

Cheyenne Heritage Quilters

Patchwork Update

June 2023



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 - Carole Gardner

Hello. As I'm writing this we are having a lovely rain. I hope you are enjoying it. Rainy days always makes me want to quilt. And now, here's something I hope you'll enjoy reading.

Once upon a time - A true story

One day about 20 years ago, when I lived in Vernal Utah, I received a phone call from the Highway Patrolman from that area. He knew a Patrolman from the South West end of the state. (Vernal is all the way across the state in the North East side.) He asked me if I had made a quilt with specific "Vernal items" quilted on it. I could not remember that I did. Several days later I remembered that, indeed, I had made such a quilt, so I called him back. The gist of the story is this: A highway patrolman from Cedar City Utah, saw a bag along the side of the road, and stopped to pick it up. In it he found a quilt with specific Vernal, Utah things quilted on it. So he called his coworker in Vernal, who called me.

The other side of the story is that about a year earlier, I made a wedding quilt for a customer. The young couple promptly moved to southern Utah to attend school. After school, they were moving to Salt Lake city. {225 miles away} Unknown to them, while moving, their very special wedding quilt fell off the back of their pickup truck. They had no idea where it was.

Because of the extra effort of the Highway patrolman, they recovered their wedding quilt. It was fun to be part of such a happy story. Kudos to the patrolman for going the second mile in doing his duties. It brought this quote to mind. "Always do right. This will gratify some people, and astonish the rest. Mark Twain"

It is such a pleasure to see each one of you at the meetings. The next one will be June 5th. See you there.

June 5th Program - Gwen Harris

Fancy Ruler Techniques - Carol Deutcher and Valerie LeBrun

- Carol Deutcher started sewing in the 5th grade.
- Over the years her passion has gone from garment sewing to quilting. Carol has been making quilts for 27 years, has taught classes, and has been the President of her local quilt guild, Pieceable Friends for 2 years in Greeley. One of her quilts is published in the book, Sideways Spiral Quilts by RaNae Merrill. She enjoys quilting and finds it very relaxing.
- Valerie LeBrun has been quilting for over 33 years. Her favorites are memory and t-shirt quilts, and

challenging patterns. She also enjoys creating her own patterns for quilts and borders. Valerie has a store on ETSY where she sells quilts (which have been mailed all over the country). She teaches classes, sells fabric, has served as the Workshop Chairman for Pieceable Friends in Greeley, and two of her quilts are featured in RaNae Merrill's book, Sideways Spiral Quilts.

CHQ will be taking Carol and Valerie to dinner at Ike's Bar and Grill located at 122 West 6th Street, Cheyenne at 4:45 p.m. on Monday, June 5th before their program. Please know you will be responsible for the cost of your meal. Please RSVP to Gwen Harris by June 2nd at 775-934-4258 if you would like to join us:-)

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Around the Block QUILT SHOP

June Classes

Shakespeare in the Park June 10
Laura Heine June 17

Longarm Classes Wed June 7 & 21

The Clubs are FREE

Hand Work Club, all welcome Tuesdays 2-5
Knit Pickers' Club, all knitters & crocheters,
2nd & 4th Wed 2-5 (we'll help you get started!)

Embroidery Club, 2nd Sat of month 10-12

Winter hours - Hours: M-S 10-5 Closed Sundays

Summer Hours Starting May 21

Hours: M-S 1-6, Sundays 1-5

Closed 1st Sunday of the Month

Opening on Sundays

453 Vandehei Avenue, Suite 120 - 307-433-9555

See aroundtheblockquilts.com for full schedule

CHQ Library Joyce Holub

Hope to see you at the library table. We have many great books to share with you.



Click on
Picture to
go to site



I can't believe we are six months into 2023. June is weddings and what a better gift than a homemade quilt, Monogram Towels for that bride and Groom

I can now quilt California king size quilts 128 inches wide.

