

# Patchers at the Lakeshore News

[www.palsquiltguild.org](http://www.palsquiltguild.org)

June 2024

## PALS Quilt Guild Meeting

June 3, 2024

Social Time 6:00 PM

Meeting 6:30 PM

Muskegon County Baker Campus

Marquette and Quarterline #18

### 2024 PALS Executive Board

#### Chairpersons\*\*

Barb Reynolds

#### Co-Chairpersons\*\*

Unfilled

#### Secretary\*\*

Jean Anthony

#### Treasurer\*\*

Susan Baker

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Paule DeLong

#### Media\*\*

Deb Taylor

#### Resources\*\*

Kathy Preston

### Committees

#### Marketing

Peggy Perez & Betty Brode

#### Membership

LuAnne Sloop

#### Historian

Cheryl Nicholson

#### Donation Quilts

Suzette Mattson

#### Library

Karen Benham

#### Lighthouse Liaison

Lisa Schooley

#### Hospitality

Lisa Schooley

### Next Board Meeting

June 24, 6:00pm

### Next Newsletter Deadline

June 10, 2024

[quilterscafe278@yahoo.com](mailto:quilterscafe278@yahoo.com)

## *From Your Chair – Barb Reynolds*

What beautiful Spring Weather!

It is nice to see the flowers popping out, and they inspire me to use my colorful floral fabrics.

The trouble is finding time in my busy schedule. I loved taking the class to make a bag with Amy Shotwell, and I almost have it finished.

I loved our new venue. I haven't heard too many complaints as we grow into space. I enjoyed knowing we had security and someone else in the building as we utilize the space.

Looking forward to seeing the Hoffman Challenge quilts. We are privileged to see a collection from the challenge.

Please invite friends and other quilt design lovers to come with you to see the collection. These are all winners from somewhere in the country. We will not know what is included size, or number, until it arrives. Jill at Quilted Memories is sharing expenses for shipping, and will be displaying what she can during the opening week of all state Shop Hop.

## Meeting Cancellation Information

**In case of inclement weather, notifications will be sent to WZZM-TV and WOOD-TV stations. If possible, an email blast will be sent to members.**

## PALS Tentative 2024 Calendar of Events

Resources

Kathy Preston

### Monthly activities

**June 3<sup>rd</sup>** - The Hoffman Challenge Trunk Show will be our Program. This Challenge celebrated the 100<sup>th</sup> year of the Hoffman Fabric Company - 1923 to 2023.

**July 1<sup>st</sup>** – Let's Celebrate with Red, White & Blue  
PALS Invites Special Guests and Members to share their red, white & blue quilts after a short program.

**August 5<sup>th</sup>** – Picnic at Elks Park

**September 9<sup>th</sup>** – Lisa Ruble of Quilty Zest for the joint meeting with Lighthouse Quilt Guild.

**October 7<sup>th</sup>** – PALS Member Workshop. Details later.

**November 4<sup>th</sup>** – Jill Twiss-McFadden of Quilted Memories will be providing interesting activities.

**December 2<sup>nd</sup>** - Christmas Potluck, Board Member Elections, Christmas Projects Show & Tell.

### Cal-Co Quilters' Guild Quilts in Bloom Quilt Show

FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
July 12 & 13, 2024 9am-4pm  
Marshall United Methodist Church  
721 Old US 27, Marshall, MI  
\$7 / Day - \$10/both days; CASH please  
Exit 110 off I-94, follow signs South

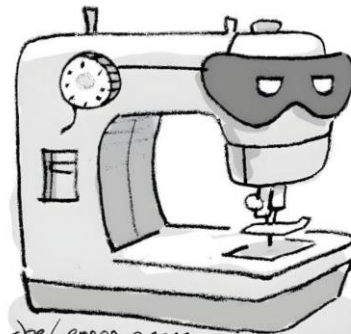


Quilts, Vendors, Country Store,  
Small Quilt Auction, Raffles, Food  
Vendor on site, Charitable Exhibits,  
Door Prizes, our Syncopated Floral  
Fantasy Quilt Raffle featuring hand  
dyed fabrics, Demos & more

Quilts also featured in the 33<sup>rd</sup>  
Annual Marshall Garden Tour the  
same weekend. See  
[www.marshallareagardenclub.org](http://www.marshallareagardenclub.org)  
for more information.

