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WASHINGTON STATE QUILTERS  
SPOKANE CHAPTER

*Stitch 'n Time*

## WSQ Presents Tina Curran April 28 1 & 6pm

Our April speaker, Tina Curran, will be with us in person on Thursday April 28<sup>th</sup> for lectures at 1pm and again at 6pm. Please sign up early for the workshops, as some prep work will need to be done prior to the classes.

Tina's website quotation makes her program a must-go-see.



"My interest in making art quilts was jump-started by seeing my dear friend Sara take a variety of patterned fabrics, cut them into pieces and combine them in such an artistic way. As a life-long sewer (having experienced my first sewing triumph with a skating skirt I made in Girl Scouts), I took to quilting quickly. One of the great thrills with this art form is that my options are as infinite as those of a painter working on canvas -- landscapes, portraits, geometric patterns, abstract impressions, etc. I enjoy both the deep American roots of traditional quilting and the unlimited possibilities today's art quilts present. Combining elements of both extremes is great fun, as I often use contemporary fabrics in century-old quilt patterns.

My art quilts have been on display in multiple art shows and quilt shows as well as in national quilt magazines ("Quilters Newsletter" magazine and "Quiltmaker") over 20 times and in three books (including Ricky Tims' "Kool Kaleidoscopes").

***WSQ in Person at Centerplace***

***April 28 1pm & 6 pm***

***Tina Curran***

***Workshops at Hampton Inn***

***Friday, April 29 9-4***

***Saturday, April 30 9-4***

***Shop Hop***

***April 21-23***

***Quilting Bee***

***May 21***

***Sisters Quilt Show (Bus Trip)***

***July 8-11***

***WSQ Quilt Show***

***(October 14-16)***

**CENTERPLACE**, 2426 N. Discovery Place, Spokane Valley, WA 99216  
*CenterPlace is on the RIGHT hand side, across from the YMCA.*

**Driving West on I-90:**

Take Exit 291A (Evergreen)  
Turn RIGHT on N Evergreen Rd  
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RIGHT on E Mansfield Ave  
RIGHT on N Discovery Pl

**Driving West on E Trent Ave**

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Turn LEFT on Mirabeau Pkwy  
RIGHT on E Mansfield Ave  
RIGHT on N Discovery Pl



*Our Mission is to promote and enhance the art of quilting and quilt making by exhibitions, lectures, and workshops offered to the organization membership and the general public. It is to foster the conservation and preservation of quilts and increase public awareness and appreciation of quilts through our Quilt Show.*

## President's Message

It appears that Spring is finally making its way to the Spokane area. I am so looking forward to warmer and drier weather and the always exciting task of picking out flowers and succulents for my outdoor baskets and containers. Many of our WSQ members have already been very busy behind the scenes making arrangements for the upcoming yard sale in March, the Shop Hop in April, and initial quilt show arrangements for our October 14-16 show.

We will have signup tables for a variety of quilt show volunteer opportunities beginning at our April 28 quarterly Membership meeting.

Also, at the April meeting we'll have Tina Curran as our guest lecturer and instructor. Tina, who hails from California, specializes in art quilts.

Registrations for entering your quilt(s) into our show will be available at the meeting. Our raffle quilt, Farmers Daughter, will also be on display. Raffle tickets will be available for purchase or take a 10-pak to sell.

WSQ is taking a bus trip to Sisters, Oregon from July 8-11. If you've never been to Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show...this is an opportunity you don't want to miss. Patty Yedinak has all of the details and signup sheets for the trip. Hurry, though, seats are filling up!

I would like to thank Janelle Mowery for stepping forward to take over the Hospitality position. Please thank Janelle for taking on this responsibility. We'll now be able to continue with Show and Tell and Door Prizes at each of our meetings.

Another thank you goes to Tesha Panther who has accepted the responsibility of Volunteer Coordinator. Tesha has already placed a few of our volunteers in positions and is currently working with Board members in need of help to connect with other volunteers. Good job, Tesha!

After several years without a chairman, we now have a Publicity Chair! Her name is Kayla McNett. Kayla will mainly be working with social media advertising...I think she's already started! Thank you, Kayla...I love your enthusiasm!

Please see the job opening description for Guild Secretary in the newsletter. This is an officer position that is crucial to fill! Please see me if you're interested or would like more information.



