Upcoming Events:

July 10th 6:00 -Combined meeting and Potluck. Quilt Challenge

July 19 – Class on LoneStar table topper by Pat Noel

August TBD- Class on Potato Chip block by Cee Keuser

August 7th - Guild meeting



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June 5th, 2025 MCQG meeting minutes

Greeting to attendees & meeting opened by AM President, Debra Dameron (welcome back!!), & in the evening by PM President, Jackie McLean. Advice from a quilt – make lasting memories, keep your friends in stitches, find common threads, know when (not) to cut corners. It's okay to be a little scrappy.

In the AM, 62 members attended with 2 visitors – Eileen Urbanek and Terri Weis. & in the PM, 23 members attended – no visitors.

Member update – Cee Kueser has a Great Granddaughter.

Review last month's Minutes – Pat Noel's name was misspelled. Motion to accept with this correction. In the AM, Virginia Adams moved & 2nd by Joyce Geiger. In the PM, Brenda Craig moved & 2nd by Richelle Parks. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report – Janna Renner gave the Treasurer's report as of May 31, 2025. Cash inflow \$100 Vendor fee for the Quilt show and \$50 retreat deposit. Cash outflow \$4024.80 retreat lodging, \$174.15 Disaster supplies, \$729.00

Programs and workshops. Overall total \$3271.65. Account Balances - \$12,644.39. Motion to accept the report. In the AM, Nancy Hart-Kline moved & 2nd by Cee Kueser. In the PM, Jonel Hammons moved & 2nd by Patience Parks. Motion passed.

Correspondence – Thank you note from the Agape Food Kitchen and Agape Grace for donations.

Programs – Today we have Jane Deskis, Trunk show of Cottage Quilts.

Upcoming Events – Cindy Toburen reported we are ready for Kids Camp on June 7th. July 10th at 6:00 is our combined meeting/potluck. Sat, July 19th, Pat Noel will do a workshop on a Lonestar Table Topper. Pat Noel displayed a sample of the Lonestar & gave out sheets for the pre class work & suggests bringing a 45degree ruler. Passed around a sign up with an envelope to put your \$5 class fee. In August, Cee Kueser will be doing 2 Potato Chip quilt block classes to accommodate all the people who are interested/signed-up. The 1st option is Friday, August 1st at 6:00pm. The 2nd option is Saturday, August 2nd from 9 – 3. For either class you attend, prepare as many 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces as you would Birthdays

7/3 Judy Welter

7/4 Debra Dameron

7/6 Rebecca Toy

7/8 Cindy Toburen

7/9 Rebecca Potter

7/11 Nancy Brownback

7/13 Cindy Forsberg

7/18 Lonnie Vopat

7/20 Helen Ramsey

7/21 Jeanette Searl

7/21 Bethany Shotton

7/23 Amelia Price

7/24 Pam Stone

7/25 Michelle Pixler

7/26 Lorna McCrea

7/28 Karen Kice

7/28 Cee Kueser

7/31 Deanna Schaff

like, then you have the option of using the ones you brought or putting them in a communal bin & picking out the same number you brought - so it will be very fun & scrappy.

Challenge – Cee Kueser reminds everyone to take a photo of your panel (if cutting it up) & submit something of any size for the July 10th meeting (bring to meeting in a brown paper bag) when we vote on the winner of the Panel Challenge.

There are prizes for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place.

BOM – Jane Drugg presented the sample of the BOM for next month. Use white background & red and blue colors. AM BOM winner was Connie Epp. PM BOM winner was Karen Creech.

KCRQF – Diane Burnett & Jackie McLean gave a big thanks to everyone for their help. Our guild has 262 volunteer hours– the most of any guild! Remember we receive 40% reimbursement for volunteer hours so please fulfill the time you signed up for/or find a replacement. There are still positions available, if you need help contact Diane or Nancy. Regina York has a sign-up sheet for the Guild Opportunity tickets sales – a couple slots still open. Come enjoy this regional show on June 12 – 14th. There will be 740+ quilts on display.

