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No meetings at
PVUMC in January
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on Facebook!

January 2021 Program

Best Tips for Borders and Binding

Presented by Lisa Johnson and
Jackie Clark



While there are as many ways to border and bind a quilt as there are quilts, Lisa and Jackie have compiled tips from their own experiences on how to successfully add these finishing touches. Let's face it-if you have made a quilt look bad enough you want to throw it away, we have done that, too. Have you ever had to unstitch a quilt or remove the borders? Yep, we've done THAT more than once! Did you decide to not unstitch? SO, you just cut it off. Oh yeah! We are guilty. Honestly, we become experienced by making many mistakes. Lisa Johnson is an accomplished long arm quilter and quilt shop owner of Picket Fence Quilts. Every day, Lisa answers questions about borders – how large or small to make the border and how much fabric is needed. Jackie Clark has a long history of being obsessed with quilt bindings! She is a pattern and fabric designer and is currently studying quilt history, fabric dating and doing Quilt Appraisals. Lisa and Jackie have traveled together to quilt markets, and quilt shows, and have worked together judging quilts at local County and State Fairs.



President's Notes

by Kendra McBroom



A new year, a new beginning, a new chance to try something different or exciting. I like new beginnings and I am not afraid of change. This is the first year that I can remember that I am actually puzzled to think what might develop. After the last year of so many upsets and interruptions, what could possibly be in store for us in this brand new year? A very big part of my life is my involvement with the Guild so I naturally wonder what we will experience that is beyond our traditional way of functioning.

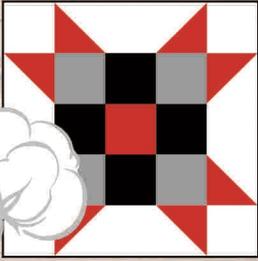
In spite of the curve-ball that was thrown our way, I believe we have handled it as best we knew how. We sure had some laughable moments while trying to stay connected. I just hope we can keep our sense of humor as we continue on doing what we can to keep our guild alive. You will continue to get your newsletter and we will learn about new technology to give you the best speaker opportunities that we can. I only know enough to be dangerous so I am depending on the smarts of others to apply their vast knowledge to teach me new applications. I have heard that you are never too old to learn, but we will see...

Thank you to Stacy Crundwell for leading the program in December and showing your quilt items. Also to Karen Irely, Kathy Huebert and Karen Roth for sharing your stories and beautiful Christmas items. I hope those online were able to enjoy the personal creations and maybe it perked up your festive spirit.

I shared at the meeting my New Year's Resolutions that I have had since 2013 and will keep them again. I have been asked to list them in case you want to share them with me. 1. Be a Better Person – Practice forgiveness. Be honest and direct. Be kinder to others, more thoughtful, less critical. Call or send cards more. Praise others efforts more. 2. Take Care of Me – take control of my diet and health, take a day off once in a while, more prayer time, share in a fun retreat with friends. 3. Finish What I Start – read a book all the way through, stay committed to the most important projects, budget my time and energy, quit being such a perfectionist, make a list and track my progress. Celebrate the end! 4. Gratitude Attitude – Keep a gratitude journal. Be more grateful for the little things I usually take for granted. Share my blessings with others. 5. De-Clutter – be diligent about cleaning out cupboards, closets, shelves. Donate to charity, be satisfied with less. Clean environment invites happy goal setting. If I have been putting a sewing project off for years, get rid of it. Keeping it around makes me feel like a failure.

I could expand on each one but you get the idea. Sara Farley, Stacy Crundwell and I were talking at the Dec workshop about the many things for which we are grateful even during the pandemic. We came up with a wonderful list of positive things. I am especially thankful for the Guild and the terrific friends I have made and the way we have worked together in 2020. Happy New Year to you as we welcome 2021 and count our many blessings no matter what comes.