We will again have Volunteer of the Quarter at our April meeting. We have many hard-working individuals in our guild who need to be recognized. Please send your nomination to me along with why you think your nominee should be chosen for this honor. Nominations will be accepted through April 20. Please send your nomination to

[president@wsqspokane.org](mailto:president@wsqspokane.org). See you in April!

*Paula Ferry*, WSQ President 2022

### **28th Annual Fronen Steppdecker Odessa Spring Fling Quilt Show** *Not Just Another Small Town Quilt Show!*

**When:** April 29 & 30, 2022, Fri. 9am-5pm, Sat. 9am-5 pm

**Where:** Odessa HS Gym, Odessa, WA

**Admission \$5.00:**

Pre-show discount for groups of 10 or more

- ♦ **Featured Quilter— Anita Peterson**
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- ♦ **Challenge Quilt & Special Display**
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# Tina Curran

She will teach the workshop “Whimsical Garden” on Friday April 29<sup>th</sup> from 9am – 4pm at the Hampton Inn in Spokane.



Tina will be back on Saturday April 30<sup>th</sup> to teach how to create this fabulous flag at the Hampton Inn from 9am – 4pm.

*Please sign up early for the workshops, as some prep work will need to be done prior to the classes.*

<http://www.tinacurran.com/>

July will bring Amy Bradley to our guild! Her patterns are fun and humorous. She will be telling us about her quilting story, in person, at the 1pm and 6pm lectures on Thursday July 28.



Pick any of her patterns and she will teach her process at the Friday and Saturday, July 29 & 30<sup>th</sup> workshops at the Hampton Inn in Spokane from 9am – 4pm. Sign up for one or both days!

<https://www.amybradleydesigns.com/>

Our final speaker for 2022 is Susan Cleveland. She will be with us in-person on September 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1pm and again at 6pm for her lectures at our general membership meetings.

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## Workshop Registration 2022/2023

### April 2022: Tina Curran – Hampton Inn – Spokane Airport

2010 S Assembly Road, Spokane, WA 99224

\_\_\_\_\_ Whimsical Garden \$65 Friday 4/29/2022 9am – 4pm

\_\_\_\_\_ Flag 4/30/2022 \$65 9am – 4pm

See: <http://www.tinacurran.com/>

### July 2022: Amy Bradley – Hampton Inn – Spokane Airport

2010 S Assembly Road, Spokane, WA 99224

\_\_\_\_\_ Choose your Amy Bradley Pattern \$65 7/29/2022 9am – 4pm

\_\_\_\_\_ Choose your Amy Bradley Pattern \$65 7/30/2022 9am – 4pm

See: <https://www.amybradleydesigns.com/>

### September 2022: Susan Cleveland – Hampton Inn – Spokane Airport

2010 S Assembly Road, Spokane, WA 99224

\_\_\_\_\_ Piping Hot Binding \$65 9/23/2022 9am – 4pm

\_\_\_\_\_ Shadow Box \$65 9/24/2022 9am – 4pm

See: <https://piecesbewithyou.com/>

### January 2023: Melissa Marginet – Virtual from Manitoba Canada

\_\_\_\_\_ Quilting Edge to Edge \$50 1/27/2023 9am – 4pm (Virtual)

\_\_\_\_\_ Modern Quilting \$50 1/28/2023 9am – 4pm (Virtual)

See: <http://melissamarginet.ca/>

### April 2023: Laura Heine – Hampton Inn – Spokane Airport

2010 S Assembly Road, Spokane, WA 99224

\_\_\_\_\_ TBD \$65 4/28/2023 9am – 4pm

\_\_\_\_\_ TBD \$65 4/29/2023 9am – 4pm

See: <https://www.fiberworks-heine.com/>

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

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My check payable to WSQ is enclosed.

Questions??? email [Firstvp@wsqspokane.org](mailto:Firstvp@wsqspokane.org)

Please Mail to: Darlene Mossman 1632 Southshore Diamond Lake Rd Newport, WA 99156

### WORKSHOP NOTES:

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 if we can fill your spot.

## 2022 “Extravaganza” Quilt Show

Are you ready for a Quilt Show? I hope your response was a resounding Yes! The awesome members of the Quilt Show Committee have been working hard getting ready for this year’s show.

