

Heber Valley Quilters

NEWSLETTER JUNE 2024



Hello quilter ladies :)

Are you ready for summer? School is out and the weddings are beginning along with vacations. My youngest son was married 2 days ago to a beautiful gal in the Payson temple. She said she doesn't know how to sew so after we learn how to make sourdough bread together (a yummy way to get to know each other), I am going to suggest that we try a simple project. My 6-year-old granddaughter and I made a small zipper pouch together which turned out quite well. And although my new daughter-in-law will not be sitting on my lap to learn how to sew, I am sure we can figure it out :)

For this month we are going to talk about and actually try English Paper Piecing (EPP). I will provide the 1" hexagon-shaped cardstock papers so please bring two fat quarters (you will only use a small part of the quarters) or bring some scraps. I am thinking one scrap for the 1-1/2" center hexagon and 6 hexagons to go around the center to make a simple/versatile flower. I will bring Accuquilt machines and the dies so you can cut your fabric. I have ordered half hexi, jewel petal, equilateral triangle & diamond shapes. Cross your fingers they arrive in time! Bring an assortment of scraps to play with. The guild will supply glue sticks. Please also bring short needles (sharps or straw needles), any type of thread (ie Aurafil, silk or Coats & Clark) and a pair of scissors. I will share what I know and I would like input from any of you that have done or studied EPP so that we have the best tips and tricks out there. Should be a fun evening that will also include birthdays, on-time drawing and Sew 'n Tell. Oh, remember to bring your UFOs so we can cheer on your success on getting your projects completed!

Paige





Utah Quilt Guild
To encourage, promote and preserve
the art of Quilting in Utah

UQG State News

We just want to remind everyone that you can now register for Quilt Fest. All of the information is on the website, www.utahquiltguild.org. There are many classes to choose from, lots of vendors planned, a big quilt show, lunches, parties and all kinds of other events that you can attend and enjoy. The event takes place August 20-24 in Layton, Utah at the big convention center. The theme this year is "Getting to Gnome You". You can also book your room at the hotel or just go up for one day. Make sure that you are a member of the Utah Quilt Guild as prices for this event will be lots cheaper. You can sign up for 4 days of open sew if that is appealing to you. Many just like to sit and sew and visit with their friends.

The Panguitch Quilt Walk is June 5-8 in Panguitch. Lots of information on their website.

Utah Valley will have their "Quilt Fair" July 17 in Wallsburg, same place as last year. Free classes, quilts on display, a huge yard sale, vendors and food trucks. Come and enjoy the day.

The Springville Quilt Show opens July 20 and runs through September.

Barb Murdock
Area Rep

Friendship Block Exchange

In May for the Friendship Block Exchange, we worked on blocks for Lara and Natasha. We are excited to see Paige's block for June. For future ease of keeping track of the blocks and who has accomplished them, Christina has assigned the following numbers to each member: 1-Sandy, 2-Karen, 3-Paige, 4-Margaret, 5-Cindy, 6-Natasha, 7-Kandy, 8-Sue, 9-Lara, 10-Christina. So Sandy will always get Kit #1 and Karen will receive Kit #2 when we hand out the kits to sew for the month. Happy Sewing this Summer!!! Please don't hesitate to contact Christina Williams if you have any questions. Her number is 571-239-0171.



Charity Quilts

We will continue to be focused on the same two local community groups:

1. KIDS: (from February to November)

A. Sew Quilts for Kids' kits (in your own home)

B. Quilt and Bind a QFK quilt sandwich (on your long-arm OR domestic machine)

C. Donate kids' fabrics:

1. 100% cotton novelty prints and solids for quilt tops
2. 15 yards x WOF for backings

2. SENIORS: (from March to July)

A. Sew a Meals on Wheels' placemat kit (in your own home)

B. Tie wheelchair quilts at the Wasatch County Senior Center

PLEASE bring any completed QFK or Placemat Kits to the June meeting for "Sew and Tell" & then turn them in. Also, **PLEASE** donate any kids' fabrics for QFK as you go through your stashes at home.

Because we will be delivering the finished Placemats to the director of Meals on Wheels at the Wasatch County Senior Center in time for delivery before July 4th, we REALLY need all the placemat kits completed by the June meeting.

We'll have both types of the QFK Kits available for you to take at the June meeting, along with their sign-up sheets. We really appreciate your help in completing them before the November meeting!

Sandy Hindy and Natasha Endito



2024 Design Challenge:

"WOVEN"

THE CHALLENGE:

Create a quilt or other article that appears to be "woven".

This may be the illusion of fabric weaving atop and beneath other fabrics to create the look, or it may be the literal weaving of fabrics or other fibers together.

Think: Woven-Linked-Knit Together; interpret however you'd like!

See details on the member page of the HVQ website - www.hebervalleyquilters.com



Open Sew Days

We are planning on 8 Open Sew Days for 2024, taking place at either Deonn's house or Paige's. The next one will be

June 15 @ Deonn's from 9-4.

Deonn's address is 972 S 770 E

Bring a lunch and any snacks to share :)

Meeting Info

Our next meeting will be:

June 6 @ 6:30 pm

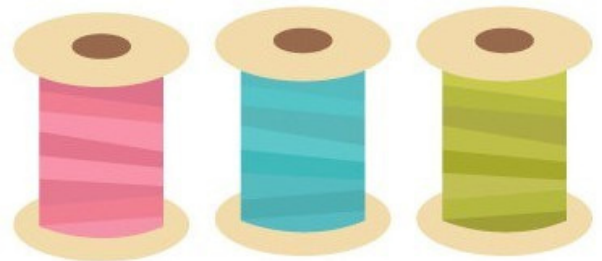
Bowcutt Room - Wasatch County Library

[Teams link for Virtual Meeting](#)

Looking Ahead

Due to the 4th of July, the July Party @ Paige's will be held on July 11

Sew Day in July @ Paige's - July 20





Be sure to join the [Heber Valley Quilters Facebook Group](#) for Sew'nTell photos and between-guild interaction and fun!

Leadership

President: Paige Douglas

Vice Pres/President Elect: Cindy Blackburn

Treasurer: Carol Hunt

Historian: Deonn Stott

Newsletter: Ali Rogers

Social Media: Desiree Muheim

Zoom: Andrea Hicken

UFO Chair: Tamara Ellis

Charity : Sandy Hindy & Natasha Endito

Design Challenge: Deonn Stott

Friendship Exchange: Christina Williams

Round Robin: The guild needs you!

Retreat: Jane Leaphart & Tamara Ellis

Birthdays: Teresa Gamboa

Door Prizes: Barb Murdock

Birthdays

Teresa Gamboa	June 2
Amy Defa	June 7
Andrea Hicken	June 8
Sue Urban	June 11
Beth Emmett	June 15
Debbie Proctor	June 17



Please Bring:

- June UFO Project or your \$\$
- Completed placemats or QFK kits
- Fabric for EPP lesson
 - 1 fabric for center (1 - 1 1/2" hexi)
 - 1 fabric for outside (6 - 1 1/2" hexis)
 - Assorted other scraps
- Needle, thread & scissors

