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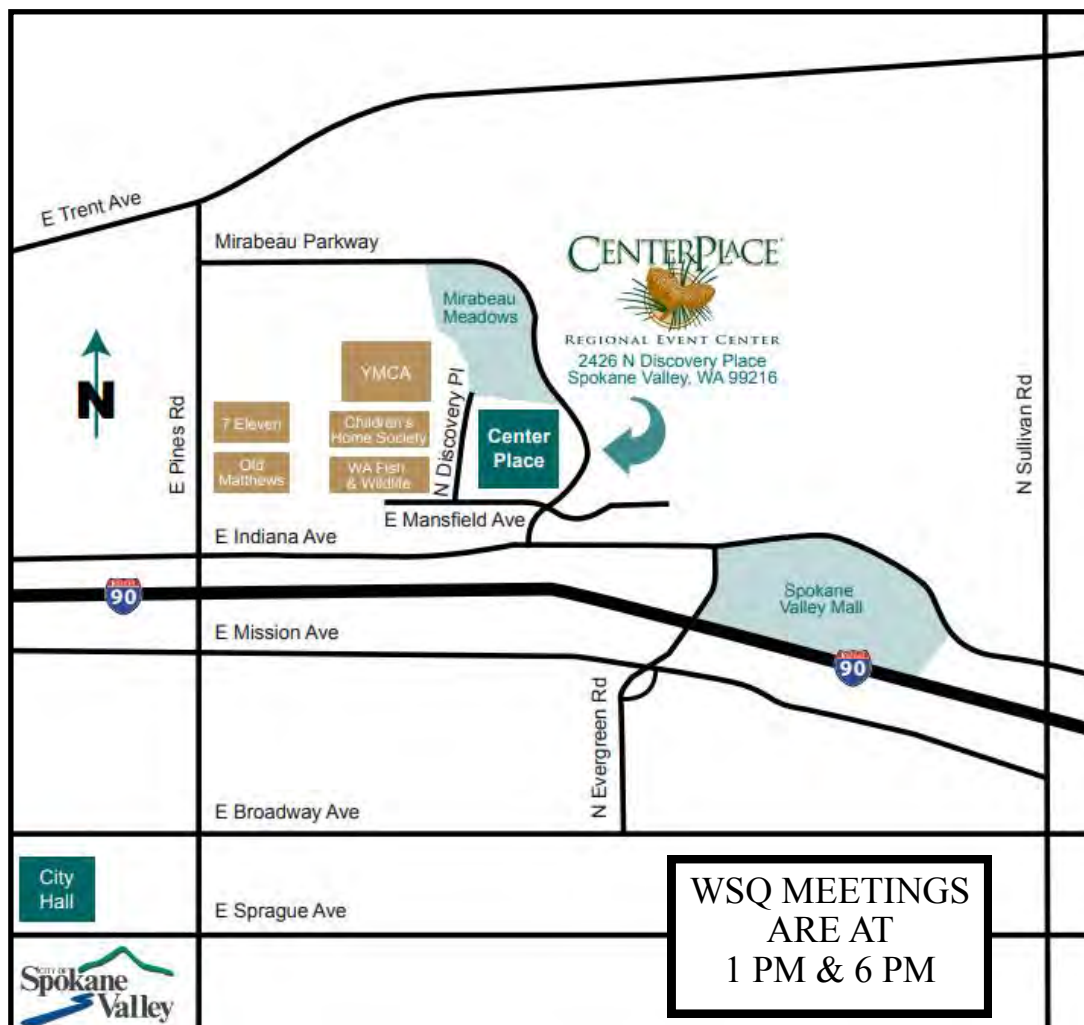
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Meet Quilt Illusionist Karen Combs

A native of Michigan, Karen Combs began quilting in 1973 while still in high school. She has a degree in library science and worked at many state, city, and school libraries before finding her calling as a professional quilting instructor, writer, and designer.

Her quilts are known for taking a traditional pattern and giving it her own unique “twist”. Karen is intrigued with quilts of illusions and has been designing quilts with a 3-D look for several years.

Karen is the author of 9 different books, including *Optical Illusions for Quilters*. She has been a fabric designer for almost two decades, working with several different fabric companies. She has created over 100 different collections: both batiks and quilting cottons. Many of Karen’s fabric designs have become classics. Karen is currently designing batiks for Northcott’s Banyan Batiks.



Her work has appeared in the Silver Dollar City Wall-hanging Challenge, the Hoffman Challenge, and in many magazines. Karen was nominated for Teacher of the Year in 1995, 2000, and 2005, by Professional Quilter Journal. She travels internationally to teach her techniques and methods.

Karen works with Quilt Seminars at Sea, teaching her quilting techniques on quilting cruises around the globe. She has also appeared on several TV quilting shows. In addition to traveling to guilds and quilt shows, Karen’s new venture is her online class with Crafts: New Directions in Tumbling Blocks.

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WSQ MEETING At CenterPlace

9/26/19

QUILTING BEE

10/12/19

WSQ Quilt Show

October 18-20, 2019

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ARE AT
1 PM & 6 PM

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President's Letter



Here it is the last newsletter of the year already! Where has the time gone? I want to thank all of you for all your help in our activities this year. We asked for help, and you answered. At the July meeting, more Charity Central kits and quilts were taken for piecing and quilting than usual. We got back 35 completed quilts at that meeting and they were distributed the following week, much to the delight of their recipients. Keith, from Vanessa Behan Crisis Nursery, was very inspirational. It was good for all of you to hear how important your quilts are to those who receive them. Keep up the good work!

