

Cabarrus Quilters' Guild Newsletter

August 2022

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

FROM THE VICE-PRESIDENT'S DESK

Have you been following Jackie in Spain? Europe has been having wildfires, I pray she is safe. She and her son seem to be having a great experience,

It's that time again, parents are thinking and preparing for 'school days'. I used to love shopping for lunch boxes and backpack supplies. There was no chain office supply store then. You bought them in the drugstore supermarket or WolCo. Now I get excited about quilt stores.

I hope you put your order in by now for the picnic box lunch. Thank you Janneke for coordinating this for another year. We will picnic August 8th @ 6:30 pm at Mills Clubhouse. The address is 2050 Holden Ave. SW, Concord.

We are still working out specifics for our September meeting. Look for a separate email with that information.

Don't forget your apron to bring to the meeting in August. No program, and no workshop. You can join the Tuesday quilters at Page Street Weslyan Ch in Kannapolis.

The September speaker is on curved piecing technique. She provide a trunk show. The instructor is Annette Ornelas. I taking her classes before and it was great fun.

Look over the info about the quilt show.

See you on the 8th, JoAnn Hahn VP



Meeting Information

The August Picnic will be August 8th at 6:30pm at the Mills Clubhouse. The address is 2050 Holden Ave SW, Concord, NC 28025. Socializing begins at 6:00, and the meeting begins at 6:30.

Workshop Information

The workshop on August 9th will be at First Wesleyan Church (301 Bethpage Road, Kannapolis 28081) It will be a sit and sew. The workshop is from 10:00am-3:00pm. With setup beginning at 9:30.

2020 - 2021 **GUILD OFFICERS**

PRESIDENT Jackie Sabo

VICE PRESIDENT Jo Ann Hahn

SECRETARY Sandra Allred

TREASURER Johanna Hysell



July Snowman Workshop

Last Meeting Minutes

Monday, July 11, 2022

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by VP Jo Ann Hahn at 6:32 PM.

Approval of June Minutes: Two Corrections were brought to the attention of the membership: 1 – Martha Austin is a member of the Bethpage Quilt group that is donating our 2024 raffle quilt. Her name was mistakenly left out of the June Minutes. 2 – Proceeds from the Memorial Day Weekend raffle ticket sales at the Depot were \$301 not \$401. Sandra Allred made a motion to approve the minutes with the corrections and Melba Mick seconded it. Minutes were approved.

Business: Our picnic will be August 8th at 6:30pm at the Mills Clubhouse. The address is 2050 Holden Ave SW, Concord, NC 28025. The address is in the July Newsletter and an email will be sent with it closer to picnic time. Don't forget to place your order. Janneke sent an email with the link, and it is also in the newsletter. Visitors were invited and asked to give their names and email addresses to Sandra, so the food order link could be emailed to them. July Birthdays were announced by Jo Ann: Jennifer Perkins July 6th, Rosey Stein July 7th, Emily Davis July 10th, Linda Leano 20th, Barbara Horne-Stead 21st, and Delores Shwartz July 29th

Welcome Visitors and New Members: Valerie McGarity welcomed our 9 visitors. Debbie Robb and Charles McKinley were second time visitors. First time visitors included Pat Hagadorn, Lois Compton, Joyce Newton, Misun Ebert, Jody Cox, Kathy Robertson (friend of Connie Richardson) and Laine Grimes (Mona Burtz' Mom). There were no new members this evening.

Membership: Valerie stood in for Ann Weaver. We had 39 members present in person and 3 on Zoom.

Treasurer: Johanna announced our spending is under budget and the next audit will take place in August. After that there will be monthly audits until the end of the year.

Programs: Karen announced we have two spots open for tomorrow's collage workshop. Upcoming programs and workshops were reviewed.

