



Long Island Quilters' Society

Newsletter Extra

July 2021 C-19 #14



Looking Ahead:

See membership registration in this issue, page 4

July 19 - 7 PM Members meeting via Zoom: "Fun With Barb"

August 2 - 7 PM Board meeting via Zoom

August 16 - 10 AM Members meeting in the Park. Rain date August 23.

September 13 - 7 PM Board meeting via Zoom

September 20 - 7 PM General Meeting at Freeport Rec Center (tentative)

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SUMMER

A Message from our Co-Presidents...

Dear Members,

We were delighted with the turnout at our first ever "Bring Your Own Brunch" meeting. Seeing members in person was the highlight of the morning. The "Show and Tell" was beautiful as usual but quilts certainly sparkle in the outdoor setting. Special thanks to all who brought a quilt. Marianne Wengler and Mush delighted everyone with trunks full of fabric and batting give aways.

July 19th we will have a zoom meeting with award winning quilter Barb Vedder. Barb is a hand and a machine quilter, so there is something in her presentation for everyone. You can see her work before or after the presentation on her web site, "Fun with Barb"! To help defray the cost of this speaker please enter the raffle by sending five dollars to Gail Savold.

In August, we plan to be back in the park for another meeting. Please bring a quilt to share with members. The Rec Center in Freeport will welcome us back for our September meeting.

We will once again be collecting dues of forty dollars covering membership from September 1, 2021 until September 1, 2022. If your dues are paid by September 1, your name will be entered in a raffle for free dues. Bring your check to the August meeting so you are in the raffle.

The LIQS board voted to cancel the quilt show for 2022. Several reasons for this decision include the fact that time is short for an event of this size. The members who volunteered to help with the show will gather, to plan an event that will celebrate quilt makers in our guild.

Stay safe,

Marie & Pat

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2019-2020 Officers and Board of Directors

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| 2nd VP: | Sharon Salkewicz |
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| Charity: | Judy Wollman |
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| Co-Membership: | Linda Huncharoff |
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| Sunshine & Shadows: | Carol Irwin 516-796-5388 |
| Ways & Means: | Margaret Mitchko |
| Ways & Means: | Gail Savold |

Honorary Board Members

Margot Cohen
Kathy D'Amour
Paula Lederkramer
Janet Ratner

Programs, Events, Plans

July 19 7:00 PM Members Meeting on Zoom - “Fun With Barb” presentation by Barb Vedder. Watch your email for Zoom login information.

Barb’s website: <https://funwithbarbandmary.blogspot.com/p/lectures-workshop.html>

Dues to Resume in September - New members welcome!! Membership dues will be \$40 per year. This is a bargain! As a member you will avoid the non-member fee for attendance. Our dues are an important revenue source for workshops and events, whether they are presented live or virtual. New and renewing September membership assures that we can continue to provide instructional and entertaining events. Watch for the membership enrollment form in subsequent newsletter issues. Spread the word to quilting and sewing friends! The new membership year extends through August 2022. ***See the membership form on the next page.***

August 16 10:00 AM - Looking forward to the next BYOB (Bring-Your-Own-Brunch) at Eisenhower Park. Rain date is August 23.

Future Meetings and Events - We are cautiously optimistic about resuming in-person meetings at the Freeport Recreation Center in September.

Quilt Show Options: As a result of the economic and social impact from the pandemic, there will be no traditional quilt show scheduled for 2022. We are contemplating plans for alternate quilt show options. Volunteers are welcome to join the planning committee along with Board members. Please contact Pat or Marie if you are interested.

Board Position Changes:

- Ro Brix has volunteered to assist Kate with sharing Treasurer responsibilities.
- Webmaster will be coordinating with a new volunteer to manage LIQS.org

Help Wanted

- **New Co-Presidents:** Notify Pat or Marie if you are interested in serving. Help and support will be available, of course.
- **Open Board positions:** Member Workshops

Please connect with a member who does not receive email: (contact Editor)
[Jean Wilson \(Levittown\)](#)





Long Island Quilters' Society, Inc. Membership Application

September 1, 2021 - August 31, 2022

Annual Dues: \$40
(Cash or check payable to LIQS)

Name: _____

- ☐ New Member
☐ Renewing Member
☐ Life Member

(Renewing Members: Only fill in if your contact information has changed.)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Mobile: (____) _____

Email: _____

☐ I do not have an
Email address

Birthday (month only): _____

**Joining a committee is one of the best ways
to become involved in LIQS.**

**All members are required to work a minimum of 2 hours during
the biennial LIQS Quilt Show and sell 2 raffle books for
the Opportunity Quilt in order to support our organization.**

**Please mail your membership application along with
cash or check payable to LIQS to:
Linda Huncharoff**

**Membership cards are available for pick up at the sign-in table at all monthly meetings.
If you prefer to have your card mailed to you, please include a stamped, self-addressed
envelope. Please note that membership dues are non-refundable.**

**Questions??: Call the Membership Chairs
Linda Huncharoff or Kathleen Wideska**

Members' News

LIQS Exhibit at Levittown Public Library July-August



Pat, Nivia, Judy - thanks for setting up!