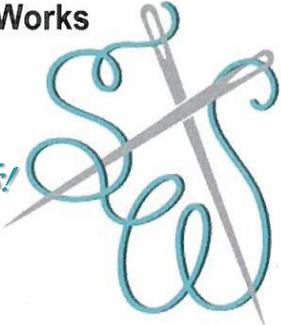
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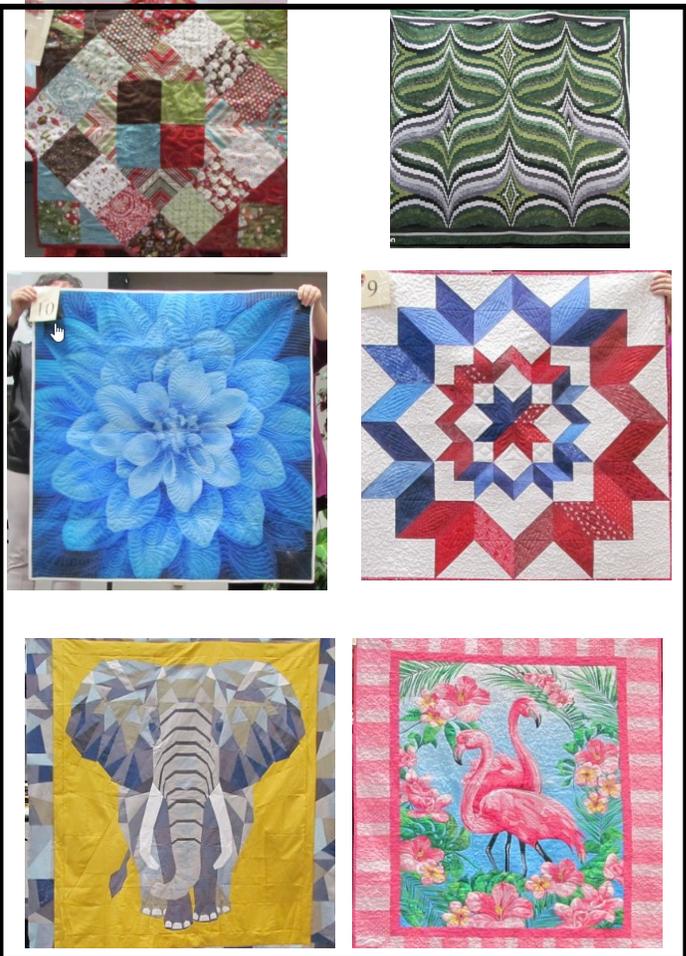


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Pins are \$5

Most Sizes available from Small-2XL.

Some have already sold out.

You can contact me at 316-788-5634

Contact Kendra McBroom at 316-650-1375

Leave a message and I'll get back to you as soon as possible.

Thank You

Sharon Allman



Charity Quilt Committee

I hope everyone is behaving in the ways that help us all stay safe from Covid. Perhaps you have taken some time to be charitable to yourself, your friends, and family. I hope so.

There was an article in The Eagle (Dec.9) saying that the Wichita Police Dept. was collecting gifts for kids in domestic violence shelters. It also stated that domestic violence has been growing since the pandemic hit. Blankets were mentioned as a need. There are four agencies that help women and their children suffering from domestic violence. The one we have been donating quilts to is the Wichita Family Crisis Center. I have 6 finished quilts and I may be able to finish a few more to deliver to the Patrol West substation before December 17th to answer their call for donations to all four agencies.

We send wishes for a Merry Christmas and Happy New year, Your Charity Committee



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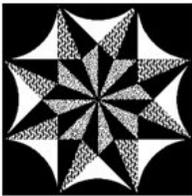
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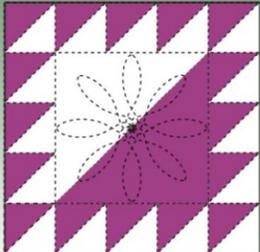
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Meet the Member – Delma Carter

By Kendra McBroom as told to Sheryl Knott



1. What was your first job? Age 18, my first real job was at the “Marquette Tribune”, in Marquette, Kansas. I was Linotype operator & helped put out the weekly newspaper,

How did you spend the money you earned on this very first job? Bought war bonds & my first store-bought blue suit. Bought my first life insurance policy, in 1941, paid for it monthly. I always put money away for that rainy day! When I moved to Wichita, I opened my first bank account at Fourth National Bank.