The **Quilt Show Pins** have arrived. You will be able to purchase one of these collector pins at the April General Meeting. We are selling for \$5.00 per pin. Pick up an extra one for your out-of-town friends.

**Quilt Show Registration** begins in April. You have two ways to register your quilt – the WSQ web site is an easy & efficient way to register or we will have paper forms available for you beginning April 28<sup>th</sup>. There is a more detailed list of category descriptions on the web site. Are you a 1<sup>st</sup> 100-pin collector? Remember to register early. Don’t forget to look at Page 2 of the Registration Form for important information.

You may have your quilt judged by a professional quilting judge if you check the box on your entry form and pay a \$10.00 fee per quilt to your drop off person. You’ll receive feedback on your quilt during the quilt show.

Do you have items you’d like to sell in the Boutique this year? Forms will be available for pickup during the April and July General Meetings. If you have questions about our **Consignment Boutique**, go to the WSQ Web site under Quilt Show for the information you’re looking for.

We are excited to announce that we will once again be hosting “**Quilts of Valor**”. The mission of their organization is to cover all combat service members and veterans touched by war with comforting and healing Quilts of Valor. For more information on how you can help, visit their website at [www.qovf.org](http://www.qovf.org)

**Quilt Show Volunteer signs up begin in April.** Your help is greatly needed. Sign up to help with one or more committees. It takes around 300 volunteers to put on a show of this size. Our Quilt Show Committee chairs will be available to answer questions and sign you up to help. Remember volunteers get into the show for free for volunteering to work a minimum of 4 hours.

Respectfully submitted,

Patty Yedinak,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President  
2022 Quilt Show Chairman

Would you like to get this newsletter one week earlier and in color?

***Sign up for the email newsletter***

Email a request to: [membership@wsqspokane.org](mailto:membership@wsqspokane.org)

# WSQ Bus Trip Sisters Oregon Outdoor Quilt Show July 8-11, 2022



Are you ready for a road trip? The four-day adventure includes round trip transportation on board an Alpha Omega 55-passenger tour bus and hotel lodging at the Sugarloaf Mt. Motel in Bend, Oregon. Food and drink not included in price. The cost is \$450.00 per person (double occupancy).

We will depart from the parking lot of Grocery Outlet on 3<sup>rd</sup> and Maple in Spokane. Our departure time is 7:30 am, July 8<sup>th</sup>, and returning around 5 pm, July 11<sup>th</sup>. Our trip includes quilt shops, restaurants, sightseeing, and the Sisters Quilt Show.

Make checks payable to: WSQ Spokane  
Fill out Registration Information form, payment, and mail to:  
Patty Yedinak  
P.O. Box 593  
Mead, Wa 99021

Call, text, or email Patty at (509) 979-0281, [secondvp@wsqspokane.org](mailto:secondvp@wsqspokane.org)  
A \$200.00 deposit due NOW. May pay in full. Final payment is due by May 15th.  
No refunds after May 25 unless we have a waitlist established.

## Registration Information

Name: .....  
Address: .....  
Phone number:.....  
Email address: .....  
Who are you rooming with? .....

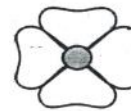


# Block Exchange



## April Showers Bring May Flowers

(This is basically four snowball blocks sewn together to make a flower)

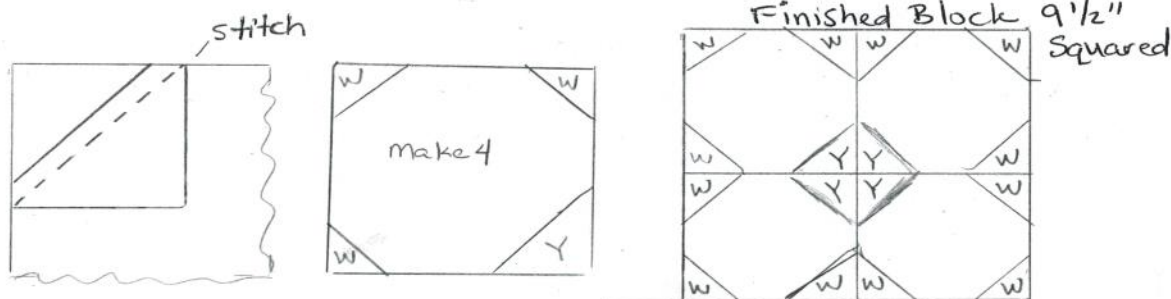


### Materials:

- Twelve 1½" corner squares (Whites)
- Four 2" corner squares (Yellows)
- Four 5" squares for the center (Spring/flower colors)

