

Stitching Sisters Quilt Guild

Meeting Minutes

June 15, 2026

Members spent time assembling scrap bags for the boutique before the meeting

Call to Order

President Pam Edblom called the meeting to order at 2:45 p.m.

Twenty members were present.

Approval of Minutes -The minutes from the June 1, 2026 meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report - Janice Zmrazek reported that a Treasurer's Report will be available at the next meeting.

QT Drawing - Kathy Patterson conducted the QT drawing. The winner was Donna Matus.

The next QT drawing will be held on July 20, 2026. Members were encouraged to update their information in the QT notebook.

Clubs - Kathy Patterson reported that the Block of the Month (BOM) group met.

Upcoming Speakers and Activities

July 4-5 – Quilt Show

July 20 – Guest Speaker Linda Halpin, "Borders on Parade"

August 3 – "The Good, the Bad and the Ugly" (Notions and Tips) and Puzzle Quilt BOM

August 17 – Scrappy Table Runner with Barb Ryan

Traveling Quilt Show

Pam Edblom is organizing another Traveling Quilt Show. This year it will be held at Brentwood Assisted Living in Rice Lake. Quilts should be brought to the July 20 meeting. Please do not submit king-size quilts. A written description must accompany each quilt. The following members volunteered to assist with quilts at the show

Balorie Miller, Julie Miller, Kathy Patterson, Pat Brewer

Pam reminded members that everyone is welcome to attend and watch the show.

Sunshine Club

Nancy Blechinger announced the June birthdays:

June 15 – Karen Barlow

June 24 – Audrey Miller

June 29 – Janice Zmrazek

Quilt Show Update

Balorie and Cheryl provided an update on the Quilt Show.

Cheryl is collecting quilt descriptions and said she has started receiving some. Members were reminded that additional quilt entries are still needed.

Important Quilt Show Times:

Friday, July 3

2:00 p.m. – Luther Park helpers meet at the Center to drive together

3:00 p.m. – Setup workers arrive

4:00 p.m. – Quilt check-in begins (please do not arrive before 4:00 p.m.)

Volunteer Openings:

Display Rack Pickup (Friday, 2:00 p.m.) 2 openings

Take Down/Reset Center/Cleanup (Sunday) 2 openings

Sorting Quilts by Size and Type (Friday after 4:00 p.m.) 1 opening

Admission Table

Saturday, 12:00–2:00 p.m. – **2 openings – we have no one for Saturday at this time slot**

Hostesses During Show

Saturday: **WE DESPERATELY NEED HELP HERE! WE HAVE NO ONE FOR SATURDAY**

10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. – 2 openings

12:00–2:00 p.m. – 2 openings

Sunday:

12:00 p.m. shift – 2 openings

Boutique

July 4, 2:00–4:00 p.m. – 2 openings available

Challenge Projects Check-In and Display (Friday Afternoon) 3 openings

Photographer - 1 opening to photograph the Center before setup begins

Challenge Projects

Marla Berg reminded members with Challenge Projects to email her. She will assign a number to place on your project bag.

Show and Tell

Barb Ryan - Landscape quilt titled Walk in the Woods, Cat quilt for granddaughter,

Star quilt made from scraps

Pat Brewer -Baby quilt

Kathy Patterson -Landscape quilt

Cheryl -Wedding quilt

Jean- Bunny quilt, Alphabet quilt

Marla - Sheep quilt

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned following Show and Tell.

Upcoming quilt shows:

Luther Park Quilt Retreats: September 16 - September 20; November 18 -

November 22. Call 715 859 2215 or visit their website (<https://lutherpark.org>).

Apple River Quilt Show September 18 - 19, St. Joseph Catholic Church, Amery, \$5

Barron County Fair Quilt Block Contest - link to instructions posted on Members page

Blueberry Line Quilting - “Sleep in Your Own Bed Retreats.” Call Darla at 715 790 1216.

Wisconsin Shop Hop - month of June

Hay River Quilters – July 11th 9-4 & July 12th 10-3 Admission \$2

Prairie Farm Community Center Prairie Farm, WI

Cranberry Country Quilters - Saturday July 18th 10-4 Admission \$5

Northland Pines High School 1800 Pleasure Island Rd. Eagle River WI

La Crosse - “Quilt Fest on the Mississippi”, October 2 - 3, Omni Center, Onalaska, WI, \$7

Chippewa Valley Quilt Show, October 3 - 4, Northern Wisconsin State Fairgrounds,

Chippewa Falls, \$5

“Sew Full of Hope” Quilt Tour, November 7, Menomonie, \$10

Red Wing Quilt Guild – January 8-9th 2027 9-4 Admission \$5

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Check out <https://quiltguilds.com> for any upcoming quilt shows in Wisconsin and any other state in the United States.