Month	Day	Activity	Speaker
August	Monday	Picnic	
	Tuesday	Sit and Sew	
September	Monday	Curved Piecing Technique Trunk Show	Annette Ornelas – Southwind Designs
	Tuesday	Curved Piecing	Annette Ornelas – Southwind Designs
October	Monday	NO PROGRAM – QUILT SHOW PREP	
	Tuesday	NO PROGRAM – QUILT SHOW PREP	
November	Monday	Charity Quilts and Challenge Quilts Show and Tell	
	Tuesday	Wreath Making	Karen Bronkhorst and Joann Hahn
December	Monday	Holiday Party	
	Tuesday	Sit and Sew	

Community Outreach: Connie and Tom showed the membership examples of "I Spy" quilts. Members will be able to make these at the charity sew this Friday, July 15 at the Fire station. If you do not want to sew, you can come and cut kits to make the quilts.

A parade of charity quilts received in the last month was presented. These quilts will go to Foster Care and CCM. There are quilts needing binding available for pick up.

2022 Quilt Raffle: A signup sheet was available to participate in selling tickets July 30 at We're Sew Creative's Bag Day. Another opportunity will come on Aug 13 at a Craft Fair. More information on this will be presented at our August membership meeting.

Quilt Show Oct. 14-15, 2022: Julie Love reported on our upcoming quilt show. Venue cost is \$4,530. We have 7 confirmed vendors: JS Linens, My Scrappy Quilter, MLC Findings, K&J Sewing, Carolina Quilt Studio, Concord Sew and Quilt, HHM (member booth). There are 3 we are still waiting on contracts from: Sew Perfect Tables, YLI and Lynne's Outlet. In addition to these, 20 plus more businesses were contacted and said no to participating. Currently, we should break even with the number of vendors we have.

While Elephant booth - Anyone with items to donate will need to bring them already labeled on set up day – the Thursday (Oct 13) before the show. Only cotton fabric and quilting items will be accepted.

Silent Auction is still accepting donations (Terry Patterson & Jo Ann Hahn). Holiday themed items are usually very popular. Silent Auction will also have a section for "Buy it now" items, hosted by Karen Bronkhurst.

Raffle baskets - Carol Harris is still collecting new and gently used items.

Our registration team is Kathy Lock, Martha Austin, Darlene Woodham and Peggy Overcash.

Quilt intake and set up will be by Stephanie Newbrough and Cathy Coble the Thursday (Oct 13) before the show. This will be a non-judged show. Stephanie was not able to find a location for the judging. Each member will be allowed to enter two quilts, plus the mystery quilt from 2021, with an entry fee of \$5.00 per quilt. Quilts must be made after Nov 2019 for entry. Registration form is on the guild website and an email with it will be mailed to all members soon. There will be multiple categories for entry. Prizes will be awarded. These will be defined soon.

Member Vendor Booth – Melba Mick, Carol Harris and Tiffany Harwood are contracting with our show to have a 10x10 booth where members can sell their craft items. Items do not need to be quilt related. Members will be responsible for pricing and labeling their own items. Tags will be provided for this. The cost of the booth will be divided between all who participate. If you join, you will need to work in the booth at some time during the show. Credit Cards will be accepted for payment and the owner of the item will be responsible for paying the bank CC fee. Items will need to be brought to the booth the Thursday (Oct. 13) before the show. If a member wishes to participate, contact Melba or Carol.

Break – Members picked up birthday fat quarters, exchanged Round Robin Bags, and purchased raffle tickets.

Our monthly raffle was won by Alice Witek.

Our **Program** on collage quilting was presented by fellow member Sylvia Stancil. She shared many of her own collage quilts and gave tips on making them. She recommended watching you-tube videos by Susan Carson, Laura Heine and Emily Taylor. She will lead our collage quilt workshop tomorrow.

Sylvia recommended using color wash sheets when washing your quilts the first several times. She also recommended Synthrapol to remove spots.

Members shared projects during show and tell.

Adjournment was at 8:08 PM.

Minutes Respectfully Submitted by Sandra Allred, Secretary 07/12/2022

Guild and Member News

PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS

August 8th Program

Our meeting in August is the picnic! I hope you have signed up for your supper and are planning for a fun evening. Make sure you bring your lucky thimble (for a game we will play), your apron for fashion show, and your favorite notion to talk about.

