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# Press Release

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## **DAKOTA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO HOST ANNUAL QUILT SHOW**

SOUTH ST. PAUL, MN: The Dakota County Historical Society's annual quilt show will open on Wednesday, February 15. In partnership with the Dakota County Star Quilters, the 22nd annual quilt show theme is "Modern Vintage." The exhibit is open during normal operating hours at the Lawshe Memorial Museum. Admission to the museum is free, but a \$5 donation is suggested.

The "Modern Vintage" exhibit consists of over 75 quilts of all sizes hung throughout the Lawshe Memorial Museum's Great Hall. Quilt patterns vary in style for each item and range from animals to Harley Davidson.

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New this year will be lectures and workshops by nationally recognized quilter, Mary Fons. Fons will present various lectures and a half-day workshop on Saturday, March 11<sup>th</sup> at the Lawshe Memorial Museum. Pre-registration to the lectures and workshop is required. Tickets are \$10 each for the lectures and \$35 each for the workshop.

The Dakota County Historical Society's Lawshe Memorial Museum is located at 130 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue North in South St. Paul. The exhibit will remain open until March 11, 2017. The museum is open Wednesday and Friday, 9a.m.-p.m.; Thursday, 9a.m.-8p.m.; and Saturday, 10a.m.-3p.m. For further information, visit [www.dakotahistory.org](http://www.dakotahistory.org) or call 651-552-7548.

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