Cheryl Moriarty has stepped up to do Fair Ribbons for us for 2020. **Lydia Gardiner** has agreed to give Volunteer Coordinator a try. **Aubrey Harns** will take over the Newsletter so that **Kristin Echols** can steer our Web Site Committee. **Shawna Troyer** will be doing the Block Exchange once the 2019 Raffle Quilt is given away. We are in need of a Raffle Quilt Chair for the 2021 quilt. It starts in January 2020 with the giving out of the block kits. Is that something you would like to do? **Linda Jackson** and **Kim Low** have joined **Vicki Trudel** on our Facebook page to get the word out about our Quilt Show. Be sure to like and follow our page to help spread the word. We asked for help, and you answered. Thank you.

I am delighted to see so many of you wearing your name tags. It was wonderful to ask if you were wearing them and to have them all waving back at me! It gives us a stronger sense of unity to be wearing the same type of tag, yet each one reflects the individuality of the maker. Introduce yourself to someone new at the next meeting. You will be glad you did.

I received a note in the suggestion box that “if you tried praise instead of shaming, you would get more helpers”. I am sorry that this person thought I was shaming the membership because that was not my intention. My intention was to give a clear account of what is happening with, and to, WSQ. My intention was to show how important it is for all of us to help where we can and to show the consequences if we do not. I have made a deliberate effort every time I have asked for help to acknowledge how much is already being done and to thank you all for your help. I have tried to get back to anyone who has contacted me. If you came up to me in a meeting and I asked you to send me an email, it’s because meetings are such a busy hectic time for me, that I cannot get to everyone I would like to. If you tried to volunteer for something and have not heard from anyone, try again. Send an email or give a phone call. Emails and phone numbers are listed in the Newsletter.

I have started carrying a notebook with me to write your information down and attempt to get back to you after the meeting. Life, and my memory, often gets in the way. There is not time at the meeting to tell you what the job entails and to give you a chance to be sure it is a job you would enjoy. I would encourage you all to follow up after the meeting. All of us on the Board would be very happy to hear from you! Sometimes, things are not done in as timely a manner as we would like, but we

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can only move at the speed of our volunteers. Every single volunteer is important and we need them all.

The Board has decided to hire a new web site developer. Our current web site is good and has served us well but does not do as much as we would like it to. I want to thank **Annie Sanders** and **Debra Holmes** for all the work that they have done over the last several years keeping our web site up to date with new information and pictures. It has been used a lot. We are hoping that our new web site will be even more user friendly and that the membership will be able to use it often to sign up for activities and to see what is new between meetings. We are hoping that the behind the scenes things will make our jobs easier to organize and keep track of who wants to do what. It is one of the ways we are trying to do more with

fewer volunteers. It should be ready by January and we hope to have a presentation on its features and how to use it at that meeting.

The Quilt Show is almost upon us. It takes an entire guild to put on a show of this size. It is truly one of the best shows around. We are asking for your help, and we are sure that you will answer. Thank you. I am looking forward to seeing all 600 quilts that were entered. As President, I have the honor of awarding a ribbon. How will I ever be able to choose? Thank you for all you do for WSQ. We couldn't do it without you!

Kathleen Woods

WSQ President 2019



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Executive Committee Nominations 2020

The following candidates are running for the 2020 Executive Board:

President - Kathleen Woods

Kathleen Woods is the current President. She has previously served as President in 2012 and 2013. She has served on the Quilt Show Committee in many capacities including Chairman in 2009 and 2010, and will be the Featured Quilter for the 2019 show. Kathy and her husband moved to Spokane in 2005 after a 23-year stint as an Army Wife, the toughest job in the Army! She has a longarm quilting business, Still Quilting, and is especially fond of scrap quilts.

1st VP – Speakers – Renee Urish-Molina

Renee grew up on a farm in Kansas and learned to sew in 4-H and school home economics classes. After college she moved to Houston, Texas and lived there for the next 30 plus years. She was a member of several quilting groups and participated in a couple of round robins groups. After retiring from an office supply distribution and warehousing company she and her husband moved to Boston for a year. In December 2017 they decided the northeast wasn't for them, so sight unseen, they decided to make a switch to the other side of the U.S. and drove all their earthly belongings 3,000 miles to Spokane and found out they absolutely love the area and the people.

Her sewing interests are in all things quilting, especially paper piecing, appliqué and making containers, bags (anything with zippers) and learning new techniques in classes, and she enjoys the two weekly sewing groups she belongs to. Additionally, she loves to cook and try new recipes, gardening and walking/exploring in Manito Park. She is looking forward to bringing speakers and teachers that interest our guild and would be interested in input from our members.

2nd VP – Quilt Show – Anita Pederson

Anita Pederson lives in Orchard Prairie, which is between Millwood and Mead. She joined WSQ in the 1980's and has helped with the quilt show for several years. Anita loves all aspects of quilting but wishes she had more time to work on her own projects. She worked for 13 years at the Quilting Bee when it was on Dishman-Mica Rd, then for 13 years as a bank teller. In 2005, she started a business doing longarm quilting. She served as President of INMQ for 5 years and served on numerous committees before that.

Treasurer – Nancy Ledeboer

Nancy recently retired from a career as a librarian and now enjoys spending time with grandchildren, reading, hiking, traveling and quilting. Being retired gives her time to explore new places both here in the northwest and around the world. Nancy serves on the KSPS Board of Directors and is a member of the Sierra Club. As a member of WSQ, she has attended evening meetings and looks forward to attending the afternoon meetings to meet more members. Now that she has free time she would like to get more involved and is honored to serve on the board to further the educational goals and mission of the organization.

