



# Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

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February, 2016



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### Sunshine

Irene Gardner

### Ways and Means

Patti Howell, Day

TBA, Night

## From the President

Hello Quilters,

January was a great start to our year. The Debby Maddy trunk show and workshop was a lot of fun. We had our first Saturday workshop at Heritage Baptist Church. It is a very nice facility and has perfect lighting for sewing. Thank you, Terry Tinsley.

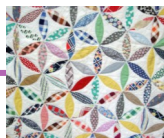
The Bulls Eye block was introduced at the night meeting by Emma Parker. Everyone seemed interested and it will be a good way to use up those Christmas fabric scraps. Sewing circles, sounds like I will be breaking out the curve master foot. Instead of project in the box its foot in the box, LOL.

Hope everyone is ready for the first Saturday Stitch In for 2016. This year the stitch in will be at First United Methodist Church across from the hospital. If you want to avoid the stairs come around to the front. We plan to have three stitch in's this year at this church. Thank you, Broach Winsley. Also in February, Ramona Tucker will be teaching Inklings at the day meeting. And Mary Ellen Holt will present a color program at the night meeting. Hope everyone enjoys all the activities.

Thank You,

Have a Nice Day

Tina Corbitt



### Ad Hoc Committees

#### Bee Keeper

Annie Kellum

#### Challenge Quilt

Linda Jones

Albertha Brown

#### Christmas Party

TBA

#### Community Service

Emma Parker

Albertha Brown

#### GA Quilt Council Liaison

Phyllis Smith

#### Golden Scissors

Jeanette Koval, Day

Penny Landrum, Night

#### Photographer

Charlie Phaneuf

#### Saturday Stitch-In

Ann Groves

Vickie Hecht

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TBA

### March Newsletter Deadline

is February 28th.

Please send your  
information to  
Robin Meyer at  
robinmeyerga  
@yahoo.com.

Word documents pre-  
ferred—but anything  
is okay!

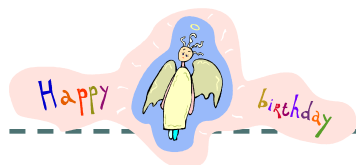
## Membership

**Total Paid Members: 57**

Day Meeting 1/14/16—Members Present: 40, Visitors: 6

Night Meeting 1/28/16—Members Present: 36, Visitors: 1

Just a reminder, please wear your name badge to the meetings.  
If you don't have it on, put your quarter in the tin  
and make a stick-on name badge.



## February Birthdays

Marge Frost 2/10

Jeanette Koval 2/19

## Bee News

The February Bee will be at  
Jennie Hollis' house on February  
18th at 9:30am. Lunch will be  
served and everyone is  
welcome.

Jennie's address is

4209 Rocky Face Dr.,  
Douglasville

Contact Jennie to RSVP.

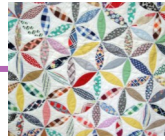
[6jrhollis@gmail.com](mailto:6jrhollis@gmail.com)

770 942 9798

## Challenge Quilt

The 2016 Cherokee Rose Challenge will be revealed next month!

Linda Jones and Albertha Brown



## Program News

### Debbie Maddy Information

Thank you to everyone who helped make her visit a success. If you missed out on the fun or just want more lessons from Debbie, there are a couple of things you can do to enjoy Debbie's talents:

1. Visit our website and go to the 2016 picture folder and check out the pictures of Debbie's beautiful quilts from her trunk show. Charlie did a wonderful job with the photography.
2. You can sign up for an online course from Debbie by going to her website, <http://www.calicocarriage.com> and look for the Craftsby class button. If you click on the link it will send you to the Craftsby website. You will get the class half off for \$14.99, which also includes 3 of her patterns. Her class is named **Easy Piecing, Amazing Design** and includes the patterns: *Carpenters Star, Spinning Stars, and Provence Stars*.

### Programs Information

Our **February 11<sup>th</sup>** day program is "**Inklings**" taught by Ramona Tucker. She will teach us all about the art of doodling and how it leads to relaxation. This activity also can help you with your free motion quilting skills. We will supply ever thing you need for this program.

The **Feb 25<sup>th</sup>** night program is a **color program** taught by Mary Ellen Von Holt. She will discuss how to choose colors for your quilts and how to make choices that will enhance your quilting.

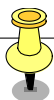
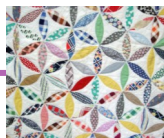
### Bull's Eye Block Exchange

We will discuss the exchange again at the end of the Feb 11<sup>th</sup> day program. So if you missed the last night meeting or have questions, we will be there to help.