2. What is the longest trip you have ever been on? In 1999, I took a group tour of England, Scotland, & Wales. While I was away, a tornado blew my house away. In 1980, my husband Paul & I took a motorhome caravan through Mexico with about 40 other campers. It was a nice, long 6 week getaway. In 1994, I visited my niece & nephew who were living in Ireland. Was there for about 2 weeks. We went sightseeing together to France & Germany.

3. What are two of your favorite snacks? I don’t really snack, but I do like anything chocolate and 2 kinds of pie (hot & cold).

4. What TV shows are you hooked on or were recently hooked on? I love watching “Little People”, “Ancient Aliens”, & “Maine Cabin Masters”.

5. What hard time in your life left you a better person after it was finished? The hardest time was when I was widowed at age 49. I found out that I could manage by myself! Life goes on!

6. How has your love for quilting changed your life? It gives me something to do at any time of day or night, in any kind of weather. I’m never without something to work on, something to do.

7. Do you mind sharing your age? I love telling my age!! I am proud to be 97 ½ years old. I’m aiming for 100, one year at a time. We had a surprise (socially-distanced) drive-by caravan for my birthday in June this year. It was great! Friends & family drove by, making lots of birthday noise, in their cars or on motorcycles...all followed up by the local Fire Dept’s ladder truck running their sirens.

8. How many quilts do you estimate you have made in your quilting life? Well, for this year, I finished 65 baby quilts, then I stopped for a while. Pandemic took the wind out of me. For my lifetime, thousands. One year I made 87, but I don’t remember going over 100 at any time. Might have, but I don’t remember it!!

Delma is very sharp and also does daily crossword and word puzzles. She and her daughter Sheryl

Knott (also an active PQG member) live together. You can see them every month that we meet or have a drive-by dropping off their big stack of quilts. Both gals would be great additions to your friend list!



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Goose Whacked -- Block #4

Frame fabric --

2 rectangles 12.5" x 2.5"

2 rectangle 4.5" x 2.5"

Small Squares -- for each square

2 rectangles -- 1.5" x 2.5"

2 rectangles -- 1.5" x 4.5"

1 square -- 2.5" x 2.5"

