



American Legion Hall
625 31st Street
Marion, IA 52302

East Iowa Heirloom Quilters January 28, 2019

Annual Indoor Garage Sale (tables \$15)
Open to the public: 10 am to 1 pm *and* 4 pm to 7 pm

President's Corner



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Happy New Year!!

It seems that the new year has started even if I am not quite ready for it!! But I guess I will have to sit down and think about the many things I want to accomplish in the year ahead. I am easily able to do this because I am not at home but am visiting grandkids (and their parents too). When I get home...I am going to clean my sewing room (and find again all those projects that I have forgotten about)! Then the problem becomes do I give it to the garage sale (I have outgrown that project and someone else can enjoy finishing it) or do I finish it? (OH! The number of "P.H.D." ribbons I could earn!) And then, finished projects will give me at least one wonderful entry for the quilt show!! Decisions! Decisions!! When I get home....I am going to sew more and eat less. (Yeh, sure!!) When I get home.....I am going to sew with friends more and complain less. (Friends may enjoy having me around!) When I get home....I hope I remember what I have said!!

If you see me spending money at the January garage sale, remind me of my resolutions. Until then, I leave you with this bit of wisdom...

"In life we all come with baggage, mine is filled with fabric!"

Karen Bronkhorst



There will be no Fat Quarter lottery or Block of the Month in January due to the garage sale.

Please bring your finished November BOM blocks to the February guild meeting.

The theme for the February Fat Quarter lottery is "Tone on Tone".

Next Guild Meeting

February 25, 2019

**9:00 am
6:30 pm**

**Laura Wasilowski,
Art Quilter**

**Workshop:
"Tiny Houses"**



JANUARY 28 MEETING



Annual Guild Garage Sale

Tables are \$15.00 each. Start setting up your table at 8:00 am before the short meeting at 9:00 am. Sale will be open to guild members after the short meeting. Doors will be open to public from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. Tables are to remain set up until we reopen for public and guild members at 4:00 pm. Sale will go until 7:00 pm, followed by the evening short meeting. Clearing out your items will begin after the meeting. Thanks for giving everyone an opportunity to shop.



There will be a Guild table which will include fabric for sale. Please mark items with your recommended sale price. Monies received will help with guild programs. Your donated items are appreciated!

If you're not available during the morning or evening hours, feel free to find someone to help you set up and tear down as well as cover the hours when you're not available. We want everyone to have an equal opportunity to organize their sewing spaces.

2019 PROGRAMS AND WORKSHOPS.... Bookmarks will be available for 2019 at the January meeting. Deb Thomas will be at the workshop registration table; stop by to see her to sign up for classes beginning in February, as well as the Jamie Wallen workshops being held during the quilt show in September. Class lists and registration forms are in the newsletter.

SAVE THE DATE

Quilters' Spring Break Retreat

Take a break from a grueling year of working toward your PHDs (Projects Half Done) and join us for a relaxing getaway weekend of sewing whatever you like. A maximum of 32 EIHQ Guild members may attend the retreat. Attendance will be based on a first-come-first-served basis with registration forms to be post-marked no earlier than February 26th. Applications beyond 32 will be put on a waiting list in the order received. If max number is not met by Guild members, non-members may submit an application to attend. Attendees may choose to stay overnight at Prairiewoods (single or shared rooms available) or commute from home.

Where: Prairiewoods, Hiawatha, IA

When: April 5th-7th, 2019

More information to follow (including pricing) in the February Newsletter.

For questions, please contact:

Erin Lauer: (320) 360-4357 erin@ladylibertyquilting.com

Patty Miles (319) 377-5926 pattymiles@mchsi.com

Meet A Member

Rayleen Pearson



My immediate family includes my real father, Harold Crain, and my stepfather since the age of 4, Elzo Harrison, my mother Margaret (Olson Johnson Crain) Harrison, and me (Rayleen Karen Crain Pearson). I had 2 step brothers, Kenny and Harrison and a half brother, Ronald Johnson. My grownup family includes my husband Tom, whom I married in 09/1962. We divorced in 1973 and he passed away in 1980. My sons are Terry (born 1964) and Kip (born 1965). Kip passed away in 2015 at the age of 50. Terry married Lori in 2000, with 1 stepdaughter, Sarah, who passed away 10/18/2018 at the age of 34. I have 5 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

I was born in 1942 in Cedar Rapids. I attended Kindergarten to 2nd grade in Cedar Rapids. We moved to Stanwood where I attended 2nd-5th grade. My folks bought a restaurant/tavern/ice cream fountain called the El-Mar (for Elzo and Margaret). I started waiting tables at age 8 ½ and doing other chores such as peeling one to two 10-gallon buckets of potatoes each day after school, etc.