Secretary – Nan Palmer

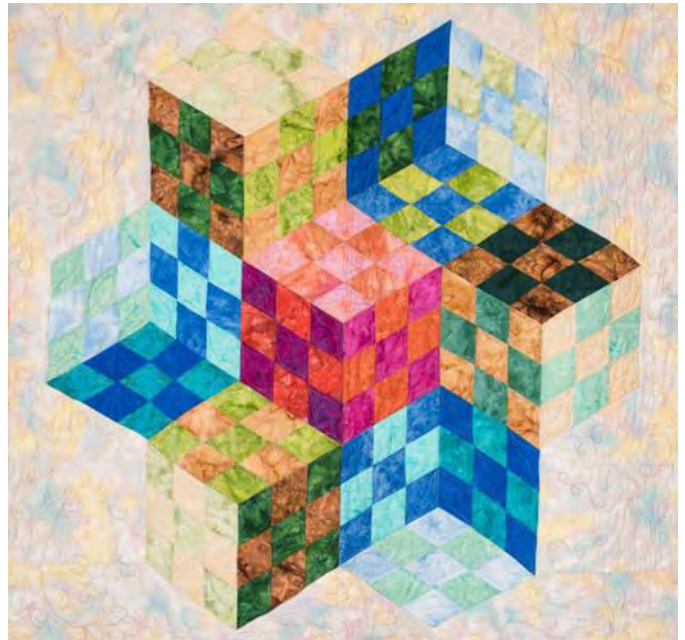
Nan has been a sewist since she was a child, and she's been a quilter for over 30 years. When she and her husband lived in St. Joseph, Michigan, she was an active member and officer in the Berrien County Quilt Guild. Nan worked as a public librarian in small and large libraries in Michigan and Washington, and then transitioned from a part-time yoga instructor to a full-time yoga therapist after retiring from library work. She joined WSQ after moving to the Spokane Valley several years ago to meet other quilters, and she believes that getting involved is the best way to make new friends while giving back to the community. Nan loves to try out new techniques by making smaller quilts.

September Workshops with Karen Combs

Friday, September 27

Patchwork Illusions

Karen has developed a quick and easy rotary technique that allows you to make quilts with a 3-D look. Karen says this is her favorite class because it's so easy to create truly amazing quilts of illusion.



Saturday, September 28

Pickup Sticks

This is a beautiful quilt of illusion that's so easy to make once you know how. Select your three favorite colors and create this stunning quilt. This is a great throw-sized pattern, but it can grow to any size you wish.



Workshop Registration 2019-2020

September 2019: Karen Combs – Hampton Inn – Spokane Airport

2010 S Assembly Road, Spokane, WA 99224

_____ Friday (**Patchwork Illusions**) 9/27, 9am-4pm - \$65

_____ Saturday (**Pickup Sticks**) 9/28, 9am-4pm - \$65

See: www.karencombs.com

January 2020: Peggy Gelbrich – Hampton Inn – Spokane Airport

2010 S Assembly Road, Spokane, WA 99224

_____ Friday (**Glorious Clams**) 1/24, 9am-4pm - \$65

_____ Saturday (**Hunter's Star**) 1/25, 9am-4pm - \$65

See: www.yellowhousequilter.com

April 2020: Laura Heine – Hampton Inn – Spokane Airport

2010 S Assembly Road, Spokane, WA 99224

_____ Friday (**Teeny Tiny Group #4**) 4/24, 9am-4pm - \$65

_____ Saturday (**Teeny Tiny Group #5**) 4/25, 9am-4pm - \$65

See: www.fiberworks-heine.com

July 2020: Mary Lou Weidman

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Questions??? email Firstvp@wsqspokane.org

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- You are not registered for a class until you have paid.
- In case of cancellation, a refund can only be given if we have at least a 45-day notice...if less than that a refund will be given only if we can fill your spot.
- Lunch is on your own. The hotel has a deli-style restaurant.

WSQ Quilting Bee

October 12, 2019, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Country Homes Christian Church, 8415 N. Wall
(Corner of Wall & Country Homes Blvd)

There are no Guest Speakers Scheduled

Come enjoy a fun-filled day of quilting, door prizes, games, and potluck lunch. Everyone is welcome! You need not be a WSQ member to attend the Quilting Bees!

- Bring a project to work on. Space for sewing machines is available, but do bring a power strip for your machine.
- Bring a dish to share for our potluck lunch as well as a plate & utensils. Coffee & tea are provided.
- Show and Share a finished or unfinished quilted item.
- We have door prizes!

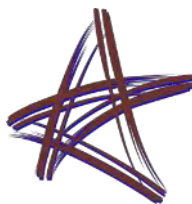
Questions about the Bee?

Contact *Kelly Foreman*

Kellyanneforeman@gmail.com

Quilting Bee Donations

We would appreciate any *quilting* related donation from your sewing rooms. We ask that your donations are items in good condition and if donating fabric that the pieces be at least a fat quarter. We all love fabric, but templates, books, patterns, marking tools, etc. are welcomed! We repurpose many of these items for some of our door prizes. Thank you for your support and willingness to donate, we couldn't do it without your help.



Fat Quarter Exchange Theme: *Stars*

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Washington State Quilters 41st Annual Quilt Show Kathleen Woods: 2019 Featured Quilter October 18, 19, & 20th

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41st Annual Quilt Show

2019 Quilt Show Chairman Report

It's hard to believe that our quilt show is just a little over a month away. The Quilt Show Committee has worked hard to make this show a success, and I feel blessed to have had the privilege to work with each of them this past year. I want to thank each of you for entering your quilts into the show. We are expecting about 600 quilts in the show this year. From the 600 plus entry forms received, 23 entries are in our Featured Category, Wool Quilted Project. I am looking forward to seeing all the quilts on display.

It takes over 300 volunteers to put on our show. Thank you to everyone who has already volunteered. Have you signed up to volunteer at the show? We are still in need of more volunteers. Remember, if you volunteer to help us, you receive Free Admission to the Quilt Show all three days.