### Assembling the block

1. Start by marking a diagonal line on each of the 1½" and 2" corner squares (alternatively, you can eyeball it or fold diagonally and press them)
2. Make four: For each 5" square: arrange 3 white and one yellow corner squares to align with the corners, right sides together. Sew the corners to the larger square following the line you marked. Repeat for all four squares.
3. Trim ¼" past the sewn line, cutting off the corners of the square. Discard trimmed pieces.
4. Press all four corners open, pressing the seams toward the darker fabric.
5. Piece the four blocks together, with yellow squares in the center, to finish the block.



**\*Bringing back an old tradition\*** Whoever wins blocks at the April meeting: if you use the blocks to make a charity quilt and bring the completed quilt to the July meeting you will receive a small surprise gift. This will also count as an entry for the 20 in 2020 challenge.

Questions? You can reach Shawna Troyer at [block.exchange@wsqspokane.org](mailto:block.exchange@wsqspokane.org)

### Block Exchange

Make the block published in the newsletter and enter in the raffle to win the blocks each meeting.



## **WSQ Quilting Bee May 21, 2022**

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

**9:00 AM – 3:00 PM**

### **There are no Guest Speakers Scheduled**

Come enjoy a day of quilting, door prizes, 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 will be provided.

Show and Share a finished or unfinished quilted item.

We have door prizes.

Questions about the Bee? Contact Kelly Foreman at [kellyanneforeman@gmail.com](mailto: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**

Vacation/Travel

(for every FQ you get one entry into the drawing)



# **JOB OPENING WSQ BOARD SECRETARY**

Duties include:

Record and keep a file of the proceedings of Board and Membership meetings.

Provide a copy of minutes from the Board meeting to the President within two weeks following the meeting.

Provide a copy of minutes from the General Membership meeting to the President within two weeks of the membership meeting.

Distributes Board minutes to Board members only.

The quarterly Membership meeting minutes are to be submitted to the newsletter editor in their entirety.

Responsible for retrieving the mail from the WSQ postal box on a regular basis and distributing the mail to appropriate recipients in a timely manner.

Prepares and submits a budget request for the position on an annual basis.



## **Nominations April 2022**

It is never too early to start thinking about next year. WSQ needs a Treasurer and a Secretary for next year. Paula is currently looking for a Secretary for this year. The Secretary attends all the Board and membership meetings to take minutes. The minutes of the Membership meetings are published in the newsletter. She takes care of all the WSQ records and collects the mail from the post office.

The Treasurer takes care of all WSQ financial transactions and pays all the bills. Getting the Board members to submit vouchers for expenses and deposit slips for the money collected at meetings is like herding cats, but herding cats can be fun, can't it?

WSQ really cannot function without these two offices being filled. I hope you will consider taking a turn at one or the other. You will have lots of help and support from previous office holders and from all the current Board members. Thanks for your help!

Kathleen Woods,  
Nominations Chair



## **2022 SHOP HOP**

**April 21-22-23, 2022** Thursday thru Saturday

- 20 regional quilt shops
- Gifts and door prizes from each shop
- Prizes from vendors: EQ Quilter, Mckenna Ryan and more
- **Grand prize: "Dancing Waters" Quilt made by Shop Hop Committee (see above)**  
(blocks were provided by each participating shop)

**Check the WSQ website for list of shops, details and shop hours**

**<https://wsqspokane.org>**

**Sponsored by Washington State Quilters, Spokane Chapter**



## Charity Central April 2022

We delivered 117 quilts this month to the Spokane Community. We collected about 100 quilts at the January meeting and then added a few more. We donated 55 quilts to the Refugee Connection, 25 to Cancer Care, 20 to Hospice for their “at home” program, 15 to the Vanessa Behan Crisis Nursery, and 2 extra large ones to Catholic Charities for their new housing units. There are about 20 small children’s quilts left and we have collected about 10 more. These are the seeds for the next batch. Thank you so much to all who donated.

