Cheyenne Heritage Quilters

Patchwork Updatz April 2024

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

President's Message - Diana Clark

April Showers or Snow Showers! We should be into Spring! The calendar says we are. Fingers crossed. I'm looking forward to warmer weather and to be inspired by blooming flowers, green grass, and more fabric. How many have signed up for Carol's Round Tuit? I have. I so need to get done some Un Dunits taking up space in my house. I want to thank Cathy James (2024 Opportunity Quilt) and Linda Stearns (Librarian), members of CHQ who have stepped up to join the club's leadership. Thanks so much.

I hope everyone is excited for warm weather, sewing, and quilting for lots of pretty quilts. Can't wait to see them in Show and Tell.

There is no such thing as too much fabric. There is however, such a thing as not enough room.

April 1 Program - Finishing Your Quilt

Our April 1st program will be demonstrations by members sharing some tips and tricks for "Finishing your Quilts." Come and hear from:

Carole Gardner about Bias Curved Binding,

Debbie Baldwin about Quilt Sleeves & other ways to hang quilts, Mari Harpold about Flange two color binding, and Robin Dempsey about Straight Grain Machine Binding.

Website Jnfo - Judy Gilmore

In an effort to find a better way to share the Membership Roster each year, the Board has approved trying out a password protected PDF Roster online.

You can find the link to this PDF at the bottom of our webpage. Click on the words "Members Only" in the list of Forms and Info 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 password from Judy Gilmore at a meeting. We ask that you keep this password secure. It will change each year.

If you have trouble or have questions, please call Judy Gilmore - 307-331-0702



2024 Programs

Gwen Harris, Vice-President, Programs Chairman

Finishing Your Quilt

	Carole Gardner – Bias Curved Binding
April 1, 2024	Debbie Baldwin – Quilt Sleeves & other ways to hang quilts
	Mari Harpold – Flange two color binding
	Robin Dempsey – Straight Grain Machine Binding

April 15, 2024 **Board Meeting** – 6:30 p.m.

April 26 & 27, 2024 9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

a.m. – 4:30 p.m. One Block Wonder with Panels Class by Lauren Andrist Each Day

May 6, 2024 Joan Sowada – Why Do I Make Art? Guest fee \$5

June 3, 2024 Pat Syta & Mimi Hollenbaugh - Our Seven-Year Journey Guest fee \$5

July 1, 2024 **Judy Gilmore** – Drawing is a four letter word.

Please let Gwen know if you have any suggestions for programs.

Luann Roberts

Upcoming Class Sample

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 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 fourth Friday at the Library 10:15 a.m. - 3 p.m.



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Paper Piecers Robin Dempsey We will have two sewing days in April be sewing at the library in the Willow Room from 10:15 - 3 or 3:30. Remember, all are welcome as long as you are working on a paper piecing project Medding Star Table Topper, that is not requirement o come and join in on the fun! If you have a passion for paper piecing, or just a genuine see what we are observed.



New Members Corner - Helen Jarvis

Please welcome our newest members - Glenn Baldwin, Sheryl McDaniel and Gina Vining

A note to new members - About our Opportunity Table and our Library

Opportunity Table: We have a table in the back of the room with free things. Members pass on quilting supplies, books, patterns etc, free for anyone who is interested in taking them. Sometimes we also put small fliers about upcoming events or things for sale on this table. The only rule is that if what you put an item on the table that doesn't get picked up by the end of the meeting, please take it home. **Library:** Our club library is set up on rolling carts in the back of the room and is open during meetings each week. It is full of quilting books (techniques and/or patterns), mystery novels, paperbacks and hard cover books and so on. Members are asked to sign out the borrowed book(s) and return them in a reasonable time.

We don't have a librarian yet this year, so if you are interested in volunteering, please let our president know. And we can always use help at the end of a meeting putting the carts away.



New members and Guests at March Meeting



Well April is here. I am slowly unpacking from our move out of the trailer park to our place on Jenkins Street on the North side of town. I have a friend that has a longarm machine that is letting me quilt my my customer's orders. The Quilt shop is one we split in half and moved to the property. Hopefully, we will have the cement poured and my embroidery and guilting room together before too long.

Have a great month and thanks to all my quilting buddies for their patience as get things back to normal. Click on Picture to go to site

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

Questions to ask your Longarm Quilter. Do you want it quilted beyond the edge or just to the edge with ¼ inch for your binding? Do you want the binding put on by your Longarm Quilt or you will do it yourself.

Round Tuit Carole Gardner

Sorry I missed the March meeting, but you can still sign up for the Round Tuit activity at April's general meeting. If you took a paper from Judy Gilmore at the March meeting, please come see me, I have something for you and I'd like you to sign my list of participants.

Round Tuit means you look at all your Unfinished Projects (UFOs) and decide which ones you want to get "AROUND TO" doing this year...You know, get a "Round Tuit!"

