

# Cheyenne Heritage Quilter's Patchwork Update



January / February 2011

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

## Note from the President!

President: Esther Trevino-Neasloney

*Goodbye 2010 - Hello 2011!*

*It's hard to believe that 2010 has already come and gone. I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday and here's wishing you all a great new year!*

*We can now start thinking about all the new and fun projects we have been eager to begin. Some resolutions I have made to myself are to get all my UFOs completed (well, at least 5), learn a new technique in quilting, and start designing my garden in anticipation of the warm weather.*

*It's only been four months since the beginning of the 2010-2011 year for CHQ, but much has been accomplished. All the committee chairs have been working hard, and one of the big goals for the guild, the CHQ website, has been realized. Something we hear often this time of year is "New year, new you," and this certainly rings true for the CHQ. The creation of the new website has at last catapulted us into the 21<sup>st</sup> century! With this exciting new leap into the land of Green, let us pledge as a group to treat the environment with the same care and reverence that we show our quilts. Though by itself insignificant, something as small as a stitch can, when done over and over, keep a quilt beautiful for decades. In the same way, it's the small actions like going paperless that help keep our world beautiful for generations to come.*

*Esther*

January 17<sup>th</sup>, Carole Gardner presents "Long Arm Quilting"



**Sneak Peak  
of Coming  
Events**

February 7<sup>th</sup>, Kathy Sconce will talk about her "Red Work"



## 2010 – 2011 Officers & Committee Chairs

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**President:** Esther Trevino-Neasloney

**Vice President/Programs:** Joy Torelli

**Secretary/Treasurer:** Sandy Farrell

**Challenge Quilt 2011:** Barb Gorges,  
Lois B. Hansen

**Challenge Quilt 2012:** Pat Messer

**Community Quilts:** Janet Osborn(Chairman)  
Jo Ellen Mass (Co-chairman)

**Cowboy Fest 2011:** VACANT

**Historian:** Nancy Williams

**Hospitality/Greeters:** Carolyn Morris

**Librarian:** Linda Herget

**Round Robin:** Sue Frerich

**Raffle Quilt 2011 Tickets:** Cindy Paul, Kathy Sconce

**Social Committee:** Donna Dolan, Anna Eggleston

**Raffle Quilt 2011:** Carole Gardner

**Trunk Show:** VACANT

**Round Tuit:** Darlene McClure (Chair)  
Robin Theobald (Co-Chair)

**Quilt Show 2011:** Barb Gorges (Chairman)  
VACANT (Chairman-elect)

**Update Editor:** Penny Morris

**Web mistress:** Barb Gorges, Robin Theobald

**New Members:** Mona Weeks

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Quilted Corner .....638-2002

Carole Gardner .....634-9346

### QUILT TEACHERS

Barb Gorges.....634-0463

Quilt Essentials .....742-6156

Quilted Corner .....638-2002

### QUILT DOCUMENTATION

Anne Olson .....742-9144

### QUILT APPRAISERS

Jan Sears .....308-262-1031

Jeananne Wright .....303-772-7684

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Marilyn Carlson.....630-2508  
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Jana Ginter .....649-2422  
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Mary Levenhagen.....638-8571  
(piecing & hand-quilting)

Adell VanPatten-Gorney ...632-1764  
(UFO eliminator)

## Programs / 2011 Vice President, Joy Torelli

October 4	"Quilt Friends" small group presentation.
October 16	(Saturday) - 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. "Got Scraps" workshop with Daenette More
October 18	Halloween Hilarity! Halloween themed quilts! Plus Halloween goodies.
November 1	"Get to Know the New Facility and New Board Members.
November 6	(Saturday) 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. "Got Scraps" workshop with Daenette More
November 15	Sue Frerich, Featured Quilter
December 6	Sherry Reynolds, Featured Quilter. Also Round Robin Exchange.
January 3	New Year Party and Trivet Swap.
January 17	Carole Gardner and Friends, "All About Longarm Quilting". This is a sample of Carole's quilting. Also Round Robin Exchange.
February 7	Kathy Sconce, "Red Work Review" (Members should bring any quilt with Red Work (or any color Work), embroidery or red fabric).
February 21	To Be Announced (TBA) and Round Robin Exchange
March 7	TBA
March 21	TBA
April 4	TBA and Round Robin Exchange
April 18	TBA
May 2	TBA
May 14	Round Robin Luncheon at Sue Frerich's house
May 16	Round Robin Show and Tell (Lead by Sue Frerich)
June 20	Patricia Hall, Featured Quilter. Appliqué and Beading on quilts.
July 18	
August 15	
August 24-27	CHQ Quilt Show

