



Cabarrus Quilters' Guild Newsletter

Septmeber 2018

To instill in future generations the love and art of quilt making.

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

We had so much food and so many wonderful quilts at the August meeting. Also, there was a huge donation of school supplies. We have such a generous guild. Thank you all for such a big turnout.

I would like for everyone to keep Pat Ott in your prayers. She had a fall Monday night and hurt her shoulder; she may have to have surgery. We're not sure until more tests are done.

The quilt show is just around the corner. Remember to tell everyone, share the information on Facebook, and be ready to help. Please, if you have not signed up to help let the committee, let them know when you can help.

Fall is coming fast, and I for one am looking forward to some cooler days and starting some new quilts. As we go into this season of Thanksgiving and family, in addition to my family and health, I am thankful for this guild and the extended family I have become a part of.

I am looking forward to the program in September with a judge who is going to be part of our judging team, just at the right time. Also, don't forget to bring in the item you use the most in your quilt room. Keep in mind that the October Meeting speaker will be Tami with Christian tours giving us the agenda for the Huston trip in 2019 and signing members up for advanced discounts.

Happy sewing,
Barbara Hinson

IMPORTANT GUILD ANNOUNCEMENTS

QUILT SHOW

Our "2018 Then & Now Quilt and Fiber Art Show" will be September 21 and 22 (Friday - 10 am to 5 pm and Saturday - 10 am to 4 pm) at Concord First Assembly in the Village Shopping Center Suite 8 (located at 280 Concord Parkway N Concord, NC - next to Big Lots).

QUILT SHOW- SILENT AUCTION

Please bring any completed Silent Auction items to the September 10th Guild Meeting and give it to Debbie Morse.

NEW MEMBERS

Please welcome **Anne Delaney**. She is a foster parent and heard about the guild from Diane Viera. She began quilting with her church outreach program and has been quilting for 15 years. Anne enjoys making scrappy quilts. She would like to learn more about quilt layout. She also enjoys knitting and reading.

Andrea McRorie joined our guild in August. She works at Anderson's Sew and So and Upholstery and her mom has a booth at our quilt show. She began quilting about 6 years ago after taking a class from her aunt, Ann Foil. She likes to make Bargello quilts and is interested in learning how to leather quilt. Andrea enjoys drawing and flower gardening.

REGULAR MEETING DATE AND STARTING TIME

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

We meet on the second Monday of each month in the basement fellowship hall at Forest Hill United Methodist Church, 265 Union St., N., Concord, NC. VISITORS WELCOME!

The building opens at 6 o'clock. From 6:15 to 6:30, enjoy refreshments, greet friends, sign up for upcoming activities, workshops, check out program displays, get a book from our library, etc. The meeting will begin at **6:30** and have a short break.

2018 GUILD OFFICERS

President - Barbara Hinson
Vice President – Melba Mick
Secretary – Claudia Hoerner
Treasurer – Genevieve Van Loan

LAST MEETING MINUTES

Cabarrus Quilters Guild
Minutes of General Membership Meeting
Monday Aug. 13, 2018

President Barbara Hinson began the meeting at 6:30. She welcomed all the members and was glad to see how many that participated in the challenge quilt. Pat Stedwell made a motion to pass the July minutes and Ona Phillips second it.

Natalie Swilley welcomed two visitors, Kathie Harrington and Jennifer Griffin. There are two new members, Anne Delaney and Andrea McRorie.

Janie MacGown called all the names of the people that had August birthdays. Merle Clifford and Connie Richardson won the balloons.

People were reminded to turn in their sign-up sheets and money for the quilt show. People were also asked to sign up to help on the day of the judging and the show. Darlene Woodhem said at the next meeting one of the judges that judged the quilts for the show will be at our meeting. She will explain the judging process.

There was lots of wonderful food for the picnic. A wonderful variety of foods. A great thank you to everyone.

