

# CABARRUS QUILTERS GUILD NEWSLETTER

September, 2010

## Letter from the President:

Stephanie Newbrough

This past weekend we had our first ever quilt judging. It was amazing. For those who were involved it was a long day, but learning the process and seeing how everything works behind the scenes was neat. I would like to give a huge **thank you** to everyone who came and worked the judging. It would have taken even longer without your help. The judge had such great things to say about our guild and how talented she thinks we are. Now that the judging is over it is time to prepare for the show! We have ordered pins with our Splash of Color logo on them and they look great. We are also getting t-shirts ready with the same logo. Everything is going smoothly and the show will be here before you know it! Happy Quilting!

## Letter from the Editor:

Libby Toler – [cabarrusguildnewsletter@windstream.net](mailto:cabarrusguildnewsletter@windstream.net)

If you read only one thing in this edition of the newsletter, PLEASE carefully read the Quilt Show information. The guild has a lot of time, effort and money invested in this show. As you will see, everyone's help is needed to make this a successful event. Please be ready to sign up to help where needed.

## September Birthdays:

Charlotte Doyle	September 13
Jean Follas	September 22
Renee Hoagland	September 22
Linda Layton	September 14



The Cabarrus Quilters' Guild meets at  
7:00 PM  
on the second Monday of each month  
in the fellowship hall at:  
Forest Hill United Methodist Church  
265 Union St. N.  
Concord, NC  
**VISITORS WELCOME!**

Rebecca Verrier-Watt – [thequiltersstation@yahoo.com](mailto:thequiltersstation@yahoo.com)



The time is approaching fast and we are ready. The committee has been hard at work on the final details. All the quilts are in, the floor plan is done and the teams are assembled.

Marsha Haney will be in charge of the quilt show set up and hanging the quilts.

- We plan to start at **8AM on Sept 23rd**. Marsha has the list of everyone who has signed up to help.
- Vendors will be permitted into the building at 10 AM to begin their set up.
- Our goal is to have all the quilts hung by 2 PM and we will then have a **sneak preview for members** only from **3 PM to 4:45 PM**. **Many of our vendors will be open** as well, and you will have a chance to view all the quilts and do some shopping if you like.
- **5 PM to 6 PM** – We will announce the Ribbon Winner's and you will be permitted to hang your ribbon on your quilt. (Not to worry, someone will hang your ribbon for you if you are not present).
- Doors close at 6 PM.

**Show hours are Sept 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> – 10 AM to 6 PM**

Candy McManaway is in charge of **Silent Auction** and has the list of people helping in that area; I believe she has a full staff for the 2 days.

Marguerite Klaiber is in charge of the **White Elephant** booth and has the list of people helping. Marguerite could use a few more helpers on both days so please see her if you would like to assist.

We still need help in the following areas:

**White Glove/Security:** You will be walking up and down the aisles making sure people do not touch quilts without a glove/ no food or drinks permitted in quilt area, and of course, that no one walks off with a quilt.

I need someone for:

Sept 24<sup>th</sup>

9:45 to 12 AM – One Person needed

1:45 to 4PM – Two people needed

3:45 to 6PM – One person needed

Sept 25<sup>th</sup>

1:45 to 4 PM – One person needed

3:45 to 6 PM – 2 people needed

## Raffle Quilt Sales:

Libby Toler and Cathy Lock are in charge and have the list of people helping. Don't forget this is a chance to sell your own raffle quilt tickets. They still need help as follows:

### Sept 24<sup>th</sup>

9:45 to 12 AM – 1 Person needed

1:45 to 4 PM – 1 Person needed

### Sept 25<sup>th</sup>

11:45 to 2 PM- 1 person needed

## Admissions:

Fully Staffed

**Vendor Angels:** We need people to check on all of the vendors throughout the day. Some of our vendor's will be in their booth alone for both days and will need someone to just watch the booth for a few minutes for a bathroom break. You may be asked to watch the booth while they eat lunch and/or get them something to eat and drink. This will mostly be done in non-peak hours of the show, as vendors do not like to leave the booth while they are busy. Each vendor will tell you how they want to handle this and what they will need for you to do. **We need to have 8-10 people for both days** – Shifts will be from Noon to 4PM. I will have a sign up list at the next meeting.

**Patriotic Quilt Display:** You will be selling books based on the display and just watching over the display.

Sept 24<sup>th</sup> - I need all time frames

Sept 25<sup>th</sup>

9:45 to 12PM – 1 person needed

11:45 to 2 PM – 2 people needed

3:45 – 6 PM – 1 person needed

**At 5 PM Sept 25<sup>th</sup> the Viewer's Choice Awards will be announced.** If you are at the show, you can then hang your ribbon on your quilt.

