



Cabarrus Quilters' Guild Newsletter

July 2011

From the President's Desk:

Stephanie Newbrough

I hope everyone is finding ways to stay cool this summer. I don't know about you but when it is this hot outside I sometimes find it hard to sit under a quilt and sew. The heat is a good excuse to get some of the little projects done that you have set aside to finish later.

I want to remind everyone that July 16 (the Saturday following our July Guild meeting) we will be working on two of our community service projects for this year. We will be making the cinch jewelry bags for the Autism Society of NC and we will also be helping a local girl scout make pillow case dresses for children in need. I am asking that everyone get involved and help. If you are not able to join the Saturday sewing group we can still help by making one or two at home and bringing them to our next meeting. We decided as a guild that we wanted to start helping the community more and these two

projects are a great way to start. If you have any questions about the pillow case dresses please contact Carol Harris.

Happy Quilting

Stephanie Newbrough

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Meeting Information:

The Cabarrus Quilters' Guild meets at **7:00 p.m.** 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!

Guild Officers:

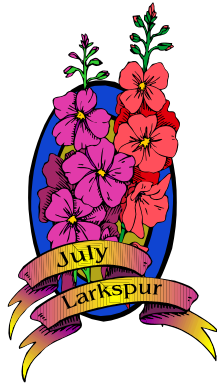
President – Stephanie Newbrough

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Treasurer – Patty DeMarsh

Secretary – Ona Phillips

Birthdays:



Linda Brimanson – July 23
Vickie Clontz – July 25
Maver Ford – July 29
Candy McManaway – July 24
Sylvia Moore – July 1
Judy Phillips – July 3
Trudy Pollard – July 10
Rosey Stein – July 7

Program Notes:

Rebecca Verrier-Watt

thequiltersstation@yahoo.com

Vickie your wet-felting workshop was great, I think everyone who attended had a lot of fun!

Those who participated please be sure and bring your flowers to our July meeting to share.

The 2 for 1 Hula girl, Stacy Michell, will be here in July as our guest speaker. Stacy operates a textile business specializing in hand dyed fabrics. She will entertain you with stories from her many trips to Japan and Hawaii.

Stacy's workshop will be on Tues. July 12th from 10 to 2. You will learn to carefully cut

a Hawaiian style quilt design and get 2 blocks from 1 cutting. This workshop is \$45, the kit fee is an additional \$25, which includes Stacy's hand dyed fabric.

August is our yearly "Guild Challenge" and picnic. If you have any questions please contact Rebecca or Candy.

June, 2011 Minutes:

June 2011 Guild Meeting Minutes

Stephanie Newbrough opened the meeting by having guests introduce themselves and welcoming them to our Guild. She also recognized members' birthdays.

Stephanie reminded members to pick up their Raffle Quilt tickets from Joanna Cupp. She also asked members who are attending the Ricky Tims Seminar to give their checks to Ona Phillips so we can take advantage of the group discount.

Elizabeth Phillippi will be a speaker at our July meeting to tell us about making cinched jewelry bags for the Carolina Autism organization. Members / guests are invited to attend the July Sew Saturday to make the jewelry bags for this organization.

Victoria Gallo is working on a project to complete her Gold Girl Scout award. She brought pillowcases and asked for volunteers to help her complete 300 pillowcase dresses for Haiti and under privileged children in the U.S. The dresses can be brought to the July and August Guild meetings.

Rebecca Verrier-Watt and Candy McManaway discussed future workshops.

The guest speaker for the June meeting was Vicki Klonz. Vicki is also a member of our Guild. Vicki's program "Walk on the Wool Side" was a combination slide show and trunk show of the various quilts and items she has designed for her

classes and her business , Annie's Keepsakes. It was a great program and enjoyed by all.

After a short break, Margarite Klaiber reminded members that she is still collecting items for the White Elephant table at the Quilt Show.

Candy McManaway reminded members to complete the UFO's for the Silent Auction. There was also a show and tell of Silent Auction items which had been donated.

After members showed their beautiful Show and Tell items, the door prize was given away, and the meeting was ended.

Ona Phillips

philona@carolina.rr.com

Sign up for Refreshments and Greeting:

As you plan which months you will help with refreshments and greeting, we ask that you do not sign up for both volunteer jobs in the same month. The signup sheets will be available at each meeting for you to sign up until full.