I have added another Bolt of fabric. Real Tree Fabric camouflage with the tree branches not the splotches. \$15.00 a yard while it lasts.

Town Hero Gnome fabric panel and the Garden Gnome panels. \$15.00 a panel.

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.

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

Paint Chip Challenge 2023

Debbie Baldwin and Gwen Harris

It is time to finish up your Paint Chip Challenge quilts. Bring them to the June 5 meeting and give them to Debbie Baldwin. The Challenge display will be at the July 17th meeting. The quilts will be voted on, winners will be awarded and you'll be able to take your projects home that night.

Remember to put a pocket on the back of your project to hold your paint chips.

If you have any questions, please contact Debbie 307-514-4244 (Dbaldwin11@aol.com) or

Gwen 775-934-4258

(gwenh0531@gmail.com)



2023 Programs

Gwen Harris, Vice-President, Programs Chairman

June 5, 2023	Carol Deutcher and Valerie LeBrun – Fancy Ruler Techniques
July 17, 2023	Jennifer Rapacki - Creativity Unleashed: Modern Technology for Quilters
Aug. 7, 2023	Debby Matlack - Needle Felting: Adventures with Wool and Ice Cream Social
Sept. 5, 2023	Tuesday evening – Susan Vincenzes – 37 Fat Quarters – A short film about the Downtown Abbey inspired fabrics.
Oct. 2, 2023	Cathy James – Sew Powerful

CHQ Round Robin - Cindi Young

There is still time to sign up for this year's Round Robin.

Choose a theme and make a center block that is 12.5" unfinished.

Dates to know:

- 1) **Now until July 25** - Sign up with Cindi Young at meetings or by email.
- 2) **August 7** - meeting - Center Block is due.
- 3) **September 4** - Meeting, Round One is due
- 4) **October 2** - Meeting, Round Two is due
- 5) **November 6** - Meeting, Round Three is due
- 6) **December 4** - Meeting, Bring project for Show and Tell



Contact Cindi Young for any questions:
970-631-7814 or cindiyoung69@gmail.com

Small Groups

Afternoon Quilters

Debbie Baldwin
Meets every Tuesday at the Library
Starts at 10:00 a.m.

Community Quilts

Donna Dolan
Meets second Wednesday of
the month at the Library
Starts at 10:00 a.m.

Quilts of Valor (QOV)

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.

Soaring Eagle Quilters

Quilts of Valor (QOV) Group

Cindi Young
Meets third Saturday of the month. at
Frontier United Methodist Church
Bring your own lunch
9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Paper Piecing

Robin Dempsey
Meets forth Friday at the Library
10:00 a.m. - 4 p.m.



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2023 Quilt Show Corner - Daenette More, Chairman

Hi Everyone!

Are you ready for the LAST REVEAL? After the June Meeting you will have all the information needed to volunteer, make a quilt, finish the challenge and get excited about the 2023 Quilt Show.

Remember the dates August 17-19th. Our Last Reveal is to let you in on something new at the quilt show that we have never done before, and that is the addition of flags on the quilt stands that designate the categories of the quilts on display. A flag map if you will, to help you find your quilts. Also to help you find the winning quilts for each category on Saturday when the

Peoples' Choice awards will be posted.

Don't remember what the categories for quilts are? Don't Fear! We have more hand-outs with qualifications of quilt size, etc. Do you remember how many quilts you can enter? Do you remember where to get the Call for Quilts sheet? Do you remember how to size your quilts? Do you remember what should be on the blurb for your quilt? Do you remember when everything needs to be turned in? Do you remember what volunteer positions you signed up for? Do you remember what you are bringing for the Bake Sale?

If you don't remember even one of

these questions, You need to be in attendance at our next meeting on June 5th, where all your questions will be explained! Hope to see you there. Come anyway, even if you know all the answers. We'll have fun!!!