Marguerite Klaiber talked about the white elephant sale. She needs volunteers to come to her house Aug 23rd. between 9:30 to 4:00 to help sort all the items.

Barbara Hinson asked if anyone would volunteer for the guild publicity committee.

Valerie McGarity had us play three games, one was where we had traveled this year, one was a quilt math test and the last was a spelling contest. Natalie Swilley and Colleen Sain won for most travels, Angie Graber won the spelling contest and Julie Love won the math contest.

The challenge quilts were judged and Bonnie Labadie came in third, Gayle Toliver won second, and Lisa Schreck came in first. Everyone did a great job. Marguerite Klaiber and Valerie McGarity won the raffle.

The meeting adjourned at 8:05.

Respectfully submitted
Claudia Hoerner, Secretary 8/13/2018

REFRESHMENTS/GREETERS-SEPTEMBER

GREETER:

REFRESHMENTS: Claudia Hoerner, Charlotte Doyle, Tom Richardson, Mona Burtz, Reba Bryan, Diana Gange, Deborah McLendon

Please remember to sign up to be a greeter for our guild meetings!

2018 RAFFLE QUILT

If you haven't picked up your 2018 Raffle Quilt tickets, please do so at the next meeting. Also, if anyone has suggestions for places to sell tickets please contact Darlene Woodham.

2018 – PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS

You can sign up for the workshops. The cost for all workshops this year is \$35, plus the cost for kits/patterns/etc. that the instructor may charge. Workshops will be at Epworth United Methodist Church (1030 Burrage Rd NE Concord, NC) and are from 9:30am-3:30pm.

September- Lisa Alley- Bear Hug Quilts- Brickyard Quilt Pattern

October – Gail Toliver- Intro to paper piecing

November - CVAN program

December - Christmas Party

ACTIVITIES

The Activities Committee would like to thank all who participated in the Paint Chip Challenge. All the quilts were beautiful and unique! These will add so much to the Quilt Show!

Thank you to everyone who brought in school supplies for the Cabarrus Schools! There was an overwhelming response to our request for the Back to School picnic!

For the **SEPTEMBER MEETING**, we are asking members to bring in their favorite quilting tool to receive a stamp. Please remember to bring items for the Quilt Store.

SEW DAYS

First and third Tuesdays of each month at the Cabarrus County Senior Center, 331 Corban Ave., SE, Concord, NC. Hours are 9 am until 3 pm. You may bring anything to work on. If you need help with a technique or project, someone will be able to help you. If you need information, contact Mildred Lamb.

Second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at First Wesleyan Church at 301 Bethpage Road in Kannapolis from 9-4pm. This location is open to everyone to work on any items. A donation of \$5 per month from those that can contribute goes towards the church's expenses for utilities. Contact Debbie Morse.

The first and third Saturdays from 9am to 3pm at Crescent Heights located at 240 Branchview Dr NE, Concord, NC 28025. Contact Cecilia Estey.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND UPCOMING CHARITY EVENTS

We did it! Tom and I cleared the container that held all the “to –do” quilts for Hospice and Victory Junction. Now that Tom has finished my quilts for the show, he is ready for any new tops for these two organizations. I don't have the exact count at this moment but the guild has donated close to 50 quilts for hospice. We donated 60 quilts in May to Victory Junction and over 100 bears. Right now, we have 15 quilts and 12 bears for Victory Junction and 8 quilts for hospice. Some of these will be used for the upcoming quilt show to represent what we give back to the community. They will also be used in a display at the Kannapolis Library in October.

