



# 1st Educational Conference

**October 15-17, 2010**

## Class Registration

Alerus Convention Center  
1200 42nd Street South  
Grand Forks, ND

hosted by  
North Star Quilters Guild

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The North Star Quilters Guild is pleased to invite you to our 1st Educational Conference. We have a wonderful variety of classes and lectures lined up for the conference including 14 local area quilters teaching a variety of techniques and projects.

We are excited to have **Judy Niemeyer**, as our special guest instructor. Judy will present a lecture on Friday Evening titled “**Spectacular Color for Your Quilts**”. This seminar walks students through color selection. The presentation discusses how to select fabrics for recreating quilts you’ve seen when fabrics are no longer available, how to select fabrics to accomplish the creations of something that inspires you, creating a beautiful quilt around colors selected by someone else, and “cleaning” out your fabric stash.

Attendees of the “**Spectacular Color For Your Quilts**” lecture are asked to bring one light and one dark Hoffman Bali Pops fat quarter. Judy will use these fabrics to make up to 4 Desert Sky Kits (including a pattern) which will be given away at the end of the workshop to lucky participants.

Judy will also have a Trunk Show on Saturday evening sharing many of her fabulous quilts, and will teach two all-day classes.

All events will be held at the Grand Forks Alerus Center It will open Friday evening with the Judy Niemeyer’s lecture and will continue until Sunday at 5:00pm.

We are excited to welcome you to this new event and hope it will succeed and continue to grow.

## LOCATION

**All Events will be held at the Grand Forks Alerus Convention Center**

### Directions

**If coming from I-29 North,**

**Take 140 Exit, turn right to Demers Ave (0.3mi)  
Turn right at So 42nd St. (0.6mi)  
Alerus Center is on the right**

**If coming from I-29 South,**

**Take 138 Exit, turn right to 32nd Ave So. (0.1mi)  
Turn left onto So 38th St. and continue  
straight onto So 42nd St. (1.5mi)  
Alerus Center is on the left**

## Vendors

**Quilters Eden  
East Grand Forks MN**

**Willow Wood Market  
Bemidji, MN**

**Faye’s Henhouse Quilts  
Mayville, ND**

The North Star Quilters Guild was founded in 1981 as an educational organization by a group of enthusiastic quilters whose skills ranged from beginner to expert. The purpose of the guild is to share ideas and knowledge about quilting, inspire enthusiasm and growth, develop skills, maintain ideas and standards, and promote interest in and appreciation of the world of quilting. New members are always welcome.

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2010**

**BALLROOM 3**

Fee \$30.00

**JUDY NIEMEYER "SPECTACULAR COLOR FOR YOUR QUILTS" Lecture and Workshop 6:30 – 9:30**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2010**

**BALLROOM 5**

All Day Class

Fee \$60.00

**JUDY NIEMEYER "SUNFLOWER ILLUSIONS" Class 8:00 – 11:30, 1:00 – 4:30**

**Half Day Classes**

**AM SESSIONS 8:00 TO 11:30**

**All Half Day Classes \$25.00**

Becky Kraby Scrappy Christmas Stocking	Bonnie Lundorf Working with Wool	Marilynn Hagan Cathedral Window
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**PM SESSIONS 1:00-4:30**

Sue Metz, (Stitch It) Paint stick Designs	Faye Grandelen (Faye's Henhouse) Easy Jelly Roll Quilt	Karen Boe Applique: Spray Starch Template Method
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**Open to the Public**

Fee \$15.00

**JUDY NIEMEYER TRUNK SHOW AND RECEPTION 7:00 – 9:00 BALLROOM 5**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2010**

**BALLROOM 5**

All Day Class

Fee \$60.00

**JUDY NIEMEYER "INDIAN SUMMER" Class 8:00 – 11:30, 1:00 – 4:30**

**Half Day Classes**

**AM SESSIONS 8:00 TO 11:30**

**All Half Day Classes \$25.00**

DeeDee Menge Textire Magic Quilted vest	Marian Hoekstra Dresden Dining Table Topper	Lorraine LeBlanc Quilted 7 pocket tote bag
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**PM SESSIONS 1:00 TO 4:30**

Sue Cox Miniatures Don't Have to Make You Nuts	Holly Thoennes (Common Threads) Rapid Fire Hunters Star	Ginger Trzynka Quilted book covers
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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2010**

**ROOM 4**

8:00 – 11:30 Connie Selle: Making a Quilt with Electric Quilt	1:00 – 4:30 Peggy Spitzer: Organizing your quilting space(s)
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# Registration Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate which class(es) you will attend.

