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## Cabarrus Quilters' Guild Newsletter

### March 2019

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

#### FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

March is coming, and I cannot wait. I am so looking forward to warm weather and dry skies as well as all the new things happening in our guild in the upcoming months; the fun activities, the speakers, and of course our talented members' wonderful show and tells. I want to thank all the members who have worked so hard to make our guild run smoothly. Everyone has done such a wonderful job in every way. I want to give a shout out to Connie and Tom who do such a great job on all the charity work; your work is so appreciated. Also, everyone in the guild is so giving of their time and talent; we help so many people in many ways. Please, if anyone would be interested in serving on the board or on a committee, just let me know. Think about where you would like to help out. Letting us know now will make the transition to next year very easy because you can shadow the person in the job now.

Have a great March and happy sewing,  
Barbara Hinson

#### IMPORTANT GUILD ANNOUNCEMENTS

##### GUILD GARAGE SALE

If you have a sewing related item that you would like to sell, please send the request to [cabarrus.quilters@gmail.com](mailto:cabarrus.quilters@gmail.com). There is no cost, but if the item sells, a donation to guild of 10% of the sale is requested. Please give the money to Gen. The item will only run in one newsletter unless the guild member emails requesting that it be in the newsletter a second time.

#### NEW MEMBERS

Please welcome Beth Huneycutt. She is the owner of Quilt Sew Easy. She learned about our guild from on-line and the quilt show. She has been sewing for 26 years and quilting for about 8 years. Beth likes to make a variety of quilts and enjoys reading.

Cathy Moore joined our guild in February. She works as an RN. She heard about the guild from a friend. She is just beginning to quilt! Her other hobbies include photography.

Please welcome our new member, Ann Weaver. She is a retired dental office manager. She heard about our guild from the internet. She began taking quilting classes years ago. She has been quilting for 35 years. She likes to make all type of quilts. Her other hobbies include knitting and reading.

#### 2019 QUILT SHOW- "SPLASH OF COLOR" 40 YEARS AND STILL QUILTING

##### IMPORTANT DATES

Entry forms will be due at the August meeting on Monday the 12<sup>th</sup>.

Quilts are to be turned in on October 11<sup>th</sup> and judging will be on the 12<sup>th</sup>.

The dates of the show are October 18 & 19, 2019 at the Concord City Club at Gibson Mill 325 McGill Avenue, Concord NC 28027.

### **WHITE ELEPHANT BOOTH**

Each year at our quilt show, the guild sponsors a booth of our own. It is a little like a tag sale for quilters and all profit goes to the guild. We sell new or gently used donated items of interest to quilters.

Marguerite Klaiber will be accepting donations for the booth from now through September. As you are doing your spring cleaning, please keep the White Elephant in mind. You can bring donations to guild meetings (look for her purple wagon there) or if you wish, arrange to bring them directly to her home.

Popular items include: thread, rulers, quilt patterns, books, magazines, 100% cotton fabric, tools, etc.

Please Note: Due to limited space we cannot accept non-quilting things.

You can contact Marguerite Klaiber if you have any questions.

### **QUILT SHOW VOLUNTEER POSITIONS**

Julie is still looking for volunteers for the following positions:

**ADMISSIONS COORDINATOR** – creates an inviting entry to quilt show. Sets up admission table, coordinates table coverage during show, and organizes the smooth flow of attendees through the admission process. Create and set up a guild table to let the attendees know what we do. Responsible for take down and clean up of same.

**LECTURE DEMO COORDINATOR** – creates an inviting area for the instructor and attendees to view the lecture/demo, finds vendors/guild members to host a lecture/demo, creates a schedule, makes announcements as appropriate at show through intercom to let attendees know of upcoming lecture/demo

**HOSPITALITY COORDINATOR** – creates an inviting area for attendees to sit and enjoy a drink and snack at the show. Purchases and delivers paper products, food and beverage to the show for set up. Asks the community (grocery stores, local

bakeries for donations) guild members also. Recruits volunteers to staff the Hospitality area to serve food and keep area tidy.

### **REGULAR MEETING DATE AND STARTING TIME**

#### **MONDAY, MARCH 11**

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.

### **2019 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 Feb 11, 2018

President Barbara Hinson began the meeting at 6:30. She thanked everyone for coming. Denise Rehlander made a motion to pass the January minutes and Melba Mick second it. There were four visitors, Becky Bernhardt, Jim Lemons, Carol Harris and Sandy Zad. There are three new members, Cathy Moore, Beth Huneycutt, and Ann Weaver. Karen Swart named off the February birthdays. Julie Love, Peggy Overcash, and Sandy Winter's names were drawn for the balloons. Debbie Morse reminded everyone to be sure to pick up their raffle tickets. The show date and when the drawing will be held are on the tickets. Darlene Woodhem said Mathew Emmerson will be coming to the guild meeting and talk about Color Theory for Quilters. Only three people have signed up for

the Saturday class if no one else signs up that class will be canceled.