Our Chair JoAnn Sandstrom has decided to step down. We wish to thank JoAnn for all she has done for Charity Central. She will be missed. JoAnn has put her house on the market and so we had to move all the fabric that was stored there. Sheryl Anderson has agreed to become the new Chair and has taken it all to store at her house. Thank you to Sheryl and crew for all the work of moving literally a ton of fabric. We are working on re organizing the fabric and now that we have had to touch every piece in the collection, we have decided that we have too much. We need to do something different. If you or your charitable group needs fabric, please contact Charity Central and we will be happy to accommodate you as best we can. We have given fabric to a group that is making quilts for policemen and firemen injured in the line of duty and to another group making quilts for a crisis nursery. We have given fabric to Quilts of Valor and to a group making Christmas stockings for foster kids. The amount of fabric we have is overwhelming and it needs to be used, not stored.

In the last four years we have gotten rid of our back log of over 200 unquilted tops by making quilt bundles and getting them out to be quilted. The quilts are slowly being returned. It’s hard to find time to quilt for charity when there is so much else going on in life. If you picked up a quilt bundle over a year ago and have not had a chance to quilt it, you can return it. We appreciate your willingness to try even if you could not quite accomplish it. We now have a back log of quilt kits. We introduced the kits about six months before the shutdown. We have over 400 kits available. These are all precut scrappy and include a pattern, backing, and binding. These were made from our smallest scraps, and we have a lot of small scraps! We will continue bringing our kits to the membership meetings. Drop off your completed top and

pick up a kit for another!

We are putting out Facebook posts frequently, usually on Sunday, to keep you up to date with Charity Central. We post pictures of quilts that were donated and ideas on how to use your stash to make Charity Quilts. It seemed like the members donated quilts and then never heard about them again. We are showing some of the great quilts we get and tell you where they are going. We have several bins of UFO projects and orphan blocks so we will be giving you some ideas on how to use your own UFOs and clear out your old stash. It is a lot of fun to take something old and make something new to pass on to those in need.

We will be doing more fund-raising with our fabric. We will continue with our “Charity Chunks” but are looking at adding precut strips and squares in one color and mystery scrap bags with our smallest scraps. Our budget with WSQ is not enough to pay for the batting we need to keep up with our average of 400 quilts a year. Our Fund-raising covers our batting purchases. Stop by Charity Central to see how things are going. You can do a little stash enhancement and charity work at the same time. See you in April!

Sheryl Anderson, Kathleen Woods, Annie Sanders, JoAnn Sandstrom -- Charity Central





## Future WSQ Speakers *(continued from page 5)*

Our final speaker for 2022 is Susan Cleveland. She will be with us in-person on September 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1pm and again at 6pm for her lectures at our general membership meetings.

Susan will teach her workshop “Piping Hot Binding” on Friday September 23<sup>rd</sup>. and then on Saturday



September 24<sup>th</sup>, we will learn all about “Shadow Box Quilts”. –

January 2023, Melissa Marginet will be virtual from her home in Manitoba Canada.



On Friday, she will teach Edge to Edge Quilting with Walking Foot



Saturday she will teach Modern Quilting

Our April 2023 speaker/teacher is Laura Heine. We have decided that students can bring in any of her mini patterns (kits) for the Friday class. This will allow those who purchased the patterns/kits last year, to put them to use. The Saturday class is still in the works. She is creating new patterns, so when it gets closer to the time, we will decide on a workshop title.

Shelley Swanland will be joining us in July 2023. She will teach her Cathedral Windows class on Friday



and Saturday she will teach us lots of ways to embellish any of our projects.



Krista Moser will be back with us in September 2023 and will be teaching us how to make a cute tree wall hanging using Sew Kind of Wonderful Rulers. Saturday she will use the same rulers to make a Color Theory wall hanging.

Toby Lischko is scheduled for July 2024. We will see if there is interest for an EQ8 class for her to teach. She will also teach a mini quilt class.

There are two more Global Quilt Connection Virtual Sampler Platters scheduled for 2022 on July 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>, and September 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> from noon to 3pm Pacific Time. These are free to guild members as a perk for membership. More information will be coming, so check out the WSQ website for details.

We are looking into offering short classes and demos in the months that we do not have our general membership meetings, taught by our very own talented members. Some of these could be in person and some virtual. Kristin will be creating a survey to see if there is an interest in future classes/program options.

