



# Southport Sampler

October 2019



Southport Quilters Guild

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Hello and Happy Fall to you all!

This will probably be the shortest newsletter blurb  
from your Co-Presidents ever...

St. Paul's Lutheran church is in the middle of a kitchen remodel. With this said, our meeting for Monday will be held in the Sanctuary. And with respect to the church, NO FOOD OR DRINK is allowed into the Sanctuary.

We would also like to thank each of you ladies for sharing last month- all your efforts and contributions of a quilter's talent gets spread out into our community and beyond.

The guild will have the first craft fair this Saturday at Tremper. Thanking everyone in advance for your time, donations and enthusiasm.

See you Monday the 7th.

Namaste

Lori and Jane

## Our Guild Mission

The objective and purpose of this Guild shall be:

- 1) To recognize, explore and promote, through the organized effort of a non-profit organization, the potential of the quilting medium.
- 2) To establish an educational environment conducive to the development of quilting.
- 3) To interest people of the area in participating and sharing in the development of quilting through a non-profit organization.

2018—2019 Officers & Directors

President	Lori Brown & Jane Kluchka 2020
First VP/Programs	Karen Banky-Livasy & Cathy Schuldt 2020
Second VP/Membership	Anne Sipsma 2021
Secretary	Helen Vigansky 2020
Treasurer	Heidi Petersen 2021 / Challenge Quilts
Director	Susan Hanson 2020 / Block of the Month
Director	Kim Hemphill 2020 / Public Relations
Director	Renee Riedel 2020 / Newsletter Editor
Director	Kitty Plovovich 2020 / Craft Fairs
Director	Sharon Heeres 2021 / Challenge Quilts
Director	Julie Ioro 2021 / Shalom Center
Director	Donna Makouske 2021 / Webmaster
Director	Kim Voss
Past President	Gayle Collins 2020

*Two Year terms are served through April of year indicated after each officer's name above.*



**Community Service Program —**

**Shalom Food Pantry**

Thank you for all you do and just "keep quilting"

<http://shalomcenter.org/needs.html>

Hello fellow quilters!

How did we get to October already? We are in full swing of the craft fair season, with our first one on Saturday Oct 5 at Tremper High School from 9am to 3pm.

I finally received an application for the St Catherine Commons Fair which will be held on Saturday November 9 from 9am to 1:30pm. **I will be looking for volunteers** for that day, so please check your calendars.

Saturday November 23 will find us at Parkside from 10am to 4pm and Saturday December 7 we will be at Gateway from 9am to 3pm. We are also looking to secure a date to have our second annual Fabric and Quilt Sale that was such a success last year!

Thanks to everyone who has volunteered their help and to those who have given me new items to add to our inventory to sell. Just a reminder that your 2019 quilt donation is due before the Parkside Craft Fair, otherwise we will request a \$25 cash donation.

**\*\*\*When giving me quilting items for craft fairs PLEASE attach your name and your suggested price. You have no idea how much this helps me out.\*\*\***

Even if you don't have the time to help at the craft fairs, I hope you'll stop by to say "Hi" to support our effort!

Thanks for all your help! Kitty Plovovich

## 2018-2019 Committee Chairs

Banquet—2020	?
Block of the Month	Susan Hanson
Challenge Quilts	Sharon Heers, Heide Petersen
Comfort Quilts	Kit Moore
Craft Fair Chair	Kitty Plovanich
Habitat for Humanity	Ellen Albrecht, Kim Hemphill
Holiday Potluck 2019	Gayle Collins, Ruth Brandt, Mary Ann Lupia, Marji Kintis, Ellen Przybylski, Sue Horsley
Hospitality	Christy Burmeister, Kim Hemphill
Kenosha County Fair	Kathy Elfers
Membership	Anne Sipsma
Mentor Program	Carol Potter
Monthly Door Prizes	Mary Gustafson
Museum Quilt Show	Chris Deering
Newsletter	Renee Riedel
Nomination Committee, 2020	?
Northside Library Display	Sharon Heers, Heide Petersen
Parkside Craft Fair	?
Picnic 2020	Helen Vigansky
Programs	Karen Banky-Livasy, Cathy Schuldt
Public Relations	Kim Hemphill
Quilts of Valor	Peggy Eis
Raffle Tickets, Prints, Distib.	Donna Makouske
Raffle Quilt—2020	Teresa Miller, Tara Zerzanek
Shalom Center	Julie Iorio
Sunshine Committee	Jodi Hanson
Webmaster, Etsy, Facebook	Donna Makouske

**HOSTING DUTIES**

**Coordinator for 2019-2020 is  
Christy Burmeister 262-694-1007**

1. Provide a variety of treats by 6:15pm the night of our meetings. Remember to provide a variety (sweets, nuts, fruit, cheeses, vegetables etc.). Some members cannot eat sweets.
2. Set up counter with treats and beverages.
3. Guild will provide coffee, tea bags and hot water for tea. If other beverages are wanted, the hostesses can choose to provide other items: juice, soda, cider, iced tea. **Christy will provide the ice and water.**
4. A seasonal runner or decoration always adds a little festivity.
5. The coordinator will make sure that enough plates, napkins, plastic ware, and hot/cold cups are available. If the hostesses want a seasonal theme, please make arrangements among yourselves to furnish the necessary items.

Note: extras cannot be left in the black box.

6. Clean up after the meeting is over:
  - ◆ Empty coffee pots, wash out, and put in basket. (Christy will take them home.)
  - ◆ Put all general materials back in the black box and close it. The black box is stored in the main room east of the piano.
  - ◆ List any items needed and give to the coordinator.
  - ◆ Make sure no food items are left behind.
  - ◆ Carefully wash all counter tops used by the guild and rinse the sinks. We do not want to leave any trace of our being there.

