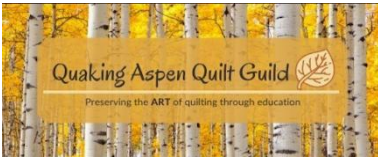


Upcoming Quilt Events September 2026

If your group wants free publicity, get details to me BEFORE October 8 – early submissions are appreciated. My notes go out to about 500 quilters for lots of FREE publicity.

.....Barb Gardner GardnersDelights@comcast.net



QUAKING ASPEN QUILT GUILD at Twisted Stitches, 405 Center Drive, Superior CO 80027 (In the same center as the Superior Costco & Michaels.) There is plenty of free parking. Members no charge, guests \$10.00 in person (and via Zoom for members only).

Doors open at 11:30, the meeting starts at noon, followed by show & tell, snacks and more.

Trunk Sale Fundraiser. September 17 | 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

The Quaking Aspen Quilt Guild will be hosting a Guild Fundraiser Trunk Sale in the parking lot at Twisted Stitches. Come treasure hunting for amazing bargains on fabric, notions, quilt books and patterns, sewing supplies, Finished projects and anything “quilty”. All are welcome.

Kellie Kaczmarek October 15- Silly Moon Quilt Co – Let’s Get Those Quilts Quilted! Kellie will be **zooming in to Twisted Stitches** (or, if you are a QA member, she can zoom into your home). Kellie will help us tackle the dreaded “Quilt As Desired” we have all come to hate. You will learn how quickly you can get your tops quilted on your home machine, and have them look like they were professionally done! See a colorful presentation including beautiful examples of quilts and other projects that provide a tour of different methods of completing your quilts. See Kellie’s website at <https://sillymoonquiltco.ca>.

For more information: vp-programs@quakingaspenquiltguild.org

TWISTED STITCHES RETREAT CENTER 405 CENTER DR., SUPERIOR, COLORADO

Twisted Stitches, where we’ll also be celebrating on September 17 with Live demonstrations, In-store specials, Door prizes and giveaways

Stop by to shop, stitch, visit with friends, and support the Quaking Aspen Quilt Guild. We hope to see you there!



Two well-known teachers will be coming soon. Dana Jones will help you create your own Foundation Paper Piecing patterns for your art quilt designs on October 2-4. Her special retreat, is called “Demystifying Design with Foundation Paper Piecing”. Join Dana to learn the intricacies of creating FPP designs.

Dana is a national/international quilt teacher, former editor in chief of Quilters Newsletter and the SAQA Journal, has two quilts juried into International Quilt Festival 2026, published author with her second book "Designing for Foundation Paper Piecing" released August 28, 2026 by Schiffer Craft.

Denise Labadie, an amazing internationally recognized art quilter will conduct a series of workshops teaching skills she uses for her remarkable art quilts. October 13-14 Construction Techniques & October 20-21 Fabric Painting.

On November 3 Denise will be teaching how to make Sweater Mittens from upcycled sweaters and other garments. These mittens are scrumptiously warm!

Register for the workshops at Twisted-Stitches.com or (720) 355-3422. Or contact us at questions@twisted-stitches.com.

Hours: Tuesday – Thursday 10AM – 4PM and Friday – Sunday 9AM – 9PM. (Other hours by appointment.)

Twisted Stitches is a retreat/makerspace designed to support the way artists, crafters, and fiber enthusiasts work and connect.

Interfaith Quilters of Longmont Saturday, October 3, 2026 First Lutheran Church 803 Third Ave Longmont, CO. Parking available on Third Ave or Platt St.

The Interfaith Quilters of Longmont invite the community to their annual **Fall Quilt Sale**, offering a beautiful selection of handcrafted quilts, seasonal décor, table runners, wall hangings, baby quilts, gift items, and other quilted creations.

This group makes amazing quilted designs and sells them to earn money for two Longmont charities. Come early to see the display before they are sold.

Fall Boutique



Saturday, Oct 3, 2026
9 AM - 2 PM
\$1 Entry Donation
First Lutheran Church
803 3rd Ave, Longmont, CO



Credit Cards, Checks & Cash Accepted
Proceeds Benefit: Safe Shelter of St. Vrain Valley & OUR Center of Longmont
More information visit: www.interfaithquilters.net

The sale provides an opportunity to purchase one-of-a-kind handmade gifts while supporting the group's ongoing mission of service and community outreach. Profits from the sale help support the OUR Center and Safe Shelter of St. Vrain Valley. Credit cards, checks and cash accepted.

LONGMONT QUILT GUILD 6:30-9 PM. Program is presented at Grace Evangelical Free Church, 2415 Lake Park Dr., Longmont, CO. . Guests pay \$10.00 to attend a meeting. For more information go to longmontquiltguild.org



OCTOBER 13 6:30 Virtual program.

Our October program brings us an enlightened viewpoint on what judges are looking for when they are jurying a quilt show.

