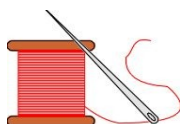




# Lighthouse Quilters Guild

*Sew on and Sew Forth*



The pins have arrived and many of you picked them up at our last guild meeting. I will have the remainder at the June meeting and encourage you to pick yours up or make arrangements for a friend to do so. They are \$5 each.

As you are planning your summer activities, look for quilt shows, workshops and retreats. Be sure to include some stops at quilt shops along the way. If you find something very interesting, share it with the guild. We're always looking for something new.

Some of you may already know but our website manager has resigned her position. This will be discussed at our meeting. If you know of someone, or yourself, that would be interested in managing our site, please see me.

Until next month..... It is far more important to enjoy stitching than to get everything perfect. Sharon Boggon

*Pat Henningfeld*, President

## June and July Birthdays

### June Birthdays

Cecilia Johnson	June 3
Joyce Springmann	June 11
Jackie Mekemson	June 12
Kristine Hagen	June 15
Kathy Bold	June 18
Sue Pehlivanian	June 20
Barbara Vallone	June 24

### July Birthdays

Sue Causey	July 7
Iras Sramek	July 7
Sharon Matusevicius	July 8
Laura Sanders	July 9
Judy Greinke	July 15
Monica Bissen	July 16
Sue Shore	July 17
Ellen Shiflet	July 20
Ruth Roling	July 28
Gins Knjerim	July 27
Jennifer Clingamen	July 28

*Happy Birthday*

June 2023

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### Next Meeting

June 26 , 2023  
Zoom or in person

5:30 Quilt show committee  
7:00 Guild Meeting

WEAR YOUR NAME TAG!!!!

Bring hospitality donation!

The deadline for submitting  
articles is on or before the  
8th of each month.

Submit your articles to:

Sharon Matusevicius at  
[matusevicius.1@att.net](mailto:matusevicius.1@att.net)

Sue Causey at  
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## 2023 LHQ Board Members

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## 2023 Programs

**June 26**

**Then and Now. Come learn about the quilting journeys of our own members: Claudia Grace, Vicki Madsen, and Charity Pedersen.**

**July 31**

**Lori Dickman "Speedy Solutions for Cutting & Organizing Your Scrap Stash!"  
Lecture & Demo**

**Aug 28**

**Betty Ekern Suiter "My Quilting Journey"**

**Sept 25**

**Guild Rummage Sale**

**Oct 30**

**School House Workshops**

**Nov**

**Holiday Party**

**New/renewing membership form on page 14**

**Please bring to the June 26 meeting**

**Dues are \$30/year**



# *Lighthouse Legacies 2023*

**October 7–8, 2023**

### **Check out Facebook!**

Please **like** our page and **share** it with your friends.

Updates to meetings and workshops will be posted



<https://www.facebook.com/lighthousequiltersguild>

Topic: LHQG General Meeting

Time: Jun 26, 2023 07:00 PM Central Time (US and Canada)



Join Zoom Meeting



<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83037827584?pwd=SW43UVEzcHVzVTdLMFFkaURtS0FIQT09>

Meeting ID: 830 3782 7584

Passcode: 645357

**Editor's note:** possible technical difficulties with the link. If you do have the Zoom app, download and install it. Click to join a meeting and enter the above Meeting ID and Passcode.

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## *June Program Notes*

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I have bad news and good news this month. Our June lecture and workshop with Jessica Vaughn needed to be canceled but in its place, we will get a chance to hear from our very own members as they present ***Then & Now!*** Join me in welcoming Claudia Grace, Vicki Madsen, and Charity Pedersen as they take us on their quilt journey. After the ladies present, we will again visit the topic of small quilting groups – are you excited??!!

But that's not all, at last month's meeting someone stopped to voice an interest in the VP of Planning position. Ok, so I stopped her and asked if she might consider the position and she didn't shoo me away so that made me think she might be interested! 😊 AND SHE SAID YES!!! Ladies, we have a VP of Planning for our 2024 guild year and she will transition to VP of Programs for 2025. I bet you want to know who it is huh? I'll tell you at guild meeting on the 26th.

I was very excited to see so many of you working, or planning to start, our guild QAL this year. This is your encouragement to keep sewing away, I heard they sew up quick, quick, quick!