Background fabric -- 8.5" x 4.5" rectangle

Applique Fabrics -- your choice -- Shown

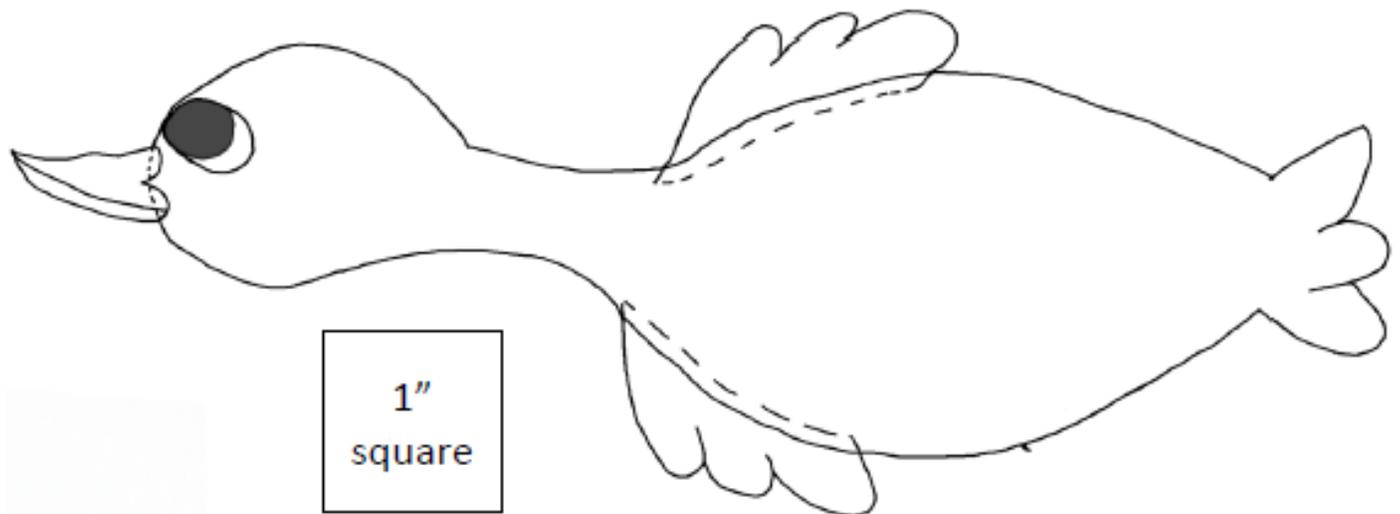
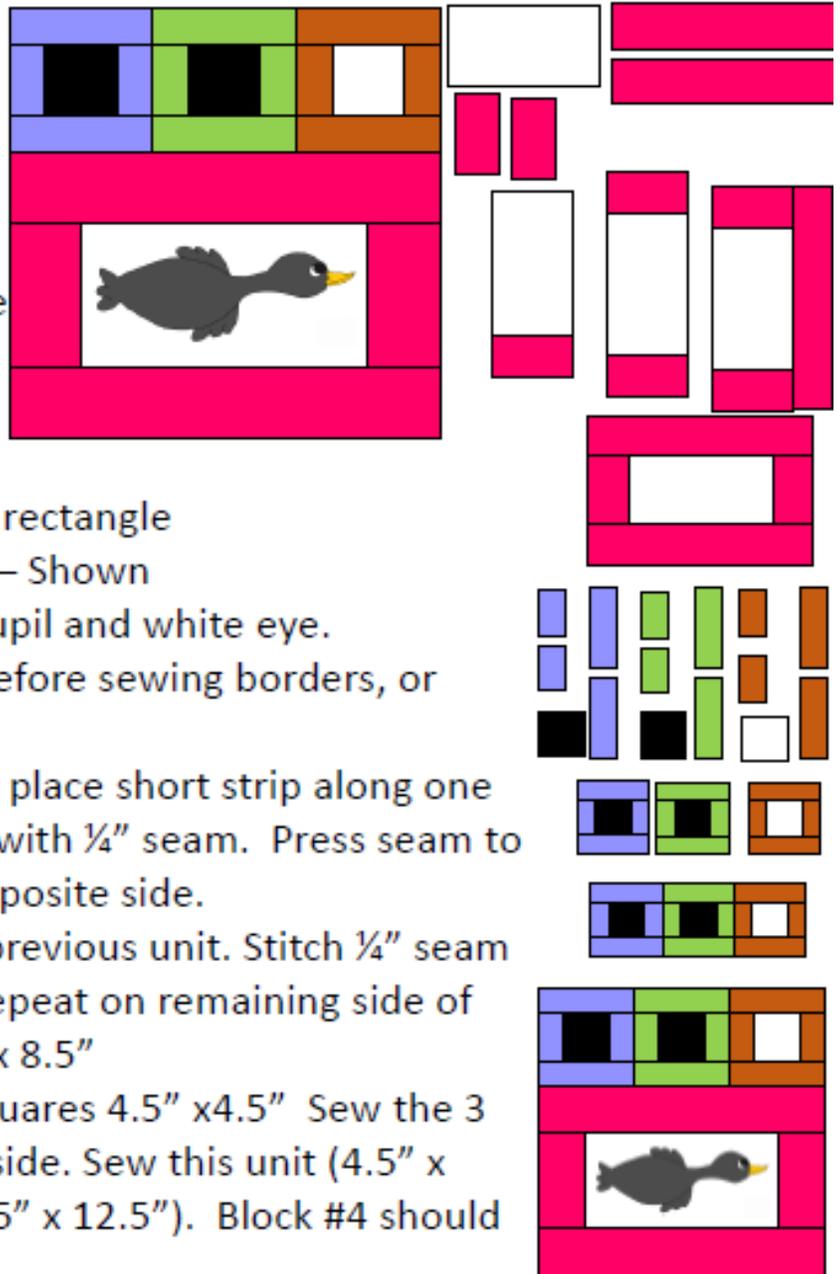
with orange feet & bill, black pupil and white eye.