Brunch in the Park - The BYOB Brunch in the Park on June 21 was a welcome in-person reunion with many members, after over a year of distancing and virtual communication.

Charity Judy Wollman

The next Charity collection is not yet determined; however, feel free to bust your stash making more items for the future. Pillowcases are quick-to-complete stash busters with those fabrics in need of a project.

Quilt tops in need of finishing: If you are interested in these projects, contact Judy for a pickup appointment.

Instructions for Charity projects, for your continued reference:

Pillowcase:

1. Place the fabrics on top of each other matching the fold line. Cut off selvage. Make sure all pieces are the same size. Press the cuff and piping pieces in half, **wrong sides together**.
2. Open up 9" strip.
3. First, place the 9" opened strip, face-up, then place the main fabric face up on top, then place the 2" **folded** strip on top of that. Reach down and roll up, only the main piece of fabric to make a tube.
4. Then bring the 9" cuff piece of fabric **over** the tube, pin across the top making sure all pieces are pinned. Stitch a 1/4 inch seam across the top. **Do not sew the ends closed.**
5. Reach inside the tube and pull the tube out completely.
6. Fold the pillowcase in half, right sides together. Stitch down the side seam, making sure that the cuff and piping match, then the bottom. You can zig-zag the bottom and the side to prevent unraveling, or finish with crisp French seams.
7. It can be made with or without the piping.

Pillowcase:

1. **Main fabric 27" x WOF**
2. **Cuff 9" x WOF**
3. **Piping 2" x WOF**

Doll Pattern and Instructions: PDF file sent with previous newsletter email.

Publicity / Communication

Facebook Mary Ellen Orchard

Social media communication. See photos from the Levittown Library exhibit.

LIQS Website Anna Hanrahan

LIQS.org

Photos are posted in the "Gallery" section, from our first in-person event in over a year, the BYOB Brunch in Eisenhower Park.



More Stuff to Do

Organization ideas

<https://blog.missouriquiltco.com/how-to-organize-your-sewing-room-on-a-budget-or-in-a-tight-space/>

Sew Your Stash Series - tutorials with Lori Holt

https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=sew+your+stash+Lori+Holt

Celebration of life - the works of Sherry Whetstone-McCall

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=15wJGREDvVE&list=PLkXp95fsrJhdp7NGv9L717NBUZJkX5YiO>

Modern with solids and others

<https://www.purlsoho.com/create/tag/machine-quilting/>

Free Block-of-the-Month

<https://www.allpeoplequilt.com/magazines-more/2021-block-of-the-month-bright-new-day-quilt>

Facing as an alternative to binding (part 1)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pD8dQG-0Zvw>

Facing as an alternative to binding (part 2)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=82Ui53Aajy4>

Adhesives, interfacing, videos

<https://www.thermoweb.com>

Fiber arts, crafts, cooking, gardening - many classes with paid membership

<https://www.craftsy.com>

Designs, lessons, styles, more access with paid membership

<https://www.victorianaquiltdesigns.com/index.htm>

September quilt event in Utah - presented by Missouri Star Quilt Co.

<https://thanksgivingpoint.org/events/garden-of-quilts/>

Free pattern designer, many ideas for panels

<https://www.equilter.com/pattern>

Flying geese design accent - step by step tutorial

<https://www.agfblog.com/2021/06/stroked-flying-geese-tutorial.html>

Video tutorials: Spools ...!!

• How to Sew a Spool Quilt Block

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R2wOdpCVdtc>

• Quick and Easy Spool Block

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yttIJ2ILIL8>

• Tall Spool Quilt with 1 Charm Pack - Missouri Star

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OQa479k6-t8>

- **Spools Projects with Jenny Doan**
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yC3lQQ6loVk>
- **Scrappy 10" Spool Quilt Block - replay from January live**
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1qLS5Ty_oEQ
- **Shabby Fabrics - Spool Quilt Block**
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LFXAcEGxmTA>
- **Art Gallery Fabrics - Twisted Spools Block**
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hYWw4b4aJb8>
- **Laundry Basket Quilts - Quilting Window Episode 9, Variegated Thread Spool Quilt**
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hvVImP_DuyU
- **Thread Spool Quilt Block - Mini Quilt**
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OD2JqLCN5EE>

Sunshine and Shadows Carol Irwin

Condolences to the family of long time LIQS member Joyce Valeriano, who passed away July 6.

Happy Birthday to July-Birthday Members!!