Our guild year is half over and we still have many interesting and exciting programs ahead. If you have been on the fence about returning to in person meetings, now is the time to drop in and experience the fun in person. Take a look at the schedule of programs listed in the newsletter and you will see that we still have a lot in store!

Regina

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# *Guild Meeting Minutes*

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May 22 , 2023

Hybrid meeting—in person and Zoom Virtual meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM. Two guests were introduced.

Regina Scott Brooks introduced our speaker, Vicki Spiering, who gave a very entertaining lecture and trunk show. Vicki has been quilting for over 30 years and shared tips and critiques of judges at national and international quilt shows she participated in. She also critiqued a few judges' critiques, which brought a lot of laughs from the audience. She had many funny stories to share – all of which she did free of charge. It was a good night.

Regina announced next month's workshop and lecture, which will be given by Jessica Smith Vaughn. The workshop, which will be held on June 26th, is "Abandonment Issues: Projects: Orphan Blocks and Pieced Backings." Contact Regina if you are interested in attending. The June meeting lecture is "The Journey of a Quilter".

Regina reminded guild members that the position of Vice President of Programs is still open and encouraged someone to please step forward. She "threatened" to fill the position herself if no one steps forward, whereupon the audience cheered the job she has done and the lecture ideas she has provided for all of us thus far.

The Quilt Show Committee was introduced. Discussion was had about signing up for various committees. Jean Veltman discussed sign-up sheets in the back of the room and said this will all go online soon. Envelopes were given out with bookmarks and raffle quilt tickets. Each member is encouraged to buy and sell raffle tickets. Vickie Madsen talked about the quilt show judging and the need for volunteers on the Wednesday and Thursday before the quilt show.

Autumn Latimore announced that the June Food Pantry items will be "grains" – cereal, pasta, rice. Members are encouraged to bring items for the Food Pantry to the next meeting.

Laura Sanders gave membership enrollment update and said there were 59 members attending this meeting, here and online. Laura gave out the door prizes, which were gift certificates to Sew 'n Save.

Show and Tell was presented. The meeting was adjourned at 8:50.

Debbie Blaustein

Secretary



# Highlights from the May Meeting





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## *In Case You Missed It*

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Those of you that did not pick up your pins at our last meeting will be available at our June meeting for \$5.

Vicki Spiering shared a little secret she does when making a quilt. She includes a small amount of white dotted red fabric in each one. She said that someday someone will be able to recognize her quilt by that bit of fabric. A great idea and wish I had thought of something similar. While checking her website I came across this quote. "A few years ago, I was in San Francisco and my husband Kurt (architect) and I visited a Frank Lloyd Wright building. It was then that I discovered FL Wright had red tiles made and one tile is in many of his building."

Keep up to date and informed of our guild's goings on by reading your newsletter. If you have any questions or concerns, call me.

Pat Henningfeld

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## *Quilting Events*

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June 1-30. 12th Annual Wisconsin Shop Hop. 71 participating quilt shops featuring fabrics designed by Lisa Bongean, All shops open Tuesday-Saturday, 10 am.-5 p.m. For more information, [www.wisconsinquiltshophop.com](http://www.wisconsinquiltshophop.com).

June 14-18. Herrschners Annual Warehouse Sale. 2800 Hoover Rd., Stevens Point. Wed., 7 a.m.-6 p.m.; Thurs.-Sat., 8 a.m.-6 p.m.; Sun., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

June 15-17. WMQFA Fiber Art Rummage Sale. N50 W5050 Portland Rd., Cedarburg. Thurs.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sat., (Famous Bag Sale), 9 a.m.-2 p.m. For more information, [info@wiqltmuseum.com](mailto:info@wiqltmuseum.com).

June 16-17. Material Girls Quilt Show. Assumption High School, 445 Chestnut St., Wisconsin Rapids. Fri.-Sat., 9 a.m.-4 p.m. \$3. Free to ages 15 and under.

June 28. Holiday Trunk Show. Sew 'n Save, 3710 Durand Ave. 1 & 3 p.m. Seasonal fabric, kits and patterns. Event fee, \$10. Preregister online ([sewnsaveofracine.com](http://sewnsaveofracine.com)) or call 262-554-6445.

