



LANSING AREA PATCHERS

May / June 2023
Newsletter

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COMING EVENTS AND DATES!

May 4: Guild meeting, 6:30 with social hour. Program: Ima (NG) Guild Former member of Ann Arbor "Start at the Beginning"

May 15: Sew In 10 am to 3:30 pm at Delta Township Library, 5130 Davenport Drive, Lansing.

June 1: Guild meeting at 6:30 beginning with social hour.

- Election of Officers
Challenge Reveals!
Vice President Challenge of blocks made for another member
Dresden Neighborhood

June 6: Sew In 10 am to 3:30 pm at Delta Township Library, 5130 Davenport Drive, Lansing

June Board Meeting: To be announced.

August 3: Sale and Social at Granger Meadow Park, Member to member sale, social time, huge Show n Tell! We will meet in the pavilion off Wood Road and the closest to the restroom building. Bring a lawn chair! Pavilion is reserved from 5 – 9. Meet at 6:30.

LAP Election: The By Laws state the LAP officer are elected in May. However, because many members plan to attend retreats the first week in May, the membership voted to hold the election in June this year. Every member is eligible to be an elected officer. Offices to be filled by a vote are President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The Current President also serves on the board as Past President.

Committee members and those responsible for other LAP positions are included also serve on the Board. Several members have indicated that they are willing to serve as LAP officers: President – Minda Schneider, Vice President – Janie Quinn, Secretary Karen Schavey, and Treasurer – Denise McGinn. LAP procedures encourage nominations from those present.

Dues Increase: At the April meeting, the members voted to increase the yearly dues from \$20 to \$25. Dues renewing membership are accepted until June 1, 2023. At that time those not renewed will create an open for anyone on the waiting list.

New Option to renew! If your information for address, phone and email have not changed, you will no longer have to provide that information when you renew your membership. There will be a form to renew posted on the web site that can be completed and emailed back to the membership chair. Or you may print the on-line form (in PDF or Word format) and submit it at a meeting or by mail. Payment of \$25 will need to be by cash or check.

Raffle Tickets: LAP raises money to provide a place to hold our meetings, various events in addition to meetings like National Quilting Day, and to pay for programs at meetings. This year we had a Quilt Show and boutique to raise funds. The retreat also raised money that was not planned.

will be at the September 7th meeting at 7:30 pm. Those who have not sold tickets are urged to please sell them before September 7th. The dead line for return of sold tickets is 6:30 pm. Tickets return after 6:30 will not be accepted and funds returned to the purchaser.

Selling tickets for raffle quilts is the current plan to raise money. There are 66 members in LAP. 41 members have sold 10 tickets each. A few have declined taking tickets to sell. Over 20 members have not sold any tickets. The drawing for the quilts

Tickets stubs and payment are accepted at each LAP meeting. They also may be given or mailed (with check) to Sally Boron prior to the deadline.

See Page 2 for sale of a Handquilter Advante 18.

For Sale: Handiquilter Advante18 quilting machine with 12-foot frame. Pantographs, groovy boards, some rulers, thread, needles, etc. Purchased in 2012. Asking \$3000 or BO. Text or call (leave message) 517 488 7793 or email muellerw@comcast.net for additional details.