My mom had a heart attack and was told to “take it easier”, so they sold the El-Mar and bought 2 acres off the old homestead and built the El-Mar Rae at Newhall, which was a gas station, restaurant and motel where I helped out through my high school years. I entered Newhall Consolidated Schools from 5th to 12th grade. I managed my chores and my studies, receiving a Valedictorian honor at graduation in 1960. The summer of 1960 I leased the restaurant from my folks to earn my tuition for Paris Academy Cosmetology School in Cedar Rapids (now Capri College). I worked in the restaurant from 6:00 am to 10:30 pm or later. It took 2400 hours to get my cosmetology license.

I met my husband Tom at Danceland and we were married 09/09/1962 in Cedar Rapids. We rented a house, and then built our own home, and designed it so I could have my beauty shop and be there when the kids came home from school. While the beauty shop was being built, I worked in 2 different restaurants. I worked in my beauty salon for 14 ½ years. I worked at Amana Refrigeration 16 ½ years. The last year at Amana, I managed the shop 4:30 pm until 11:00 pm weekdays and on Saturdays.

Later, I took some classes at Kirkwood Community College and quit the Amana Refrigeration Plant and worked full time at the age of 50-54 working various customer service jobs including Parson's Technology, Pearson's Government Solutions, GE Services, US Cellular and HACAP.

Meet A Member (continued)

Rayleen Pearson

My interest in quilting started when my husband Tom and I went on a 3-day trip to the Pioneer Museum in Nebraska. There I was fascinated with a crib size crazy quilt. Several years later, after Tom and I divorced, I made my first quilt by taking a "Quilt-As-You-Go" class in 1980 at Kirkwood since that pioneer baby quilt kept popping up in my mind. I still have one block to finish! I had run out of one of the materials needed, but later found more.

I joined the guild in 1982 or 1983, but have never served in any position or on the board. My biggest mistake quilting is having too many UFOs. My hobbies include quilting, reading, knitting, Brazilian Embroidery, regular embroidery and entertaining friends. Other past hobbies include camping, square dancing, ballroom dancing and making crafts. We had dogs and cats when our boys were young, but now I don't have any pets due to allergies.

I have belonged to numerous groups including "lowanderers" camping group, Solo Parents (held every officer position and chaired 12 national conventions), Lutheran Singles Again (on the board 15 years), and Parents Without Partners. I taught Sunday School at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church. I also helped with after school kid's program (K-3rd grade) at Hope Lutheran Church.



As far as quilting tips to pass along to the guild that have worked well for me:

I try to keep my sewing area ready to go, so if I have 10 minutes, I can sit down and sew. Tools can be expensive, but they save time, reduce frustration and improve accuracy, so they are well worth the cost. I like to sew with friends (small groups and retreats), because not only are they fun, but you learn from each other, get new ideas, and they can help you with your problems and teach you easier methods.



SOS : Sharing Our Skills



SO, it's 2019, and time to SEW! Just like any other time, of course! As mentioned in the December newsletter, SOS is in need of twin sized quilts, as many of the organizations we support, like Sleep in Heavenly Peace, Habitat For Humanity, and most shelters primarily use twins. There are also a number of groups, like Birthright, the Young Parents Network, that have a need for baby quilts, about 36" square. Additionally, with the new year, there will be a new class of kiddos graduating from the Linn County Daycare. These quilts, given to those going off to kindergarten, should be about 40"x 50". Last year, about a third of the class graduated in May, and the rest in August.