Maria Abbate, Patricia Carroll, Joyce Morici Fischer, Arlaine Furcht, June Gerbracht, Martha Guando, Maureen Hyslop, Laura Anne Loud, Martha McWilliams, Jane O'Hara, Lydia Paulsen, Diane Rizzo, Lorna Ross, Suzanne Savatteri, Barbara Sparrow, Marianne Wengler, Jean Wilson



Thoughts



Garden Focaccia



<https://www.kingarthurbaking.com/blog/2021/02/09/how-to-make-garden-focaccia>
<https://www.kingarthurbaking.com/recipes/garden-focaccia-recipe>

Advice from a 1949 Singer Sewing Manual



Advice from a Singer Sewing Manual from 1949:

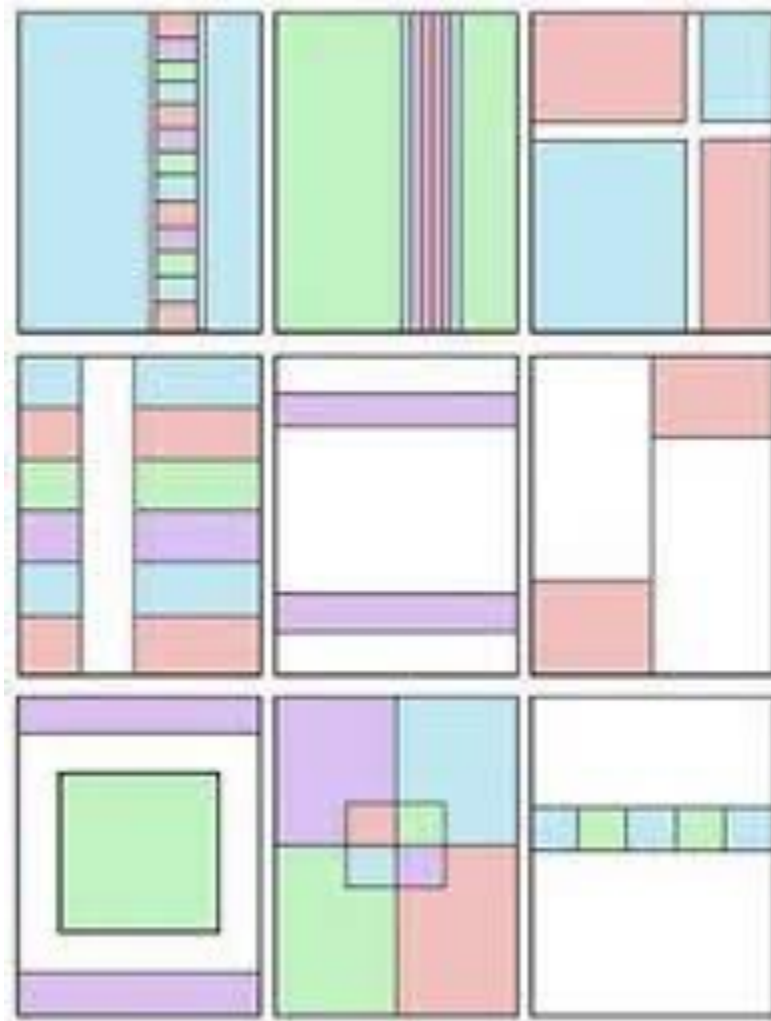
Prepare yourself mentally for sewing. Think about what you are going to do. . . never approach sewing with a sigh or lackadaisically. Good results are difficult when indifference predominates. Never try to sew with a sink full of dirty dishes or

beds unmade. When there are urgent housekeeping chores, do these first so your mind is free to enjoy your sewing. . . When you sew, make yourself as attractive as possible. Put on a clean dress. Keep a little bag full of French chalk near your sewing machine to dust your fingers at intervals. Have your hair in order, powder and lipstick put on . . . [If] you are constantly fearful that a visitor will drop in or your husband will come home and you will not look neatly put together, you will not enjoy your sewing as you should. .



*News items, short articles, and suggestions are always welcome.
Contact the Editor.*

Ideas for Quilt Backings



Attention Classified entries:

Ads will appear for one newsletter issue, and subsequently removed.

Any questions?

Email the Editor

Classified

Donation:

Fabric for quilters. Please make an appointment to come pick it up. Location: Levittown.

Contact: Phyllis

greatnan@aol.com



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The Long Island Quilter's Society, Inc. is a non-profit organization dedicated to furthering an interest in quilting, encouraging the preservation of our quilt heritage, and offering year-round instructional opportunities for its members. The society provides a meeting where quilters can support each other's growth and development. The membership year is from September 1 through August 31; annual membership fee is \$40. Members receive a bi-monthly newsletter and are eligible to participate in workshops. Monthly meetings are held at the Freeport Recreation Center, 130 E. Merrick Road, Freeport, NY.