I know that some of you have entered quilts in the upcoming quilt show that will go to CVAN in November. I communicated with Rebecca Mossett, Assistant Director. I specifically asked some questions that came up after our last meeting in November 2017 with Deb Trieze. We were not aware that the quilts were given to the adults, and even though we expressed our desire to help in this area, it is nice to be able to imagine the recipient of the quilts we make. I also asked if we were meeting the needs of all the age groups. First, Rebecca wanted to thank the guild for our support. She said that all the workers and volunteers get very excited to see the quilts each year. Yes, we are meeting their needs for the individual age groups. Even though the quilts are sometimes offered to the adult, many of them are so appreciative of their children receiving one that they do not accept one for themselves. Rebecca said that if there are any left over at the end of the year, they have used them for the adults during the holiday season. I also contacted Cathy Davis from Victory Junction to see how our donations worked out for them. A question was raised about whether a returning child would receive multiple quilts from us. Cathy said our quilts were very unique and they decided to use

them for the older children who will not be returning. They also saved a couple of quilts for auctions and fund raisers. In considering future donations, we do not necessarily need to wait for a collection in the spring. They can also use them for family weekend camps in both the fall and the spring. The speaker we had in the spring would be willing to pick them up and deliver them when we get a collection. I will be bringing this topic up to the group for a vote. Right now, I am holding onto the ones we have collected since May to be used in our upcoming show and our display at the library. Thank you for your contributions and enthusiasm in these projects.

This is a reminder that we will pick up our charity workshops at Fire Station #9 on **OCTOBER THE 12TH** and **NOVEMBER 30TH** from 9 to 4. The October date is a good one to finish your CVAN projects. We can talk about what you would like to do at the November meeting.

Connie Richardson

HOSPICE QUILTS

Hospice would prefer quilts with widths of 30-44 inches and no longer than 60 inches. However, all contributions are appreciated.

Tom Richardson will quilt tops for Hospice and Victory Junction. Donations of material are accepted for backing.

ALL COMMUNITY OUTREACH CONTACT INFORMATION:

- QOV: Colleen Sain
- Port pillows for cancer patients: Martha Austin)
- Hospice quilts: Debbie Morse
- Victory Junction Bears: Tom & Connie Richardson

2018 UPCOMING QUILT EVENTS

If you know of any other shows not listed, please contact the Newsletter Chairman to include them in future newsletters.

Quilting Friends Retreat

The dates for our Caraway retreat in **2019 are Sunday - Thursday, June 9th-13th.**

Cost: Single room - \$455.00
Double room: \$ 403.00
Deposit due: Single room - \$114.00
Double room - \$101.00

*This retreat is open to women at least 18 years old.

For those who pay a deposit, the **balance** will be **due** to me by April 6, 2019. You may make payments in any amount you wish or wait and pay your total remaining balance by April 6th.

We can continue to add people AS LONG AS THERE ARE SPACES AVAILABLE. The only way to guarantee your spot is with a deposit.

Deposits/payments may be given to Lisa Edwards or Mildred Lamb at the quilt guild meetings.

Row by Row Experience

June 21 to September 4th

<https://rowbyrowexperience.com/>

Website includes an interactive map, lists of shops by state & pictures of rows. New sizes this year. Complete a quilt with 8 "rows" and take to a shop that has not received another quilt by 10/31 for 25 fat quarters! 2018 Theme is "Sew Musical"

Wilkes County Quilters "Turning 20"

Friday, September 7th (9-6) & Saturday, September 8th (9-4)

The Stone Center 613 Cherry Street North
Wilkesboro, NC 28659
\$3 Admission

York County Quilters Guild

"Quilts From the Heart"

September 21-22 9-4

\$6 Admission

Events @ Manchester 1965 Cinema Drive Rock Hill, SC 29730

www.yorkcountyquilters.org

Asheville Quilt Show – 36th Annual

\$7 Admission Free Parking
September 28,29,30 9-5 Friday/Saturday 10-4:30
Sunday
WNC Ag Center, Davis Event Center I-26 Exit 40,
Airport Road
www.ashevillequiltguild.org