In November, SOS received 60 quilt tops, which has to be a record! As well, you all contributed 27 finished quilts, 11 quilts that were quilted and needing binding, 9 quilts that were tied, and 30 pillowcases! Woohoo! They will all be given to grateful homes!

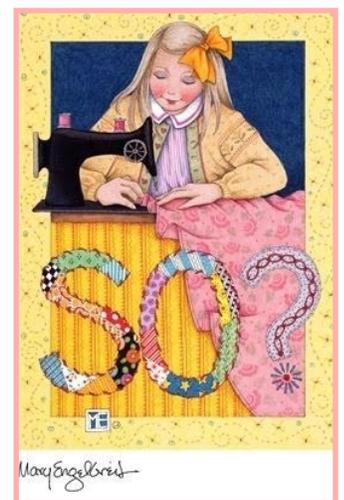
**SOS WEDNESDAY
JANUARY 16
Knights of Columbus
1620 E Ave Ne
9:00-3:30**

As always, we will sew tops, tie quilts and partake of a potluck lunch of the highest order. Any amount of time that you can spare would be of the greatest help. If you have never tied a quilt, we can have you up and running in no time!

As always, SOS will gladly accept your Bits and Bobs of Bindings and orphan quilt blocks for which you no longer have a use.

Thanks for all you do!

Mary Burgess, Diane Eimen and Suzanne Mullins



QOV: Quilts of Valor



January

.... and A WONDERFUL and HAPPY NEW YEAR to all of you from Freedom Stitchers of Iowa!!!

We are going to be hitt'n the road a run'n the first couple of months and hoping you'll join us!

Starting with our first 2019 QOV® monthly Sew Day "group" on the 24th here (details further in this note) ... THEN the Guild Garage Sale on the 28th (we will be there with block kits, pillowcase kits, and quilt kits all cut ready to go) And THEN, QOV National Sew-In Day February 2! (at the VFW Post at 3240 Southgate Place SW [off 33rd and I-380] from 10 to 4. All of our kits will be available for you to purchase, as well as we will have our Assembly Line Quilt Making, and "Pillowcase Row! process in high gear. We can sure use people to just assist with ironing, organizing pieces, etc. Bring a friend, even if they don't sew!! All you need to bring is your smiling face and your sewing machine -- the rest is provided - including a lunch (for a free will donation) provided by the Women's Auxiliary of the VFW!! - PLEASE call me to reserve a spot so we know to have enough "stuff" there for you!!) It's just FUN!!!! And THEN a Quilt Presentation later in February (probably before the next Guild meeting)!!

Just a reminder - Freedom Stitchers monthly Meeting is the 4th Thursday every month from 10-5 as an "Open House" at my home Come and see what we do - We'd LOVE to have you. Give me a call with questions, more info, directions, etc.!!

THANK YOU to all of you - If you ever have a question, just ask a Freedom Stitchers of Iowa Member - OR give me a call!!!! (319-551-4492).

If you're in the mood to make a quilt - think red/white/blue - and think about a VETERAN!!! They'd LOVE it!! Who better to make a quilt for?? Please contact me for specifications!

Elayne (319-551-4492)

email: gov.quiltdeva@gmail.com

2019 Programs and Workshops

For a complete list of programs and workshops, go to the guild's website, www.eihqguild.com. Workshops are held from 1-4 at the American Legion unless noted. You can register for a workshop at a meeting or by completing a workshop registration form which is included in the newsletter.

January 28 Program

EIHQ Annual Indoor Garage Sale

Times: 10 am to 1 pm and 4 pm to 7 pm

Anyone can shop so invite family and friends to attend. If you and/or friend want to rent a table, the cost is \$15.00. Contact Deb Thomas at debra53thomas@gmail.com.

February 25 Program

Laura Wasilowski, Art Quilter

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/Artfabrik/>

Website: <http://artfabrik.com/artfabrik-store/>

Laura creates Artfabrik extraordinary hand-dyed fabrics and threads. She is a contemporary quilt maker, instructor, and author of 3 books on creating fused art quilts.