FYI: Many of the answers are on our website in the Quilt Show Entry Form and the Boutique Donation Form.

chquilters.org

The next Quilt Show 2023 meeting will be at Laramie County Library on June 1 at 2:00 p.m.

Please enter quilts in the 2023 Quilt Show

- Cathy James, Call for Quilts Chairman

The Quilt Show Entry Form and The Information for Entering a Quilt(s) document are available on our website at chquilters.org. Print as many as you need. Forms will be available at the June CHQ meeting as well. If you have any questions about entering your quilt, please call, email or text Cathy.



Save the Date

Cheyenne Heritage Quilters'

Quilt Show

August 17 - 19, 2023

\$2 admission

Thursday, Aug. 17, 3 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 18, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 19, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

First United Methodist Church

108 E. 18th Street, Cheyenne, Wyoming



Check our online newsletter for up-to-date information at chquilters.org

Join us to see our Opportunity Quilt, Demonstrations, Boutique & lots of quilts

Library Quilt Display

CHQ's quilt display at the library will come down on the 8th of June. Since this is after our regular meeting, Debbie will be contacting those who displayed quilts by phone to make arrangements to meet and deliver your quilt. If you have questions, please call Debbie.

For Sale - It keeps coming up that folks we know have great things to sell, so we've decided to start a small area with items and phone numbers, so we all have a chance to get these things from our friends. You don't have to be a member to advertise here, and if we run out of room that month, this section can be left out.

Esther Trevino Neasloney, Selling a Q-Zone Hoop Frame Pro by Grace Co., 307-631-8092

Maggie Glick, Selling a Bernina B770 QE and more, 970-818-1041

New Members Corner

Helen Jarvis

WoW, I can't believe it's June already! This month we have two former members, who have renewed their memberships to CHQ. Please welcome Stacy Miller and Elaine Hartman back into the group. We're so glad to have them back with us.

Volunteer opportunity:

Where do the treats come from, when we take our breaks at our monthly meetings? They appear at each meeting brought by members who have signed up in advance to share some special recipes and treats.

Our Hospitality Committee takes sign-ups during the year and there is still time for you to help out. Each month this year has an assigned "color of treat" to bring. This "theme" changes each year depending on who volunteers to be in charge of Hospitality.

June's "color of the month" is "Multi-colored, so we can expect a rainbow of yummy treats to try. If you are interested in bringing a treat to one of our meetings, please contact Deb O'Grady to sign up.

Here's more information about this year's "snacks."

Hospitality Committee

Deb O'Grady

The Hospitality Committee is taking volunteer sign-ups to bring treats to our monthly meetings. We need more help and will be sending the sign-up sheet around at the March meeting to collect sign-ups or let Deb or Mary Jo know when you'd like to volunteer.

Each month has been assigned a different "Color" of treat, so get your creativity out of the drawer and let's have some fun.

We still need people to sign up. Hopefully one of these **Colors** (Months) will fit with something you've been wanting to make.

- June (**Multi-Color**)
- July (**Red/White/Blue**) - Need more volunteers.
- September (**Any Color**) - Need more volunteers.
- October (**Orange**) - Need more volunteers.
- November (**Brown**) - Need more volunteers
- August **Cookie Party** & December (**Christmas Party**)

June 5th
Please make enough
Multi-Colored goodies for two
dozen people.

Marci Rulon
Darlene McClure
Arlene Flood
Penny Olive
Helen Jarvis

Community Quilts

What a marvelous array of community quilts we have this month.

Way to
sew!



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"

May 1st Program - Gwen Harris Kara Enyeart - Appliqué/Handwork

In April 2014 Kara Enyeart and her husband purchased Quilt Essentials, located in historic downtown Laramie, Wyoming. The store was established in 2002 and continues to meet the needs of Laramie and outlying areas.

Quilt Essentials has frequent fabric turnover, specializes in reproductions, batiks, juvenile, flannel, and has an extensive color wall. Kara provides a diverse range of quilting classes and quilting clubs for adults and children, as well as special exhibits and frequent events.