July 27. EAA Quilt Show. Oshkosh Senior Center, 200 N. Campbell Rd., Oshkosh. 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Free admission. [OshkoshQuilters.org](http://OshkoshQuilters.org).

Sept. 7-9. The Great Wisconsin Quilt Show. Alliant Energy Center, 1919 Alliant Energy Center Way, Madison. Thursday & Friday, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission, \$10 advance/\$12 at door. For more information on lectures, etc., [www.quiltshow.com](http://www.quiltshow.com).

Sept. 12-Oct. 15. Seasons of Stitching. Anderson Art Center, 6603 3rd Ave., Kenosha. Southport Quilters Guild. Tuesdays-Sundays, 1-4 p.m. Free admission.



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## *Charity Quilts for the Community*

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Seven quilts were given at the May meeting ~  
For anywhere needed. Thank you!

YES, this year we will again provide quilts for Camp Serenity on Lake Tomahawk ~ see  
below for SIZE! DEADLINE: June meeting!!

Four members will distribute quilts this year:

**Nancy Larsen** for Women's Resource Center

Baby to Lap size--36x36 to 55x70, pieced, cheaters, fleece, crocheted and knitted items.

**Regina Scott Brooks** for Quilts for VA Home in Union Grove

Twin size or a little larger but not much larger, fabrics can be either for men or women

**Barbara Vallone** for Quilts for the Community which includes:

All Saints NICU, Racine, and Children's Hospital, Milwaukee

Baby to Lap size--36x36 to 55x70

St. Monica's Home plus Habitat for Humanity and other local needs

Small Lap--45x50 to Nap Lap--55x70

Operation Snuggles – quilts for soldiers' children, Camp Serenity, and Wounded Warriors

Baby to twin bed—36x36 to 60x75 ~COT SIZE FOR CAMP SERENITY 55x70 ish

**TC Wiley** for Foster Children's Project

Baby to Large Lap—40x40 to 55x70

Quilt size can range from 36 x36 to 60 x 75—see sizes above.

Please keep your biggest quilt to twin bed size.

THANK YOU!!! Nancy Larsen, Regina Scott Brooks, Barbara Vallone, and TC Wiley

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## *DeKoven Quilts Camps, 2023*

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THE DEKOVEN CENTER, Racine. DAY QUILT CAMP 9 am- 5 pm, Tue, Wed, Thu,  
July 11, 12, 13 \$20 per day Held in historic 1850s Assembly Hall. Max 16 per day

This DAY camps at DeKoven offers three days of quilting in Assembly Hall which has parking  
right in front of the door and a nice ramp up or just two steps. There are two layout stations of 2  
six foot tables each and two ironing stations. Coffee, tea, and water are provided and we have  
access to a refrigerator and microwave. Doors are always locked for security.

There are still openings in this camps!

Please contact me SOON if you are interested!!

If YOU are interested in seeing ALL the camps in 2023, contact me for a two page copy  
of my Quilt Camp Flyer and I will send it to you by e-mail.

Thanks!! Barbara Vallone 262-639-8185 or [qltingb@gmail.com](mailto:qltingb@gmail.com)

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# Hospitality

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Our Racine Food Bank Hospitality Donation for this month is GRAINS, PASTA, CEREALS.

The update of what we donated at our May meeting will be provided during the June meeting.

Thank you for making a hospitable difference in our community!!



Autumn Latimore

Hospitality Chair



The wagon load from the May meeting

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## Quilt-a-long

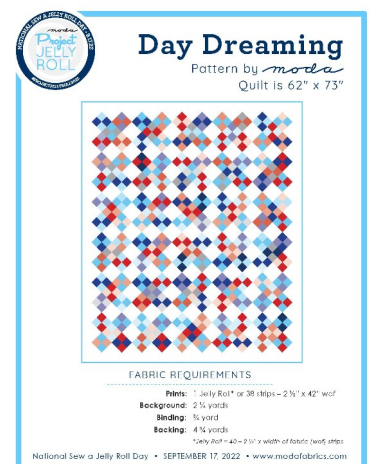
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Quilters are you working on our scrappy group QAL?

Our pattern is Daydreamer and can be found at  
[www.modafabrics.com](http://www.modafabrics.com)

under Inspiration and Resources: free patterns.