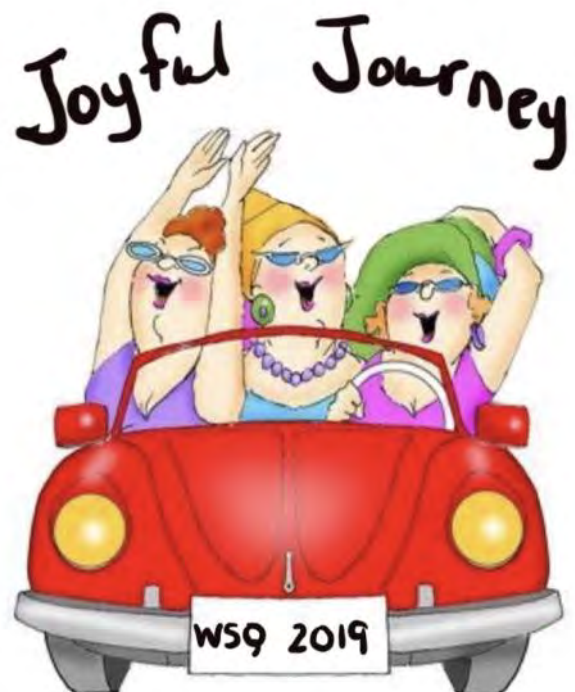
Would you like to make some extra money? If you have quilt related items you would like to sell, you still have time to submit your paperwork to consign items in the boutique. Please contact JoAnn Sandstrom at jasandstrom@yahoo.com or drop an email to secondvp@wsqspokane.org. Your consignment forms are due at the September general meeting.

We have a great line up for demonstrations this year. Check them out here in the newsletter or on our website, wsqspokane.org

Please don't forget to follow and like our [Facebook page](#). There is a link from our WSQ website to our Facebook page. We want to spread the word about our Quilt Show and Facebook is a big part of that.

Anita Pederson

Second Vice President/Quilt Show Chair



2019 Quilt Show Merchant Mall

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- Adinkra Market and Designs, LLC
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- APQS Newport – Cuppa Tea Quilting
- As The Crow Flies
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- Glenda the Good Stitch
- Glitz and Glamour
- Grammy G's Treasures & Notions
- Granny's Attic
- Heartbeat Quilting
- Home Grown Quilts
- Hudson's Holidays
- Inland Northwest Machine Quilters Guild
- Island Quilter
- Julie Rinard Quilting
- Just Sew Vintage
- Karen's Crystals
- Kelly Joye's Crafts
- Leavenworth Quilt Company
- Marbled Arts
- Martelli Enterprises
- Mountain Patchwork
- Olympic Wool Works
- One Sister LLC
- Outlaw Creations
- Quilt Gallery
- Quilt Patch Lane
- Quilted Posies
- Quilters Coop
- Quilters Corner
- Regal Fabrics and Gifts
- Sew Organic Fabric
- Sew Wonderful Dreams
- SewBatik
- Sewing Basket & Quilted Country Inn
- Sew-into-Quilts & Sew-Fix-It
- Shibori Dragon
- Small Wonders
- Smoky Bear Creek Retreats
- Stitch
- Sweet Creek Creations
- The Quilted Trillium
- The Quilting Bee
- The Sojourn Collection
- Trackside Quilting
- Traveling Designs
- Treehouse Studio

Meet Our Featured Quilt Artist for 2019



Kathleen Woods

I have been quilting since 1976 when I made my first quilt as a wedding present for my new husband. I had been thinking about quilts long before then and had a box of scraps under my bed for as long as I can remember. When I was about 12, I tried to teach myself to quilt from the book “The Standard Book of Quilt Making and Collecting” by Marguerite Ickes, but couldn’t quite figure out how to do it.

I took my first quilting class in about 1978 where I learned to draft a pattern on graph paper, make templates out of card board, trace around them on fabric with a pencil, cut the pieces out with scissors, and sew the pieces together on the sewing machine. This project was a success and I was able to move on from there to make quilts for my children, my nieces and nephews, brothers and sisters, and anyone else I thought needed one. There was a lot of hand quilting in the early years but I soon moved on to machine quilting and have not looked back.

I was a military spouse and moved a lot. I was privileged to enjoy quilting in many parts of the country, ending up in Spokane without realizing what a huge quilting community exists here. Since landing in Spokane, I have worked at two quilt shops, Log Cabin Dry Goods and The Buggy Barn; learned to quilt on a longarm; and opened my own quilting business: Still Quilting. I am currently President of the WSQ Spokane Chapter and happily designing scrap quilt patterns for Charity Central. It has indeed been a Joyful Journey!



Special Exhibition

Washington State Quilters is honored to present the 2018 Cherrywood Challenge: Prince for this year's quilt show. Each year Cherrywood Fabrics presents a themed challenge with the main requirement being using mostly their hand dyed fabrics. For 2018 they decided on Prince as their theme. Cherrywood Fabrics is located in Minnesota and Prince's iconic film "Purple Rain" was filmed in Minneapolis. Even though Prince could have lived anywhere in the world, he still called Minnesota home up until his untimely passing in 2016. Paisley Park, Prince's studio, home and now museum, is just 200 miles from the Cherrywood Studio, making this an obvious choice for their fourth contest.

If you love the color purple, you will love this stunning exhibition of 75 quilts that honor a great singer and performer.



We will also have a booth next to the exhibition where we will be selling Cherrywood's beautiful hand dyed fabrics in various bundles, kits, books and patterns among other products so be sure to visit the booth after you enjoy this exhibition.

I hope to see you at the show.

Cheryl Clossin

Quilt Show Special Exhibitions



2019 Quilt Show Demonstrations

We are still working out the details, but here is a sampling of the demonstrations you will see at the Quilt Show.

Friday, October 18

11:00 AM Jim Prociw, Sew-Into-Quilts “Tension giving you problems? Let’s TNT!”

Troubleshooting tension, needle, and thread issues to make your sewing experience better.

