



Wamego Kaw Valley Quilt Guild

Meetings **Third Tuesdays of the Month at 6:30 p.m.**
At **Presbyterian Church, 601 Elm St., Wamego, KS 66547**
On the web at <https://wamegokawvalleyquiltguild.com/>

June 2022

It's not quite summer yet, but hope everyone is enjoying the early part of June. This time of year many folks spend their time gardening or at the ball fields...hopefully you are able to find some time to sew and quilt.

June is the last month for our Red, White, & Blue Strip Exchange. The strip color this month is white...reminder strips are 2 ½" x WOF, cut 22 strips, keep one for yourself, and bring the remaining strips to the meeting to exchange.



Calendar of Events

June 11th – Block of the Month @ Quilts & Crafts

June 21st – Quilt Guild @ 6:30 p.m...Program Brenda Anderson, Little Gifts

June 24th & 25th – Common Threads Quilt Show, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.,
Wichita, KS, Admission \$15

July 9th – Saturday Sew Day @ the church 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

July 10th – Quilts of Valor, 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. @ Wamego Senior Center

Member Spotlight – Arminda Feldkamp

1. How long have you been quilting? - I have been quilting for about 13 years.
2. How did you become interested in quilting? - I love to sew and wanted to expand my skills as I no longer found it economically feasible to sew my own clothes.
3. Who taught you to quilt? - I was a self-taught quilter by watching YouTube. Missouri Star video taught me so much. I really like the Donna Jordan YouTube videos. She designs her own or shows how to make some that she sells in her shop.
4. What was the first quilt project you made? - I have a string quilt that I started years ago, and it needs to be finished. I have set a goal of having it finished by Christmas 2022 to put on one of our beds.
5. How many sewing machines do you have? - I have four machines: a Brother combo sewing and embroidery machine, a serger, a Juki that used to be my quilting machine and a mid-arm quilter with a robot.
6. What's your favorite notion? - My favorite notion has to be a seam ripper with an eraser type end that cleans up threads when I do have to rip.
7. What's your favorite Quilt Shop? - I don't really have a favorite quilt shop. I do enjoy checking out the quilt shops in different towns when we travel.
8. If you're not quilting, what other hobby do you do? - I keep myself busy with a huge garden. I start my plants in the house depending on what I plant. Some flowers must be started in January. Tomatoes work best in my cool basement bathroom rigged up with grow lights around March 20. When it warms up in late March or early April, I move everything into my hobby greenhouse. I usually grow patio tomatoes plants for my friends at St. Bernard's Church or my Bridge Buddies and nieces and nephews that live in the area. I also belong to two different bridge groups and attend Bible Study Classes. I'm busy all the time traveling, following grandchildren at sports, fishing with my husband, Jim, and occasionally, visit the Casino. With a garden comes canning and freezing the vegetable grown. In the summer I'm all about the outdoors and winter is watching movies, cleaning & cooking, and sewing new quilts.



Comfort Quilts needed for Uvalde, Texas

On May 24, 2022, a mass shooting at Robb Elementary School changed a lot of lives forever. The quilt group, Quilt of Grace, in Uvalde, is accepting comfort quilts for the immediate families affected. With your help they will be able to provide quilts ASAP and during the long-term healing. Quilt size does not matter. Please help spread the word. For questions or additional information feel free to contact Diana Bonnet, retired teacher and Quilts of Grace Team Leader...cell: 830-613-0656 (text or call) or e-mail: dbonnet113@gmail.com. If you are able to help: Mail UPS/Fed Ex to: Diana Bonnet, 608 Ham Lane, Uvalde, TX 78801 or USPS to Diana Bonnet, PO Box 2040, Uvalde, TX 78802





Guild Meeting Minutes

May 17, 2022

The meeting was called to order by VP Jessi Asbury. President Bridget was ill. Guests attending were Barb Scheibler and Nancy Hubbard. 37 members were present.

The April Guild minutes were approved as written. Motion made by Kay Russell. 2nd by Betty Butler.

Treasurer's Report was given by Janet Wohler. \$509 was deposited from the Tulip Festival Quilt Show raffle. \$118 deposited from Tulip Festival Quilt Show donations. Expenditure checks were written for Tulip Festival Quilt Show prizes, \$30 for 1st, \$20 for 2nd and \$10 for third. Balance on hand is \$2,090.48.

Announcements: Donna Goehring-Day Quilt Retreat planned for June 2-5 at Quilts and Crafts. Hours 8am-8pm. Bring lunch. Cost is \$10 per day. See Donna to sign up.

Jeannie Merritt-Trip to Missouri Star. No openings in September. Cost has increased from \$1500 to \$2800 for our group to go.

Quilts of Valor-next meeting is July 10th, 2pm – 4:30pm Wamego Senior Center.

Next Guild Sew Day is July 9.

A motion was made by Janet Wohler to put an ad in the Smoke Signal and Times for the 2023 Tulip Festival Quilt Show. The motion was seconded by Jackie Hayes. All were in favor. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Donna Goehring to give Chuck Asbury a \$50 gift card for all he has done to help us with the Quilt Show setup. Brenda Patterson seconded. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Strip Club: June 21st meeting bring white strips.

A motion was made by Donna Goehring to change Our General Guild Policy for a memorial due to death of a member or immediate family member. The policy was amended to read we will send \$30 to the Wamego Library to purchase a book of their choosing in memory of the member. We will send \$20 for a member's spouse or immediate family passing. Added also is \$25 allowed for sympathy cards and postage for the secretary to have on hand and be responsible for. Brenda Patterson seconded. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Hospitality Drawing winner was Vicki Asbury.

Program was presented by Nancy Hubbard, Pottawatomie County Fair Board Representative. Nancy explained the process of entering our quilts and handwork in the Pott County Fair and Kansas State Fair. The 2022 Fair Book should be available by the middle of June.

Motion made and seconded to adjourn. Meeting adjourned

Respectfully submitted,

Paula Woodward, Secretary