All fees must accompany your registration. All class registrants will receive a supply list and parking pass. Return your registration by September 1st to insure you have ample time for preparation.

	Cost	Amount
Judy Niemeyer, Spectacular Color for Your Quilts, lecture	\$30.00	_____
Judy Niemeyer Trunk Show and Reception	\$15.00	_____

**Class Registration Fee, non-refundable** **\$15.00**

### Judy Niemeyer Classes

_____	Sunflower Illusions All Day Saturday	\$60.00	_____
_____	Indian Summer All Day Sunday	\$60.00	_____

**Half-day Classes — Class sizes are limited. Please indicate 1st and 2nd choices for each day**

1st	2nd	Saturday Classes		
_____	_____	Patchwork Christmas Stocking, Becky Kraby	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Working With Wool, Bonnie Lundorf	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Cathedral Windows, Marilyn Hagan	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Paint Stick Designs, Sue Metz	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Easy Jelly Roll Quilt, Faye Gandelen	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Applique: Spray Starch Template Method, Karen Boe	\$25.00	_____

### Sunday Classes

_____	_____	Texture Magic Vest, Dee Dee Meyer	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Dresden Dining Table Topper, Marian Hoekstra,	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Six-Pocket Tote Bag, Lorraine LeBlanc	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Miniatures Don't Have to Make You Nuts Sue Cox	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Rapid Fire Hunters Star, Holly Thoennes	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Quilted Book Covers, Ginger Trzynka	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Making the Most of EQ, Connie Selle	\$25.00	_____
_____	_____	Organizing your Quilting Space(s), Peggy Spitzer	\$25.00	_____

Amount Enclosed (include registration fee): \_\_\_\_\_

Make check or money order payable to North Star Quilters Guild (US funds).

Mail registration to:                   ATTN: Registration  
   3418 Cherry Lynn Dr.  
   Grand Forks, ND 58201

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## Saturday Classes

Judy Niemeyer

### Sunflower Illusions

All day Saturday

This quilt is designed to use foundation paper piecing. Curved piecing and traditional piecing are also used. 62"x72"



### Sue Metz, Stitch It Paint Stick Designs

Saturday afternoon

With just one yard of fabric and 5 or 6 paint Sticks, this whole cloth quilt is sure to delight your inner artist! You will be guided step-by-step through the process. Templates and paint sticks will be available for purchase in class. 27"x38"



### Becky Kraby, NSQG Patchwork Christmas Stocking

Saturday morning

Scrappy Christmas stocking using strips and a 60 degree triangular ruler to make the blocks for this cute Christmas stocking. Kits with fabric are provided at class time for \$25.00.



### Faye Grandelen, Faye's Henhouse All About Foods talk and Easiest Ever Jelly Roll Quilt

Saturday afternoon

Faye will talk about using various food cuts of fabric including jelly rolls. She will explain the cuts and sizes and then show the quilts. The Jelly Roll quilt requires just 1 jelly roll and a border fabric. It can be made in an afternoon. 60"x76"



### Bonnie Lundorf, NSQG Wool and Embroidery

Saturday morning

Students will learn the basics of wool appliques and needle felting as they make a seasonal candlemat or wallhanging. A kit with several design selections will be available for \$15.00 to be paid at Class time.



### Karen Boe, NSQG Applique Using Spray Starch Template Method

Saturday afternoon

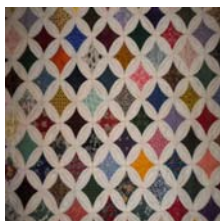
Learn the spray starch method for hand or machine applique. Learn to make smooth curves, sharp points, perfect circles, and bias stems. One of the biggest advantages to this technique is that the seam allowance is nicely turned under before you start to sew. It makes the applique process very easy. It's a perfect class for the beginner or for anyone who wants to learn a new method.