### OPPORTUNITIES TO GIVE BACK TO THE GUILD!

There are still several openings for Cheyenne Heritage Officers and Committee Chairs. This is your opportunity to give back to the guild by volunteering for one of these positions:

- Cowboy Fest 2011 – June 11, 10:00 to 2:00. Collect quilt blocks from Guild members for kids to hand quilt. Set up work station; bring supplies; work with the kids
- Publicity – is responsible for insuring all CHQ meetings and events are announced to the community. Provide information to the newspapers, TV, radio stations, etc.
- Trunk Show – CHQ's educational trunk show was instituted about 15 years ago and consists of two suitcases of small quilts used to explain quilting and its history to school and community groups. The new chair would update the talk, and quilts if necessary, schedule requests for presentations and recruit members to help give the presentations or to be the main presenters.

To volunteer for one of these positions please contact Esther Trevino-Neasloney at 307-631-8092 or quiltertn@bresnan.net

## Round Robin Update

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2010 – 2011 Chair: Sue Frerich

The Round Robin group has finished the first round of borders and has passed their projects on for the second round of borders. The next exchange will take place on January 17<sup>th</sup>.

I've heard great comments from participants about the projects they have received. Without giving away any surprises I can only say that the creative juices are flowing!

Please remember to be considerate of others in your group and have your project finished on time. If you cannot attend the night of the exchange, please call the people who are affected in your group before the meeting to make alternative arrangements.

## Website News!

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Web Mistress: Barb Gorges

CHQ's new website launched! In December the Cheyenne Heritage Quilters' new website, [www.chquilters.org](http://www.chquilters.org), was launched. The website includes information on how to attend our meetings, a list of kinds of guild activities, the guild calendar, a gallery of photos from our past activities, and recent guild newsletters.

Please share the website address with your quilting friends. We hope it acts as an invitation to join our guild as well as a place for members to double check on guild activities and read the newsletter.

So far, about 24 members have indicated that they want to receive monthly email reminders to read the latest newsletter online, which saves the guild printing and postage costs, as well as newsletter editor Penny Morris's time. Please let her know by sending her an email at [wypwm@live.com](mailto:wypwm@live.com), if you would also like to read the newsletter online—and see the quilt photos in color.

## CHQ Member News

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CHQ members, Pat Messer, Esther Trevino-Neasloney, Joy Torelli and Lois B. Hansen will be exhibiting their wall quilts at the Nagle Warren Mansion. The show will be on display beginning January 13<sup>th</sup> through the end of January. Meet the artists on the night of the art tour, Jan 13<sup>th</sup>, from 5 to 8 PM. Stop by, admire the mansion and talk about the fine art of quilting. <http://artdesignanddine.blogspot.com/>

## CHQ quilt show 2011

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2011 Quilt Show Chair: Barb Gorges, [bgorges4@msn.com](mailto:bgorges4@msn.com)

Quilt show preparations continue A second general planning meeting for the CHQ quilt show will be held Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 7 p.m. at Barb Gorges's house, 3417 Yucca Rd. There are committee positions, such as Silent Auction, that are still open. Please call Barb if you would like to volunteer and/or plan to attend the meeting, 634-0463.

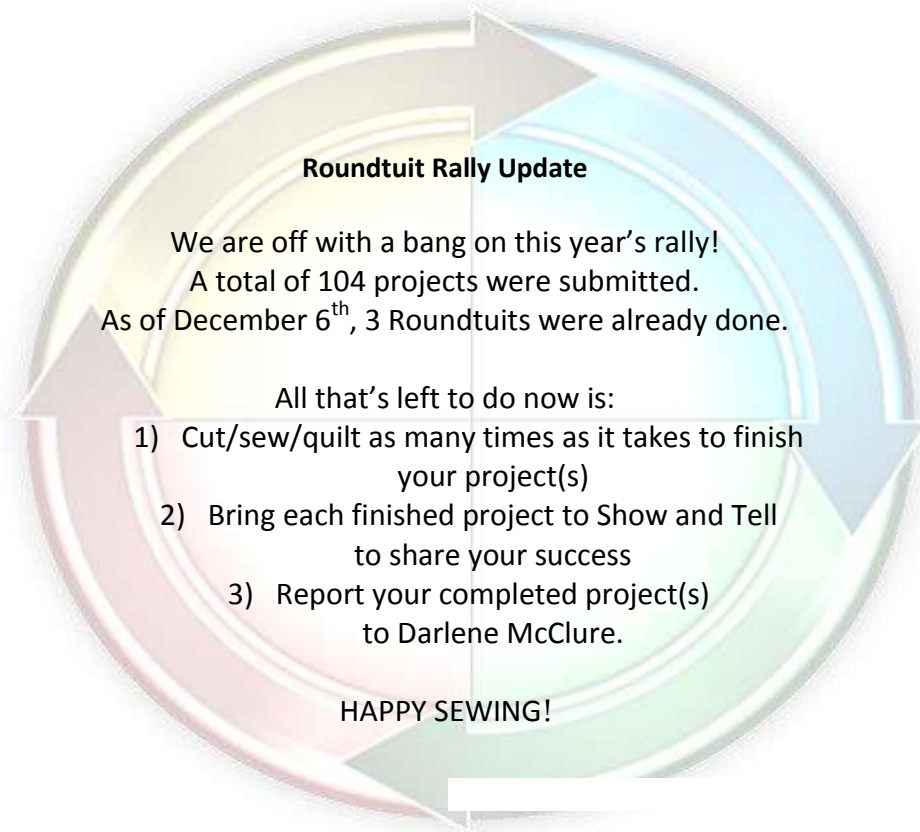
If you have any publicity contacts, publications or websites for publicizing the quilt show, or vendors we should send an invitation to, please call Barb or email her at [bgorges4@msn.com](mailto:bgorges4@msn.com).