**Regina Scott Brooks, VP Programs**





## *For Sale*

Used Janome Horizon Quilt Maker Memory  
Craft 15000  
Sewing/embroidery machine with extras!

Excellent condition!

Asking \$4,000

Call Cathy Fojtik

262 639 0439 or cell: 262 221 6640



## *Quilt Show News and Updates*

### *Crayon Challenge*

YES!!! All the crayons are gone! Our final deadline is the guild meeting on July 31 – NEXT MONTH!! I am still waiting for over 30 of them!!

Thank you everyone who took a crayon. If you have any questions, please contact me ASAP at [qltingb@gmail.com](mailto:qltingb@gmail.com). Barbara Vallone.



### *Bed Turning*

2019 was the 40th anniversary of Lighthouse Quilters Guild. The previous chair, Sharon Guetzlaff, had suggested a theme of "Memory Quilts" for our next show. I have selected this as the theme for this year's show. I will be looking for quilts with a story, such as previous show winning quilts, quilts made or received for a special occasion, etc. Watch for an entry form in the coming weeks with instructions to submit a quilt. Anyone interested in volunteering to help with the bed turning are encouraged to contact me at [matusevicius.1@att.net](mailto:matusevicius.1@att.net). Sharon Matusevicius.

# 2023 Lighthouse Legacies Quilt Show Rules

**October 7-8, 2023**

1. Anyone may enter quilts in the show. The show is limited to the first 250 entries. Entries must be **postmarked by Monday, September 11, 2023.**
2. The entry fee for the first item is \$5.00. For each additional item, the entry fee is \$3.00.
3. You may enter only one (1) item per class.
4. Quilts must have three layers (top, batting and backing).
5. The CLASS for an entered item is determined by the predominant method of construction. To help with CLASS determination, the following is the definition for an entry into the MODERN QUILT CATEGORY:  
Quilts in this category may have a strong visual impact, non-traditional designs and quilting styles, high contrast, creative graphic elements and/or expansive negative space.
6. "Other Techniques" include whole cloth, yo-yo, crazy quilts, painted or stenciled quilts and other forms of embellishment
7. Entries must be entirely made by the entrant unless entered in a "Quilted by Other" or Quilts Among Friends" class.
  - a. Quilted by Other means someone else quilted your entry.
  - b. Quilts Among Friends means two (2) or more people worked on the entry at any stage of its construction. No money was exchanged for services.
  - c. You must list the names of all people/groups who worked on the quilt.
8. No cheater cloth quilts, framed items or sweatshirts may be entered.

## **Entries Must:**

- Be clean and odor free.
- Have been completed within the last five (5) years and never previously entered in a Lighthouse Legacies show.
- Have a four-inch rod pocket attached to quilts and wall hangings. The TOP of the rod pocket must be sewn no more than 90" from the bottom of the quilt when the finished quilt is longer than 90". Top and bottom of the rod pocket must be sewn down. A rod pocket is not required for Miniature quilts, Lighthouse Challenge quilts, Home Accessories, and Apparel/Accessories.
- Have a label sewn on the lower back (inside on wearable art) which includes entry title and entrant's name. The entrant's name must be covered for judging with fabric or masking tape (do not use blue painter's tape) and
- Be in a pillowcase or cloth bag of appropriate size and labeled with your name, address and telephone number. Two labels are required: on the outside of both sides of the open end of the pillowcase or bag.

**Any entry that does not meet these rules will not be accepted or displayed. Entrant will be notified of disqualification.**

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## Additional Information

- **Mail signed entry form and fee to TC Wiley, 352 Quail Point Drive, Mt. Pleasant, WI 53406.** Shipped entries should be mailed to TC Wiley's address. Entries to be shipped for return must include a prepaid return label with the entry. Your quilt will be returned in your original sturdy box.
- Lighthouse Quilters Guild, Inc. provides a secure location. However, items are entered at your own risk.
- Entry committee/judges reserve the right to reclassify entries as needed.
- Ribbons will be awarded at the judges' discretion. If entered items do not meet judges' criteria, ribbons might not be awarded in all classes.
- Judging will be completed by certified judges: Maribeth Schmit and Allison Rainboth, both are NACQJ Certified Judges.
- Drop off quilts on Wednesday, October 4, 2023 between 12:00 and 4:00 pm at Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 322 Ohio Street, Racine, WI 53405.
- Entries and prizes must be picked up on Sunday, October 8, 2023 at Fountain Banquet Hall, 8505 Durand Ave, Sturtevant, WI 53177 between 5:30 and 6:00 pm.
- Photographs of you and/or your entry may be taken and used for guild promotional purposes.

