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CCQG Welcomes Laura Heine of Billings, MT!

Laura Heine will join us for not one, but FOUR days of workshops, August 15-18. See page 5 for class details.

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Glenna Segall

Vice President:

Janet Keesler

Secretary:

Jean Kaufmann

Treasurer:

Kathy Kittle

Past President:

Shawn Witherspoon

Bored with the same old newsletter? If you have articles or ideas you'd like to see, please speak up. We share a wealth of knowledge and inspiration and I know that your fellow members would love to hear from you. Personally, I'd like to see us add a "tips and tricks" column! E-mail me at Newslettereditor@capitolcityquiltguild.org.

Cathy Thomas, editor

NEWSLETTER AND ADVERTISING INFORMATION

As The Needle Turns is published 6 times per year in the oddnumbered months. Deadline for submission is the 1st of all evennumbered months. Please e-mail advertisements (in PDF format) and articles to NewsletterEditor@CapitolCityQuiltGuild.org. Ad sizes and rates: We offer three ad sizes as follows: Business card (3 1/2" wide x 2" high) \$12 per issue/\$68 per year; Quarter Page (3 1/2" wide x 4 1/2" high) \$18 per issue/\$97.20 per year; Half Page (7 1/2 " wide x 5" high) \$36 per issue/\$194 per year. Member want ads are \$3 per issue.

Newsletters are now being emailed to guild members with an e-mail address. Those who prefer a paper copy should indicate this on their membership form and pick them up at the next meeting. Any newsletters not picked up will be mailed. Page 2 As The Needle Turns

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

First of all, I'd like to say hello and thank you for supporting me as your President for 2016-2017. Not sure what I should write in this message, but here goes.

In case you weren't at the May meeting, I want to fill you in a little bit. I'm a computer-holic. I receive my emails on my computer and my iPhone so I respond very quickly to any communications that I receive. If I don't respond within 30 minutes, I'm either in a class, or my phone is charging, or I may just be relaxing, but I will respond as quickly as possible.

At the May meeting, I announced that the webmaster has made changes to the website so that it reflects the correct name for the Guild. After making that announcement, several members came up to me and suggested that we may have a problem because of the Articles of Incorporation saying Capital City Quilt Guild. I found a copy of those Articles and the Guild was registered as Capitol City Quilt Guild, so we are not going to have any problems with the website and emails showing as www.capitolcityquiltguild.org.

I am very pleased that we are getting new members in the Guild. It is very important that we continue to grow our membership, and we need to bring in new, younger members. More importantly, we need to welcome those members and help them with their knowledge of the techniques for quilting. We also need to be friendly and helpful. I am asking all members to wear their name tags, and when you see a guest or a new member, please walk up to them, introduce yourself and welcome them to the Guild.

Back in the January-February newsletter, there was a questionnaire published. I have had quite a few people complete the questionnaire and give me some great feedback of what they'd like to see from the Guild. Some of those suggestions include: home machine quilting, various applique' methods, tool demos, block demos, more bargello, and encouraging people who are speaking to talk into the microphone as some people have problems hearing what is being said.

As the saying goes, my "door" is always open for anything you want to discuss, suggest, complain, or whatever—feel free to contact me at any time. I look forward to this year with my Guild.

Glenna Segali

glennadigital@gmail.com or president@capitolcityquiltguild.org

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WELCOME NEW MEMBER!

Nancy Sanchez

TREASURER'S REPORT

Current Balance: \$17,862.28

Income: \$7,315.00 Expenses: \$3,963.57 Net Income: **\$3,351.43** 04/01/16 - 05/31/16

Kathy Kittle, Treasurer





Craft Show at Country Stitches

We are having a Craft Show at Country Stitches on Thursday, August 18th in East Lansing from 10 am - 4 pm.

It will be on our sidewalk (which is somewhat protected from the rain).

Plan on attending the Craft Show - put it on your calendar now.

There are sure to be lots of great buys.

Get a jump on your

Christmas shopping!

It's our 34th Birthday!