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August 9th Workshop

Sit and Sew- First Wesleyan Church 301 Bethpage Road, Kannapolis 28081

September 12th Program

Annette Ornelas (Southwind Designs) is our guest speaker for the September 12th meeting. On Monday night she will "wowing" us with her trunk show on dimensional piecing. Her workshop topic is using the dimensional piecing techniques in making a wall hanging called "turkey time". Sign up as soon as possible.

September 13th Workshop

Curved Piecing- Turkey Time

Supply List

Fabric Requirements 20½" x 48½"
Red 6" strip
Brown (feathers) 1/8 yard
Gold (wing feathers) 1/8 yard
Orange (beak, feet) 1/8 yard or scraps
Taupe (body) 6" strip
Background (neutral) 1 yard
Green, Purple, Lime 1/8 yards or scraps
Backing (44" wide) 1 1/2 yard
Batting 24" x 52" Binding (2" wide) 1/2 yard
Rotary cutter and ruler, nonpermanent glue-stick,
scissors, neutral 100% cotton sewing thread. Matching
threads as needed for top-stitching on all fabrics.
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October 10th Program

Quilt Show Preparation No Workshop

November 14th Program

Charity Quilts and Challenge Quilts show & tell

November 15th Workshop

Wreath Making- Karen and JoAnn Start saving either pinecones, empty thread spools or fabric strips for desired project.

December 12th Program

Annual Holiday Party

December 13th Workshop

Sit and Sew

MEMBERSHIP

We had 42 members present at the July guild meeting. We had 39 members present in person and 3 on Zoom.

We had nine guests join us: Debbie Robb and Charles McKinley were second time visitors. First time visitors included Pat Hagadorn, Lois Compton, Joyce Newton, Misun Ebert, Jody Cox, Kathy Robertson (friend of Connie Richardson) and Laine Grimes (Mona Burtz' Mom).

Thank you, Ann Weaver

FREE SEWING MACHINE

Rosey Stein has a sewing machine she would like to give away to anyone who would like to have it. The machine is a 1964 Singer "touch and sew deluxe zigzag sewing machine" model 600E. It has not been used in 15 years, but it had been serviced and did run at the time. Anyone who is interested can reach Rosey.

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QUILT SHOW

WHITE ELEPHANT: It was decided at the last meeting that all donated materials will be collected on Thursday, the day of the set-up and on site. Everything should be measured and marked. (Remember items should be marked by quarters, halves, or yards.) Only quilting cottons, tools, books and magazines will be accepted. Bring the items in a storage box with your name on it. (These boxes will be returned to you.) Large clear plastic bags with your name on it will also work. We will need lots of volunteers to set the materials out while Marguerite and I check in the materials. This is always a profitable venture for the guild, so we appreciate your participation in this event. Any questions, feel free to contact us. Thanks, Connie Richardson and Marguerite Klaiber.

FACEBOOK PAGE

Look for the **Cabarrus Quilters' Guild Group** on Facebook and request to be added to our private guild Facebook page. Remember to visit the page as often as you can—not just the day after our meeting. **LIKE**, **COMMENT**, and **SHARE** things.

RAFFLE QUILT

We are scheduled to set up the raffle quilt at We're So Creative for Bag Day on Saturday, July 30th! I would like to extend a huge thank you to Terry Patterson for organizing this event in my absence. Thanks also to Julie Love, Alice Witek, Delores Swartz, Mary Jo Ward and Joanna Cupp for volunteering to work our raffle table at this event! You are the best!!

Thanks, Ann Weaver



GUILD LIBRARY

For a complete list of our books, please go to http://www.cabarrusquiltersguild.ord/Library.html
If you have any requests for books - please contact Natalie Swilley.

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. 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 Treasurer. The item will only run in one newsletter unless the guild member emails requesting that it be in the newsletter a second time.

