



# AS THE NEEDLE TURNS

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Janet Keesler

## GET AWAY FOR A DAY!

Forget that pedicure. Join your fellow Guild members for a Saturday of creativity! Lenore Crawford will be providing a workshop titled "Myra's Window Boxes" on Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at Country Stitches. Fee is \$45 plus a \$10 supply fee to be paid during class. Supply lists are posted on the CCQG website. To find the lists, go to the website, click on the "Programs" tab at the top of the page, under information for Lenore Crawford are links to the workshop supply lists.

## GET AWAY FOR SEVERAL DAYS!

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I can hardly believe that it's been a year since I started writing these. The time has gone by quickly. It has been a pleasure serving you as President of the Guild. I have enjoyed it immensely. I like being behind the scenes, working for you. Next year, I will be Past President, so I will still be serving the Guild.

I have also appreciated the people on the Guild's Board. They have all worked so hard for the good of the Guild. Next year's Board promises to be just as dedicated to keeping the Guild going. We have all the positions filled except for Secretary. If anyone wishes to do this job, the time is now to speak up and say something.

I hope a lot of you will be going to the Guild Spring Retreat at the Quality Inn and Suites in Lansing. It's always such a good time sewing, eating, and visiting. It's relaxing, but I usually get a lot done. It's so nice to have my stuff all laid out and ready-to-go. At home, I need to put my stuff away when I step away from it. Between my granddaughter and our four cats, the pieces just aren't there when I get back to sewing again. It's also hard at home with the things I need to do and the constant interruptions.

Well, I hope you all have an abundance of quilting projects that you can work on and the time to do so. I hope you have health, also, in abundance. May your days be filled with joy and happiness, and good times with friends and family.

This is my last letter to you as President, but I'll still be around. I just won't have to get up to the podium and fumble through getting the minutes approved.

Thanks for all of your good wishes and support.

Janet Keesler  
President

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

Current Cash Balance: \$16,395.55

Income Received: \$3,102

Expenses: \$1,350.50

Net Income: \$1,751.50

Financial Activity: 02/01/18-04/01/18

*Kathy Kittle, Treasurer*



Financial info is also available on the website.

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 ★ **FAT CHANCES** ★  
 ★ MAY—YELLOW ★  
 ★ JUNE—BRIGHTS ★  
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**DUES REMINDER:** Annual Dues for the Capitol City Quilt Guild are due by Monday, April 30, 2018. After that day a late fee of \$10.00 will be charged. Registration forms and payments may be dropped at the check-in desk at the April general meeting (Thursday, April 19) or sent directly to the Membership Chair.

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## THE VICE PRESIDENT'S TABLE

LABELS FOR EDUCATION, BOXTOPS, and PULL TABS can be dropped off at the VP table. It's also the place to find information on lots of stuff!

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## PROGRAMS

Thank you to those Members that submitted a quilt for the Guild Challenge – “The Great CCQG Bake Off.” We had nine participants – Jan Asmann, Jackeline Borszich, Lisé Dibert, Mary Edgar, Deb Martens, Carol Meyers, Dorothy Rowe, Cathy Skelton, and Bev Wilkinson. All of the quilts were beautiful and creative. Bev Wilkinson won the third place ribbon, Mary Edgar, the second place ribbon, and Jackeline Borszich won the first place ribbon and a free year’s membership in the Guild!

### **May:**

- Lenore Crawford will be providing a lecture entitled “Fusing/Fabric Painting to Create an Art Quilt.” Workshops will follow on Friday May 18<sup>th</sup> and Saturday May 19<sup>th</sup> at Country Stitches. Friday Workshop: “Fusing/Fabric Painting to Create Realistic Fabric Art;” Saturday Workshop: “Myra’s Window Boxes.” Fee for each workshop is \$45. Friday workshop has an additional \$15 supply fee to be paid during class. Saturday workshop has an additional \$10 supply fee to be paid during class.
- Supply lists are posted on the CCQG website – To find the lists, go to the website – Click on “Programs” tab at the top of the page, under information for Lenore Crawford are two links to the two workshop supply lists.

### **June:**

- Debra Richmond will be giving a lecture and demonstrating several quilting gadgets that will be available for purchase during the meeting.

