



# ✦ ✦ ✦ **On Point**

News from Mad City Quilt Guild

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January 2020

## *President's Perspective*

*Hi Quilters, Members, and Friends!*

It's the new year and we're off to a great start!

A big thank you to all our School House teachers/presenters! Great job! We have so many knowledgeable members and appreciate you sharing with us. If you have an idea you'd like to present for the 2020-2021 year, please let Dee know.

We have two positions in the guild (Evening Vice President and Treasurer) that will need to be filled for the 2020-2021 year. Please think about volunteering. The current officeholders, Terry Lichtenfelt and Diane Galarneau, will be happy to make the transition easy and show you the ropes! Please contact them soon.

Let's make this a great year - get involved! You may just make some new friends in the process!!

*~~ Dawn*

## **Upcoming Evening Programs for 2019-2020 – 7 pm**

**Jan 27, 2020** **Rebecca Lidstrom** – “**One Block, Many Ways**”: What can you create when you limit yourself to one quilt block design and five fabrics? The options are endless! Join Rebecca for this trunk show as she shows you how you can introduce simple design changes to create a versatile collection of quilts. [StudioRquilts.com](http://StudioRquilts.com)

**Feb 24, 2020** **Leah Evans** – “**Map Quilts**”: Textile artist, Leah Evans, will present her land-inspired wall quilts. Evans will share examples of current work as well as the story of her creative path. Her talk will include topics of reverse appliqué and other techniques, repurposing materials, and finding inspiration.

## **Upcoming Afternoon Programs for 2019-2020 – 1 pm**

**Feb 4, 2020** **Jen Mulder** – **Sewing Machine Spa Days: Why They are a Must**”: “I will discuss parts of a sewing machine, show examples of what we may mean when servicing your machine and make notes for you, how you should do your home maintenance. I will also include a brief overview of my shop, The Electric Needle.”

**Mar 3, 2020** **Amy Walsh** – “**Color Confidence II**”: Want to go beyond the basics and out of your comfort zone with your colorwork? Getting stuck when you try to put together a workable palette all the time? We'll be talking about how to advance your color sensibility, color history, analyzing your quilts & more! [Blueundergroundstudios.com](http://Blueundergroundstudios.com)

## Community Projects

A big THANK YOU to everyone who contributes to our Community in need.

We continue to donate quilts to Linus for teens graduating from the Foster Care Program, and welcome quilts of any size to be donated to area hospitals. Kits are available at meetings, and we continue to take donations of fabric, batting or thread.

Specifications are as follows:

- 1) Blankets should be small enough to drape over a patient's lap.
- 2) All embellishments should be securely attached to the blanket. (This is must!)
- 3) Avoid small beads, baubles, etc, as they could become a choking hazard. Larger beads and buttons are acceptable as long as they are securely attached.

Any longarmers wanting to quilt a quilt top, please contact me. Batting and backing will be provided along with the quilt top.

Suggested quilt sizes for the Foster Care Program: 63" x 87" to 78" x 87". (These dimensions are on our website.)

Total contributed for the year	60
Finished quilts to Linus	68

Julayne Jelle, Community Projects Coordinator 608/273-3620 [julayne@tds.net](mailto:julayne@tds.net)

### ***Odds and Ends***

Thanks to School House presenters: **Mary Joy Johnson, Holly Johnson, Dee Van Driel, Gael Boyd, Gwen JeSchonek** for sharing!

Thank you to **Barb Mayhew** (her last as chair) and **Margaret Hentzler** for organizing the logistics and entertainment for our Holiday Party.

**Upcoming Photo Days:** Feb 24: 5:30-6:45, prior to our evening meeting; and Mar 3: 3:15-4:30, following our afternoon meeting.

**Lodi Quilt Academy ([lvqq.org](http://lvqq.org)), Sat, Mar 28;** preregistration necessary by Feb 15 or ASAP.

**Sun Prairie Quilt Show.com** for registration. May 1 & 2; 9-4; at Colonial Club, 301 Blankenheim Lane, Sun Prairie WI.

### ***Mad City Quilt Guild Board 2019 - 2020***

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## SHOW and TELL

Nov 25, 2019

**Trisha Urben:** scrub caps and bags, w/ Spoonflower fabric

**Kari O'Connor:** Kathleen Tracy's mini-quilt online: 6 rows in a row quilt

**Laurie Friedman:** Twelve Lori Holt chicken blocks in a quilt for a friend who just moved off the farm, w/ chicken wire fabric on back

**Doris Ast:** Get Moving baby quilt, w/ prints of motorized items

**Nancy Biel:** Sisters Sampler quilt (Mill House BOM), laq by **Mary Vassalotti**

**Gwen Je Schonek:** Patches & Petals Saturday Sampler in orange/turq/red and lights

**Dianne Larson:** Two versions of Magic Stripe: mini, made from fatquarter, 2<sup>nd</sup> is using several pieces of different stripes, in same color family

**Laurel Strock:** small Magic Stripe quilt

**Kay Jensen:** Series from Weeks Ringle Dimensions design: circles w/ pie/triangles, two variations

**Dawn Adamany:** Expo mini (finally finished!) w/ guild pins in cathedral window blocks; Honey Bee mini, hand-quilted

**Hallie Ray:** 1<sup>st</sup> quilt, made in 2001: they were adopting a child from China; each family shared blocks/fabrics/wishes. This quilt is for dtr coming home from 1<sup>st</sup> semester at college.