Note: applique may be done before sewing borders, or after borders are attached.

With right sides together (RST), place short strip along one side of center rectangle. Stitch with $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam. Press seam to border rectangle. Repeat on opposite side.

Place long strip RST on side of previous unit. Stitch $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam & press to border rectangle. Repeat on remaining side of square. Block should be 12.5" x 8.5"

Use same process to make 3 squares 4.5" x 4.5". Sew the 3 small squares together side to side. Sew this unit (4.5" x 12.5") to top of larger block (8.5" x 12.5"). Block #4 should now be 12.5" square.





Welcome to My Table

Prairie Quilt Guild

2021 Challenge

Table Topper/Runner

This will challenge both your artistic creativity and your current quilting skills. Give yourself a chance and surprise yourself by what you can do.

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You need to ask the store where to find the challenge kits. Cash or checks made to PQG only

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2. Hen Feathers
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Work on your table project in December, January, and February. Remember to turn in your table project before the March Meeting. The table projects will be hung at McDonalds Sewing Center the month of March and you can go vote on them. The winners will be announced at the April Meeting. Pictures of each entry will be posted on the PQG Facebook page. We will tell you the different ways to vote in the newsletter.

For an extra \$1 we will mail you the fabric and the challenge information.

Just contact Debbie Jones 841-0456.

We hope you will join in on the fun. Debbie Jones and Susan Palmer

Coming Events!

The Retreat Committee is very excited with the news that there (will/should) be a vaccine for everyone the first half of 2021, but we still don't want to put anyone in jeopardy for themselves or someone they are close to. We will continue to follow Kansas State guidelines for group gatherings. So, all of that being said, the Retreat Committee is working on a possible date for Spring 2021, probably some time in April. The committee is planning to have a fall retreat, probably October 2021. Watch the newsletter in the coming months for further details.

Cares & Concerns

Berniece Ann Beatrice Schmidt "Babs" Boerstler passed on December 6 . Please keep her family in your thoughts and prayers.

Judy Terhune is home from months in the hospital. She will be visiting her doctor 3X's a week for a while. The lymphoma is shrinking, so her treatments are working.

Joyce Miller had shoulder surgery.

Jan Cowie also had shoulder surgery.

Vera Zahner and her husband were sick with Covid and she is better, however, her husband Richard is still very sick.

Donna Mease and her husband recovered from Covid.

Cheryl Harp and her husband recovered from Covid.

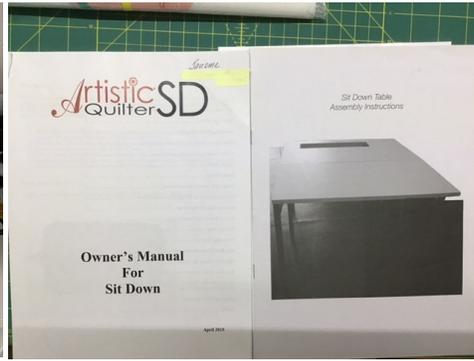
Donna Bradbury's husband, Clyde, passed away on Dec 13th



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unless otherwise announced. Annual dues are \$45.00 for the period October through September.

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