Community Service – A work time for the Quilted Hug was discussed – maybe schedule time between meetings each month. & possibly a Saturday sew day.

Officer update – Positions are full for 2026. Motion made to vote on a one-time extension for Laura Davids to continue to serve as the 1st VP Membership for a third year. In the AM, Nancy Hart-Kline moved & Jane Drugg seconded. In the PM, Michelle Pixler moved & Richelle Parks 2nd. Motion for this exception passed.

Quilt Show – Branda Jenkins gave a progress report for the show. This will be held at the Holy Trinity Parish Center on September 27th & 28th. Reminder to start making your Silent Auction & Boutique items – they need to be turned in by September meeting (& the silent auction items need to be in by the AM meeting to be voted on). Quilt entry forms & category sheets are on the website & on the front table.

T-shirt Sales – Cee Kueser passed out shirts to those that ordered previously.

Garage Sale – mark your calendars'. The sale is Sat., June 28th from 9AM - noon– with set up the evening of June 27th from 5:00pm – 7:30pm. If you are volunteering to help during the sale on Saturday, please arrive no later than 8AM.

Quilts on display at Paola Library:

Contact: Joyce Geiger

July – Connie Epp

August – Nancy Hart-Kline

September – Heidi Kessler

October - Branda Jenkins

November – Nancy Hart-Kline

December – Jessica Drugg Miami County Fair – reminder that the deadline for fair entries is July 1st.

Reconnecting older Library Hangings – Kelly Stewart is looking for help to locate the owners of the wall hangings the library had in storage (may be from people who are no longer members of the guild).

Bylaw and Policy & Procedure Updates – Honorary members for insurance purposes was updated. Amendment of the \$5 workshop fee for guild members (which is in our book, but we hadn't been doing it for a few years). We will be implementing this again. In the AM, Laura Davids moved & Nancy Hart-Kline seconded the motion. In the PM, Brenda Craig moved & Jessica Drugg 2nd. Motion passed.

Drawings:

Name Tag: AM Connie Spillman PM Cindy Toburen

Food Pantry: AM Connie Spillman PM Carol Cooper

Door Prize: AM Mary Seibert PM Patience Parks

June birthdays were read.

Announcements – Kathy Nicholson has a beautiful sewing cabinet for sale \$75. See Jackie McLean if interested. The Blue Valley Quilters Guild July 10 – 13th retreat at Artnest Retreat Center is now open to non-members – each sewer will have 2 – 5 foot tables. \$275 for four days plus fabulous dinner & fun dessert. bvquiltersguild@gmail.com

Project Potholder – for the International Quilt Museum. See the post that was on our Facebook page. Nancy Hart-Kline offered to drop off any contributions, she will collect them at July's combined meeting.

In the AM, Nancy Hart-Kline motioned to adjourn the meeting - & 2nd by Marilyn Chandler. In the PM, Brenda Craig moved & 2nd by Charlee Parks. Meeting adjourned.

Show & Tell

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Schroeder, AM Secretary

Rebecca Potter, PM Secretary

New member update:
Eileen Urbanek
<u>Granma075077@yahoo.com</u>
2026 Slate of Officers
AM/PM
President: Dera Dameron/Michelle Pixler
1 st Vice President: Sue Pierce/Laura Davids
2 nd Vice President: Nancy Hart-Kline/Jeanne Ainsworth
Secretary: Sharon Schroeder/Jonel Hammons
Treasurer: Connie Epp
Historian: Marilyn Chandler

Quilts on display at Paola Library:

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April – Marilyn Gray

May – Dianna Cook

June – Pam Pearson

July – Connie Epp

August – Nancy Hart-Kline

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November - Nancy Hart-Kline December – Jessica Drugg Quilts on display at the Extension Office Contact: Jerri Hefling April – Branda Jenkins May – Jackie McLean June – Kathy Havelka July – Cindy Toburen August – Sharon Schroeder September – Dianna Cook October – Branda Jenkins

November – Jackie McLean

December – Judy Welter