

# Northern Star Quilters' Guild, Ltd.

P.O. Box 232 Somers N.Y. 10589

Elaine Merritt

NEWS 'N SUCH

June 1991

## President's Corner

It is so hard to believe that a whole year has gone by. I was extremely fortunate in having people serving on the board who were excellent in their jobs. It made my job so much easier.

There are so many memories from this year; but most of all to all of you who gave such love, warmth, and support during one of the most difficult times in my life, I extend my heartfelt thanks. You will be happy to know that my son Peter is due to land at Norfolk on June 28th. My husband, my youngest son Tim, my sister and I are going to be there in Norfolk when his ship docks. I don't even know if we will be able to see him, but we will be there.

This past year we have seen a growth in unity, knowledge, and membership. I know that Joyce and the new board will continue working hard for the guild. Pat Baker did such an excellent job as Quilt Show Chairperson, we are lucky that she has agreed to fill that position again.

May we all have a PIECEful restful summer, and will meet again in the fall, thank you so much.

Karen Hagert



## Hospitality

The June meeting will be our famous Salad Supper. This is definitely an enjoyable evening. Please bring a main dish salad to serve 6 (or more), any kind will do. It's fun to see all the different ones.

If possible use a disposable container and try to bring serving utensils. NSQG will provide all the other necessities. Iced tea and coffee will be available. Serving will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Rita Palumbo



Our June meeting will be held at the Somers Intermediate School on June 18th. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Serving of the Salad Supper begins at 6:30 p.m. Don't miss this one!

The Board meets on June 25th and the Joint Meeting of the old and new board will take place on July 16th at Eleanor Scarcella's.

# Financial Report

<u>BALANCE FORWARD</u>	3/31/91	\$8,959.35
<u>CASH DISBURSED</u>		
Lancaster trip		2,836.00
Resource & Education		150.28
Hospitality		54.72
Program		164.61
Newsletter		208.63
Membership		5.13
Service charge (Mar./Apr.)		13.37
Returned check & fee		54.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,486.74</b>
<u>CASH RECEIVED</u>		
April meeting raffle		183.00
Membership		50.00
NSQG pins		12.70
Workshops		820.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,065.70</b>
<u>BALANCE</u>	4/30/91	6,538.31
<u>INVESTOR'S CHOICE ACCOUNT</u>		
Balance	3/30/91	\$5,517.04
Interest	4/30/91	\$24.69
Balance	4/30/91	\$5,541.73

# Membership

This has been a happy year of membership growth (241 members) and many visitors.

Please welcome May's new member:

Dagny Emiliani  
34 Smith St.  
Chappaqua, NY 10514  
238-9363

Make note of the following changes:

A "Typo" gave us the wrong address for Mary Hayes and we apologize. She is at 87 Bedford Rd, not 8.

Súsie Lawrence has a new address and phone number, Wakefield Rd, Carmel, NY 10512, 228-4948.

Let me remind you now to **SUBMIT DUES THIS SUMMER** for the 1991-92 year. It is a great help to the membership chairman and keeps you from standing on long lines waiting to pay dues at the Sept. meeting.

Send a check for \$25.00 payable to NSQG to: NSQG Membership  
P O Box 232  
Somers, NY 10589

A safe and happy summer to each of you. Keep quilting in the cool of the evening. See you next year.

Joyce Sullivan

# Resource & Education

Another season coming to an end and what nicer way with a salad supper and lectures and workshops with Kitty Pippen. We still have room in Kitty's workshop on Sashiko wuiling. The day is Monday, June 17th at 9:00 am in the Lake Lincolndale Clubhouse. The cost \$30.00.

This would make a nice summer project. Not too big and a great show and tell for the Sept. meeting.

Joan Crawford

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# coming events

For those travelling in the Shenandoah region of Va. July 25-28 Belle Grove Plantation, Shenandoah Univ., Winchester, Va. is hosting "A Century of Quilt Making". Many, many, many classes and workshops featuring nationally known quilters.

July-Sept. 1 "Titled Collection Quilts" featuring the quilts donated by Gail Binney Stiles to the museum. Quilt Museum at Lowell, Ma.

July 18-20-Guilford, Ct. 34th Annual Guilford Handcrafts Exposition 12-9 on the town green. 125 juried exhibitors. 453-5947 for info.

Aug. 23-25-Springfield, Ma. Craft Adventure in the New England Center at the Eastern States Exposition. Hours 10-5pm

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Left at May's meeting a green wool jacket. Please see Karen.

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# Show News

A full report on the World of Quilts XII, including a full financial statement, will be in the July newsletter. For those of you who were not able to attend, here are a few bits of information.

Best of Show- Whig Rose by "Quilters by the Lake"-Vermont Quilt Festival 1991 Raffle Quilt.

Viewer's Choice- "My Gallery of American Treasures" by Mariko Takatsu

Viewer's Choice/Challenge- was "Pleiades Garden" by our own Lauran Tyler

Judges Recognition-"The Collaboration" by Mary Dowling

"Happy Easter" by Joyce Sullivan

"Nature Girl" also by Lauran Tyler

## Raffle Winners

Bernina-donated by Hartsdale Fabrics went to Tim Beresford, a 12 yr old. His aunt, Mary Schmidt, is a guild member.