Kristin and I are coordinating the Mug Rug swap for 2022. This will be a seasonal mug rug swap. The partners have been notified. We had 24 people sign up for the April swap. We will collect signups for the next round at the April meeting for the summer season mug rug swap that will be due in July. It is a fun way to meet other members!

Kristin will survey our members to find out the interest for doing a mystery quilt. I will bring it to the guild at the April meeting and have the first clues ready to hand out at the July meeting. Starting in July, we would give the clues for Aug and Sept. Then the clues at the Sept meeting would go from Oct – Jan (4 clues), the Jan meeting would give out clues for Feb/Mar/April, and then the April clues would be for May/June/July 2023. The final projects to be presented at Sew and Tell at the September 2023 meeting. Cost for the mystery will be \$15 per person.

*Darlene Mossman*  
1st Vice President

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# 2022 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](http://wsqspokane.org).

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

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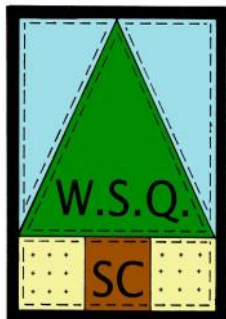
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- WSQ membership runs on a calendar year from January through December. We do not prorate.
- You may renew/join at the September or January meetings for the upcoming year.
- You may renew/join anytime either at a meeting, online at [wsqspokane.org](http://wsqspokane.org) 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.

## On the Web

The April newsletter is on our website. You can now renew your membership on line. If you have any questions please contact [webmaster@wsqspokane.org](mailto:webmaster@wsqspokane.org).

## WSQ Quarterly General Membership Meeting Minutes For Spokane Chapter

**Call to Order:** January 27<sup>th</sup> meeting was called to order at 1:02 pm by President, Paula Ferry.

### **President:**

- Fat Quarter Quilters from Deer Park displayed their raffle quilt.
- WSQ raffle quilt, “The Farmer’s Wife”, will be on display at our April meeting.
- Committee vacancies are: Bus trips, Spokane Interstate Fair, Hospitality, Public Relations, Small Groups and Volunteer Coordinator.
- The Executive Board is looking for a Secretary.
- Kathleen Woods is looking for a Treasurer for 2023.
- A motion to approve the 2022 Budget was made by Maureen Cramer and Anita Pederson seconded the motion. The motion was approved pending the evening Zoom meeting.
- Kelly Foreman wanted to remind everyone that the Quilting Bee will be held on Saturday, February 5<sup>th</sup> from 9 am – 3 pm at Country Homes Christian Church, 8415 N. Wall St., Spokane, WA. You do not need to be a WSQ member to attend the Quilting Bees. Bring your own project to work on and if you bring a machine, bring a power strip. Bring a potluck dish and your own utensils. Coffee and tea are provided.

### **1<sup>st</sup> Vice President - Speakers/Workshops - Darlene Mossman:**

- **January 2022** has RaNae Merrill coming to us via Zoom on Thursday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm and 6 pm. We will watch her on the Centerplace big screen.
- The **April 2022** speaker is Tina Curran. Hopefully, this will be in-person on April 28<sup>th</sup> for both 1 pm and 6 pm meetings. She will teach a workshop “Whimsical Garden” on Friday, April 29<sup>th</sup>. Saturday, April 30<sup>th</sup> Tina will teach us how to create a fabulous flag. Both workshops will be at the Hampton Inn in Spokane.
- **July 2022** will bring Amy Bradley to our guild. Both the 1 pm and the 6 pm meetings will be in-person on Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup>. You can pick any of her fun and humorous patterns and she will teach her process at the Friday and Saturday workshops on July 29<sup>th</sup> and July 30<sup>th</sup> from 9 am to 4 pm.
- The **September 2022** speaker is Susan Cleveland. Friday’s workshop is “Piping Hot Binding” and Saturday’s is “Shadow Box Quilts.”
- There will be three more Global Quilt Connection Sampler Platter events for 2022 on March 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>, July 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>, and September 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> all from noon to 3 pm Pacific Time. These are free to guild members, so check out the WSQ website for details coming soon to you.
- We are looking into offering short classes and demos in the months that we do not have our general membership meetings, taught by our very own talented members.
- Both Kristin Echols and Darlene Mossman will be coordinating a new Swap for 2022. This will be a seasonal Mug Rug Swap. In each session they will match you with a different partner to swap mug rugs. If you participate all year, you will meet 4 new quilters and have 4 new mug rugs. Sign-up now and you will be paired with a partner in February and have until the April meeting to make your first Spring-themed mug rug. After each meeting they will assign you a new partner and a new season for the theme.

