

Cheyenne Heritage Quilters Patchwork Update

October 2025

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

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October 6, 2025 Program - Diane Harris - Extraordinary Scrap Quilts

Diane Harris is a quilter who loves everything about the process of quilting and enjoys sharing it with others. She has been sewing for almost 50 years and quilting for three decades. "I can't imagine ever running out of ideas", she commented. She creates interesting, and unusual designs out of SCRAPS.

For 11 years, Diane was an editor for Quiltmaker magazine where she wrote patterns, product reviews and how-to articles. Her quilt designs can still be seen regularly in the pages of Quiltmaker, McCall's Quilting and Quick Quilts.



CHQ will tale Diane Harris to dinner on October 6 at 4:45 p.m. at Two Doors Down at 118 E. 17th Street. Each member will be responsible for the cost of their own meal. Please RSVP to Marci Rulon at 401-359-6235 by Friday, October 3rd if you plan on attending. Thank you!

President's Message - Diana Clark

Fall has fallen upon us

And with it comes cold weather, colors and falling or just falling, shorter days. A perfect time to make warm cozy quilts.

Some very special days in October. Halloween 31st (in case you didn't know), Columbus Day 13th, Oktoberfest who knows what day or days. It's Breast Cancer Awareness Month and National Pizza Month.

Don't forget we need to elect a new president and secretary. Find someone. Also, we want to start a new program for our new members. We need people to volunteer to become Ambassadors!

Hey, we have an Open Sew Day on October 15 at the church, from 9-4 and Paper Piecing on October 10 from 10-3 as well as all the other special days to get together to sew shown in the newsletter.

Come on out and sew with friends!

What do you call a quilt that is always on time?

StarQuar Scrap Quilt By Diane Harris, The Stash Bandit

Tuesday, October 7, 2025 / 10:00 am to 4:00 pm
Hosted at - Laramie County Library, Cottonwood Room

In this class, you will find out how to mix your scraps into a wonderful quilt using imagination, improv, and color magic. Cut scraps into one useful patch size and make these blocks without any fuss at all. Let Diane show you the secrets to great scrap quilts. You won't want to miss it!

\$60 for CHQ members / \$70 for nonmembers

Minimum / Maximum number of participants 20 / 24

Please bring a bag lunch

**Signup with Marci Rulon
CHQ Program Director**

Supply list included with payments

Registration confirmed upon payment



REMINDER - StarQuar Workshop

The stash buster workshop is almost here. The workshop begins at 10:00 a.m. at the Laramie County Library, Cottonwood room until 4:00 p.m. Please bring a bag lunch or eat at the luncheonette at the Library. Do not forget your supply list of items, extension cords, power supplies, masking/painters tape, small irons and cutting mats. I will have two large ironing boards and irons set up, a design board and a cutting station available.

Looking forward to seeing you all and all those 2.5" scraps!

2025 Programs -

Marci Rulon, Vice-President, Programs Chairman

October 6, 2025	Diane Harris - Extraordinary Scrap Quilts - guest fee \$5
October 7, 2025 Tuesday	Diane Harris - Workshop - StarQuar Quilt - Scrap Quilt
October 20, 2025	Board Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
November 3, 2025	Marcia (Martie) Nowell , Studio 180 Rulers - guest fee \$5
December 1, 2025	Christmas Party by the Hospitality Committee
January 5, 2026	Cleata Zlenka and Debbie Przyms Trunk Show
February 2, 2026	Deb Koerwitz, Keith Blaney and Cindi Young Bits and Pieces (three separate creative processes)

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 from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
First United Methodist Church
In Allison Hall

Remaining dates for 2025
Friday, October 10
Friday, November 7
Friday, December 12

No dates for 2026 have been set as of yet.
Details will follow as available

Open Sew

Cindi Young
Meets 3rd Wednesday of each month
First United Methodist Church,
in Allison Hall.
\$3 donation requested.

This opportunity is for you to work on your own projects. You need to bring everything you will need to sew, including your own cutting mat and small personal iron, no large irons allowed. Please bring an extension cord.

Please bring your own lunch, or you can go out for it. Come whenever, leave whenever.