A hardy thank you to all who provide this pleasant time of sharing food and chatting.



***November Volunteers:***

*Basler, Kathy*

*Horsley, Susan*

*Kessler, Carol*

*Krezinski-Werve, Shari*

*Larson, Diane*

*Przybylski, Ellen*

*Riedel, Renee*

*Schuldt, Kathy*

*Sorensen, Sally*



# Serenity

## QUILT SHOP

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Kenosha, WI 53142

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Ph: 262.577.5886

Hours:

- MON | THUR | FRI 10-6
- WED 10-8
- SAT 10-4
- SUN 12-4
- Closed Tuesdays

Classes coming up range from beginner table tops that include fabric and basic instructions for sewing a bright table cloth to Christmas stocking production with instructors to help you get in the holiday spirit. Available "Mystery" Classes teach a new technique to help sharpen skills and test new methods.

Or stop by to help others by contributing time and skill to "Comfort for a Cause" with Kim Hemphill. She is offering fabric or yarn kits to create items for worthy

### Spanning the Globe, here is a partial list of charities Southport members help:

**Shalom Center, Wisconsin**

**Women's Horizons, Wisconsin**

**Habitat for Humanity, Wisconsin**

**Sewing Machine Project, Wisconsin**

**Comfort for A Cause, including "My Father's Business", Cancer  
Treatments Centers of America, Shop with a Cop, Kidz Korner,  
Safe Harbor Humane Society, Kindred Kitties**

**Cancer De Mama, Breast Cancer Clinic in  
La Penita de Jaltemba, Nayrit, Mexico**

**Ghon Women's Center, Africa**

**Quilts of Valor for American Veterans**



**DATES TO REMEMBER:**

**Program Schedule:**

**October 7**

**Confessions of a Serial quilt killer, Joan Cain**

**October 12**

**Collage Quilting workshop, Joan Cain**

**November 4**

**Bonanza to the Finish Line, Open sew**

**November 6**

**Hobby Lobby, Kenosha "Paper Piecing Technique Class"**

**February 8, 2020**

**Simple Silhouettes, Jane Sassaman**

**April 6, 2020**

**Dresden Heighborhood, Kim Lapacek**

**If you have any questions regarding workshops, Please contact Karen Banky- Livasy 847-395-2941 or**

**Cathy Schuldt 262-637-3937**

**Craft Fairs:**

**Saturday October 5 from 9am - 3pm Tremper High School**

**Saturday November 23 from 10am - 4pm Parkside**

**Saturday December 7 from 9am - 3pm Gateway**

**Around Racine:**

**Lighthouse Quilt Guild**

**October 19-20**

**Lighthouse Legacies Quilt Show**

**October 28, Schoolhouse Workshops**



*Comfort Quilts meets on the second Tuesday of every month.*

Comfort Quilts will meet on Tuesday October 8, at St Catherine's Commons from 1:30 - 4:00 p.m. We will be sorting our cut patches by color and then choosing groups of patches to make kits for quilt tops. Come to help us prepare fresh new kits.

Questions or comments; contact Kit.

Lunaria75@sbcglobal.net 697-0651



**A New Challenge!**

**Seasons of Mother Nature is the title of the Challenge.**

**Mother Nature is full of surprises! Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall bring so much color and seasonal changes. Everyone will pick a season from a bag.**

**Think about your favorite memories within the season you received. Is it a smell, a color, a taste, an animal or holiday. It can be anything related to that season. Use your imagination and get creative, Mother Nature will be your guide. Look out your window and get inspired. We hope you will join us in this challenge and design a quilt that will show off the Season's of Mother Nature.**

**Rules and registration forms for the Museum Show are on the website or at the next meeting.**

**Thanks,  
Heide**



**Quilt Show Kenosha Public Museum**

Chris Deering announced that the theme is "Women's Voices". Sally Sorensen is the Co-Chair. National Quilt Day will be observed on Saturday, March 28, and will be called Southport Quilters Day since the Kenosha Public Museum has committed its facility for the actual national quilt day.



**Sunshine Committee**

If you know anyone in the Guild who has been ill or had a family death or tragedy, please contact Jodi Hanson at 262-909-4056 or [Jodi@eciofwi.com](mailto:Jodi@eciofwi.com)





"Collage Quilting" presented by Joan Cain

**Register Now!**

Saturday, October 12, 2019

9:00 am - 3:30 pm

St. Paul's Lutheran Church,  
8760 37th Avenue, Kenosha



Come learn to collage quilt and make a sweet sewing machine wall hanging! Remember the good old days when you were a five year old happily cutting up magazine images and pasting them on construction paper to make a masterpiece? Do you remember how much fun it was? Joan invites you to return to the good old days and cut and paste with abandon...but with fabric this time! You're going to have fun, enjoy the experience, and make a collage that is as unique as you are! You'll be meeting "Fiona" the featherweight ...but you can turn her into anything you can dream! Your Fiona can be pink, or blue, or polka dotted! She can be old-fashioned or zippy! Let your inner five year old free and let her decide. But no running with scissors!

Bring your own bag lunch. Water will be provided.

Cost of Workshop: Members - \$15.00, Non-members - \$30.00 There is also a Pattern Fee of \$15.00 to be paid directly to Joan at the workshop.



### **Southport Quilters Guild**

We meet on the 1st Monday of each month except for national holidays,  
September through April located at St. Paul's Lutheran Church  
8760 – 37th Avenue, Kenosha, WI

Board Meetings 5:30 p.m.— Welcome 6:30 — Meeting 7:00

Guests are always welcome/\$5