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President – Quilt Show – Patty Yedinak**

- The WSQ Quilt Show dates are October 14-16, 2022 and the theme is “Extravaganza.” Cheryl Clossin will be our Featured Quilter. The first Quilt Show Committee meeting is February 9<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm at Centerplace. If you are interested in how the whole process works, please join us.

### **Treasurer – Vicki Trudel**

- Guild members may request from the Treasurer the current account balances at any time. In an effort to keep the balances out of the public eye, they will no longer be announced at meetings, as our meeting minutes become public when the next newsletter is published.
- WSQ accounts are in good standing.

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- A reminder for committee members in 2022. The chairman of your committee must approve expenses to have them paid or be reimbursed. Vouchers must be filled out and signed by the committee chair. Also, an invoice, or receipt of payment must be submitted prior to the Treasurer writing a check.
- Any refunds or reimbursements in 2022 will be returned in the same manner as they were made. If paid by a credit card, it will be refunded by credit card. If paid by check, refunds will be made by check. If you have any questions, please see Vicki.

### **Committee Chair Reports:**

#### **Charity Central – Annie Sanders**

WSQ has been donating quilts to several organizations such as the Salvation Army, Transitions, Community Framework, Hospitals, and Cancer Care. About 200 quilts have been given out. We currently need tops. Thirty finished quilts were received today. Let's be sure to thank Shabby Fabrics for their fabric donations. You can pick out some of the fabric and use your own pattern to make a 40X60 or twin size quilt. Fabric Chunks are being sold to help us buy batting. There is fleece fabric available for members to make up quilts. Charity Central is having a Leaders/Enders Challenge for 2022.

#### **Block Exchange – Shawna Troyer**

"April Flowers Bring May Flowers" is the name of the April block. At the January meeting, Ruth Danner was the winner.

#### **Shop Hop – Ruth McCormick**

The Shop Hop will take place on April 21<sup>st</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>. There are twenty shops that have signed up.

#### **Fair Ribbons/Yard Sale—Cheryl Moriarty**

**Fair/Ribbons** - This year WSQ plans to again support the quilt departments of 10 fairs in our area with first and second place ribbons and a monetary first place award. Once the fairs post their premium books and sign-up forms to their websites, we will include a link on the WSQ website so members can more easily find the entry forms.

**Yard Sale** - Cheryl shared that Spokane Falls Community College notified us earlier this week that they are not approving/issuing contracts for large events at this time. We are continuing to investigate the possibility of alternate venues for March 26<sup>th</sup>. We will request an email be sent to all members once the plan is finalized and approved.

#### **Library – Lois Collins**

Limited books and magazines have been collected for the yard sale (which is on hold for now). She needs volunteers who would serve as workers at the yard sale and meetings. Lois needs feedback as to what the membership thinks about launching an online library for members only.

#### **Show and Tell:**

There were about 8 quilts and three bags shown.

**Guest Speaker:** RaNae Merrill was introduced by Darlene Mossman. Her lecture today is on making Spiral Quilts.

**Meeting was adjourned** by the President at 3:20 pm.

### **WSQ General Membership Evening Meeting Minutes**

President, Paula Ferry, called the evening membership meeting to order at 6:05 pm. Via Zoom. There was no new business discussion. The pending 2022 Budget was given final approval.. The door prize for a free workshop was won by Liz Adams. The business meeting was adjourned at 6:40 pm. Featured speaker, RaNae Merrill's evening lecture was 'Free Motion Mastery in a Month'. The meeting ended at 7:50 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Karen S. Allen



## SMALL GROUP SCOOP

Look in January's issue for the list of small groups. Contact the editor for a copy of January's list.

### January's Show and Tell





## New Instagram Account

Follow WSQ on Instagram for all the latest happenings at the guild.



### WSQ 2022 Speaker and Workshops Lineup

**April 28 at CenterPlace**

**Tina Curran**

Friday 29th 9-4 "Whimsical Garden"

Saturday 30th 9-4 Fabulous American Flag

**July 28th Amy Bradley**

Fri-  
day

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