For questions, please contact Cindi Young:
970-631-7814 cindiyoung69@gmail.com

Upcoming Dates:

October 15..... 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
November 19..... 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
December 17 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

If paper piecing is your thing, or if you'd like to give it a try, come out and join us on our Friday Paper Piecing Sew Days!

Facebook - Cindi Young

1. Anyone can post quilt related information on our facebook page, however, it will be reviewed by the FB admin before posting it to the group.
2. If you have quilting/ sewing related posts or information that you would like to share with our members, please create the post and I will check to make sure it meets our standards.

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Hospitality - Kathie Krempels



In celebration of Fall (and those with gardens) We'd like to encourage those of you who have EXTRA Garden Zucchini (Ha, ha, ha, ha!) and who have a favorite Zucchini Bread or Muffin recipe to share and show them off!

Who knows! There may be a prize or two for the best liked offerings!

And even if there are any left over, those attending the next day's class would probably enjoy some!



2025 CHQ Board Members

President	Diana Clark
Vice President	Marci Rulon
Secretary	Kathy Holt
Treasurer	Gina Vining
Hospitality	Kathie Krempels
Community Quilts Co-Chair	Donna Dolan
Community Quilts Co-Chair	Laraine Hutchison
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Facebook Co-Chair	Vacant
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Opportunity Quilt Chair	Esther Trevino Neasloney
Challenge Quilt Chair	Mary Ellen Little
Quilt Show Chair	Sandra de Rusha



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October has arrived. Oh my where has this year gone? I would like to thank all my quilting friends for letting me quilt their quilts.

Just received a Halloween Quilt to Quilt. Design picked and ready to get it done.

I have UW Trademark License to create UW products. Available Coffee Cups, Cozy Can Holders Caps, Sweat Shirts for those Cowboy fans.

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.

CHQ Beat the Winter Blues Retreat 2026 - Cindi Young

- Dates: Thursday, March 5 - Saturday, March 7.
- Cost will be \$90.00, includes 5 meals
- Must be a current member of CHQ.
- Registration forms and final details will go out around the first of January.

Answer is A stitch in
time quilt!



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COMMUNITY QUILTS - Donna Dolan & Laraine Hutchison

Thank you to all of our members who make so many quilts each month!



Community Quilts Donated In 2025

CRMC.	12
East High FFA.	2
Family Promise.	6
Farm Bureau (WY Food Bank)	1
Foster Children.	31
Habitat for Humanity.	36
(Ready to donate when houses are finished)	
Legal Aid	2
Life Choice	6
Meals on Wheels.	14
Salvation Army.	6
Senior Services.	25
USI (Unaccompanied Students Initiative)	5
VA Newborns.	25
Veterans Rock	3
Welcome Mat	4
TOTAL	?

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"



Declutter and Share - Judy Gilmore

It seems we have members who have things they don't want anymore, so this is a way to share those things with each other. We'll list your name and a short description of what you have available in the newsletter. We don't need to include phone numbers, or addresses if you don't want to have them online, because members can get that info from the online password protected roster. Contact Judy at [redacted] if you have trouble downloading the roster or have something for the Declutter and Share list.

- Brittiny Haberkorn's grandmother has a Koala sewing cabinet that needs a new home. If you are interested let Brittiny know.

- Debbie Baldwin is offering a New Baby Lock



Narrow Support Arm that will work on any brand of multi-needle machine. \$250.00. Selling the new one (wrapped). The unwrapped version gives you an idea of how it looks. This will allow you to embroider on heavy materials like canvas tote bags, or denim jackets. I'm selling because I already have one (shown) and don't need another. Contact Debbie at: 307-509-9884



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New Members' Corner - *Helen Jarvis*

As a quilting, social, service entity, we have been blessed with talented, creative and knowledgeable members. To our newest members, please don't hesitate to ask me or any member about our organization. With that being said, please ask too, if you need help with ideas, quilting techniques, patterns or quilting basics. We're here for you.

The best way to get the most out of our club is to volunteer. CHQ is always looking for new ideas, suggestions for programs and workshops, etc. Share your ideas with the Vice President.

Share your time by volunteering to chair one of our committees or activities. Talk to someone about what is available to do this coming year. If you have an idea for an activity and are willing to take it on, please let someone know. We'll try to make that happen.