Mattie Johnson did a trunk show. The quilts were beautiful, and the backs were just as beautiful, she makes them reversible. She tries to sew every day and sometimes into the night. She has made over three hundred quilts since she started quilting in 2004.

Connie Richardson said this Friday is charity quilting at the Fire Station. She would like everyone to work on stuffing the bears. Connie has some kits for the bears if you would like to make one. There is a need for more hospice quilts. The guild supplies the batting for the hospice and Victory Junction quilts. Valerie McGarity and Karen Knapp said there were 22 magnets made. February the guild is to make fidget quilts. They are to be about twenty-four inches and have buttons, zippers, beads, ribbon on them but must be very securely sewn on. There can be ribbon sewed on the edge so it can be attached to a wheel chair, but not too short as to look like the person is tied in. They will be due in April.

Julie Love said there were nineteen people on the quilt show committee. There are nine vendors signed up for the show. Julie will be sending an email to Janneke Bahamon that will be sent out to all members on the rules for the quilts to be entered into the show. Lisa Alley is going to be one of the judges, they are still looking for a second judge. Martha Austin did the drawing for the sewing machine. Debbie Morse won the machine. Martha is going to donate the money to the outreach program

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50.

Respectfully submitted  
Claudia Hoerner, Secretary 2/11/2019

## **REFRESHMENTS/GREETERS-MARCH**

### **GREETERS**

March: Julie Love

### **REFRESHMENTS**

Carolyn Sweet, Genevieve Van Loan, Mattie Johnson, Kathy Lock, Debbie Morse, Barbara Hinson, Cynthia Belton, Diane Thayer, Karen Swart

Don't forget to bring refreshments next month if your birthday is in April!

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

### **SUGGESTED REFRESHMENT PROVIDERS LIST FOR SET UP AND CLEAN UP FOR MEETINGS**

Please arrive at 5:30 to help with set up and stay about 30 minutes after the meeting to help with clean up.

#### **BEFORE MEETING:**

1. Bring out Supplies from Supply Room.
2. Set up refreshment table (if on blocks – remove them) & put on tablecloth.
3. Put out plates, napkins & silverware. If needed add serving utensils to refreshments that might need them.
4. Heat water on stove to put into containers for tea & hot chocolate.
5. Make coffee.
6. Set up coffee/tea table with tablecloth, sugar, cups, tea, etc.
7. Set up counter with pot of ice (from ice machine in Supply Room) and put ice scoop in. Fill cups with ice. Put out additional cups for any beverages that have been brought in.
8. Arrange refreshments that have been brought in.

#### **AFTER MEETING:**

1. Put all Supplies back into containers and take back to Supply Room.
2. Wash out coffee pot & tea pots. Take back to Supply Room.
3. Clean all utensils that were used and put back where found.
4. Wipe down sink that was used.
5. Clear & wipe tables and counters used.
6. Put table back on blocks if you used that table.

7. Empty all trash bags into “ONE” bag and take out to trash receptacle in parking lot outside.

If anyone is interested in doing the 2020 quilt, please get in touch with Debbie Morse or Collen Sain.

**RAFFLE QUILT**

The 2019 Raffle Quilt is finished. A big thank you to everyone who worked on making this beautiful quilt.



You can pick up your Raffle Quilt Tickets at the meetings. Please remember that each member is responsible for selling 25 raffle tickets each year as stated in our by-laws.



**2019 – PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS**

- March - Ann P. Shaw - Flowers  
**The March workshop will be at Rocky River Presbyterian Church-7940 Rocky River Rd, Concord, NC 28025**
- April - Anna Lopez – Seminole Piecing
- May - TBA
- June - TBA
- July - Cheryl Brickey – Subtracting for Minimalism
- August – Guild Picnic (No Workshop)
- September - Amanda Murphy – Feathers 4 ways
- October – 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary
- November – CVAN Presentation (No Workshop)
- December – Guild Christmas Party (No Workshop)

**ACTIVITIES**

**Make a Fidget Quilt!**

1. Lap Size
2. Use bottoms, zippers, different texture fabric, anything to fidget with.
3. Really secure each item.
4. Pintrest has many ideas.
5. Websites: [www.with-heart-and-hands.com](http://www.with-heart-and-hands.com)  
<http://blogandmore.info/>
6. Due in April
7. Next month bring any extra items to share with others.

**SEW DAYS**

First, second, 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 if you have questions.

## COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND UPCOMING CHARITY EVENTS

### OUTREACH PROGRAM

This is a reminder that we can do charity work at the fire station #9 on March 15th from 9 to 4. At the last meeting we stuffed most of the bears that were ready. We will finish stuffing at the next meeting so plan to join us if you can. We have several bears ready for closing so if you don't want to bring your machine, bring needle, thread thimble and scissors. However, you can still work on any charity work of your choosing. Hope to see you then. Thought you would like to know that Debbie has delivered 25 quilts to hospice thanks to various members of the guild. Tom is in the process of quilting six donations given to him at the last meeting. I love seeing all the creative works bound for hospice and Victory Junction.