The Quilt-D. Essie of Pelham, NY

Hinterberg Quilting Hoop-donated by Hinterberg Designs, of West Bend, WI went to Helen Esposito, Shenorock, who is thinking of joining our guild.

While I don't have the final figures, Hospice of N. West. and Putnam will be presented with a check in excess of \$7,000. Be thinking of your favorite charity as a possible recipient of next year's raffle income. Also, I am proud to report from Liz Doyle that 90% of our membership sold their tickets and returned the money. That is a remarkable statistic.

If you have any comments or suggestions, such as perimeter displays for the '92 show, please pass them on to me.

Pat Baker



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## Programs

Salad supper, Anniversary cake, that wonderful check for the Hospice-- what an evening we have planned for you!

The program will feature a lecture by Kitty Pippin. Last year's Quilt Show displayed one of Kitty's works as an "Invitational quilt". This year she is coming from Ca. to visit her daughter and we were fortunate to book her for a workshop on Sashiko and a lecture on "Japanese fabrics and their use in Quilts."

I am looking forward to another wonderful guild Show and Tell. If you have items you made from Brenda's blocks or Joan's color exercises please be sure to bring them in. A VERY SPECIAL raffle is planned to thank all of you for your support throughout the year and a TENTH ANNIVERSARY GRAND PRIZE to usher in another ten marvelous years of fun, friendships and quilting!

I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to Mary Schmidt for managing the raffle table every month. She has been a reliable supportive, good humored friend and helpmate and I thank her most sincerely.

Eleanor Scarcella



### No More Freezer Paper?

(Reprinted from COQG *Labor of Love*, February, 1991)

Reynolds Metals Company is going to stop producing our freezer paper!! We need all quilters to write to Reynolds requesting that they reconsider their decision. We, as quilters, know the value of freezer paper to our craft and do not want to lose our source of supply for this product. Please write a short note to: Consumer Products, Reynolds Metals Co., Richmond, VA 23261.





1992 RAFFLE QUILT BULLETIN:

The "Lillian Gish" quilt is ready for quilting! Yes, we can get started NOW. Quilting will not be done on the large frame but with individual hoops. This worked out very nicely on our last raffle quilt.

Please mark the following dates on your home calendar or clip this bulletin for your 'fridge:

THE 1992 RAFFLE QUILT WILL BE AT

SUE'S FABRIC WORLD, MAHOPAC, N.Y. ON SUNDAYS 1 P.M. - 4 P.M.

JUNE 9, JULY 14, AUGUST 4

THE COUNTRY QUILTER, SOMERS, N.Y. ON THURSDAYS 6:30-9:30 P.M.

JUNE 6, JULY 11, AUGUST 8

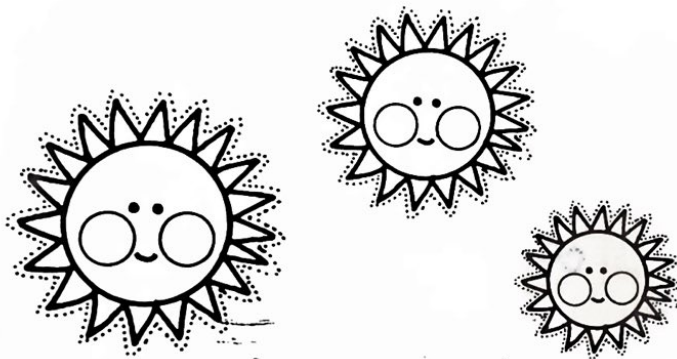
FRIENDS, FUN, AND AIR-CONDITIONING PROVIDED FOR YOUR QUILTING PLEASURE. BRING YOUR FAVORITE HOOP, NEEDLES, AND THIMBLE.  
DROP-IN. I'LL BE THERE -WILL YOU?

Also, many of you belong to small quilting groups that meet for a few hours on a regular basis. Would you consider inviting the '92 Quilt to your "bee" once or twice? I would be happy to bring it to you. A lot can get done in one evening or afternoon in such a group.

Consider "adopting" the quilt for a few days without being a hostess. Some of you may want to work on the quilt in your home after work or when the kids are in camp but cannot be tied down to a hostess schedule. Let me know if you are interested. Let's try a few ways to make working on the raffle quilt convenient and fun for as many of us as possible. There is plenty of decorative stitching for the proficient and enough stitch-in-the-ditch for the newer quilters - and always a generous member to help and encourage all!

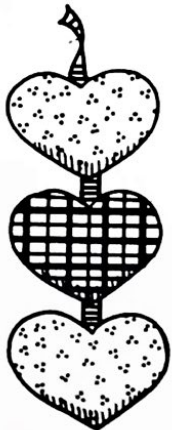
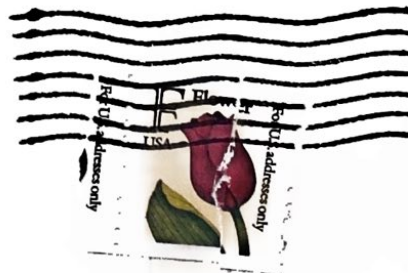
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