



# September / October 2018 Newsletter

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**Please wear your name tag!**

## President's Message:

Welcome to another LAP inspiring year of quilting! We have a number of fun monthly meetings planned. September will be a social meeting. We are having appetizer pot luck in September to welcome our new members and catch up with members who we have not seen during the summer. In October a few members will showcase their talent, we will draw for the winner of our raffle quilt which was designed and made by

Nancy Thelen with some help by other members, and last but not least we will reveal our skill builder block challenge from last year. Sew it is time to do something with all those blocks! Sew we can vote on the favorite. It will be a busy 2 months.

*Pam*

P.S we also have business to discuss each month!

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## September 6th MEETING Details -

- **Meet and Greet new and returning members:** Barbara Boron, Pam Iwanicki, Barb Madsen, Gay Mullen-Brown, Kay Parkhouse, Laurie Rubley, Meg Rumfield, Sharon Tiemann, and Dianne Vedder. Welcome to LAP! A social meeting is planned with the theme of making new friends! It will be fun!
- **Bring to the September meeting:** an appetizer with serving utensil, your own non alcoholic beverage, donation for Haven House – soap, money for 33-33-33 drawing (tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5) and must be purchased by 7 pm at the entrance door, **Show and Tell!**
- **Sign up for September Sew Ins:** September 21 & 22, St. David's Episcopal Church, 1519 Elmwood Rd.
- **Sign up for November Workshop with Nancy Schaffert:** Learn how to ink and color on fabric. Member's fee is \$35. Please pay when you sign up. See Glenna Segall, Program Chair, for more information.
- **Sign up for the January 2019 LAP Members Retreat:** January 18 – 21. Cost is \$90 for 3 days and \$100 for 4 days. Payment must be made by the December Guild meeting. **There will be no refunds.** See Minda Schneider or Judy Heckathorn for more information.
- **Sign up for the bus trip to Shipshewana on March 30:** Fee is \$40 for members. For more information see Coreen Strzalka.

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## OCTOBER 4<sup>TH</sup> MEETING

**Wear your name tag!**

**33-33-33 drawing:** tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5 and must be purchased by 7 pm at the entrance door.

**Color wheel block:** information at the September meeting.

**Haven House Donation:** tissue (Kleenex)

**Show and Tell!**

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**The Board approved dropping the position of Sunshine Chair. This decision was made based on medical privacy and confidentiality laws.**

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**Grant applications for the 2019 January Retreat** are available on line or see Pam Marcis. They will be available at the September meeting. Grant Applications are to be returned to the President, Pam Marci, by the October meeting. Please see Pam if you have any Questions.

**Sewing Machine for Sale:** antique, novelty, chain stitch sewing machine for the serious collector. It is made by Willcox & Gibbs in 1879 and is in the original rare cabinet. Machine makes a great stitch & is fun to play with. Price \$100. Contact Ruby Post at [postrp@comcast.net](mailto:postrp@comcast.net) , or 517-323-3201.