Quilt Carolina! Shop Hop

Thursday October 4-Saturday October 13th
<https://quiltcarolina.com/>

Quilts of the Valley Seasonal Inspirations – Catawba Valley Quilter’s Guild

October 12-13 Friday & Saturday 9-5
Hickory Metro Convention Center 1960 13th Ave
Dr. S.E. Hickory NC 28602
www.catawbavalleyquiltersguild.com

Gate City Quilt Show

Gate City Quilt Guild
Congregational United Church of Christ
400 W. Radiance Drive, Greensboro
October 12-13
<http://www.gatecityquiltguild.org/>

Quilters’ Quest Shop Hop – Maryland & Northern Virginia

October 19-28th
www.quiltersquest.org – sign up for newsletter for
information

Winston Salem Quilts!

November 2nd (9-5) & November 3rd (9-4)
Gateway YWCA 1300 S. Main Street Winston
Salem, NC 27127
www.forsythquilters.org

The Quilting & Fiber Art Marketplace

January 11th & 12th, 2019
Dennis A. Wicker Civic Center, Sanford, NC
Forsyth Piecers and Quilters
details at www.quiltersgallery.net

FACEBOOK PAGE

Remember to visit the page as often as you can—
not just the day after our meeting. **LIKE**,
COMMENT, and **SHARE** things. Look for our
monthly meeting EVENT on Facebook.
Start doing this now to increase the interest in our
quilt show! Mark that you will be attending the
quilt show and forward the event to friends!

GUILD LIBRARY

If you have any request for books please email
JoAnn Hahn.

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Newsletter: Janneke Bahamon
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Darlene Woodham
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Sew Tuesday: Mildred Lamb
Website/Directory: Terry Patterson

QUILTING CLASSES (All Levels)

Looking to expand your quilting skills? There are
classes available at most of the local quilting stores.

Dawn’s Sewing & Embroidery – Albemarle, NC
www.dawnsfabrics.com

Parks and Recreation Department of the City of
Concord, taught by Carolyn Sweet. For the next
starting date, contact Carolyn at 704 782-3052.

We’re Sew Creative – Concord, NC
<https://www.weresewcreative.com/classes/sign-up/>

Anderson's Sew & So – Rockwell, NC

<http://www.ansewso.net/>

Sew Much Fun – Lowell, NC

<http://www.sewmuchfun4you.com/classes.htm>

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

DAYS OF THE MONTH TO REMEMBER:

22ND—articles that need writing, contact Janneke Bahamon

25TH—completed articles, send to cabarrus.quilters@gmail.com

1ST--newsletter will be sent by email.

Paid members receive the newsletter by email. For US mail, there is a \$10.00 charge to defray the cost of paper and postage. It will also be available on the guild website for everyone.

NOTE: All guild member addresses and phone numbers are available in the most recent pictorial Guild Directory as well as the membership roster periodically emailed to members.

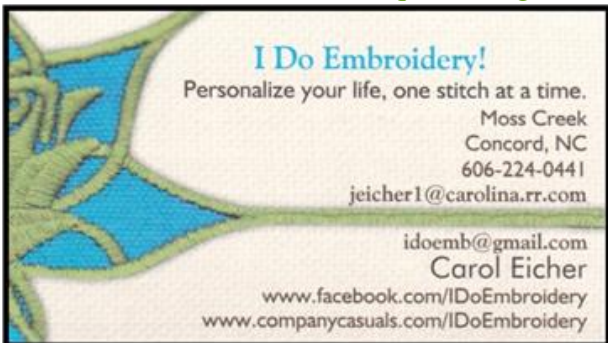
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8637 Concord Mills Blvd.
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Saturdays: 9-4

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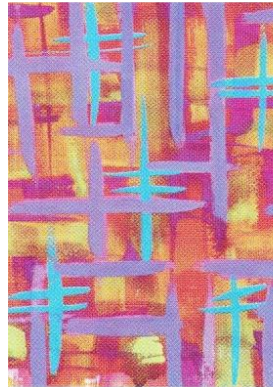
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