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September 2022

PALS Quilt Guild Meeting

September 12, 2022

6:30 pm

Fellowship Reformed Church

4200 Apple Ave. Muskegon

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Cindy Vogel & Suzette Mattson

2023 Quilt Show Chairs

Kathy Myers, Connie Townsend &

Kay Wilton

Next Board Meeting

September 26, 6:00pm

Next Newsletter Deadline

September 10, 2022

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From Your Chairs – Sue Webb & Lisa Schooley

Hello Quilting Friends!

Can you believe it is September already? I am finding myself getting excited about “fall” fabrics. I’ve already picked up a few and have a new table runner in mind. My goal will be to get it completed in time to use it this fall. I love Autumn weather, something about the stillness, the crisp air and the color of the changing leaves that focuses me back to my quilts. Of course, it could just be Christmas is looming around the corner and I promised my grandchildren a quilt for Christmas and as usual procrastination became my friend and I have one done out of three. This month I am committed to completing one a month until I am done!

Thank you to those who have volunteered for vacant positions. You are appreciated! We still have a couple positions left: Chair, Co-Chair and Treasurer. Anyone feeling the urge to serve on our awesome Quilt Guild Board?

Please bring your quilt tops to the meeting to share with the group. I look forward to seeing you.

See you soon,

Lisa & Sue

Meeting Cancellation Information

In case of inclement weather, notifications will be sent to WZZM-TV and WOOD-TV stations. If at all possible, an email blast will be sent to members who receive their newsletters via email.

PALS 2022 Calendar of Events

September 12 - Lynn Carson Harris Workshop & Lecture

Our September 12th meeting will feature Lynn Carson Harris from Chelsea, Michigan. Lynn is a quilt artist, raises chickens, and grows vegetables. Both of her parents grew up on farms and, like the little red hen in the children's story, she was taught to do things from scratch and to never let anything go to waste. Her thrifty upbringing led her to her current style of working with scraps and the desire to use "every last piece". Her quilts have been juried into international shows and gallery exhibits and her work is in private collections around the world. She is the author of "Every Last Piece" and has also been published in numerous books and magazines.

Lynn will be teaching a class on "Tiny Piecing" at Quilted Memories on Monday, September 12, 2022, from 9am until 4 pm. You will learn tips and tricks that make working small easier. She will show you how to piece tiny stars and other small blocks as well as small-scale intuitive piecing. The class costs \$65 for members and \$75 for non-members. There are five (5) slots left for this class. If interested, please contact Vicki Gale at (231) 670-5535 or galevicki66@gmail.com. Payment can be mailed to PALS: P.O. Box 5373, N. Muskegon, MI 49445 or at Quilted Memories when you come to class.

October 3- Breast Cancer quilt raffle, Trunk Show from Ladies of the Lake Bee

November 7- PALS University, Membership Raffle Basket

December 5- Christmas Party, Toys for Tots

Hospitality

Suzette Mattson & Cindy Vogel

August and September birthday celebrants:

Please bring a dozen cookies or treats to share at our September meeting. We will provide the coffee, creamers, sugar, sweeteners and ice water. And, as always, HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

Membership

Niki Studabaker & LuAnne Sloop

There were no new members signed up at the August meeting/picnic. The picnic at Elks Park was attended by about 35 members and a couple guests. There was fun and conversations, great food, Show & Tell, "Left, Right, Center" games and door prizes given out to all. Thank you to all who came!!"

Donation Quilts

Cindy Vogel, Rhesa Martin & Sharon Babinger

Save the Date: We are going to have a Saturday Sew!!!

Sewing Day for Donation Quilts will be held on Saturday, September 24th from 10 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at Fellowship Church in classrooms 22 & 23. Come and sew with us! Bring a lunch (and goodies to share), your machine and sewing equipment. Park by the east entrance. We will have kits to work on or bring your own quilt donation project. We will have batting there also. **We hope to see you there!**

Marketing

Marilyn Anderson

Marketing would like to express a sincere thank you for such a successful yard sale this spring. Many hands helped this sale. You supported us by sharing your surplus. Many helped get the goods in and out of the building. Several sales volunteers made the purchasing flow much easier. The final count was over \$250.00. The marketing table will be full of new sale items for quite a while. The storage unit has many new tubs full of priced items. Come and look. Plus, our PALS logo bags are priced at a special price of \$15.00, we have two left.

Quilt Show 2023

Kathy Myers, Connie Townsend & Kay Wilton

The Quilt Show committees are complete, but we still need Co-Chairs to take positions for 2025. They will need to shadow the Chairs for the 2023 show, so they can take over as Chairs in 2025. Challenge fabric and rules will be available soon. We're excited for the introduction of it! All guild members, start working on that special quilt(s) for the show!!! May 12, 2023 will be here before you know it!!!