9:00 am Lecture: “Chicago School of Fusing Guided Tour”

Take a campus tour of the famous Chicago School of Fusing. This mythological university is devoted to the promotion of the fine art of fusing, a non-traditional method of assembling quilts with fusible web. Laura Wasilowski, Dean of Corrections at the School, guides you around the campus buildings, introduces you to the fascinating fusing curriculum, and shows you the exciting campus life of the student fuser. Included in the presentation is a review of the fusing processes, a display of actual fused art quilts, and Laura's own rendition of the Chicago School of Fusing fight song. Press on! (A trunk show of hand dyed fabrics and threads from the Artfabrik dyers is included.)



6:30 pm Lecture: “Stitcher-tunities”

Delight in the stitch! From the hand-dyeing of her pearl cotton threads to the final stitch, Laura tells all about her colorful hand-embroidered fused art quilts. Learn how she makes the quilts, dyes the thread, and selects the stitches to use on the quilt tops. Placement of stitches and other helpful tips will inspire you to add hand embroidery to your own work. The program includes a set of catchy tunes sung about the art of embroidery like “Glory to the Stitcher.” You'll see an exhibit of her small stitched art quilts and an array of hand-dyed threads and fabrics in a trunk show from the Artfabrik dy-



February 25 Workshop
Laura Wasilowski - "Tiny Houses"
Workshop Cost: \$32; Kit Cost: \$25

Create a little house quilt and receive a degree in Architecture from the Chicago School of Fusing at the same time! In this workshop we explore the many techniques of fusing: free cutting, layering, collage building, improvisational design, and more. The result is a whimsical neighborhood placed in a colorful landscape setting and made from beautifully hand-dyed fabrics. (*No sewing machine is needed.*)



March 25 Program

Ilene Bartos

Website: <http://www.ilenebartos.com/>

9:00 am Lecture: "My Quilting Journey"

Trunk show including art quilts. Discussion on how I went from traditional quilting to making art quilts – which is a continuing journey.



6:30 pm Lecture: "Borders, Sashings and More"

Trunk show with discussion on how to add interest to your blocks by your choice of borders and sashings. Come prepared to take home some ideas for your next quilt or bring finished blocks to discuss alternate sashing/border ideas.

March 25 Workshop

Ilene Bartos, "Cracked Boxes"

Workshop Cost: \$30

**You can purchase just the pattern for \$15 or
you can purchase a kit for \$34**

(kit includes pattern and hand-dyed fabric

Using Ilene's pattern "Cracked Boxes" the class focuses on choosing color combinations and easy sewing techniques. Fun for all quilters, and the top can mostly be completed in the class. The pattern can be purchased ahead of time or you can purchase before the workshop. There are hand-dyed fabric kits available which include the pattern or you can bring your own fabrics.



2019 EIHQ GUILD WORKSHOP REGISTRATION

Program Chair: Deb Thomas (319) 389-2873 debra53thomas@gmail.com
Program Planning Chair: Erin Lauer (320) 360-4357 erin.s.lauer@gmail.com

Your Name _____ Date Rec'd _____
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 Email _____
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TEACHER	DATE	DAY	WORKSHOP	COST	TOTAL
Table Rental	January 28	Monday	Clean your sewing room	\$15/table	
Laura Wasilowski	February 25	Monday	Tiny Houses Kit: \$25	\$35.00	
Ilene Bartos	March 25	Monday	Cracked Boxes Kit: \$15; add hand-dyed fabric \$34	\$32.00	
Dawn Heese	May 28	Tuesday	Needle Turn Applique	\$32.00	
Dawn Heese**	May 29	Wednes- day	Somerset Medallion Quilt (all day) Pattern: \$11	\$50.00	
Lisa Bongean	June 24	Monday	Wool Applique (all day) Grateful Kit: \$26	\$50.00	
Ruth Green	August 26	Monday	Ruth Green (noon to 5 pm) Kit: \$45	\$30.00	

** workshops will be held at Cedar Hills Community Church, 6455 E Avenue NW, Cedar Rapids

SAVE \$5 if you take both half day and full day workshops (applies to Dawn Heese)

1. Registrations paid for at the time of registration are placed on the PAID/CONFIRMED list.
2. Registrations not accompanied by payment are NOT CONFIRMED and are put on a waiting list subject to available ^{SEP}space at the time of payment. Once payment is received, if space is still available, class registration is confirmed. No one will be considered registered for a class until payment is received.
3. At 10 days prior to the class, all vacancies become available to non-guild members at an additional fee.
4. Payment is refundable if cancelled at least two weeks prior to the day of the workshop.
5. One check may be made out to EIHQ for all workshops chosen.
6. Workshop fee does not include supplies. Supply lists are available on the EIHQ website, www.eihqguild.com, under 2019 Programs and Workshops.