She shared her love of handwork with us and invited us to join her "Dear Jane Support Club" or the "A" Team group (See Photos)

Hopefully you will get a chance to shop at Quilt Essentials and maybe join one of Kara's groups.



Debbie B., Liz I., Debbie M., Marci R., Cindi Y. and Diana C.



Donna D.
Community Quilt

Show and Tell

June 5, 2023



Mary Ellen L.
Reversible
Quilt-As-You-Go
table runner



Bonnie R.
"Birds"



Sharon W.
Summer and Stars Quilt



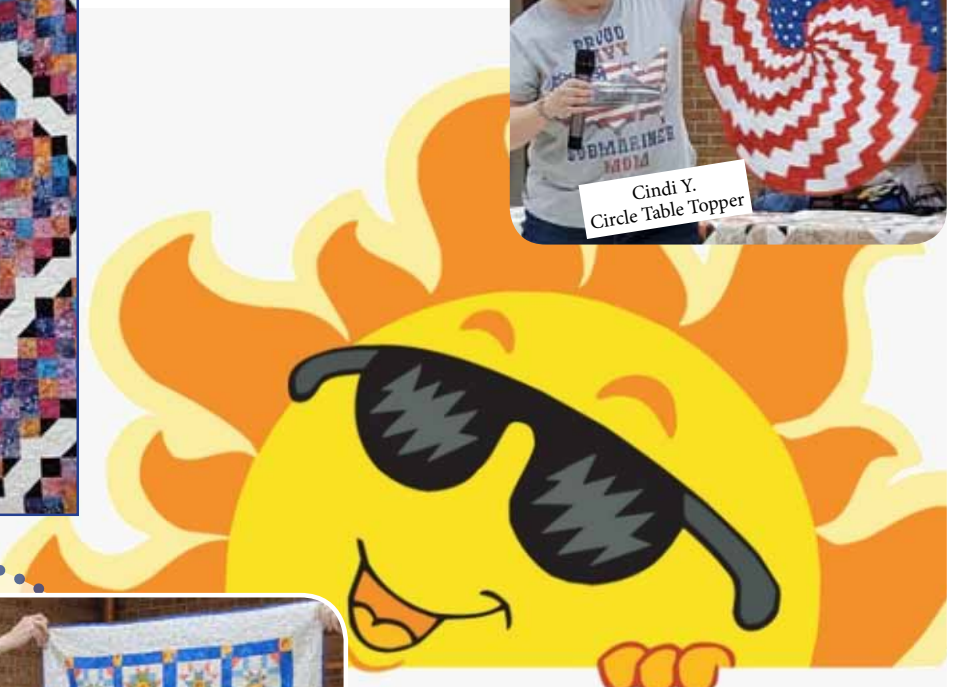
Ione P. Quilted Jacket



Debbie B.
Paper Pieced Quilt



Cindi Y.
Circle Table Topper



Marci R.
Her quilt backs are so creative.



Kathie K.
T-shirt Quilt...on point.
WOW!

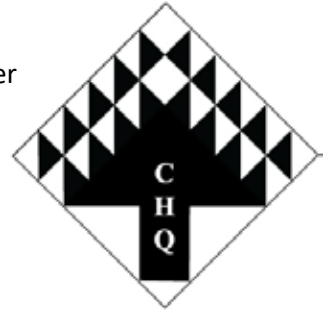
CHEYENNE HERITAGE QUILTER REGISTRATION FORM

Year _____

Please fill out and submit with \$20.00 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

Please Print

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Cell Phone _____ Landline _____

Email _____

_____ Office Use _____

Amount Paid: _____ Cash _____ Check number: _____

Updated 4-2-2023

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 free unless we have a paid guest speaker, then guests are asked to pay a \$5 fee. On the third and subsequent meetings, the non-member must pay \$2.00 unless membership dues are paid.

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 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 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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