Remember that if you are not signed up for working in some aspect of the quilt show you will have to pay admission to the show!

Thanks for all your help and we look forward to having a great show!

## *Splash of Color Tee Shirts:*

Terry Patterson

The guild will be pre-selling t-shirts in sizes S - M - L - XL - 2X - 3X at our September meeting.

The white shirts with the quilt show logo "splashed" across the front will cost **\$12** for sizes S – XL, and **\$17** for 2X - 3X.

Shirts will also be available at the show, but will cost more, \$15 and \$20.

Sample sizes will be available at the September meeting. Save a few dollars by pre-ordering and pre-paying for your shirt September 13 at our meeting. Pickup will be Thursday Sept. 23 at the Cabarrus Arena.

### ***Guild Officers:***

President – Stephanie Newbrough

Vice President – Joyce Furr

Treasurer – Patty DeMarsh

Secretary – Ona Phillips

### ***Program Notes:***

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**September 13** - Susan Edmondson

**September 18 - Saturday Workshop** - Susan Edmonson workshop, *Home Tweet Home* or *Crazy Quilting*.

### ***Programs and Workshops:***



So far I only have 2 people signed up for the Susan Edmonson Workshop – Home Tweet Home on Sept 18<sup>th</sup>. In Susan’s Workshop you will learn Appliqué techniques, embellishing with felted wool, 3 dimensional embellishments, rubber-stamping and inking fabrics. Photo transfers and miscellaneous trims will be used.

When taking a workshop it is a good idea to come with the frame of mind you are learning a new technique. Although you may come home with a project that is finished, or one that is on its way to be finished, you may also find that you want to start the project over. That is fine, now you have the knowledge you gained from the workshop, and in the freedom of your own surroundings you can now complete the project in any way you wish! Many of these workshops are designed to give you the knowledge to not only to finish the pattern from this designer, but also to give you the skills to apply this new technique to future projects in your quilting life.

It is time to start signing up for the Linda Cantrell workshop in October. I encourage you to view Linda’s work on her website <http://www.southernhighlandguild.org/lindafiber/> - Linda’s quilts are just wonderful and although Self Portraits may sound like something we just did with Cathy Wiggin’s, it is truly very unique and very very different.



I hope that more of you will take advantage of the workshops that the guild offers. I feel that we have had some very talented people this year, and I am very excited with the lineup for 2011 that will be posted soon.

**October 11** - Linda Cantrell

**October 16, Saturday Workshop**- Linda Cantrell portrait quilting without drawing.

**November 8**, Cuddle Quilts are due and presented to CVAN.

**December 13**, Christmas Party

*Make sure you check the guild website for updated info.*

## Minutes of the August Meeting:

Ona Phillips

Before I write the minutes of our August meeting, I want to take this opportunity to thank Debbie Seatz for taking notes and writing the July meeting minutes for me while I was away. Debbie, you did a great job, and I very much appreciated your agreeing to do this.

Our annual "picnic" was held during the August meeting. We have some really good cooks in our Guild as was evident in the food prepared for the pot luck dinner. After members showed their items for "Show and Tell," our pot luck dinner began.

The Challenge Quilts were displayed and voted on by the members. Winners were as follows:

First Place: Candy McManus

Second Place: Stephanie Newbrough

Third Place: Pat Arndt

Rebecca reminded members to sign-up for helping at the Quilt Show. Members who do not work at the show will be charged admission.

The Christmas Party committee members presented options for the Christmas party dinner. Members voted to have a Pot Luck dinner for our annual Christmas party.

After a game of Bingo and a great evening of fellowship and food, the meeting ended.

## Recipe from the Covered Dish Picnic:

Gloria Stewart



Below is a recipe from **Amber Lyons**. She brought this to the August Potluck Picnic. It was delicious and was gone quickly!! Amber was kind enough to share the recipe.

"Trailer Park Surprise" or "Pine Bark"

One sleeve of Saltines  
One cup of Butter  
One cup of Brown Sugar

1 tsp. of Vanilla  
½ cup of Chopped peanuts  
5 Hershey Bars

Lay saltines face down on a foil lined cookie sheet. Preheat oven to 450 degrees. Bring Butter and Sugar to a boil and boil for 6 to 7 minutes. Remove from heat and add vanilla. Pour over saltines and bake 7 minutes. After removing from the oven immediately place Hershey bars over saltines and spread with back of a spoon to cover. Sprinkle chopped peanuts on top. Transfer to wax paper lined cookie sheet and let cool in fridge.