Complete and mail this form to:

Deb Thomas
 1312 A Avenue
 Vinton, IA 52349

JAMIE WALLEN WORKSHOPS
(held in conjunction with the EIHQ Quilt Show)
September 19-21, 2019



After a Longarm purchase in the late nineties, Jamie began to develop his own unique style of quilting and soon was sharing and teaching his style with others. He teaches his signature workshops and classes, Mystical Quilting series and Threadfusion, internationally. Jamie enjoys sharing his knowledge of quilting and his YouTube channel has become a hit with quilters in over 80 countries. Home base for Jaime is Michigan City Indiana, where he is pursuing his art, filming instructional videos, hand dyeing, quilting and teaching workshops. In 2013 he won the Machine Quilting Teacher of the Year

Award. Website: www.quiltersapothecary.com

You can sign up for the following workshops at guild meetings or by completing the Jamie Wallen registration form included in this newsletter. All workshops will be held at the **Residence Inn South, 730 33rd Ave SW, Cedar Rapids**

Supply list is the same for all classes – Note Pad, Ledger or Letter size Doodle Pad and pens/pencils

Thursday, September 19

“Mystical Feathers 2”

Workshop Cost: \$55.00

2:00 to 5:00 pm



This Feathers Class takes the frond and spine to the next level. Join Jamie as he teaches advanced Blocks, Sashes, Borders and more. He will also show you the new evolution in Feathers. Be prepared to leave your comfort zone and evolve with quilting's best loved motif. This class applies to all levels of Long-arm, Mid-arm, Short-arm or Hand Quilters. *Supply List: Note Pad, Ledger or Letter size Doodle Pad and pens/pencils*

Friday, September 20

“Mystical Florals Leaves and Vines”

Workshop Cost: \$55.00

9:00 am to noon



Quilters can find as much diversity in surface quilting with florals as there is with feathers. “Mystical Florals” covers florals, leaves, and vine variations that will make your quilts take root in creativity. You will learn a myriad of designs using these elements for your customer and personal quilting and apply them to edge-to-edge, custom blocks, border, and sash designs. This class applies to all levels of Long-arm, Mid-arm, Short-arm or Hand Quilters. *Supply List: Note Pad, Ledger or Letter size Doodle Pad and pens/pencils*

Friday, September 20

“Mystical Grids”

Cost of Workshop: \$55.00

2:00 to 5:00 pm



This Class covers Exciting new designs with the focus on Jamie’s incredible Point-to-Point “Mystical Grid Designs”. You will learn a myriad of designs using these elements for your Customer and personal surface quilting and apply them to Edge to Edge, Customized Blocks, Borders and Sash Designs to speed up your earning potential while making your surface quilting stand above the rest. This class applies to all levels of Long-arm, Mid-arm, Short-arm or Hand Quilters. *Supply List: Note Pad, Ledger or Letter size Doodle Pad and pens/pencils*

Saturday, September 21

“Mystical Rulers”

Cost of Workshop: \$55.00

9:00 am to noon



Join Jamie as he demonstrates his favorite rulers. From basic to more specific applications he will show you how to put those handy tools to work and save time. As a bonus Jamie will show you his method of turning almost any design into a stencil on the fly. *Supply List: Note Pad, Ledger or Letter size Doodle Pad and pens/pencils*

Saturday, September 21

“Mystical Shapes”