The quilt show, named "Recycle Tradition," will be Aug. 25-27 at First United Methodist Church.

## ROUNDTUIT RALLY – 2011

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Roundtuit: Darlene McClure, Chair, Robin Theobald, Co-Chair



## Regional Events

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NOTE: If you have announcements related to awards or entries in shows or other items related to CHQ members, please submit to: Penny Morris, Newsletter Editor, at [wypwm@live.com](mailto:wypwm@live.com).

### Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum-1213 Washington Avenue- Golden, CO.

*November 2, 2010-January 29, 2011* Home for the Holidays: Red and Green Extraordinaire

*February 1-April 30, 2011* Over Here: Quilt making that saw U. S. through the War Years: Quilts from the collection of Sue Reich

*August 2-October 29, 2011* Evolutions Featured Artist

*November 1, 2011-January 28, 2012* Treasures from the permanent collection

<https://rmqm.org/zz/home-mainmenu-1.html>

### January 2011

Cheyenne, WY January 13<sup>th</sup> through January 31<sup>st</sup>

Pat Messer, Esther Trevino-Neasloney, Joy Torelli and Lois B. Hansen will be exhibiting their wall quilts at the Nagle Warren

Longmont, CO January 15 through March 13

America Celebrates! Quilts of Joy and Remembrance

The Longmont Museum and Cultural Center

The 56 art quilts in this exhibit, by quilters from across the U.S., celebrate holidays, events and special occasions, from the Fourth of July to the Festival of the Buddha to weddings, births and new homes.

<http://www.ci.longmont.co.us/museum/exhibits/america-celebrates.html>

### February 2011

Riverton, WY February 12-13

Wyoming Start Quilt Guild Quilt Show, Aspen Elementary School, e-mail: Marlys Bias, [mbias1@msn.com](mailto:mbias1@msn.com)

### March 2011

Buffalo, WY March 2011

Buffalo Quilt Show put on by the County Library and Buffalo Quilting Gals, Johnson County Library

### June 2011

Green River, WY June 2-4

"Quilting on the Green", Lisa Twitchell, Chairman, [lisa@keamsaquilts.com](mailto:lisa@keamsaquilts.com), 307-875-5461

### July 2011

Powell, WY July 14 -17

Quilt Wyoming, 2011, "Simple Pleasures", Northwest College, Powell, WY

### September 2011

Torrington, WY September 16-18

"Quilts Along the Platte", Rendezvous Center, Goshen County Fairground

### July 2012

Sheridan, WY July 19-21

Quilt Wyoming, 2012, Sheridan Community College

### September 2012

Torrington, WY Sept 17-19

"Quilts Along the Platte", Rendezvous Center, Goshen County Fairground

**Hoffman Challenge** [www.hoffmanchallenge.com/challenge2011.html](http://www.hoffmanchallenge.com/challenge2011.html) See the new fabric, and rules here. If you have questions about participating, Pat Messer has entered before and been chosen to be included in the traveling display, so she is a terrific resource.

**Wyoming State Quilt Guild** keeps an up-to-date list of events happening in Wyoming. Be sure to go to their site and check it out...as well as plans for this year's Quilt Wyoming to be held in Powell and photos of last year's event. Membership information is available at their site: [www.wsqg.org](http://www.wsqg.org).

