

# Snake River Valley Quilt Guild May 2022 Newsletter

## Quilt Guild Srvquiltguild.org

SRVQG President

Meeting Time
3rd Thursdays
6:00 pm Doors Open/Early Bird
6:30 General Meeting

Meeting Location
Calvary Baptist Church
785 First St
Idaho Falls, ID

# \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* **Sewing Room Chat with the President** I just love retreats. I like to get away from everyday life and sew with like minded people. It is a time of creativity, learning from others, laughing and getting to know each other. Now is the time to save the dates for the two retreats that Alicia Williams, Retreat Chair, has planned for us. The first is a day retreat. This was planned so those who cannot take off for a week long retreat but could take one day off can join in the fun. The day retreat will be on Thursday, June 16th, 9:00a - 5:00p at the Skyline Activity Center. Alicia has some fun activities that you can choose to participate in and a day of fun sewing on the projects of your choice. Further details will be coming so look for them. Alicia will be letting us know details. Sign up. The cost is \$15. The annual October Retreat will be Monday, October 17th through Friday, October 21st at Living Waters Ranch in Challis. We even have a pop-up quilt shop come from Salmon, Copper Mountain Quilting. Great facilities, great food and snacks, great sewing time with a great group of guilters. Get your deposit of \$100 in to secure your spot. Questions you can contact Alicia Williams. More information to come. So get these dates on your calendar now. Sign up at the May meeting. Hope to see you at these retreats. Jeanette Hanson

Our education segment will be presented by Diane Cresap. She will teach us about visible stitching, its history and techniques.

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## **Upcoming Events**

May 21st—Split half rectangle Sew-In

**May 28th** — Quilts of Valor sew day at Brady's

June 16th—Mini Day retreat

# Quilts of Valor Sewing Group

QOV Sew Day is:

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May 28th at Brady's from 10 AM— 2 PM.

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In addition to sew days, you can also help by making blocks, assembling blocks into a quilt top, and quilting a quilt.

Thanks for your help and support!

☆ ~Mimi Jones (mimijones65@gmail.com)

Congratulations to Becky Harvey on winning the April raffle blocks! This month the block is "True Blue"...a 12.5" block worked in Blue & Yellow.

Fat Quarter Exchange: Please bring 6 fat quarters this month in JEWEL TONES and be sure to pick up your YELLOW fat quarters if you participated in that exchange.

UFO SWAP is this month! Bring a UFO that you're no longer in love with and swap with someone else. Be sure your UFO, and all its accourrements, is in a brown bag with your name on it. Bring one and take one home! The UFO you get in the swap is YOURS...it won't go back to it's original owner. I hope you choose to play along.

How's your Sew 222 Yards in 2022 coming along? Bring your tally sheet & collect a prize if you've sewn 50 yards.

Don't forget....Fortune Cookie Challenge is due NEXT MONTH!!

AND ...I'm looking forward to seeing everyone's 12.5" Woven Fabric block for our BOM.

Keep on stitching!

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### Community Support/Charity Program:

The Village - A Foster Care Closet is a non-profit entity run by the Idaho Foster and Adoptive Parent Association. When a child comes into foster care, the Village immediately gives them a suitcase, a quilt or blanket, and a comfort toy. The Village received 21 of our quilts to share with their youth. They give out baby sizes up to twin sizes. They have difficulty getting quilts for teens, especially boys. They are currently are in need of the larger (twin) size quilts.

If you would like to make quilts to donate we are looking for quilts in twin sizes - approximately 65 x 80 inch range.

We also need volunteers who are willing to quilt the many quilt tops that have been submitted.

If you are interested in helping with the Community Support Program, please contact Debbie Hamrick at 360-870-4282 or debham1986@gmail.com



#### **SRVQG DAY RETREAT!**

June 16, 2022, 9 am to 5 pm Skyline Activity Center 1575 N Skyline Dr, Idaho Falls, ID 83402 Cost \$15 per person

Come out and join us for a day retreat, a fun day of visiting and sewing with friends.

Guild will provide a sandwich bar for lunch, please bring a pot -luck salad or a dessert to contribute to the meal.

The Activity Center offers tables and chairs as well as great south facing windows. Please bring your own extension cords, sewing supplies, projects etc.

We will have a Turtle block challenge you may choose to participate in. The guild will provide the background fabric.

World Sea Turtle Day, June 16th, is a day used to honor and highlight the importance of sea turtles. These creatures, like any other creature, are magnificent in their own way.

More info to follow, save the date!