Cost of Workshop: \$55.00

2:00 to 5:00 pm



Whether you are a traditional or modern quilter, join Jamie as he steps into the world of “Mystical Shapes”. Breathe new life into your surface quilting with a new twist on the common shapes found on our quilts along with taking it to the next level with paisleys, orbs, curved cross hatching , jacobean designs and more. These designs will have you looking at E2E, Blocks and Borders in a whole new way. This class applies to all levels of Long-arm, Mid-arm, Short-arm or Hand Quilters. *Supply List: Note Pad, Ledger or Letter size Doodle Pad and pens/pencils*

JAMIE WALLEN WORKSHOP REGISTRATION

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Program Planning Chair: Erin Lauer (320) 360-4357 erin.s.lauer@gmail.com

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TEACHER	DATE	DAY	WORKSHOP	COST	TOTAL
Jamie Wallen*** (max 25)	September 19	Thursday	Mystical Feathers 2 (2 pm to 5 pm)	\$55.00	
Jamie Wallen*** (max 25)	September 20	Friday	Mystical Florals Leaves and Vines (9 am to noon)	\$55.00	
Jamie Wallen*** (max 25)	September 20	Friday	Mystical Grids (2 pm to 5 pm)	\$55.00	
Jamie Wallen*** (max 25)	September 21	Saturday	Mystical Rulers (9 am o noon)	\$55.00	
Jamie Wallen*** (max 25)	September 21	Saturday	Mystical Shapes (2 pm to 5 pm)	\$55.00	

***workshops will be held at Residence Inn South, 730 33rd Ave SW Cedar Rapids. Registration will be open to guild members beginning January 1, 2019 and then opened to the public. **There will be no refunds after August 1, 2019.** A refund will be made if a paid replacement for the class is obtained prior to August 1, 2019.

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3. One check may be made out to EIHQ for all workshops chosen.
4. **Supply list for all workshops: note pad, ledger or letter size doodle pad and pens/pencils.**

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EIHQ Quilt Show

HOME IS WHERE THE HEART IS!

September 19, 20, 21, 2019
Hawkeye Downs

Guest Speaker: Jamie Wallen
Judge: Cindy Erickson
Featured Quilter: Diana North



Quilt Show Chair's Challenge: I challenge you to make a medium size quilt (total perimeter greater than 144" and less than 260"). It should reflect the title of the show, "*Home is Where the Heart Is*", and show your feelings about a home you love, whether it is your home, your pet's home or another home. It needs to have a heart on it as well.

Art Group Challenge: "Focus on Figures"

This challenge should include the figure(s) of a person and/or animal in whole or part. It should have a perimeter of 144" or less. It should be an original work and not a pattern.

President's Challenge: I challenge you to make a medium size quilt (total perimeter 144" or less). It should consist of Log Cabin Blocks with at least one Heart.

Quilt Show Information: Please see your December newsletter or the website for more information on the quilt show:

<https://www.eihqguild.com/newsletter-archives.html>
<https://www.eihqguild.com/2019-quilt-show.html>



EIHQ Quilt Show (continued)

Volunteer Sign Up will start in January:

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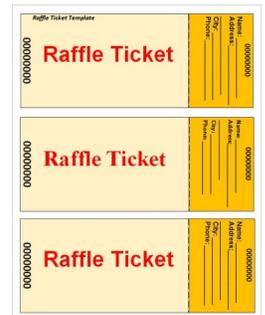
Sheryl Morgan slmorgan53@gmail.com



Raffle Tickets will start in January:

Sheila Williams quiltsrme@yahoo.com

Karen Bullard quiltprophet@gmail.com



Quilt Show Sponsorships

We need help with sponsorships for the upcoming quilt show! Please see the sponsorship letter in your December newsletter or on the website for more information:

<https://www.eihqguild.com/quilt-show-sponsorships.html>

Amy Breese breese.amyjo@gmail.com

Debbie Wordehoff,
Quilt Show Chair
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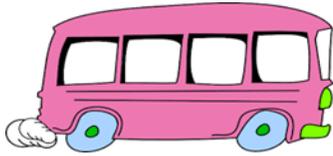
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<https://www.eihqguild.com/quilt-show-sponsorships.html>



ACTIVITIES

News and Information



EIHQ WEEKEND RETREATS AT PRAIRIEWOODS



April 5-7, 2019
"Quilters' Spring Retreat"
Retreat leaders are Erin Lauer and Patty Miles