### **2011 Calendars:**

Calendars will be available for purchase at the September meeting, as well as, the show. The price is \$9.00.

### **Refreshments and Greeters:**

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#### **September Refreshments:**

Shelley Lenhausen  
Janice Brewington  
Merle Clifford

These ladies need some help, if you are willing to help them out, please call one of them as soon as possible.

#### **September Greeters:**

Sharon Smith  
Carlotta Doran

Responsibilities include: Be early to the meeting, speak to visitors, give them a name tag, and during the break make them feel welcome. If someone is interested in joining the guild, please inform Libby Toler for paperwork.

### **Visit our Website:**

Terry Patterson



We are now on Facebook. All members may join us by clicking on the Facebook link found on our website. [www.cabarrusquiltersguild.org](http://www.cabarrusquiltersguild.org)

### **Tabor Quilt Retreats:**

Lisa Edwards

Another retreat is full! Remember to pay toward the balance of the fall retreat by the September guild meeting. The planning meeting is scheduled for **Monday, September 13 at Hancock's fabric from 5:30 till 6:15**. Please mark your calendar to attend this most valuable information meeting. We will discuss driving, menu and answer questions.

### **Sew Tuesdays:**

Mildred Lamb

Sew Tuesdays are held the first and third Tuesdays of every month from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. at the Concord Senior Center. Contact Mildred Lamb at the above address, or call her to let her know you are planning to attend.

### **Guild Library:**

Marsha Haney A list of the available books in our library is on our Web site.

### **Newsletter Information:**

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Every paid member will receive the newsletter in an e-mail early in the month. If you wish to have your newsletter mailed, there will be a small \$5.00 charge to help defray the cost of paper and postage. It will also be available on the guild Web site for everyone. The Web site version does not have e-mail addresses, telephone numbers, or the treasurer's report displayed. Visit our Newsletter Online: [www.cabarrusquiltersguild.org](http://www.cabarrusquiltersguild.org)

## Upcoming Events:

**The Ashe County Piecemakers Quilt Guild** cordially invites you to our 8<sup>th</sup> annual Quilt Fair on **September 17 and 18** at Jefferson Station, West Jefferson, North Carolina. This is the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Blue Ridge Parkway, which is in our "backyard", so we are celebrating **"Autumn Splendor on the Parkway"**.

**Sep 24-25, 2010**

### **"Quilting in the Pines IV"**

**Pinehurst, NC**

**Location:** Fair Barn on Route 5

**Co-sponsors:** Sandhills Quilters' Guild and Village of Pinehurst Parks & Recreation

**Hours:** 10 AM - 5 PM

**Cost** \$5.00

**More Info:** [www.sandhillquiltshow.org](http://www.sandhillquiltshow.org)

**Contacts:** Liz Earley at 910.215.5960 and [trearley@embarqmail.com](mailto:trearley@embarqmail.com) or Ellene Place 910.695.1973 and [emplace@nc.rr.com](mailto:emplace@nc.rr.com)

**Comments:** Approximately 185 quilts, silent auction, boutique, handmade character dolls, donation quilt in the William Morris tradition, door prizes and vendors. The Fair Barn is a magnificent place to display quilts and parking is free.

**Oct 1-3, 2010**

### **"Life's Journey Through Quilts"**

**Greensboro, NC**

**Location:** Girl Scouts Carolina Peaks to Piedmont Learning Center, 1203 Frances Daily Court, Colfax, NC 27235 (at 8818 W. Market Street)

**Sponsor:** Piedmont Quilters Guild

**Hours:** Fri & Sat 9am-6pm, Sun 9am-4pm

**Admission:** \$5

**Comments:** Show will feature raffle quilt, boutique, silent auction, door prizes, special display by the Girl Scouts of America, vendors and a certified appraiser. For more details, see [www.piedmontquilts.org](http://www.piedmontquilts.org) or contact us at [pqgshow@yahoo.com](mailto:pqgshow@yahoo.com).

### **"A Stitch In Time" Quilt Show**

**Presented by the York County Quilters**

October 8 & 9, 2010

10 am to 5 p.m. both days

Admission \$5.00

Over 130 Quilts on Display

plus boutique, vendors, demos, bake sale and more!