For more information contact: [www.lighthousequiltersguild.com](http://www.lighthousequiltersguild.com) or  
TC Wiley: [tcwiley@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tcwiley@sbcglobal.net), 262-930-8600

## Prizes

1. Best of Show: \$200 (1)
2. Best Hand Quilted Entry: \$100 (1)
3. Best Domestic Machine Quilted Entry: \$100 (1)
4. Best Longarm Quilted Entry: \$100 (1)
5. Viewer's Choice: \$50 (1)
6. Judge's Choice: Ribbon (2)

## Cash Prizes may be awarded as follows:

Division A: 1st Place \$75, 2nd Place \$35, 3rd Place \$20

Divisions B-K: 1st Place \$35, 2nd Place \$15, 3rd Place \$10

All Divisions: Honorable Mention, Ribbon

Longarmers may receive an additional ribbon in the following categories: Best of Show (1), Viewer's Choice (1), Judge's Choice (2), and to the 1st Place Winners in "Quilted by Other" classes.





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## Quilt Show Raffle

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Lighthouse Legacies 2023 will include a raffle.....another way to raise funds to support our speakers and programs.

We are asking each member to donate one or two items—or more!!! If you don't want to make something—you can purchase an item and donate it.....

here are some suggestions:

**Fat quarters      box of pins      a package of sewing machine needles      ruler  
mats/rotary cutters and/or blades      Kringle      Notions      Jewelry  
Gift card to Sew n Save      Books/patterns      Wine  
Gift card to local restaurant/bakery/local business who could use the support  
Thread      An iron      Sewing lessons      Quilting services  
A basket or vessel      Candy/jams/jelly/nuts/popcorn from local merchant  
Tickets to an event/museum/ball game  
Floral arrangement or potted mum (the show is in October so think fall stuff!)**

Several people can go in together, as well. Watch for a baking basket from the Twisted Stitchers!!!! At the May meeting, someone donated a bag of gift bags (thank you!) and TC Wiley very generously donated a beautiful package of blue and white fat quarters, a pin cushion/yard stick, and some note pads. An anonymous donor(s) left 3 packs of fat quarters, some threaded bobbins, a hospitality set of tea and hot chocolate, a black and white scarf, two zip bags. A gift bag, a mask, and an insulated cup, Thank you!!!!

I am bringing a box to collect items at every meeting until September. This is a separate donation box from the boutique and is labeled! I can also pick up items if you can't bring them to the meeting.

Please call or email me with any questions.

Sue Causey, 262 681 6676, [sue@suecausey.com](mailto:sue@suecausey.com) or [lhqsuecausey@hotmail.com](mailto:lhqsuecausey@hotmail.com)





## *Show and Tell*



Such talent among us !!!





## 2023 Membership Form

ALL members, new and returning, must complete a membership form.

Dues are \$30

(checks made payable to Lighthouse Quilters Guild).

Your information will not be shared.

Bring this form and payment to the February meeting--

Or mail it before February 28th to:

Lighthouse Quilters Guild

c/o Membership Vice-President

PO Box 081153

Racine, WI 53408-1153

All members are asked to serve at least one month per year on the hospitality committee and are asked to make one quilt a year for our charities.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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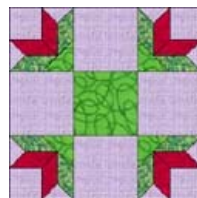
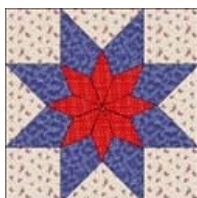
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The quilt show entry form was sent as a separate attachment to the newsletter, and will also be available on our website and Facebook Page. It is a form that you can download and save to your PC or table. Easy Peasy for sure! You can then save it in your files as documentation if you so choose. Please remember that quilt show attendees love to see how your creation came to be, so add your entry description for all to read. See you at the show.

TC Wiley

<http://www.lighthousequiltersguild.com/quilt-show.html>

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