### Marilynn Hagan, NSQG Cathedral Windows

Saturday morning

This is a hand piecing technique class. The Cathedral window is a patchwork project sometimes called a "Beggars Quilt" because no two window patches should be the same fabric. You can choose to make a pincushion, small runner, or pillow top. However, the project you choose can "Grow" as large as you choose to make it. It is a quilt as you go project, so it is done when you decide it is done.



#### IMPORTANT CLASS INFORMATION

- Most class sizes are limited to 20-25; register early to ensure your spot.
- Basic sewing supplies are required for each class.
- Detailed supply lists will be mailed with confirmation and will be available on the website, NSQuilters@aol.com.
- Parking passes will be included with supply list.

## Sunday Classes

### Judy Niemeyer **Indian Summer**

*All day Sunday*

This class teaches Judy's technique of foundation paper piecing. This quilt does not require yardage or picking out specific colors. 60"x69"



### Sue Cox **Miniatures Don't Have To Make You Nuts**

*Sunday afternoon*

This miniature quilt features a center star. Techniques demonstrated will include quick-piecing for half-square triangles and flying geese. Ways to minimize extremely small pieces will also be discussed. 17"x17"



### Dee Dee Menge, NSQG **Texture Magic Vest**

*Sunday morning*

This vest is made using "Texture Magic" on one side of the front. Vests are fast and can be embellished in many ways. We will make a vest with all or part done with Texture Magic. Patterns will be available at the class, or if you have one; that's great, just keep it simple!



### Holly Thoennes, Common Threads **Rapid Fire Hunters Star**

*Sunday afternoon*

You will be amazed at how the Rapid Fire Hunters Star template is to use! In this class you will learn how to make a 6" finished block in a two, three, or four color Options (two color option shown in photo). You will then learn how to lay out your blocks into a table topper or wall hanging. The ruler will be available for purchase at class time for \$24.00.



### Marian Hoekstra, NSQG **Dresden Dining Table Topper**

*Sunday morning*

The Dresden Plate is a beautiful traditional block pattern handed down for generations. Our ancestors made them all by hand—we will use rotary cutters and sewing machines! The three block runner measures. A pattern fee of \$9.50 will be paid in class. 17 1/2"x52"



### Ginger Trzynka, NSQG **Quilted Book Covers**

*Sunday afternoon*

Make a personal planner cover to Match your mood or personality. We will create a one-of-a-kind quilted cover to fit your planner, or any type of book you might have. It is easy to do and a wonderful gift.



### Lorraine LeBlanc, NSQG **Seven-Pocket Tote Bag**

*Sunday morning*

The tote has six pockets on the outside and one on the inside. The bag is 17" wide x 14" tall (not counting the handles). The main part of the tote is quilted (either free motion or by walking foot).



### Peggy Spitzer, NSQG **Organizing Your Quilting Space(s)**

*Sunday afternoon*

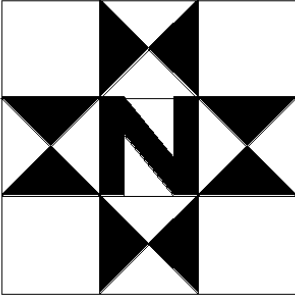
Organizing is different for everyone because we all have different items, needs, space, and ways of thinking. We will learn how to organize and make changes to suit all your sewing needs. Class limit 50.

### Connie Selle, NSQG **Making the Most of EQ**

*Sunday morning*

You will be shown how to design a quilt and print the pattern. You will also see how they are transformed into real quilts. You will need a laptop computer with a mouse and EQ5 or EQ6 loaded on that computer. If you choose to just watch, bring paper and pencil to take notes. Class limit 50.





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## Lecture and Class Schedule

	Friday October 15	Saturday October 16	Sunday October 17
<b>Judy Niemeyer All Day Classes</b>		8:00 - 11:30 am 1:00 - 4:30 pm	8:00 - 11:30 am 1:00 - 4:30 pm
<b>Morning Classes</b>		8:00 - 11:30 am	8:00 - 11:30 am
<b>Afternoon Classes</b>		1:00 - 4:30 pm	1:00 - 4:30 pm
<b>Lectures/Trunk Shows</b>	6:30 - 9:30 pm	7:00 - 9:00 pm	