[www.calcoquiltersguild.com](http://www.calcoquiltersguild.com)

### THE MASKED SINGER



**Lighthouse Liaison**

**Lisa Schooley**

**2024 Programs at Lighthouse Guild Guild**

**June 10** – Deb Strain – Deb is a designer for Moda Fabrics. She will be In-Person and vending at this meeting,

**July 8** – LQG 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration at Pottawattomie Park – **(LQG members only)**

**August 12** – Quilt Show winners – Speaker is Cyndi Philip on More Tales from the Eclectic Quilter,

**September 9** – Joint meeting with PALS

**October 14** – Quilt Your Quilt Yourself on Your Domestic Sewing Machine

**Hospitality**

**Lisa Schooley**



**Happy Birthday to you!**

Please bring a treat to share with our fellow guild members if you have a birthday during the month of June. We will provide coffee, creamer, sugar, sweetener, and ice water.

Donations are greatly appreciated to help cover the cost of suppliers but not expected.

**Membership**

**LuAnne Sloop**

Our current membership total is 106. We had 66 regular members, and 4 new members attended the May meeting. Please make our new members feel welcome!

Ingrid Perritt   Kristin Barnhill   Betty Bickford   Pat Greene

Please keep in mind that our dues are for the calendar year, January – December.

Remind your friends of the NEW meeting place.

## Donation Quilts

Suzette Mattson and Deb Taylor

To those of you who have taken the time to put together a donation quilt or two...THANK YOU!

For those of you who need a kit to assist you in putting together a donation quilt, come see us at the Donation table. We have cute tops with full backings to choose from. If you can't come up with the batting, we can help in that area, too.

We will be handing these out to our charity organizations at the October meeting which is only four months away. This time will pass quickly, and we need your help.

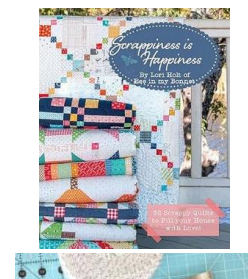


## Library

Karen Benham

We have so many books for you to choose from, come check out our Guild library! We have books with embroidery, beginner quilts, fiber arts quilts and quilts for advanced quilters.

**If you need help looking for a book, please reach out to Karen Benham during the Guild meeting.**





# Quilted Memories Inc

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## Gammell Long Arm Quilting Machine

Gammill Vision 2 (retrofit) 22" throat/ 8' Table  
\$10,000

Light Bar \$500

2 Extra sets of zippered Leaders \$120

Maintenance Kit \$150

Gammill Bobbin Winder \$125

(49) Pantographs \$725

(16) Bobbins \$48

(6) pack Needles \$37

Machine Oil \$20

Miscellaneous Threads \$225+

This machine was previously owned by Darla Parks.

Gently used and in excellent condition and provides beautiful stitches.

Sale Price \$11,950

Betty Ross

231-670-5502





# Fat Quarter Four Patch

Quilt Pattern  
Fat Quarter Shop Exclusive

## EXTRA QUILT SIZES

To make the quilt in different sizes, follow the Cutting and Quilt Assembly Instructions here and refer back to pages 1 - 2 for the Block Assembly.

### CRIB QUILT

Finished Size: 30 1/2" x 30 1/2"

#### FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

- Four Fat Quarters  
Shop Fat Quarter Bundles at:  
[www.fatquartershop.com/fat-quarter-bundles](http://www.fatquartershop.com/fat-quarter-bundles)
- 1/2 yard accent fabric
- 1/2 yard binding
- 1 1/8 yards backing

#### CUTTING

- Cut four 18" x 20" rectangles into:  
2 - 8" squares - 8 total (Fabric A)  
10 - 3" squares - 40 total (Fabric B)
- Cut accent fabric into:  
32 - 3" squares (Fabric C)
- Cut binding fabric into:  
4 - 2 1/2" x width of fabric strips (Fabric D)

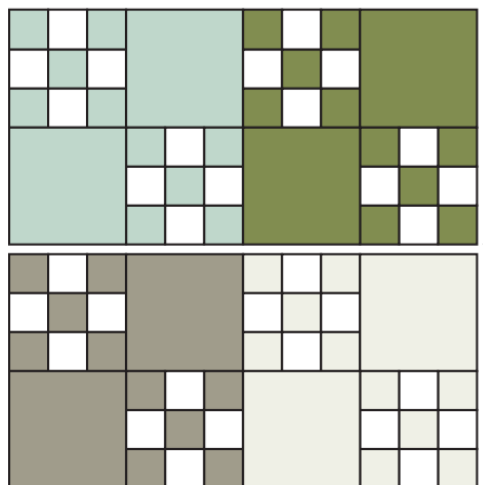
#### QUILT ASSEMBLY:

Make four Fat Quarter Four Patch Blocks.

Assemble Quilt Center.

Press rows in opposite directions.

Quilt Center should measure 30 1/2" x 30 1/2".



#### FINISHING:

Piece the Fabric D strips end to end for binding.  
Quilt and bind as desired.