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NATIONAL QUILTING DAY EVENT

In honor of National Quilting Day, on Saturday, March 19, the Marquette County Quilters Association (MCQA) will host an event, free and open to the public, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Marquette Arts and Culture Center. This is the 25th year of National Quilting Day, a nationwide event started by the National Quilting Association. Quilting groups across the country use the event as a way to raise awareness of the traditional craft and its modern forms.

The event is a celebration of quilting, past and present. MCQA members will offer demonstrations, exhibits, a “bed-turning” display of antique quilts, and will give attendees the chance to learn basic quilting with their own “make-and-take” projects. Visitors can also mingle with members of the MCQA and the “Twisted Stitchers” group as they work on quilts in various stages of completion. The Marquette County Quilters Association is a nonprofit founded in 1978 in Marquette, Michigan, dedicated to the promotion and preservation of the art of quilting, patchwork, applique, and fiber arts. More information about MCQA is on the web at marquettequilters.com.

This event is part of the City of Marquette Arts and Culture Center’s Creative Community Series, made possible with grant funding from the Michigan Council of Arts & Cultural Affairs.

The City of Marquette Arts and Culture Center is located in the lower level of the Peter White Public Library. For more information or questions, please visit marquettequilters.com or contact 228-0472 or email arts-culture@mqcty.org.

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