FAT QUARTER LOTTERY THEMES FOR 2019



- January: none (Garage Sale)
- February: Tone on Tone
- March: Civil War Reproductions
- April: Spring Floral
- May: Stripes
- June: Patriotic
- July: Batiks
- August: Autumn/Fall themed
- September: Halloween prints
- October: none (Annual Meeting)
- November: Christmas/Winter themed

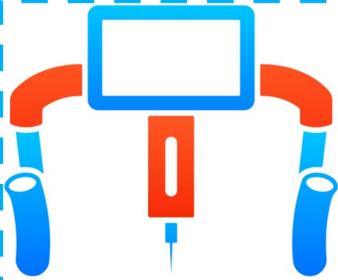


Sunshine!



If you know of an EIHQ Guild member or a close family of a member in need of a lift of sunshine due to illness, accident, death, or other, please notify **Sondra Lewis, EIHQ Sunshine Gal** either by phone (319-999-0719, leaving voicemail is great) or email (simples@netins.net) or text (319-430-5737). Please let me know the situation, full name and address (if not correct on the EIHQ membership list), and your contact in case I need more information. I'll quickly send them a card on behalf of EIHQ. Thank You! *Sondra Lewis*

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There's A Quilt Shop In Mount Vernon?



You Bet!

Helios Stitches N Stuff is located in the Old School Shops building on 1st Street in downtown Mount Vernon. We are open Tues-Sat from 10 am until 5pm.

We specialize on Eastern Iowa Designers and Brights, Batiks, and contemporary fabrics.

We also make messenger bags, tote bags, aprons, pillowcases and more in our store.

Stop by soon to see us!

Contact Helios Stitches N Stuff Tues-Sat 10-5 at
319-512-3323 or Leland@buytotesnow.com.

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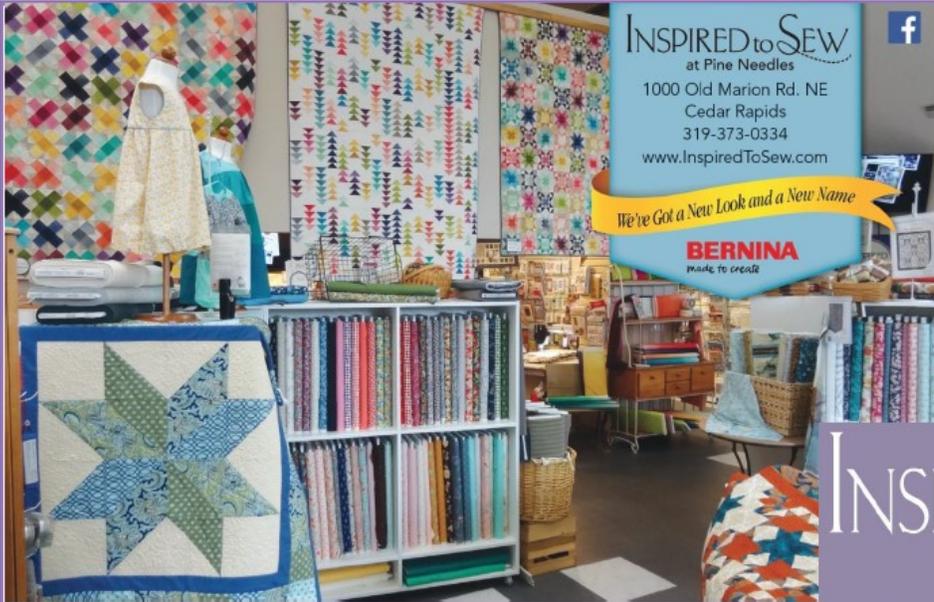
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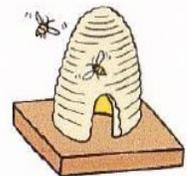


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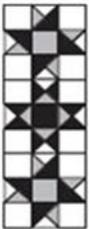
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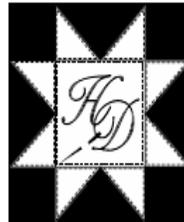
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