Thursday, August 18th, Friday, August 19th & Saturday, August 20th

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PROGRAMS

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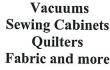
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August 2016 Workshops

Instructor: Laura Heine of Billings, Montana
Laura Heine of Billings, Montana
Fiberworks-heine.com Phone: 406.656.6663
laurah@fiberworks-heine.com

Class #1 Class Fee \$85 (does not include kit and pattern fee)

2-day workshop Monday, August 15, and Tuesday, August 16 9am – 4pm Kit choices: Abilene (cow), Old Blue (truck) or Best Friend (dog)

Class #2 Class Fee \$45 (does not include kit and pattern fee)

1-day workshop Wednesday, August 17 9am – 4pm Kit choices: Lola & Olive (pigs), Purrfect Cat, Horse, Pinkerton (flamingo) or Paisley Bear

<u>Class #3 Class Fee \$45 (does not include kit and pattern fee)</u>

1-day workshop Thursday, August 18 9am – 4pm Kit choices: Lola & Olive (pigs), Purrfect Cat, Horse, Pinkerton (flamingo) or Paisley Bear

Instructions

- 1. Sign up for preferred workshop with Julia Oliver, Program Chair CCQG <u>joliver1982@gmail.com</u> and pay class fee by June guild meeting to secure your spot
- 2. Order kit/pattern from Laura Heine (order as soon as possible as quantities may be limited) <u>fiberworks-heine.com</u> look under "collage kits."
- 3. When ordering let instructor know you will be taking the class in August from CCQG in Michigan
- 4. Any questions about the kits should be directed to the instructor

<u>DO NOT</u> start kit before class. This is per the request of the instructor. Class location to be determined.



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AREA QUILTING EVENTS

June 21 & 25, 2016 Linda Theilfoldt, lecture and workshop. Town Hall Quilt Guild, Clarkston, MI

June 29, 2016 Carrole Carroll, lecture. Evening Star Quilt Guild, Davison, MI

July 15-16, 2016 For the Love of Quilting, Lansing Area Patchers Quilt Show Causeway Bay Hotel, Lansing, MI

July 19, 2016 Gail Myrhorodsky, lecture and trunk show Kalamazoo Log Cabin Quilters, Kalamazoo, MI

August 10-13, 2016 American Quilters Society Show DeVos Place, 303 Monroe Ave. NW, Grand Rapids

August 31, 2016 Beth Donaldson, lecture. Evening Star Quilt Guild, Davison, MI

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OPEN Small Groups of Capital City Quilt Guild

The following groups are accepting new members at this time:

Foster Fridays Meets each Friday from 1-4pm at Foster Community Center. The group works on their own projects and sometimes group projects. You may bring your sewing machine. They also meet for lunch from 11:30 am-12:45pm for lunch at neighborhood restaurants. There is a drop in fee of \$2.00/meeting and regular members pay \$60.00/year. Contact Bonnie Bus, bbbee@sbcglobal.net.

Lady Fingers Meets the 2nd Monday of each month at Custom Quilts Shop in Haslett from 10am –noon. The group works on their own projects, usually handwork. Contact Susan Merkle, <u>merkles@tds.net</u>.

Lunch Bunch Meets on the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month at Foster Community Center, room 112 from 10:30am-1:30pm, unless it is a holiday observed by the City of Lansing. The group works on their own projects, but occasionally does group activities and has Show and Tell. Bring your lunch. Because rent is charged when using rooms at Foster, the dues are \$1.00/month. Contact Dorothy Jones, jones2lan@sbcglobal.net.

Pedal Pushers Meets the 2nd Friday of the month, April through October at 10:00am. Meets at a convenient parking spot, bring bikes and ride to area quilt shops. Rides are typically 7-15 miles round trip, with a support van driver in case of problems. They shop, eat and bike back to the parking area. Contact Jan Gagliano, <u>sunbonnetjan@yahoo.com</u>.

Rainbow Quilters Meets the 2nd Monday at Country Stitches in East Lansing from 6-8pm. Bring your sewing machine, hand work or visit. New group projects each year, usually beginning in January. Contact Bert Richburg, Bertsews@sbcglobal.net.

Quilty Cats Meets the 4th Friday each month at Country Stitches in East Lansing during their Open Sew beginning at 3:30pm. The group usually works on their own projects. Contact Janet Keesler, jmkeesler1970@gmaii.com.

Scrap Fever Meets the 1st Tuesday or each month, September through June at Foster Community Center from 7:00-8:30pm. Projects vary and the June meeting is a visit to a local quilt shop followed by dinner. Contact Louise Mueller, muellerw@comcast.net.

Threadbearers of Mason Meets the second Sunday of each month from 2:30-5:30pm at the First Presbyterian Church in Mason to work on individual or group projects. Contact Merrilee Brockman, brockman006@sbcglobal.net.

Quilters for the Weekend Meets every Friday at Country Stitches in East Lansing from 5-8pm. Bring your own projects/machine. Contact Cheryl Bliss, Cherylsue65@yahoo.com.

Capitol City Quilt Guild

The Capitol City Quilt Guild meets the third Thursday of each month at 7pm (social time 6:30pm) at Union Missionary Baptist Church, 500 S. MLK, Lansing, MI P. O. Box 26022

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