Newsletter Information:

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 \$10.00 charge to help defray the cost of paper and postage. It will also be available on the guild website for everyone.

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Refreshments and Greeters:

Tom Richardson

cabarrusguildnewsletter@yahoo.com

Refreshments:

We have limited our refreshments to cookies and drinks.

July Refreshments: Merle Clifford, Phares Sechler, and Cathy Gordon

Greeters:

Responsibilities include:

Be early to the meeting, Speak to visitors during the break and make them feel welcome.

July Greeters: Mildred Lamb and Ruth Garrot

Tabor Quilt Retreats:

Lisa Edwards – lhedwards@carolina.rr.com

Nine of us had a great time at Tabor Retreat in June. Several completed several tops and other projects. There are several openings left for the Fall retreat left, Wednesday September 28 thru Monday October 3. Please call 704-788-8425 or email—
lhedwards@carolina.rr.com .

Thank you.

Lisa Edwards

2010 Membership Dues:

Tom Richardson –

cabarrusguildnewsletter@yahoo.com

Cabarrus Quilters' Guild Membership Dues are \$30 per year. If you are joining for the first time, the dues are \$35 to cover the cost of your badge.

Sew Tuesdays:

Mildred Lamb – quiltnut3@windstream.net

Do you need help with a technique or a project? Mildred is the best. 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 at 704-933-9603 to let her know you are planning to attend.

We plan to add community projects to do either on Sew Tuesdays or Saturday sewing sessions. We will talk about this in the meeting.

Guild Library:

Marsha Haney – itsmarsha@ctc.net

If you see any books that you would like to “check out” on the web site library list, send an e-mail to Marsha to bring the book to the next meeting and you may check them out.

Sew Saturday Class

<http://dl.dropbox.com/u/29222948/Cinched%20Jewelry%20bag%20instructions.pdf>

It is the pattern for the jewelry bags we will be making at the July Sew Saturday Class.

2011 Committee Chairpersons

The following are committee chairs for 2011. We still need volunteers. Please consider taking one of the **OPEN** positions. Advise Stephanie Newbrough as soon as possible.

Cabarrus Quilters Chairs for 2011

Newsletter/Membership List - Tom Richardson

2011 Program Chair - Rebecca Verrier-Watt

2012 Program Chair - _____

Audit Commit 2011 - Will & Judy Ford, Carl Harris

The date is July 16. It is the Saturday following the guild meeting.

Ricky Tims Quilt Seminar

Dear Quilters,

The Cabarrus Quilter’s Guild knows that quilters usually think good things bear repeating and that’s why we’re sending you a reminder about the Ricky Tims Super Quilt Seminar, featuring Ricky, Alex Anderson and Libby Lehman, coming to Asheville, NC on September 15-17, 2011. You might not want to miss this unique 2-1/2 day event. Check out the details on the attachment to this email and if you’d like to register, Ona Phillips is collecting registrations so that we can take advantage of the best possible registration rate. Please take a minute to watch this video about the wonderful things you will get to do at the seminar. Click on this link to view it -

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qEUkubYU9_4&feature=player_embedded

*Community Outreach Chair- Debbie Rob***

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Librarian - Marsh Haney

Humanitarian / Hospitality - Carl Harris

Sew Tuesday - Mildred Lamb

Tabor Retreat - Lisa Edwards

BJ's Membership - Pat Stedwell

2010 Quilt Show Chair - Rebecca Verrier-Watt

2011 Nomination Chair - _____

2011 Holiday Party - _____

2011 August Picnic - _____

2011 Raffle Quilt Tickets- JoAnna Cupp

2012 Raffle Quilt - Merle Clifford & Marguerite Klaiber

2011 Guild Challenge Quilt - Stephanie Newbrough

2011 Block of the Month - _____

2010 Medallion - _____

2010 Row by Row - _____

2010 Mystery Quilt - Pat Cevvel.

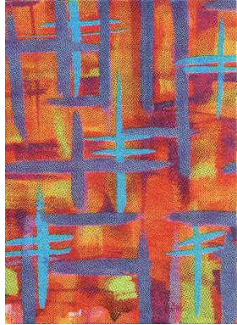
Ricky Tim's Seminar - Ona Phillips

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