Connie Richardson, Outreach Chairperson.

### FRIDAY CHARITY SEW DATES

The upcoming charity sew date at Fire Station #9 is March 15<sup>th</sup> from 9am-4pm. The address for Fire Station #9 is **1020 IVEY CLINE RD**, Concord, NC 28027.

### 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

## 2019 UPCOMING QUILT EVENTS

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

### **Annie Smith two-day workshop, "Color Sense"** Salisbury March 7th and 8th, 2019

<https://anniesmith.net/blog/>

Cost \$80 plus a \$16 pattern fee.

Contact Joan Soeth at [jesoeth@gmail.com](mailto:jesoeth@gmail.com) or 585-355-2422 for more information or to register for the workshop.

### **25th Annual A Mountain Quiltfest**

March 19-22 (9-5) March 23rd (9-4)

Show & Tell Friday 6pm – carry in your quilt & be eligible for door prizes

LeConte Center 865-429-7350

2986 Teaster Lane Pigeon Forge, TN

<https://www.pigeonforge.com/event/a-mountain-quiltfest/>

### **Piece-ful Harbor Quilt Show**

April 5, 2019 10am to 6pm

April 6, 2019 10am to 4pm

Knobbs Creek Recreation Center, Elizabeth City, NC

### **"Quiltstock" Quilt Symposium**

May 2-5, 2019

Lake Junaluska Conference Center, Maggie Valley, NC

### **"America From the Heart Quilt Show"**

Friday and Saturday, May 3-4, 2019, from 9am to 5pm.

Location: Winston-Salem Fairgrounds,

Neil Bolton Home & Garden Building,

Winston-Salem, NC

Enter Gate 9 on 27th Street

<http://www.hottqg.com/quilt-show-2019.html>

### **Alleghany Quilt Show**

July 12-13, 2019 9am to 4pm  
Alleghany County Fairgrounds

### **Sail Into Quilting**

August 9, 2019 9am to 6pm  
August 10, 2019 9am to 4pm  
Talbert Recreation Center, Mooresville, NC

### **2019 Bee by the River "Seasons for Quilters" Quilt Show**

October 25-26, 2019 9am to 4:30pm  
New Bern Convention Center

### **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  
**Program Committee:** Johnnie McCallum and Darlene Woodham  
**Raffle Quilt 2019:** Debbie Morse and Collen Sain  
**Guild Publicity:** *Position Open*  
**Facebook:** Cynthia Belton and Colleen Sain  
**Activity Committee:** Valerie McGarity, JoAnne Fisher, and Karen Knapp  
**Community Outreach:** Connie Richardson  
**Humanitarian/Hospitality:** Karen Swart and Janie MacGown  
**Librarian:** Jo Ann Hahn  
**Membership:** Natalie Swilley  
**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.

#### **Introduction to Quilt Judging**

4 classes in Clemmons, NC this year - March, May, August and September.

There is also a class in Marietta GA in June.

Lorraine Covington

336-766-7191

[lorrainequilts@cs.com](mailto:lorrainequilts@cs.com)

#### **Dawn's Sewing & Embroidery – Albemarle, NC**

[www.dawnsfabrics.com](http://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/>

#### **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 at [janneke\\_aa@hotmail.com](mailto:janneke_aa@hotmail.com)

**25TH**—completed articles, send to [cabarrus.quilters@gmail.com](mailto:cabarrus.quilters@gmail.com)

**1ST**--newsletter will be sent by email.

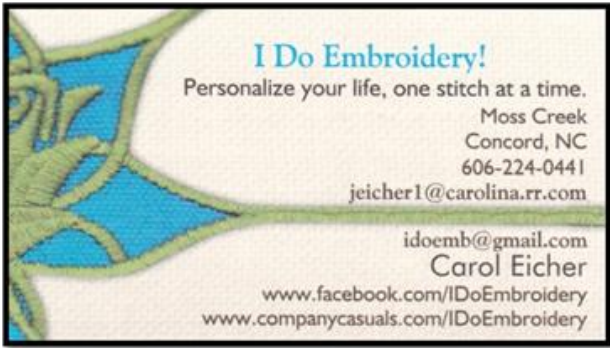
Paid members receive the newsletter by email. For US mail, there is a \$10.00 charge to defray the cost of paper and postage. It will also be available on the guild website for everyone.

***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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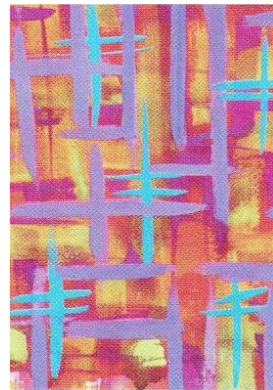
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