### Minutes

Update Editor Judy Gilmore and Penny Morris

#### 11-15-10

Esther gave some announcements at the beginning of the meeting. First off we need a Newsletter Editor as Judy has resigned after taking it on at the last minute this fall. Then Esther talked about an entry opportunity at AmericanQuilter.com. The deadline was short. We welcomed one guest, Karolyn Wayl. Cindy Paul asked us to please return any quilt blocks for the Raffle Quilt by December 6th. If you can't get them to the meeting, please let Cindy know and she will come pick them up. Robin Theobald told us all about the traits of a "true quilter" that has many unfinished projects hiding in their closets. She recommended that we join the Round Tuit project this year and get some of those "UFOs" finished this year. There will be many prizes and much fun had by those that join up. There are still some positions to be filled for the club. We need someone to be in charge of Cowboy Fest in June, of Publicity and of the Trunk Show. Call Esther if you have questions or are interested in taking on about any of these positions. Then it was time for our wonderful "Featured Quilter," Sue Frerich. Her path through



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before Christmas*

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quilting has been long and varied. She is always exploring and learning and stretching her own boundaries. And, she is willing to share what she has learned. You can sign up for classes taught by Sue at "Around the Block" quilt store in Cheyenne if you want to join Sue's quilt journey. Show and Tell included many of the quilts made at Daenette More's "Got Scraps" quilt class featuring a tricky circle technique. The samples were great to see and there were many different "looks" in the group. Here are all the names I wrote down (if not all who showed quilts, which is my hope) of the quilts shown belonged to the following

members: Mary Chambers, Barbara Stugart, Joan Schick, Carolyn Adolphson, Julie Tottingham, Donna Dolan, Lois Miller, Joy Torelli, Bea Dersham, Sandy Farrell, Sylvia Garafalo, Marilyn, Bonnie Chapman, Mary Harpold, Christine Carozza, Nancy Williams, Mona Weeks, Esther Trevino, and Donna Groesbeck. There was more show and tell as well, by Carolyn Adolphson, Donna Dolan, Barbara Stugart, Joan Schick, Mary Chambers, Lois Miller, and Julie Tottingham. All-in-all a very nice meeting and some great quilts to see

**December 6, 2010**

**Location:** United Methodist Church

**Announcements:**

- Marilyn Carlson's mother died unexpectedly. Guild members were asked to keep Marilyn and her family in their thoughts and prayers.
- Joy Torelli reminded members to bring in Hobbs packages. The guild has been able to take advantage of an offer from Hobbs to obtain free batting. Bring in the UPC label.
- Robin Theobald announced that this meeting would be the last time to submit a "Roundtuit". This year's efforts have been very successful.
- Sandy Farrell, Treasurer, told the group she will not be ordering additional 2011 calendars. Anyone interesting in obtaining a 2011 calendar is able to order individually through AQS.
- Sue Frerich reminded everyone that Round Robins would be passed on tonight. The next date of an exchange will be January 17<sup>th</sup>.

- Next meeting will be Jan 3, 2011. At that meeting members who are interested will exchange trivets. There will also be a pot luck. Members were encouraged to bring any type of dish; no sign up sheet will be circulated.

<b>Door Prizes:</b>	
Jean McClellan	Fabrics
Nancy Williams	Fabrics
Donna Groesbeck	Fabrics
Donna Dolan	Underground Railroad book
Linda Brunner	Fabrics
Joanne Coleman	Fabrics
Penny Morris	Appliqué holder
Anna Eggeston	Calendar
Laraine Hutchison	Fabrics

**Visitors who attended:** Georgia Rowswell, Meghan, Rowswell, Janet Calkins, Patricia Hall, Betty Squires

**Show & Tell:**

Sylvia Garafalo	Lap quilt, made as a gift for a friend
Mary Harpold	Got scraps, a project from Daenette's class, Flannel snowflake, a gift for her sister-in-law
Jeannie Wilson	Displayed several "finds" from this year's Christmas house: a denim purse, trivet made from a CD and a pin cushion
Anna Eggleston	Completed the quilt top she made from the purple friendship stars she received in thanks for being last year's Guild Vice President
Bonnie Chapman	Rolling Fields quilt and 2 angel wall hangings
Alice Perry	Parrot quilt made from a panel that came from Argentina
Denise Curtis	Variable Star quilt
Donna Dolan	Displayed the quilt made from the purple friendship stars she received in recognition for being last year's Guild President, a Sudoku quilt, 2 quilts made from denim, a community quilt, 2 doll quilts and 3 "Roundtuits"

**Dec 6<sup>th</sup> Speaker:**

Sherry Reynolds, a native of Laramie, WY and an award winning quilter spoke to the Guild about her quilting techniques. Sherry uses a lot of paper piecing to create her amazing quilts. Sherry displayed several of her quilts; among them were 3 of her recent efforts: Reynold's Crossing, My Wyoming Valley and All Around Christmas. Reynold's Crossing has won many awards and been featured in Quilter's Newsletter. My Wyoming Valley and All Around Christmas have won many quilting awards.