Quilt judge, Eileen Crawford, will join us in a virtual program to share her insight and knowledge on judging quilts. While the Longmont Quilt Guild's annual Quilt Show isn't judged, it's sometimes nice to have the insight into a judge's mind should you find yourself wanting to enter a quilt

competition. She's been a quilt scribe, an assistant in the judging room, and a judge in multiple quilt shows and county fairs, and after completing California Quilt Judge Training, she's well versed in what she's expecting to see for competition quilts.

Even if you're thinking you wouldn't enter a competition, you can still learn tips and tricks that can help make your quilts competition level. Join us for an informative insight into the world of judging quilts.

Wa Shonaji Quilt Guild Exhibit Through December 12, 2026.

Celebrate Colorado's 150th Anniversary of Statehood and America's 250th Anniversary through the art of quilting. Enjoy a special exhibit featuring quilts that honor history, culture, creativity, and community.



Blair-Caldwell African American Research Library. 2401 Welton St., Denver, CO 80205. 2nd Floor – Reading Room, Monday–Friday, 12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Admission is free. Everyone is welcome!

LONGMONT QUILT GUILD - 19th Annual Quilt Show.

Friday, October 16, 9:00am to 7:00pm and Saturday, October 17, 9:00am to 4:00pm, at the Boulder County Fairgrounds, Barn A, 9595 Nelson Road, Longmont, Colorado. Admission \$5.00.

Highlights include a presentation of antique quilts by renowned historian **Jeananne Wright** with Kirsten Reed, Friday and Saturday at 1:00pm; a Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum Trunk Show, Saturday at 11:00am; 50 Quilt Blocks for 50 States Exhibit; America the Beautiful quilt challenge; readings of the Declaration of Independence; and more.



Also, a preview of some of the handmade treasures available at the 7th Annual *Longmont Quilt Guild Online Auction*. The auction begins Friday, October 23, 8:00am and runs through Sunday, October 25, 5:00pm. Visit this website to see available items: fundraiser.support/starsandstripesandmore2026

ROCKY MOUNTAIN QUILT MUSEUM GOLDEN COLORADO



Gallery shows through October 17

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Timespan Quilts by Anne Olsen. Anne Olsen has rescued and turned numerous quilt tops and blocks into well-crafted quilts that can be enjoyed for years to come. Starting with often unknown maker's concepts and a multitude of already made blocks, Anne has painstakingly deconstructed, cleaned, and often recut the pieces to correct sizing and construction issues. Fabrics that have become stained or stretched out- are cleaned or replaced with antique fabrics of the same timeframe, to repair a quilt top and keep it authentic. Anne's stash of antique fabrics are invaluable to her work. Anne hand quilted the final tops and took great care to match quilting to the era of the quilt top, and create final quilts that would have been totally characteristic of the time when the original blocks were created. Anne's donations of her Timespan quilts are in our Permanent Collection.



Russian Sunflower, Maker Anne Olsen
RMQM Permanent Collection,
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Lena Meszaros. *Crossed Civilizations - Egypt, 2024*

20 Perspectives Conversing with the Earth. Covid helped to birth some amazing groups and this one is one of many quilting groups that formed during that time. This international collective of textile artists from 9 countries across 4 continents, found connection and energy as they used Zoom to meet create art quilts based on a challenge topic agreed on. They created guidelines such as sizes that would allow their quilts to be appropriate for many galleries. They loved the group so much, they have continued to produce 3-4 exhibits per year. This exhibit connects with the earth in many ways and very different styles.

September 24-26 – Quilt-A-Fair meet us at our booth as we sponsor the Youth Exhibit

October 2-4 - Echter's Quilt Show

October 10 – Introduction to Volunteering at RMQM 9-11a

October 11 – Sunday at the Museum 1-3pm 20 Perspectives group whose exhibit is up in the NE Gallery – will be discussing their work and methods

October 18 – RMQM closed for new exhibit installation

October 23 – Opening Reception for New Exhibits 6-8pm

For more classes & other events, visit [RMQM.org>Education>classes](https://rmqm.org/education/classes).

10am to 4pm daily except Sundays when RMQM opens at 11am. 2nd SUNDAYS of most months RMQM hosts a lecture. Members FREE, Others \$15. PRE-REGISTRATION required.

Closed October 18 for show change.

200 Violet Street, Suite 140, Golden, Colorado 80401 303-277-0377 Members Free. Non-Members \$12, (+65) \$10, 6-12 \$6, and under 6 Free.

[RMQM.org](https://rmqm.org) – for special event closings, and other details for planning your visit.

Wa Shonaji Quilt Guild is offering beginning quilting classes this fall. Class size is limited to 8. Open to members and non-members.



Members, \$40 and Non-Members, \$80 for 4 classes. The classes will meet Saturdays – September 19 & 26, October 10 & 31, 2026 10am- 1pm at CrossPurpose - 3050 Richard Allen Ct, Denver, CO 80205.

This is a great chance to learn the art from an amazing group of quilters.

The beginner registration form can be found on the Wa Shonaji website - washonaji.org - <https://washonaji.org/home/members-area/forms/>

For more details contact washonaji@gmail.com

Save the dates

Quilt-a-Fair September 24-26 and Handweavers Guild of Boulder November 4-8. Both at Boulder County Fair Grounds, Longmont CO.