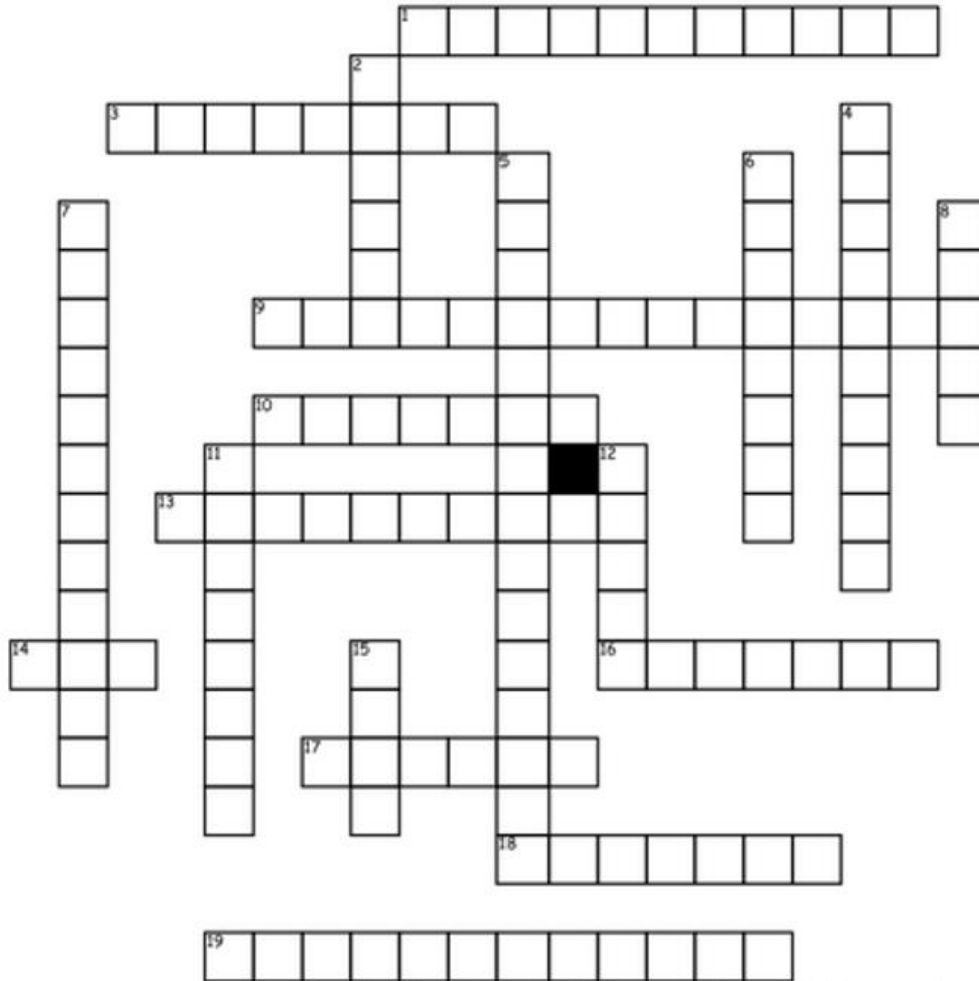
Coopersville Quilt Exhibit

Suzette Mattson

The theme is "patriotic" quilts. The quilts will be on display through September 30th at the Coopersville Farm Museum, downtown Coopersville. I participated last year, and it was a lot of fun to see all the other wonderful quilts that were displayed there.



Quilting Crossword



Across

1. Quilters love these pleasingly plump fabric pieces.

3. These pups keep things moving.

9. They've got big quilting machines, not extended appendages.

10. Whitman's are sweet, but quilted ones are way more fun.

13. You don't have to be nuts to make one ...but it might help!

14. No kaboodle ... just everything you need for a quilt.

16. Watch out ... it's a little edgy!

17. Pieced, butted, or mitered, it's quilting outside the blocks.

18. That is one sharp-looking corner!

19. A blade on a roll.

Down

2. This little "spool" is underneath it all.

4. Bad place for a car ... great place for quilting stitches.

5. A perfect one makes your piecing fit well.

6. Lay on the layers!

7. Why don't we call it picky slicing?

8. You can do it to a turkey OR a quilt.

11. It's tough in love, easy in quilting.

12. Billions and billions are in the sky ... maybe a dozen in your quilt.

15. Hula, basketball, OR quilting.



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