



Upcoming Events:

August Meeting: Eagan Community Center, Tues, August 13, 7:00 pm (2nd Tuesday of each month)

Directions to the Eagan Community Center:

The community center is off of Pilot Knob Road between Lone Oak Road and Yankee Doodle Road in Eagan. Turn west off of Pilot Knob onto Central Parkway. Follow Central Parkway to the sign for the Eagan Community Center and turn right. Follow the signs for "All Deliveries" (second right turn). The road winds around to the lower level of the parking lot. Enter through the lower-level door and look for the sign indicating where we are meeting.

Note: No outside food or beverages are allowed in the community center. Concessions are available.

Join us at the Eagan Community Center, Tuesday, August 13th, 7:00 pm.

A Note from DCSQ Chair – Karen Asmundson

Thank you to everyone who brought a dish to share and dishes to reuse (!) at the July picnic. Thank you Nicole Anderson Davis for bringing the recycling and organics bins for our use as well. And thanks so much for the wonderful log cabin blocks you all gave me at the July picnic! I love the variety of fabrics and colors that were used and look forward to assembling the blocks into a quilt. It is a blessing to be involved with such a creative group of ladies who are willing to recycle. I appreciate your efforts!

August program (Nicole Anderson Davis, Vice Chair)

For our meeting this month, we will welcome Margo Krager of ReproductionFabrics.com based out of Northfield. She is an online source (for locals she has store hours) of cotton reproduction fabric for costuming and quilting. Her inventory covers a vast period, spanning from 1775 to 1950, including the Civil War and Depression Eras. Margo will speak to nineteenth and turn of the twentieth century fabric and fashions, which will be appropriate tie-in to our quilt challenge and show. She also has acquired an amazing early nineteenth century fabric sample book, The Dargate Book. This book contains 330 pages and approximately 1,750 vintage fabric samples which she will share during her presentation. Margo will bring a selection of her inventory that will be available for sale and she is looking forward to sharing her knowledge, answering any and all questions regarding period fabric and fashions.

It should be an exciting evening of quilt and textile history!

September 10 Program—40th Anniversary of Olfa Cutter/Back to School Demos

Our September program will celebrate the 40th anniversary of Olfa Cutters. Members are invited to bring in their old/unique rotary cutters and accoutrements for Show and Tell. We will also have the following demos set up in different corners of the room. Karen Asmundson—Half Square triangles

Sandi Irish—Bias binding, applique stem tip

Beth Kobliska--piecing patterns with acute angles to get accurate intersections

We could use one more person to demo something related to Olfa cutters/rotary cutting methods. Please contact Karen or Nicole if you are interested.

Keep saving those scraps,

Karen

2020 Quilt Show

We've finalized the dates for the 2020 DCSQ Quilt Show at the Dakota County Historical Society in South St. Paul!

Challenge entries (photo of challenge quilts) due by January 1, 2020

Challenge quilts due in Hastings by February 15, 2020

Quilt Drop-Off Thursday, March 6, 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Friday, March 7, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Set-Up Saturday, March 7, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Program Tuesday, March 10, 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Take-down Saturday, April 4, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Website Information - dcsq.org – Sue Tobias

Upcoming meeting details and past newsletters can always be found on our website. Remember when accessing the Members Only page to use the password i am a member. Include the spaces between words.

Quilt Retreat – Pat Basch

The Fall Quilt Retreat is at Camp Wapo, Amery, WI, November 6-10, 2019. Meals included. Maximum attendance 32.

Spring Quilt Retreat is at White Wildwood Retreat Center, Chippewa Falls, WI, March 13-15, 2020. Bring your own food. Maximum attendance 12.

Go to www.dcsq.org for more information and a registration form.

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The purpose of Dakota County Star Quilters is to offer an interesting and informative forum to share our common interest in the art of quilting. The group has 9 regular monthly meetings and 3 special meetings each year. The regular meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the Eagan Community Center, 1501 Central Parkway, one block north of the intersection of Yankee Doodle Road and Pilot Knob Road.