# SEW-INS

### May 21st 10am at Brady's—Split Rects Ruler with Connie Rafferty



#### **Supply List**

- Studio 180 Design split rectangle ruler. Please considering supporting your LQS.
- 2 yards print A for stars and inner border
- 2 yards print B for stars and binding
- 3 yards lighter contrasting print for blocks and setting triangles
- 1 1/2 yards darker contrasting print for outer border
- ♦ Sewing Machine
- ♦ Basic sewing supplies
- Small cutting mat and rotary cutter

The dimensions, if making the quilt, are 67" by 84". If anyone doesn't want to make the whole quilt, they can just bring some fat quarters which will be adequate to learn the technique.

## **LIBRARY COMING SOON!**

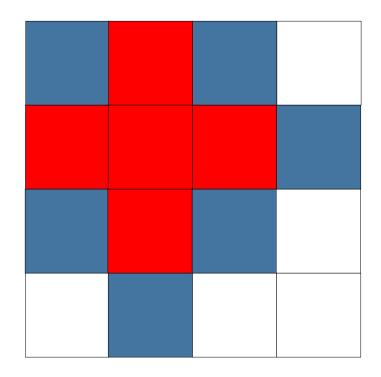
Please check yor sewing room for any library books and return them to JR at our next meeting.

# Quilts of Valor Challenge Block



Sew squares together into rows.

Sew rows into blocks



Please use red, white, and blue fabrics appropriate for adults. Use <u>NO</u> sparkly fabrics or juvenile prints.

These blocks are easy to make. Sew your hearts out for our veterans. They have sacrificed greatly for us.

From 1 fat quarter cut into 2½" squares you will be able to make 56 2½" squares. From 1 red, 1 blue and 1 white fat quarter you will be able to make 9 of the above blocks.

Bring your blocks to our guild meeting and give them to Karen Price. You will receive 1 ticket for each block to enter into a raffle to win a layer cake.

Fall Retreat Registration 2022	
October 17-21, 2022	
Living Waters Ranch Challis, Id	aho
Non-refundable deposit to SR\ tember 15th	/QG of \$100 to secure your place by July 21st payment in full by Sep
Name:	
Phone:	
Emergency Contact:	
4 nights lodging	
Share Room Mini Lodge	\$210 Roommate:
Private Room Mini Lodge	\$380
Shared School of Ministry	\$330 Roommate:
Private School of Ministry	\$620
King Suite School of Ministry	\$820
	ental breakfast which will be set up from 7-10 am in the Celebration a, and Ice. Please bring your own mug or water bottle.
We will have dinner at 5:30 in	the Celebration Hall
Meal assignments to be issued	separately
Please contact Alicia Williams v	via text or email for additional questions 208-313-3254 or

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aanddbear@hotmail.com

# Hello my name is

Wear your name tag to guild meeting to be entered to win a prize!

ing meets the fourth Tuesday of the month at Daydreams 1:00 P.M. and Newcomers are welcome







Bring a treat for you secret quilter to our meeting and leave on the secret quilter table near the back to make sure they get it.

## Find us on Facebook!

See photos of recent Show and Tells from Guild Meetings and Sew-Ins. Or Join our group by searching for Snake River Valley Quilt Guild Group

# Snake River Valley Quilt Guild Board Members 2021

#### **Officers**

President – Jeanette Hanson

Vice President – Julie Finnigan

Secretary – Marilyn Bee

Treasurer – David Nipper

Assistant Treasurer—Open

#### **Committee Chairs**

Charity/Community Support – Debbie Hamrick

Equipment & Historian – Susan Collins

Intraguild Activities – Marei Montalvo

Library – JR Woods

Membership-Joyce White

Newsletter-Renee Phillips

Quilt Show- Open

Retreat Coordinator – Alicia Williams

Secret Quilters- Karen Price

Sew-Ins-Celia Weekes

Sunshine/Courtesy—Pam Noonan

Workshops – Lynn Saul

Webmaster-Open

If you would like to contribute to the guild by serving in any open positions, please contact a member of the Board.

## **Quilt Guild Membership**

Srvquiltguild.org/about/membership

**Annual Dues** 

- \* \$25 for Adults
- \$5 for Youth (Under 12)

Sign up at the membership desk during Early Bird or the break at our monthly meetings!

Benefits of Membership

- \* Quarterly Sew -Ins
- Reduced Fees for Workshops
- Reduced Fee for Annual Quilting Retreat
  - Access to Guild Library

Bring Dues to Guild Meeting or send to:

Joyce White

966 Grassland Dr

Idaho Falls, ID 83404

Please make checks payable to SRVQG.

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