Community Outreach Information

Community Outreach Contact Information

QUILTS OF VALOR: Colleen Sain

PORT PILLOWS FOR CANCER PATIENTS: Martha Austin

HOSPICE QUILTS: Tom & Connie Richardson

VICTORY JUNCTION BEARS:

Tom & Connie Richardson

2022 Charity Quilts

COOPERATIVE CHRISTIAN MINISTRY:

- Twin or queen quilt
- 40X60 lap quilt for seniors, adults, and children

CVAN:

- Lap quilt (any size)

CABARRUS COUNTY FOSTER PROGRAM:

- Cuddle quilt (any size)
- Lap quilt for infant to teens (any size)

COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM

This past month we sent 10 quilts to CCM and 5 to the Foster Program in Cabarrus County. This means we have sent 75 quilts out so far and I have around 25 more ready to be sent. There are around 10 quilts out for binding and Tom still has more to quilt. This is remarkable and the year is only half done.

We had a very successful workshop at the Fire Station in July. There were 10 of us and we completed two tops and made 15 "I Spy" quilt kits, 6 of them taken by the volunteers at the workshop. I have 9 kits to complete the tops which will be brought to the August picnic. The next workshop is August 13th at the fire station and further information will be given at the next meeting. I am thinking of creating kits from simple patterns using scraps. Remember, however, you can work on any charity project at the fire station. They do not charge us for the facility as long as it is for charity. Hope to see you in August.

Connie Richardson



SEWING TIP

How long does a needle last? Who knows? Could be seconds. Could be hours. Better to re-frame the question and ask, **what are the clues to changing the needle?** No matter what brand of sewing machine you use, these are the clues to changing the needle:

- · Thread breaking or shredding
- Skipped stitches
- Puckered or damaged fabrics
- Uneven seams
- Machine popping or clicking sound

What's the solution? Change the needle!

Upcoming Quilting Events

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

Asheville Quilt Show

September 30 – October 1 WNC Agricultural Center, Davis Event Center 765 Boylston Hwy, Fletcher, NC 28732 https://www.ashevillequiltguild.org/quilt-show

Cabarrus Quilters Guild Splash of Color

October 14-15 Concord City Club at Gibson Mill 325 McGill Avenue NW, Concord NC 28027

Myrtle Beach Quilt Party January 19-21, 2023 Doubletree Hotel

Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival

February 23-26, 2023 Hampton, VA

Quiltfest Greenville

April 20-22, 2023 Greenville, SC

AQS 2023 Quilt Show Dates

Daytona Beach, FL • February 22–25, 2023 Branson, MO • March 22–25, 2023 Paducah, KY • April 26–29, 2023 Grand Rapids, MI • September 13–16, 2023 Des Moines, IA • September 27–30, 2023

Modern Quilt Guild QuiltCon

February 23 – 26, 2023 Atlanta Convention Center at AmericasMart in Atlanta, Georgia

Guild Committees

ACTIVITIES: Shanna Rogers

COMMUNITY OUTREACH: Connie and Tom Richardson

CHARITY QUILT RECORD KEEPER: Carol Harris

HOSPITALITY: Kathy Lock LIBRARIAN: Natalie Swilley MEMBERSHIP: Ann Weaver NEWSLETTER: Janneke Bahamon

PUBLIC RELATIONS (WEBSITE, FACEBOOK & EMAIL): Terry Patterson

PROGRAMS: Karen Bronkhurst & Mary Ward **QUILT SHOW 2022:** Julie Love & Sandra Allred

RAFFLE QUILT 2022: Ann Weaver

RAFFLE QUILT 2023-2024: Sharon Smith and Terry Patterson

WELCOME: Val McGarity

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.

Newsletter Information

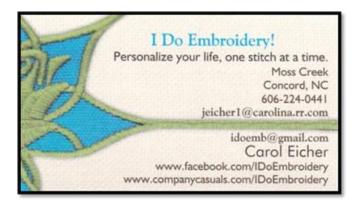
DAYS OF THE MONTH TO REMEMBER:

22nd—articles that need writing, contact Janneke Bahamon at <u>cabarrus.quilters@gmail.com</u>
25th—completed articles, send to <u>cabarrus.quilters@gmail.com</u>
1st—newsletter will be sent by email.

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