**Julie Woerth:** Basket Case, baby quilt size

**Kathy Dorn:** kit purchased at Lodi Quilt Academy, lots of hourglass blocks in subtle gradation, pattern well-written

**Mary Joy Johnson:** "finishing up": baby quilt for grt-grddtr coming in next few weeks, laq by **Holly**; Linus quilt w/ 1" squares; Puppies & Kitties (from class she taught at summer camp); 9-patches of 2 1/2" strips w/ square-in-square setting, fleece on backs; Stars in brights+animals in kid print

**Holly Johnson:** "Snowman with Same Ice-skating Ability I Do" – face first, quilt-smart interfacing technique in a kit; 16- 9" square potholders for craft fair; baby quilt for great-niece, in aqua & lemon disappearing 9-patch

Jan 7, 2019

**Julie Fitzpatrick:** Halloween tablerunner w/ Kimberbell machine embroidery

**Julayne/Community Service:** Seven Linus quilts (8 stars in a StacknWhack; log cabin; variety)

**Marcia Finger:** pale fabric Magic Stripe w/ sashing for more separation, for Linus

**Mary Vassalotti:** finished 3 kits for Linus; Ricky Tims Convergence WH w/ faced edge; 2 quilts from panels, w/ borders added to enlarge

**Laurie Friedman:** last summer, she collected her assorted/coordinated blues to make a quilt of stars, w/ pieced blocks on the back

**Nancy Schmitt:** quilt for her grddtr Kai from Colorado, w/ cats, for her 1<sup>st</sup> birthday

**Barb Roe:** Pumpkin WH (Barb is finally back at quilting!)

**Gwen Je Schonek:** from an estate sale, bo't 12 blocks from a kit, but was missing 4 blocks; she selected teal/olive/blue/etc to create 4 more similar blocks to blend in

**Sharon Raimondo:** green/gold 16" blocks w/ sashing, w/ Packer-theme inset, for her son, laq **Sharon Walk**

**Bill Hoernke:** Attic Window WH w/ bird fabric: "Bird in Every Window"

**Carolyn Cain:** using leftovers (from church hangings, w/ **Karen Mandt**) for Advent WH (add candle each wk)

**Sue Jackan:** took photo of son standing in front of the Eiffel Tower when she met him there (during his Cameroon, Africa/Peace Corps days), now used as inspiration for her large wall quilt, showing great design and perspective – may enter it into an Architecture Challenge coming up

Great Wisconsin Quilt Show 2020 at Alliant Energy Center Sept 10-12, 2020

Mad City Quilt Guild Mini-Quilt Challenge Theme

# HOME SWEET HOME

**Sexy Sixties Workshop**  
**Saturday, April 25—9 a.m. – 3 p.m.**  
**Middleton Community Church**

Yes, those 60° triangles are indeed sexy. Depending on your fabric choices, a little ingenuity in strip piecing, and easy piecing techniques, you can make visually stunning quilts. And you'll be astounded how easy they are to work with.

Join guild member Mary Joy Johnson in this workshop to learn the secrets of manipulating these triangles as you make a table runner. She will also talk about the many ways to design with these versatile blocks.

To register for the workshop, fill out the form below and give to either Dee Van Driel or Mary Joy, along with a check for \$30 made out to Mad City Quilt Guild.

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**Registration**

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Middleton Community Church

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Enclose a check for \$30 made out to Mad City Quilt Guild and mail to  
Mary Joy Johnson  
6806 Raymond Road #102  
Madison, WI 53719

Deadline for registration is April 20. Space is limited.

## **Mad City Quilt Guild Workshop – Making a Bargello Quilt**

**Saturday, April 4, 2020      9am – 3pm**  
**Middleton Community Church**

For many quilters, the idea of making a bargello quilt is overwhelming. Many assume it's too difficult and never get started. Come to this workshop, to learn the techniques to construct a small bargello quilt project that can be made into a table top decoration or a wall hanging. You can then use this lesson to make a larger project or a bed size quilt at home.

At the Mad City Quilt Guild evening meeting on Monday, March 23rd, Bill Hoernke will give a lecture on "Finding the Inspiration to Make Your First Bargello Quilt". If you can attend the meeting and find a little bit of that inspiration, then you will likely want to take this workshop to get started on your project (attending the lecture is not required to take the workshop).

To register for this workshop, fill out the form below, include a check for \$30 payable to Mad City Quilt Guild and give to Dee Van Driel or Bill Hoernke at a meeting or you may mail it to:  
Bill Hoernke, 2218 Schroeder Lane, Stoughton WI 53589

Questions about fabric selection prior to the workshop? E-mail [bhoernke@gmail.com](mailto:bhoernke@gmail.com) or call/text 608-235-1122. Space is limited. A supply list will be provided to you after registration.

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### **Mad City Quilt Guild Workshop Registration - Making a Bargello Quilt**

**Middleton Community Church, Saturday, April 4, 2020, 9am – 3pm**

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Registration Deadline, March 31, 2020*

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Presentations on Jan 7 and Jan 27 of the spring edition of BLOTTO, will detail the **Go Fish!** block. (Pattern is available on our website: [madcityquilters.org](http://madcityquilters.org) and on our Facebook page)  
The drawings of those lottery blocks will take place during the Feb 4 and Feb 24 meetings.

## **Upcoming Evening Guild Meetings**

Jan 27, 2020 7 pm

Feb 24, 2020 7 pm

*(preceded by Photo Session @ 5:30)*

## **Upcoming Afternoon Guild Meetings**

Feb 4, 2020 1 pm

Mar 3, 2020 1 pm

*(followed by Photo Session @ 3:15)*

*Meeting location: Middleton Community Church  
645 Schewe Rd, Middleton  
(2 mi W of Beltline, off Old Sauk)*

*Next Newsletter Deadline:*

**February 15, 2020**

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