12:00 PM Kathleen Woods, WSQ Member “History Of Quilts”

Learn about quilting in the United States from Colonial times to the present day with an emphasis on the latest trends starting with the Bicentennial. See the changes in construction methods, types of quilts, tools and techniques, and the business of quilting over the last 40 years.



1:00 PM Cathy Kind, Treehouse Studio “Ice Dying Techniques”

If you like to create your own one-of-a kind fabric, ice dying is a fun and easy way to go. Since launching Treehouse Studio 5 years ago, Cathy has been playing with color and fabric manipulation, and honing her techniques. She will share with you the basic technique, resources for your supplies, and ideas to use your newly created, completely unique fabrics.

2:30 PM Juli Shogan, As the Crow Flies “Monster Needle Punch”

If you like needle punch, you will love the Amy Oxford method using a larger needle and wool yarn. Fast and fun!



Saturday, October 19

10:30 AM Cheryl Clossin, WSQ Member “Basics of Wool Applique”

You’ve purchased your first wool appliqué pattern or a kit which has pieces of wool and the pattern. It seems overwhelming; you don’t know where to begin. Cheryl’s demo will cover how to trace your appliqué pieces, the various methods you can use to attach them to your background, and the many ways you can choose to stitch those pieces down. She will also demonstrate ways you can easily embellish your pieces once they are stitched to the background.



11:45 AM Kathleen Woods, WSQ Member “Machine Quilting”

How do you get your quilt ready to send to a longarm quilter? How to get your quilt ready to longarm it yourself? How to quilt it yourself on your domestic sewing machine with your walking foot and free hand techniques? Kathleen will show a couple of simple designs to use to quilt your own quilts.

1:15 PM Shirley & Selina Hudson, Hudson’s Holidays Designs “Embroidery Basics and How to Finish a Design”

Embroidery is hot again. Learn embroidery basics, tips, and tricks. Also pick up ways to finish your embroidery into jewelry, quilts, and home decor.

2:30 PM Shelley Sieverkropp, WSQ Member “Mitered Borders”

Not every quilt needs a mitered border, but when they do, you want to do them correctly. Too ‘big’ and your corners will point; too ‘small’ and they’ll curl up. You’ll learn how to measure them so they lay nice and flat all along the side and an easy way to get that corner just right!



3:30 PM Suzi Soderland, Marbled Arts

Sunday, October 20

11:00 AM Kathy Woods, WSQ Member “Drafting a Quilt Block”

You can take a picture of a quilt block, make a pattern, and design your own quilts. Kathleen will demonstrate how to break down a quilt block into its parts and how to draft it on graph paper. She will cover how to cut and piece that block, and she will also talk about the quilt patterns she designed for WSQ Charity Central.

12:00 PM Kathryn Boss, Bear Paw Quilting and Bernina

1:15 PM TBA, check the WSQ website

2:30 PM TBA, check the WSQ website

Upcoming WSQ Events



Sep 19 Charity Central Kitting Day

Sep 26 Membership meeting
Speaker: Karen Combs

Sep 27 Workshop
“Patchwork Illusions”

Sep 28 Workshop
“Pickup Sticks”



Oct 12 Quilting Bee

Oct 17 Charity Central Kitting Day

Oct 18-20 WSQ Quilt Show



Dec 11 WSQ Board Meeting

Local Shows & Events



September 13-15

Walla Walla Valley Quilt Festival
www.wallawallaquiltfestival.org



October 18-20

WSQ Quilt Show
www.wsqspokane.org

October 18-19

Chilliwick Quilters’ Quilt Show
www.chilliwickquiltersguild.com

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July Show & Tell



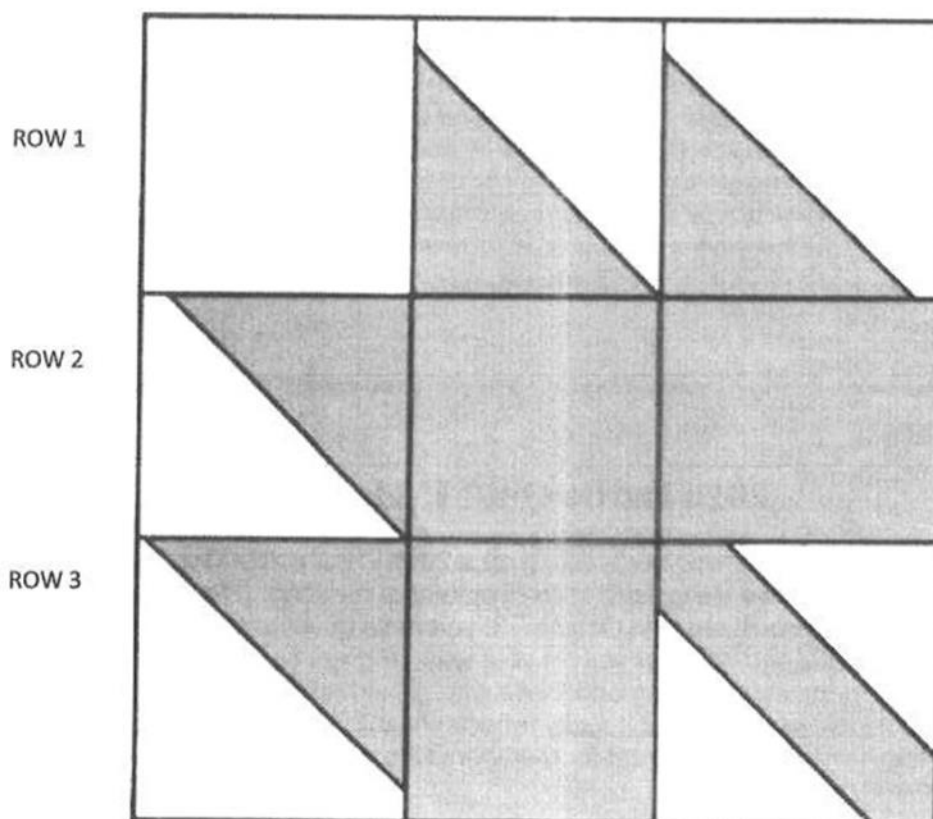
WSQ Sept Meeting Block Exchange

MAPLE LEAF

Fabric Requirements:

Cream	2	4 1/4 sq	Autumn Colors (Leaf)	2	4 1/4 sq
	1	3 1/2 sq		4	3 1/2 sq
	2	3 sq			

1. Make half square triangles using the 4 1/4 squares, right sides together. Draw a line diagonally and sew 1/4 inch from the line, cut on the line, press open and trim to 3 1/2 inches.
2. Make the stem block: draw a diagonal line, corner to corner, on light (cream) 3 inch squares, Place one square in the top right corner of the dark 3 1/2 inch square and stitch on the line. Repeat in the lower left corner. Trim 1/4 inch from the seam and press open.
3. Lay out the pieces into three rows.
4. Stitch rows.
5. Stitch the rows together and press.
6. Block should measure 9 1/2 inches, for a finished 9 inch block.



Bring your finished block(s) to the September membership meeting to be entered in a drawing for the blocks!

Small Group Scoop

Are you looking for a group that will challenge you and encourage you? These small groups may have openings. Find one that fits your schedule and join. To add a group, or make corrections, please contact Mary Wallgren, Small Group Coordinator small.groups@wsqspokane.org

Meeting Location	Group Name	Meeting Date/Place	Accepting New Members	Contact
Blanchard, ID	The Blanchard Stitchers	3 rd & 4 th Tues, 9:30 – 3:30 Blanchard Community Ctr.	Yes	Penny Funkhouser plfunkhouser@gmail.com
Chattaroy, WA	CCC Charity Quilters	1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 10am – 2pm, Chattaroy Comm. Church	Yes	Ruth McCormick 509-590-6463 text sewnsmart@gmail.com
Cheney, WA	Cheney Country Quilters	Every Mon. 1-3 pm Wren Pearson Building	Yes	Phyllis Mitzel 509-235-8392
Cheney, WA	Cheney Frayed Edges	1st & 3rd Mon. 6:30 pm	Yes	Donna Lythgoe Chenelylythgoe@gmail.com
Colbert, WA	Quilt Charmers	Every Wednesday, 9:30 – 3:00 St. Joseph Catholic Church	Yes	Linda Plett 509-951-2172 lindaplett@icloud.com
Colfax, WA	Whitman Sampler Quilt Guild	2nd Tuesday, 6:30 pm Palouse River Quilts	Yes	Michele Beckmann 509-397-2278 whitmansamplers@gmail.com
Colville, WA	Colville Piecemakers	2nd Tuesday, 6:00 pm Colville HUB	Yes	Pat Davis 425-773-3869 clinefamily@q.com
Corbin Open to ALL	Sandbox Quilters	Tuesday, 9 to 3 Corbin Senior Center	Yes	Nancy Munson 509-944-1888 nemunson@msn.com
Deer Park, WA	Fat Quarter Quilters	Every Tues. 10am – 2pm Faith Lutheran Church	Yes	Lorraine Ader 509-262-0345 geminis4262@gmail.com
Grand Coulee, WA	Coulee Creators	2nd Monday, 10 – 2ish, Former Middle School, 412 Federal Ave	Yes	Marlene Oddie 509-386-5715 marlene@kissedquilts.com
Ione, WA	Forgotten Corner Quilters	1st Tuesday, 6:30 pm Ione Catholic Church	Yes	Pat or Shirley 509-446-2429 landpzimm@gmail.com
Liberty Lake Open to ALL	Inland Northwest Machine Quilters	Jan, Mar, June, Sept, Nov see www.inmq.org for sched. Trailhead Golf Course, LL	Yes	Candy Huddleston 509-434-4792 publicrelations.@inmq.org
Millwood, WA	SVQG Sew Day	3rd Saturday, 10 – 2 Millwood Presbyterian Ch.	Yes	Judi Owens 509-994-7358 judiowens66@gmail.com
Newport, WA	Me Too Quilt Squad	2nd Thursday, 10 am	No	Dianne Strand 509-447-4013
Post Falls, ID	North Idaho Quilts of Valor	3 rd Monday 10 am – 3 pm Post Falls American Legion	Yes	Karen Henriksen 208 964 1128 Henriksensk@gmail.com
Reardon, WA	Country Samplers	1st & 3rd Monday, 10 - 2 Reardon Methodist Church	Yes	Doris Dormaier 509-236-2314 drsdormaier1@gmail.com
Rosalia, WA	3 rd Tuesday Quilt Club	3 rd Tuesday, 6 pm Pinewood Cottage, Rosalia	Yes	Marianne Morkve 503-960-2554 mamorkve@hotmail.com
Spokane – WSQ Quilt Show only	Mountain of Quilts	We collect Charity Quilts at the WSQ Quilt Show	All Quilts Welcome	Jo Ann Sandstrom 509-939-6629 ja.sandstrom@yahoo.com
Spokane	Charity Central WSQ's Charity Quilt group	3rd Thursday, 10 – 2 Jo Ann's home – call for info	Yes	Jo Ann Sandstrom 509-939-6629 ja.sandstrom@yahoo.com