1-3-2011

**Announcements:**

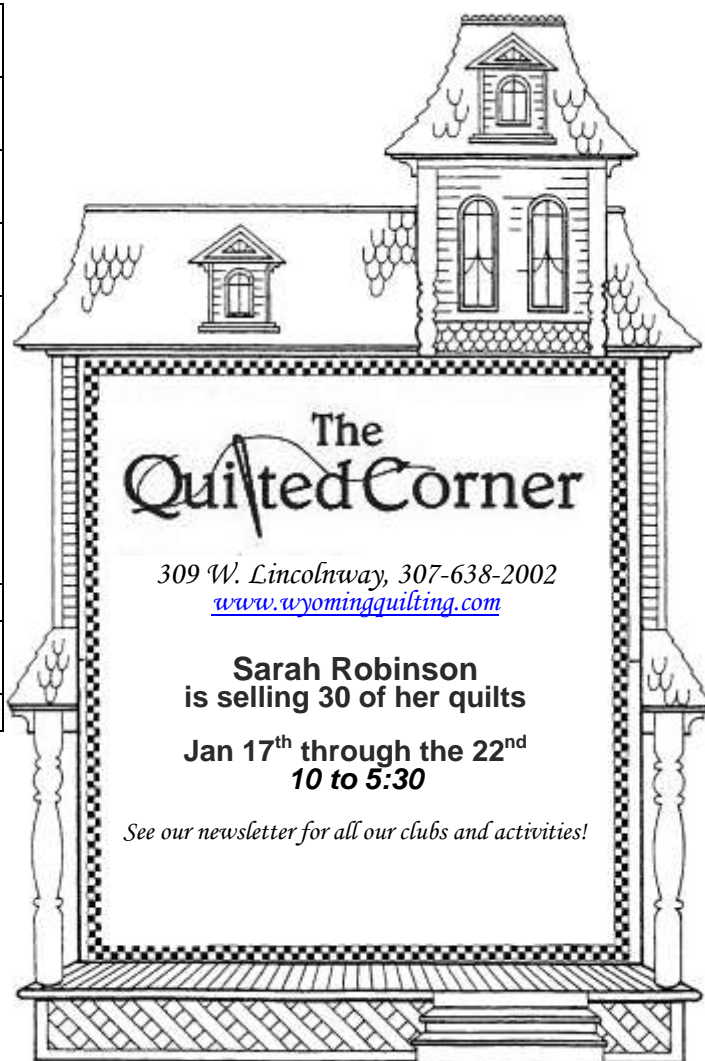
- Joy announced 4 guild members will have quilts hanging in the Nagel Warren Mansion in Jan. Jane Osborn brought Community Quilt kits to give to willing members
- Barb Gorges announced the guild website is now up and operational. [www.chquilters.org](http://www.chquilters.org)
- Penny told the group the deadline for submitting material for the next newsletter is this Wed, Jan 5.
- Lois Hanson has challenge quilt packets of recycled material, the theme of this year's challenge, for any interested member.
- Carole Gardner is working to complete the raffle quilt top. She hopes it is complete by the next meeting.
- Donna Dolan asked whether another member of the UFO group would be willing to host the next meeting.

**Guest:** Jane Reed – Jane also joined the guild. She is a newer quilter with what she calls limited experience but has a quilting machine she hopes to use making lots of Linus quilts.

**Activities:** Members present enjoyed a pot luck of a variety of dishes brought by many of the members. Following the pot luck, most members exchanged trivets. Donna Dolan lead the group in a game of Right / Left to determine whose trivet each member received.

**Show and Tell:**

Jo Ellen Mass	A landscape created by fabric artist Jo Diggs from Portland, ME
May Levenhagen	A quilt made of embroidered snowmen made by her mother-in-law
Daenette More	Spinning Stars Quilt – Daenette will teach this technique at a class in March
Carole Gardner	The quilt she made in Daenette's class this past fall
Donna Dolan	1 Round Tuit – a quilt for her husband; several inherited quilted / crafted pieces: 1 scrappy quilt made in IA by her grand mother, 1 heavy wool tied quilt, a sampler started by her mother and Donna finished, a quilt made for her brother when her retired, a counted cross stitch piece made by her brother
Alice Perry	Fabric post card
Linda Brunner	Christmas table quilt, monkey wrench quilt top





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