

Guild meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month, with a few exceptions. (see schedule). The programs this year will inspire and encourage you! We have a wonderful meeting room in the lower level of the Luana Savings Bank. New members are welcome at any time! Dues are \$20.00 per year, renewable in September. We have a bi-monthly newsletter sent by e-mail (or paper) informing you of upcoming meetings and events. A favorite part of every meeting is Show and Tell. We hold a quilt show in October of even numbered years.

We hope to see you at our guild to share our passion for quilting!

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## Special Events

**Sept. 9—Bus Trip to Quilt Expo in Madison, Wisconsin**

**Sept. 22-25—Quilt Retreat at Camp Winnebago, Caledonia, MN**

Friday, Sept 23

Fabric Painting with Cheryl Mulder  
Fabric Dyeing with Marilyn Barron and Sharon Schmiedel

Saturday, Sept. 24

Full Moon Rising with Mike Ellingsen, Blue Earth, MN. Mike will teach a method of sewing a circle into a project—a unique process by Mike!

Meals catered by Elsie's of Caledonia

**October 15 and 16—Northeast Iowa Quilters' Guild Quilt Show**

Decorah Middle School

Decorah, Iowa

# Northeast Iowa Quilters' Guild, 2016-17

## Officers

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Afternoon Chair—Barbara Davidson

<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Program</b>	<b>Topic</b>
Sept. 6, 2016 7:00 pm Evening meeting only	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa	Welcome to Northeast Iowa Quilters' Guild! Join us for a year filled with interesting and amazing people and ideas from our guild and our area! Membership Registration	Programs details for 2016-17 Quilt Show Announcements Sign up for lunch committees and Quilt Retreat Bus trip info and challenge for the new year
Sept. 9, 2016	Madison, WI	Bus trip to Quilt Expo	Great show, great shopping!
Sept. 22-25, 2016	Camp Winnebago Caledonia, MN	Quilt Retreat! Work on your own projects or take some classes!	Fun, friends, fantastic time! (details on back of brochure)
Oct. 4, 2016 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa	Jean Murray, Jean Murray Fiber Art "Thirty Years of Evolution"	Travel with Jean over her thirty years of change. Lots of show and tell!
Oct. 15-16, 2016	Decorah Middle School Decorah, Iowa	Northeast Iowa Quilt Guild Quilt Show	Share your passion for quilting!
Nov. 1, 2016 1:00 pm (note time change with workshop at 3:00) and 7:00 pm  Workshop 3:00-6:00	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa  Workshop Kit \$28.00 No machine needed!	Doris Deutmeyer, Fabrications by Doris "Creative Fused Applique Landscapes & Quilt Blocks - Is it Fine Art?"  "Creative Fused Appliqué Landscapes"	Enjoy a slide show filled with inspiration, new information, and new techniques. Get inspired with wonderful samples from Doris' collection of fabric landscapes; many offered as patterns.  In this workshop you will learn raw edge appliqué method, how to choose your fusible and fabric and tools for success.
Dec. 6, 2016 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa	Peg Krumme, NEIQG member Card Creations, Mini-workshop	Learn to use fabric scraps and embellishments to create one-of-a-kind cards!
Jan. 13, 2017 10:00-3:00	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa	Saturday Sewing Day Cure your cabin fever and relax with your friends!	You can bring your own sewing project or continue with card making from December.
Feb. 11, 2017 10:00-3:00	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa	Quilts of Valor Sew Day Sue Lynch, Chairperson	Help with a QOV or work on your own project.
March 7, 2017 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa	35 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration of NEIQG! Slide show by Nancy Sojka	See how NEIQG has evolved over the years with a slide show of members and quilts through the years!
April 4, 2017 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa	Deanne Eisenman of Snuggles Quilts "Fabric Scraps and Random Threads"	Tips for scrap quilting and fabric collecting plus Deanne's newest designs.
May 2, 2017 7:00 pm, evening only	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa	Spring Fling Potluck Supper	Election of officers. Showing of NEIQG challenge projects.
June 6, 2017 1:00 pm (note time change with workshop at 3:00) and 7:00 pm Workshop TBA	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa  3:00-6:00	Mike Ellingsen, Blue Earth, Minnesota "Quilts from the Valley of the Jolly Green Giant"  Mike showed us Full Moon Rising at the retreat. We can't wait to see what he will show us next!	Mike will tell us about challenges and exchanges in his quilting world.  Workshop with Mike between afternoon and evening meetings.
July 11, 2017 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm	Vesterheim Norwegian American Museum, Decorah	Laurann Gilbertson, Chief Curator at Vesterheim Norwegian-American Museum	Laurann will present a slide show, show quilts not seen at previous museum exhibits, and also give a behind the scenes tour of the textile storage area at the museum.
Aug. 1, 2017 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm	Luana Savings Bank Luana, Iowa	To be announced (Possible snow make-up day)	To be announced