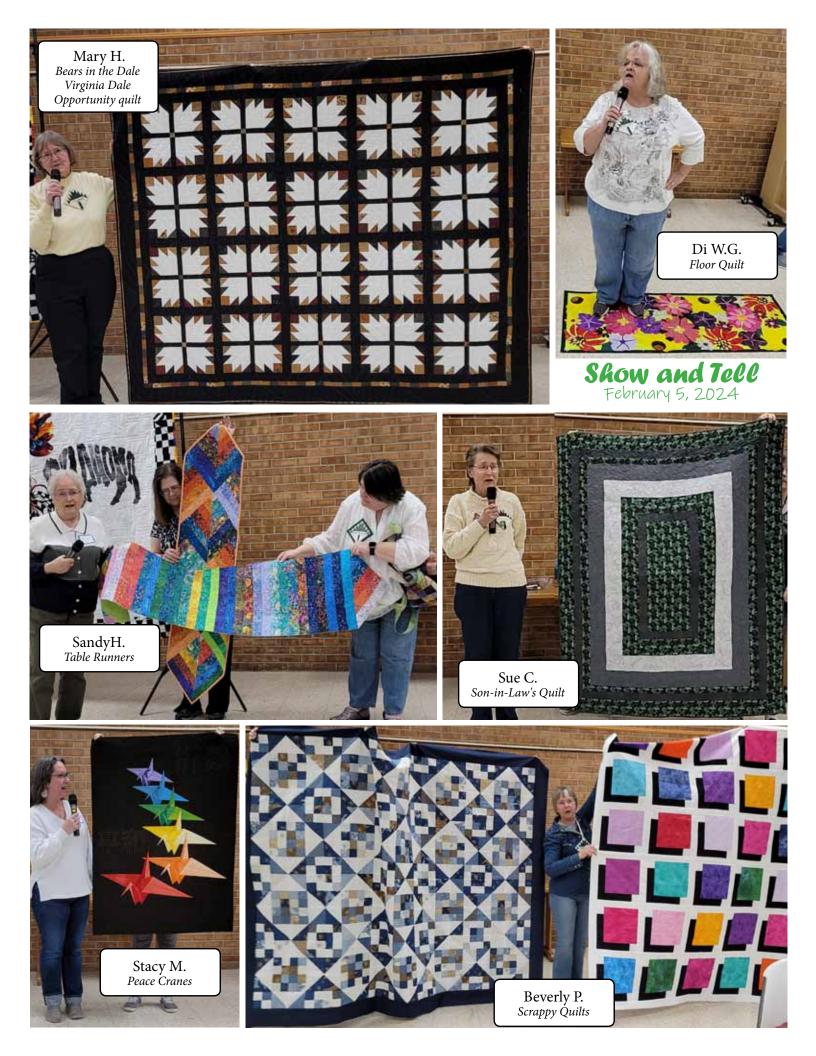
I will give you an actual "Round Tuit,"so you won't have any more reasons to avoid finishing some of your UFOs and you'll have a chance to win something fun as well.

Hope you all want to participate, but remember, participation is not required.

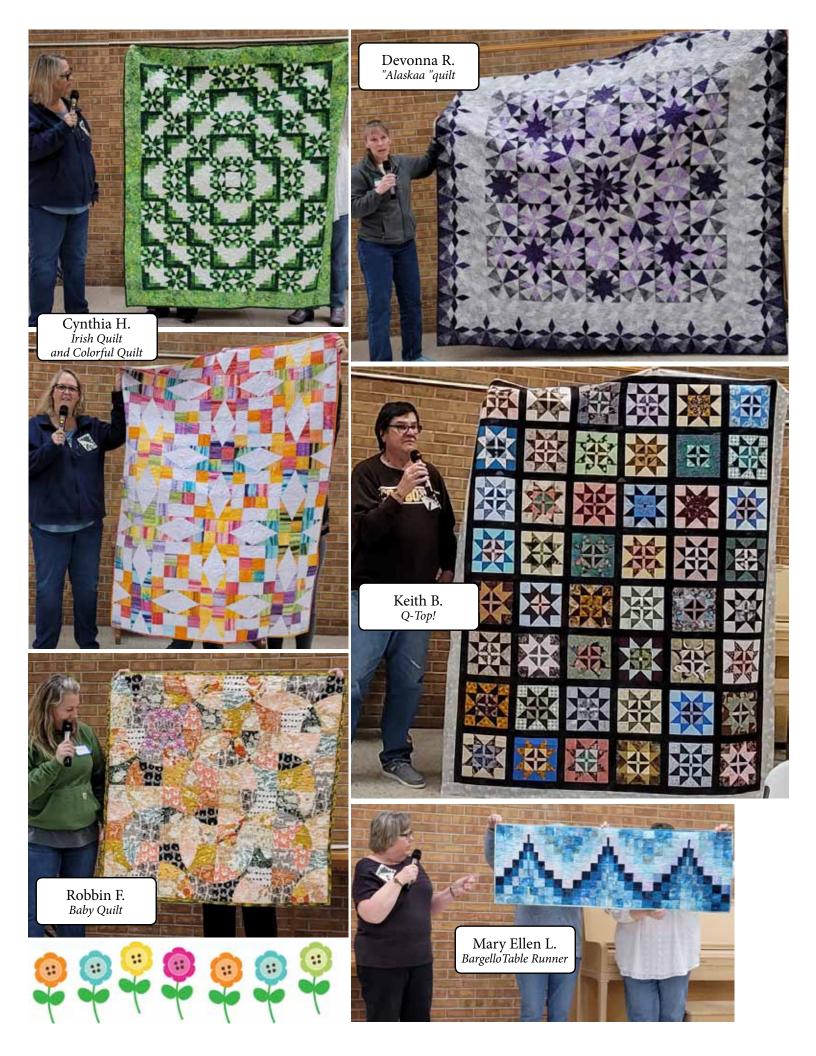
Let's have some fun.

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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.
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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.

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