

## NEIQG Fall Retreat September 26 – 28, 2013 Thurs.-Sat. at Camp Winnebago

We are again offering an extra night for those coming from a distance. You will be able to come on Wednesday afternoon, anytime after 4:00. We hope you will be able to assist us in setting up!

**Where:** Camp Winnebago near Caledonia, MN. This is the same facility we have used for several years. This is a beautiful clean, spacious building with a large community room that has many windows and great lighting.

**Meals:** We will have a meal available on Wed evening, 3 meals on Thursday and Friday, and 2 meals on Saturday. Our cook will again be Sarah Oakland, who served us last year very well.

**Snacks:** There will be a table for munchies for you to bring your favorites to share. Here is a great place to share fresh fruit and veggie snacks! You may use the refrigerators on site to store your cold beverages. Coffee will be available and there is a microwave to make other hot beverages.

**Lodging:** The lower level is equipped with beds and large bathroom/shower areas. Each bedroom contains three or four beds (no bunk beds). There are some pillows and blankets available but we recommend you bring your own bedding. There is an elevator to the basement, if stairs are a problem.

**Sewing equipment:** Bring your machine and any quilting equipment or design wall you will need for the retreat. Cutting and ironing stations will be set up, but you will need to bring your own cutting equipment. And all your projects and needed supplies.

### Directions to Camp Winnebago:

From Waukon: Go north out of Waukon on Hwy 76 to Eitzen, MN. Continue north on Hwy 76 for approximately three miles. Watch for the green street sign that reads Camp Winnebago Road (gravel road). Turn right onto Camp Winnebago Road and follow for about two miles to the bottom of the hill. The road is narrow and curvy. At the bottom, the camp gate is on the left.

From Decorah, through Spring Grove, MN: Go north out of Decorah traveling on Locust Road to Hwy 44 (east) and go through Spring Grove, MN. About seven miles east of Spring Grove, turn right (south) onto Hwy 76. Follow Hwy 76 four miles to Camp Winnebago Road. Turn left (east), and follow Camp Winnebago Road to the camp entrance, which is on the left.

*The address for the Camp is:*  
Camp Winnebago  
19708 Camp Winnebago Road  
Caledonia, MN 55921

*phone number at camp: 507-724-2351*  
*kitchen extension to reach our retreat: X 105*  
**NO** cell phone service is available at the camp site

- Thurs. all day workshop: sweatshirt-cardigan or sweatshirt-vest OR shirt-vest; evening trunk show "Art to Wear with a Quilter's Flare!"—open to all guild members whether attending retreat or not
- Fri. AM Seminole patchwork workshop  
PM several options: completing Thurs. or Fri. workshop projects; sewing on your own; field trip to fabric store in Mabel, MN; quilt block garden stake; quilt theme greeting cards  
show and tell right after evening meal; professional chair or table massages right at camp! at your own cost (\$1./min.); games?
- Sat. S-curved table runner

Registration can be done at the Sept. guild meeting. OR You may send your registration with a check made out to NEIQG to: Julie Rotach, 1106 2<sup>nd</sup> St. NW, Waukon, IA 52172. REGISTRATION DEADLINE: September 16, 2013

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

please complete/update your emergency card at the time of registration in Sept. or at check-in at Camp  
 emergency card updated: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration for NEIQG Fall Retreat - 2013	Cost
<b>Best Deal! – Three Days, Two Nights, Eight Meals Three Classes &amp; Patterns (does not include ruler) \$150</b>	\$150
<b>Sew all day Thursday, Friday and Saturday</b> - Thursday and Friday evening, Sept 26 and 27 – two nights – three days – 8 meals	\$115
<b>Come early!!</b> Wednesday evening, Sept 25 – We will be offering an extra evening of sewing. You may arrive at camp any time after 4:00 in the evening. We will ask that you help with the retreat set up of table etc. We will be having dinner that evening.	\$25
<b>Want to stay only one night?</b> One night, Thursday or Friday evening – 2 days -- 6 meals – facility use Thursday               YES Friday                    YES	\$75 per night
<b>Want to sew but won't be spending the night?</b> Daily only – No lodging-- 3 meals on Thurs. and Fri.; Sat 2 meals—facility use Thursday                YES Friday                    YES Saturday                YES	\$30 each day
<b>Class 1 - Thursday – Sept 26</b> – Julie Rotach will be teaching us a 6-hour class converting a sweatshirt to a cardigan or vest OR converting a shirt to a vest	\$30 – Workshop fee
Pattern fee for EITHER sweatshirt/cardigan or sweatshirt/vest OR shirt/vest	\$5 - required
<b>Thursday evening – Sept 26</b> – Trunk Show by Suzanne Myers Otto “Art to Wear with a Quilter’s Flair!” 7:00 PM—open to all guild members!	FREE
<b>Class 2 - Friday – Sept 27</b> – Suzanne Myers Otto of Madison, WI, will be leading us in a Seminole patchwork workshop Friday morning—limit 12	\$15– Workshop fee
Materials fees for Friday afternoon optional crafts: note cards, garden/flower pot ornaments, charity string blocks	Paid at Camp
<b>Class 3 - Saturday – Sept 28</b> – Arlis Myhre will be teaching us an S-shaped curved table runner	\$15 – Workshop fee
9- or 10-degree ruler for table runner—can be shared by several people	required—get on your own
Total payable to NEIQG: \$                Check # _____ Cash _____	

Details on classes, supply lists and pictures are available on the NEIQG website. For questions regarding the retreat, contact Julie Rotach by phone at 563-568-3754 or by email at [jmrotach@msn.com](mailto:jmrotach@msn.com) Registration deadline Sept. 16