### **July:**

- Karen Brow will be giving a lecture entitled “Feature a Creature” during the 7/19 meeting and one workshop on Saturday July 21<sup>st</sup> at Country Stitches. Workshop title: “Newly Hatched.” Workshop fee is \$45. Karen will have a limited number of wall hanging kits made from Hoffman Fabrics for \$24.95 (plus tax) –money for the kit will be paid to Karen at the workshop.

### **August:**

- CCQG Garage Sale

Lynda Patriarche, Program Chair



## MAY BIRTHDAYS

Jackie Borszich 5/1  
 Beth Donaldson 5/1  
 Sue Lounds 5/6  
 Renee Fisher 5/7  
 Penny Carney 5/8  
 Sue Kesti 5/8  
 Kathy Smith 5/9  
 John Putnam 5/9  
 Rosemary Nester 5/10  
 Kimberly Morris 5/12  
 Marion Norwood 5/12  
 Janet Scott 5/13  
 Peggy Cheney 5/13  
 Helen Novak 5/15  
 Nancy Ruess 5/16  
 Sue Wilson 5/16  
 Pam Koppleberger 5/19  
 Chris Yelvington 5/19  
 Lynda Craft 5/20  
 Jill Croley 5/21  
 Cathy Thomas 5/21  
 Janice Koenigsnecht 5/22  
 Carol Erickson 5/22  
 Jean Kaufmann 5/22  
 Jacklyn Beard 5/26  
 Elaine Hewitt 5/27  
 Kay Nickols 5/28

## JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Mary Edgar 6/2  
 Barb Hollowick 6/7  
 Linda Goulding 6/9  
 Julie Hume 6/10  
 Sharon Neuner 6/11  
 Regina Hall 6/13  
 Joni Kirchmeier 6/16  
 Marie Bard-Curtis 6/18  
 Nancy Van Conant 6/20  
 Lise Dibert 6/22  
 Lori Cole 6/23  
 Joyce Barker 6/26  
 Sharon Gaier 6/30

***The Capitol City Quilt Guild is pleased to announce the addition of three new members. Joyce Bahr, Diana Sagy and Sue Wilson all joined at the March meeting. WELCOME LADIES!!!!***

## AREA QUILTING EVENTS

[HTTP://WWW.MUSEUM.MSU.EDU/GLQC/ONLINENEWSLETTER.HTML](http://www.museum.msu.edu/GLQC/ONLINENEWSLETTER.HTML)

### April 20-21, 2018

Kathy Groves, lecture and workshop  
 Genesee Star Quilters, Burton, MI

### April 26-29, 2018

Tim Latimer, workshops  
 Creative Passions Crop and Quilt Retreat  
 710 W. Broad St., Chesaning, MI

### April 27-28, 2018

Quilts from the Attic 2018,  
 Macomb County Quilt Guild Show  
 Roseville Recreation Center, 18185 Sycamore St.,  
 Roseville, MI

### May 3-6, 2018

Ann Loveless, workshops  
 Creative Passions Crop and Quilt Retreat!, 710 W. Broad St., Chesaning, MI

### May 7, 2018

Linda Wieck, lecture  
 Macomb County Quilt Guild, Clinton Township, MI

### May 30, 2018

Debbie Grifka, lecture  
 Evening Star Quilters, Davison, MI

### June 15-16, 2018

Debbie Grifka, lecture and workshop  
 Genesee Star Quilters, Burton, MI

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 Mary Ann Davis  
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Sharon Pagryzinski, Bay Heritage Quilters Guild

**UMW and KIND's  
10<sup>th</sup> Quilt Show and Victorian Fair  
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JoEllen Curtis  
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810-955-2103 or c@clark.gs

The Capitol City Quilt Guild meets the third Thursday of each month at 7pm (social time 6:30pm) at Union Missionary Baptist Church, 500 S. MLK, Lansing, MI

See us on the web!  
[CapitolCityQuiltGuild.org](http://CapitolCityQuiltGuild.org)

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Newsletters are now being e-mailed to Guild members with an e-mail address. Those who prefer a paper copy should indicate this on their membership form and pick them up at the next meeting. Any newsletters not picked up will be mailed.

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Next newsletter deadline: June 1, 2018

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