First Presbyterian Church

234 East Main Street, Rock Hill, SC

**Oct 22-24, 2010**

### **"A Thread Runs Through It"**

**Durham, NC**

**Location:** American Tobacco Historical District

**More Info:** [www.durhamorangequilters.com/quiltshow2010.html](http://www.durhamorangequilters.com/quiltshow2010.html)

**Hours:** Fri & Sat, 10 am - 6 pm and Sun 10 am - 5pm

**Oct 29-30, 2010**

### **"Quilts For 300 Years"**

**New Bern, NC**

**Location:** New Bern Riverfront Convention Center, 207 Front St, New Bern, NC 28562

**Sponsor:** [Twin Rivers Quilters Guild](http://www.twinriversquiltersguild.com)

**Comments:** Admission \$5.00. Our 2008 show was so successful at the Convention Center we now have the entire ball room! The 2010 show coincides with the City of New Bern's 300th Anniversary celebration. In addition to many great vendors, a spectacular raffle quilt, over 200 displayed quilts, the popular Guild Boutique, and live demonstrations we will feature a display of historic quilts from the last 300 years. If you would like to enter, please visit our website for details on drop off or shipping. This is a judged show with prizes. Come spend the day at a great quilt show! Parking is free. The Convention Center is located in a wonderful, walkable downtown area close to shops and restaurants. Hope to see you there!

**Oct 29-30, 2010**

### **"Quilt Show 2010"**

**Mooreville, NC**

**Location:** Lake Norman Elementary School, 255 Oak Tree Rd, 28117

**Sponsor:** Mooresville Centerpiece Quilters' Guild

**Hours:** 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

**Admission:** \$5

**Comments:** Approximately 150 member quilts, raffle quilt, vendors, gift shop, silent auction of quilts, quilt-related items and antique quilts and quilt tops. Special displays: "Catawba River Project," alphabet blocks, mystery quilts.

**Contact:** Kandy Murray [kmcats@msn.com](mailto:kmcats@msn.com); Jean Cable [jean.quilts@yahoo.com](mailto:jean.quilts@yahoo.com). For help with directions email [lakesail530@roadrunner.com](mailto:lakesail530@roadrunner.com) or call 704 929-1170 or 704-664-5086.

### Newsletter Advertisement Space:

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Look for the **CORAL** walls  
**HAPPY SHOPPING!**

**The Ladybug's Cottage in Knightdale, NC (near Raleigh), and The Ginger Factory near Greensboro, sent us the following announcements.**

Dear North Carolina Quilting Friends –

I found your email address as a contact for your local Quilters Guild. My name is Rose Crowder and I work for **Ladybug's Cottage in Knightdale, NC**. We are a small quilt shop promoting quality cotton fabrics from many distributors such as: Northcott, Hoffman, Timeless Treasures, Blank Quilting, and Moda. We also carry patterns and other quilting notions as well.



We have Guild Discount Days on the third Wednesday and third Saturday of every month where we offer a 10% discount for all card carrying guild members. If your guild would like to plan a trip to shop with us in person, call ahead and we will extend this discount to your group regardless of the day. If you live too far away to visit us in person, you can view our website [www.ladybugscottage.net](http://www.ladybugscottage.net) to see everything we have in store and place your order by phone.

If your Guild has a newsletter that offers advertising or a quilt show please send me the information at [ladybug@ladybugscottage.net](mailto:ladybug@ladybugscottage.net). Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
*Rose Crowder*  
Marketing Director

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Dear Quilting Guilds,

The Gingher Factory located in Greensboro, NC will be having a fall excess and discontinued item sale. It is your favorite sewing and quilting tools at drastically reduced prices. All items are of limited quantities and on a first come first serve basis. Please read below for information regarding the sale. Please forward on to your club members. Any questions can be sent by email to [carl.brown@fiskars.com](mailto:carl.brown@fiskars.com) or [joyce.wilson@fiskars.com](mailto:joyce.wilson@fiskars.com).

**Gingher Factory Sale**

**Where:** Located at the factory in the Edwardia Industrial Park: 322-D Edwardia Drive, Greensboro, NC 27409 \*see below

**When:** 4 days only:            **Saturday September 18 & Sunday September 19**  
   **Saturday September 25 & Sunday September 26**

**Sale hours:**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9:00 am – 6:00 pm</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>12:00 pm – 5:00 pm</b>
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\*Enter at 322-C look for sign

Excess and obsolete inventory priced to move (Nothing over \$10.00)

**What: Limited quantities on your Favorite Gingher Sewing Supplies**

**Designer Scissors as low as \$2.50 each**

**Industrial scissors all sizes for \$2.00 each**

**Quilting products – Mats – Rulers - Rotary Cutters – Seam Rippers**

**Gift and Collector Series \$2.00 each**

**For first \$100.00 spent receive an additional 10% discount to a maximum of 30%.**

**Left Hand product available.**

**Cash, Check and Credit Cards accepted.**

**All sales final**