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.

Around the Block QUILT SHOP

October

Christmas Club Oct. 6, 1-5

Potluck Oct. 11, 1-5

Machine Binding Oct. 18, 10:30-2

Knitting 101 Oct. 18, 2-5

6 Quilts/1 book Oct. 25, 10:30-4

Block of the Month, 10:30, First Sat. of month

Hand Embroidery Club, 2nd Sat. of the month,
10-noon, FREE

Knit Pickers' Club, 2nd and 4th Wed. of
each month, 2-5, FREE

Fall Hours: M-S 10-5:30, closed 1st Sunday
453 Vandehei Avenue - Suite 120 - 307-433-9555

See aroundtheblockquilts.com for full schedule

Quilt Show - *Sandra DeRusha*

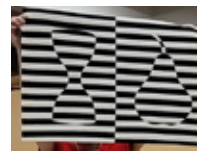
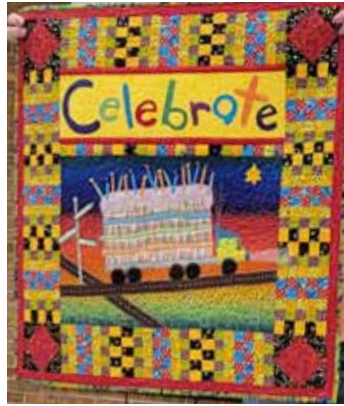
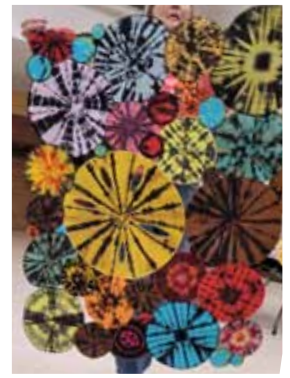
We had a wonderful show last month. Thank you all so very much to everyone who volunteered their time and labor. Oh, did we have fun! We had over 520 visitors and overall, we showed a net profit for the whole show of more than \$6,700. We did it!

Dear Quilt Show Committee,

Thank you all so much for your kindness (and patience) over this past year of planning for a hugely successful quilt show. What an opportunity it was to get to know all of you beyond our regular club meetings. I enjoyed the time with you at our meetings, not to mention the lunches at Tres Amigos. For our final wrap-up meeting/ luncheon at Judy's lovely home, thank you very much from the bottom of my heart. And the peach CHQ sweatshirt - perfection!

Sandra de Rusha





September 2, 2025 Program - Diana Fox

Diana Fox is a studio fiber artist from Colorado who gave our club a terrific program and an abundance of quilted fun to see.

Originally a traditional quilter, she transitioned to creating art quilts and has never looked back. She has earned numerous awards for her unique and captivating work, which tells stories of color, texture, and influences from nature.

She told us she loves line, and introduces it into her quilts with fabric as well as with quilting. Her dense straightline quilting is mesmerizing, and the use of thin strips of fabric adds texture to the bold shapes in her quilts. So much fun.

She has a particular affinity for dyeing, surface design, and heavy stitching. Diana is a SAQA Juried Artist member and a member of an invitational art quilt group, 4 Common Corners. Additionally, she has mounted several solo exhibitions, including at the National Quilt Museum. She loves to teach and believes in gently inviting each student to tap into their creativity.



Mari H.
"Sleepy Time" Quilt
Front and back



Michelle H.
"Barnyard" Quilt



Cynthia H.
"June Bloom" Quilt



Cynthia H.
"Log Cabin" Quilt



Cindi Y.
"If the Hat Fits"
Quilt



Cindi Y.
"Surrounded by
Monkeys" Quilt



Cathy J.
"Hodgepodge" Quilt

Show & Tell-
July 7, 2025

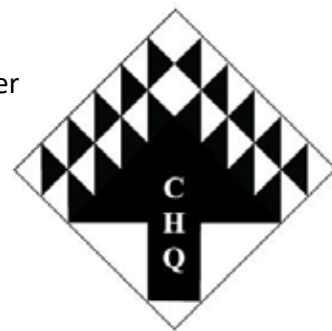
CHEYENNE HERITAGE QUILTER REGISTRATION FORM

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.

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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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