Meeting Location	Group Name	Meeting Date/Place	Accepting New Members	Contact
Spokane Open to ALL	Greater Spokane Quilts of Valor	Varies – members are notified by e-mail	Yes	Diane Watters 509-993-4590 spokane.qov@gmail.com
Spokane Central	Sew Many Appliquers	1st Thursday, 5:00 pm Sew EZ Too	Yes	Linda Burkhardt 425-422-4023 lindaburk323@comcast.net
Spokane North Open to ALL	Rippin' Paper Ladies (Paper Piecing)	2nd Monday, 1 pm Either Library on Hawthorne or Fire Station – contact Abbi	Yes	Abbi Barden 509-808-2932 abigailartquilter@gmail.com
Spokane South Hill	Touchmark Quilters (formerly Waterford)	Every Wednesday 1 pm Touchmark	No	Cheryl Clossin 509-535-2399 Cherylclossin1@msn.com
Spokane South	Spokane Stitchers American Sewing Guild	3rd Thursday, 4 – 7 pm Fire station @ 3801 E Farwell	Yes	Retta Malone 509-448-4965 drbkp@aol.com
Spokane Valley	Wednesday Wild Women	Wednesday, 5:30 – 7:30 Michaels on Broadway	Yes	Carla Koneval 509-216-7540 ckoneval@yahoo.com

2020 WSQ Membership Registration

Welcome to WSQ!

Dues are \$25 for a calendar year. You can pay in person at the next WSQ meeting, mail this form and a check made out to **WSQ**, or sign up online at wsqspokane.org.

Renewing members only: please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

New members: We will prepare a packet for you and WSQ will pay the postage.

**Guest Fees:
\$10 at the door**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____



- ☐ New Member
- ☐ 2019 Member
- ☐ Returning Former Member
- ☐ Change in Information
- ☐ Email Newsletter

**Mail Check to: WSQ Membership
PO Box 30483
Spokane, WA 99223**

**or
Sign up online:
www.wsqspokane.org**

- WSQ membership runs on a calendar year from January through December. We do not prorate.
- You may renew/join at the September or January meetings for the upcoming year.
- You may renew/join anytime either at a meeting, online at wsqspokane.org or by mail (address above).
- If you haven't renewed by the end of February, you will be dropped from the roster. This means you will no longer receive the newsletter, be able to participate in the yard sale or the boutique, register early for workshops or enjoy the many other benefits of WSQ membership

Quarterly Membership Meeting Minutes

MEETING DATE: July 25, 2019

MEETING LOCATION: CenterPlace
2426 N. Discovery Place, Spokane Valley, WA 99216

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by President Kathleen Woods.

PRESIDENT'S ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Kathleen Woods welcomed the members to the meeting and introduced the Executive Board and pointed out the committees with displays in the meeting room.
- Kathleen noted that there were two raffle quilts at the meeting, the INMQ raffle quilt "Sunset at Sea" and the Spokane Valley Quilters "Double Nine Patch."
- Kathleen reminded members to wear their nametags and to introduce themselves to other members. She said there was a free gift pattern today for those who were wearing their nametags at sign-in.
- Kathleen asked for volunteers for the four open Chair positions: Fundraising, Fair Ribbons, Volunteer Coordinator and Publicity. She said if these positions are not filled by the time the Budget committee meets in December, these committees will not be funded for 2020 as that will indicate the members have said they are no longer interested in these activities.
- Kathleen said we are in need of someone to help with our Facebook page and Quilt Show advertising.
- Kathleen announced that Kristin Echols has volunteered to guide us through the process of getting a new web site and she has solicited bids from designers. If you are interested in putting in a bid, contact Kristin. She will be taking bids up until August 1. The Board will be voting on a new web site provider in August and plan to have the new web site up and running in January.
- Kathleen announced that the Valley Piecers of St Maries, Idaho are holding their show "Quilting in the Forest" on Sept 1-2 and the Inland Northwest Railroad Museum in Reardan, Washington is holding a show on October 4-6. The Railroad Museum is taking registrations for quilts until September 25. They are also having a "Ride the Rails" railroad themed quilt contest and are taking vendor applications.

VOLUNTEER OF THE QUARTER: Kathleen said this Quarter we are honoring Annie Sanders. Annie has served on many WSQ committees and most recently she, along with Debra Holmes, has been our Webmaster. Annie is also working with Charity Central and wherever else she is needed. Annie is receiving a certificate of thanks with a heart-in-hand pin and a workshop gift certificate. If you have someone you would like to nominate for Volunteer of the Quarter, please contact Kathleen.

OFFICER REPORTS:

1st Vice President - Speakers & Workshops: Paula Ferry said she was searching for the member who signed up for this weekend's Saturday class and paid but did not give their name. She reported we are low on registrations for the next few workshops. We have 21 for this weekend and need 7 more to break even. She described the costs involved with speakers including airfare, hotel, meals, lecture, and teaching fees. The costs are shared between the WSQ budget and class fees. The speaker contracts include a 30-90 day cancellation clause so we need advance signups. Heather Black's quilts for this weekend were on display at the meeting. Karen Combs will teach "Patchwork Illusions" and "Pickup Sticks" in September. Peggy Gelbrich will teach "Glorious Clams" and "Hunter's Star" in January 2020 and Laura Heine will teach "Teeny Tiny" groups #4 and #5 in April 2020.

2nd Vice President - Quilt Show: Anita Pederson reported there are just over 2 weeks left for quilt registration with the deadline on August 11. There are 196 quilts registered so far with the majority registered online. Registration numbers are down 23% from this time last year. Anita pointed out the tables in the back of the room taking sign-ups for volunteers for numerous committees for the show and they need over 300 volunteers. They are also still looking for chairs for Fundraising, Publicity and Cashiers. Boutique forms are now available and are due back by the September meeting. The door prize slips today included questions about t-shirts and changing the days of the show. The t-shirts would be white with the show logo on the front. We have an opportunity to earn income at the show selling products from the Cherrywood exhibit including fabric, books, and grab bags. She needs 2 people for each 2 hour shift and volunteers may sit down during their shift.

