fun Shirt
Design*



Mari H.
*Christmas Table
Runner*



Donna G.
Community Quilt

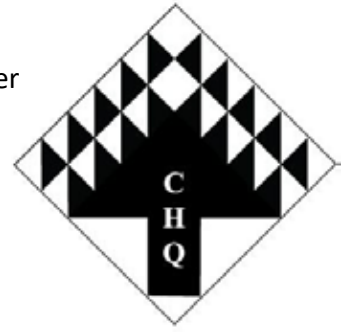
CHEYENNE HERITAGE QUILTER REGISTRATION FORM

Year _____

Please fill out and submit with \$30.00 to:

Cheyenne Heritage Quilters; P.O. Box 21194; Cheyenne, WY 82003; Attn: Treasurer

Your membership is valid from January through December



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

Renewal Membership New Member

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Name _____

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Updated 8-10-2024

General Club Information

Guest Policy

Please invite friends to attend meetings. All skill levels and non-quilters are welcome. Non-members may attend two meetings at no charge.* After attending two free meetings, the non-member must pay \$2.00 per meeting.

**If we have a paid speaker, the non-member must pay \$5, but this meeting will not count as one of their free meetings.*

Articles & Advertisements 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 e-mailed 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 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 most months starting at 7 p.m. Please view the newsletter for exact meeting dates and programs as we sometimes change meeting dates to avoid holidays. During the meetings you will have access to our library.

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Please feel free to come early and help set up or to socialize.

How to Reach Us

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