Treasurer: Nancy Ledeboer reported that WSQ has the following bank balances as of June 30:

Checking Account:	\$ 98,050.20
Capital Account:	4,466.99
CD#1:	10,069.83
CD#2:	35,322.54
CD#3:	8,482.40

Cash position is positive but funds are needed for future expenses for the Show, bus trip and meetings.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- **Block Exchange:** Karen Mathison said there were just a few blocks turned in so far. The September block will be a maple leaf pattern.
- **Bus Trips:** Linda Hunt said the bus trip in August is full. She also said the Deer Park quilt group will be having a show on August 3 along with a city-wide yard sale.

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- **Charity Central:** Kathleen Woods reported that we have received 2 rolls of batting and 3 boxes of pink fabric (all the same) from Shabby Fabrics. Kevin O'Brien from the Vanessa Behan Crisis Nursery attended the meeting and expressed their thanks to the members for our many years of donating quilts to them. He described the history and mission of VBCN and told several stories about the children and families served there. He said the children treasure the quilts and they are valued possessions. He asked for crib or small size quilts mostly as the children they serve are aged 0-6 years.
- **Fair Booth:** Donna June Kellams said they have 8 slots open from 66 slots total needed for the Fair. That is only 13% of our 500 plus membership and she asked for volunteers to take a shift.
- **Library:** Lois Collins announced that they were having a "Summer Sale" today and books were \$1 and magazines were 25 cents. Materials not sold today will be gone and new materials will be at the next meeting. She also announced she needs volunteers to help with inventory and she is going to combine it with a 3-day retreat at her home in Lamont, Washington on the weekend of September 21. The work will take about 4 hours and the rest of the weekend can be devoted to quilting. She has 3 spots open.
- **Nominations:** Patty Yedinak introduced the Slate of Officers for 2020. President: Kathleen Woods; 1st Vice President-Speakers & Workshops: Renee Urish-Molina; 2nd Vice President-Quilt Show: Anita Pederson and Treasurer: Nancy Ledebor. She needs nominations for Secretary for 2020 and said the duties are taking minutes at the General and Board meetings and collecting the mail from our Post Office Box. We will vote for officers at the September meeting and members must be present to vote.
- **Quilting Bee:** Kelly Foreman said the next Quilting Bee is on August 10 from 9:30 am to 3:00 pm. Attendees should bring a dish to share, their own plate, and utensils for lunch. Tables and electrical plug-ins are available but please bring an extension cord. The fat quarter exchange is a "rustic/farm/barnyard" theme. There will also be a "show and share."
- **Raffle Quilt 2019:** Shawna Troyer said they had enough blocks for a second quilt with 9 blocks left over. The second quilt was finished by Donna June Kellams and Carolyn Kruger. She held a drawing at the meeting for the 9 extra blocks with 3 winners receiving 3 blocks each. The winners were Laurel Hepton, Noreen Harris and Nancy Kunke. She asked for help at the Rosalia Fair this weekend selling raffle tickets.
- **Raffle Quilt 2020:** Kathy Anderson said she had 70 blocks and received 30 more today at the meeting. She will need about 20 more so members can still take a packet for a \$5 refundable deposit. She is planning a sewing day the first Saturday of November to put the blocks together. She will hold it at the VFW building on Regal and Diamond Streets in Spokane.

- **Small Group Scoop:** Mary Wallgren said there are fewer groups listed in the Newsletter this month as she has updated the list. If members see any errors, please let her know so she can keep the list current.

BUSINESS MEETING RECESSED at 1:45 p.m., followed by Show & Tell and Door Prizes. The speaker presentation was by Heather Black, a modern quilter from Spokane. All members were invited to join the speaker for dinner at Black Angus Steakhouse.

BUSINESS MEETING RECONVENED at 6:00 p.m. by President Kathleen Woods.

PRESIDENT'S ANNOUNCEMENTS: Kathleen reported that there were volunteers for Facebook and Volunteer Coordinator after the afternoon meeting. Anyone else interested in helping with Facebook is still welcome.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: As there were no corrections or additions, the Minutes were approved.

VOLUNTEER OF THE QUARTER: Annie Sanders was presented with the award at the evening meeting.

OFFICER REPORTS:

- **1st Vice President - Speakers & Workshops:** Paula Ferry reported that as of the evening meeting there were 6 spaces open in the weekend workshops.
- **TREASURER:** Kathleen gave the Treasurer's Report. As there were no questions, it will be filed for Audit.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- **Block Exchange:** Karen Mathison said there were no blocks returned at the evening meeting so all of the blocks from the afternoon were given to one winner of the drawing. The winner was Roseanne Harris.
- **Historians:** Coleen Cihak asked all members to send them photos of activities. They are trying to update the scrapbooks quarterly after each meeting. She also asked members to please sign the form at Show & Tell to give them permission to publish the photos.
- **Nominations:** Patty Yedinak reported that after the afternoon meeting two people volunteered for Secretary. Nan Palmer will be presented as the candidate on the Slate of Officers.

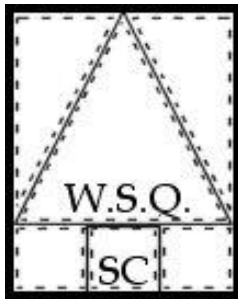
FUTURE MEETINGS: The next Board Meeting will be on August 14 at 6 p.m. at CenterPlace. The next General Membership Meeting will be on September 26 at 1 and 6 p.m. at CenterPlace.

ADJOURNMENT: The business meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m., followed by Show & Tell, Door Prizes and the speaker presentation by Heather Black.

Submitted by
Doris Butler
Secretary

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January 2020: Peggy Gelbrich

Friday 1/24/20 "Glorious Clams"

Saturday 1/25/20 "Hunter's Star"

April 2020: Laura Heine

Friday 4/24/20 "Teeny Tiny Group #4"

Saturday 4/25/20 "Teeny Tiny Group #5"