Some advice for the newbies: No matter what tool you are using to cut out your circles, you should double check the size of the circle when it is cut out. Remember that when we say that we want 4", 6", and 8" circles for the block, this means the measurement of the raw edge circle across the widest part (diameter). In other words, we are not adding a seam allowance since this is raw edge appliqué.

- We are bringing our own lunch to the class; however, if you would like to bring a snack to share, it would be welcomed.

Linda Jones and the Program Committee



## Treasurer's Report—January, 2016

<b>Beginning Balance</b>	<b>\$8,592.58</b>
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**Deposits:**

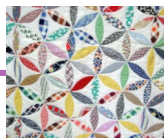
Debbie Maddy	\$30.00
Membership	\$480.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$510.00</b>

**Disbursements:**

Libby Armstrong - power cords & reels	-\$89.62
Awilda Cruz - reimbursement Christmas Party	-\$20.00
Calico Carriage - trunk show, workshop, patterns	-\$1,044.00
Heritage Baptist Church - donation	-\$100.00
Linda Jones - food for Debbie Maddy	-\$17.37
<b>Total</b>	<b>-\$1,270.99</b>

<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>\$7,831.59</b>
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Submitted by Loretta Ford, Treasurer



## Community Service

Remember the birthing center at Wellstar Douglas Community Hospital. Our commitment is 3 to 4 quilts per month. The quilts should be a minimum of 36" x 40". Each quilt should be washed so the babies are not exposed to new fabric chemicals. If you are unable to wash your contribution, please let us know.

Thank you for your generosity.  
Emma and Albertha

## Golden Scissors January 14 Day Meeting

Rachel Phaneuf - Split Diamonds  
Regina McKittrick - Baby quilt - Community Service and one lap quilt  
Broach Winsley - Baby quilt - Community Service

Erin's first  
Jackson's first longarm project  
Cooper  
Sky Diving Turtles

Joyce Trew - Two wall hangings and a quilt  
Denise Allee - Monster quilt  
Jeanette Koval - Christmas Tree wall hanging  
Barbara Shirley - Christmas Tree wall hanging

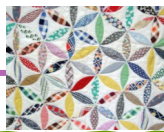
Jeanette Korval

## Want to See More Quilts?

Be sure to check out the Gallery Section of the Cherokee Rose website.

[Click here](#)

And enjoy!



## Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

### Day Meeting, January 14, 2016

President Tina Corbitt called the meeting to order. There was one correction to the minutes – Buck Eye should have been Bull's Eye. The minutes were accepted as corrected.

January birthdays were recognized.

Balance in the treasury is \$8592.58.

The next Bee will be at Annie Kellum's house. Lunch will be served. RSVP. See newsletter for her address.

No report from Challenge Quilt, Christmas Party, GA Quilt Council, golden scissors.

Emma Parker is taking over Community Service project of supplying baby quilts to Douglas Wellstar hospital. Tiny quilts for NICU go to Cobb since Douglas does not have NICU unit.

Broach reported that there are several new books in the library that she took from the R'auktion.

Charlie P. reported that photos have been posted to web site. Jan and Dec 2015 newsletters are on the web site.

2016 programs are on the web site. Jan – June are correct. The rest will have to be changed.

Debbie Maddy is presenting our program today – trunk show. She has patterns and ribbons for sale.

This Saturday workshop with Debbie will be at Heritage Baptist Church from 10-4. Bring a sack lunch. Guild has bought several extension cords and reels.

January night program is the Bull's Eye Block exchange. Members are asked to tell what they are excited about for 2016. February day meeting – Ramona will demonstrate her artistic talents – Inklings.

Publicity – Erna Kriigel reported that our Facebook page is up.

Saturday Stitch-in will be Feb 6 from 9am to 9 pm at First United Methodist church on corner of Hospital Drive and Prestley Mill. Across from the hospital. You can enter by a back door opposite the playground but there are several steps. If you park in the lot facing the hospital, you can walk around to the front of the church and go in the first door – no steps. Then walk down the hall to end, turn left and meeting room in on the right. We will have use of the kitchen.

Sunshine – Irene reported that she was the only one ill but she has recovered.

Ways and Means – Patti Howell is new chairperson. She has no thoughts on the subject and would like lots of help. Albertha raised \$1400 last year.

The 2016 budget was voted on.

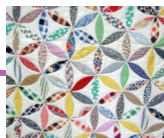
Membership: 48 paid members; 40 present and 6 visitors.

Door prizes: Sarah Sorenson, Barbara Stevens, Kelly Collins, Doreen Thornton, Melanie Cardell.

Emily Poole read an email from a relative who has lots of fabric samples swatches – about 24"x24". See Emily if you are interested.

After Show and Tell, the meeting was adjourned. Then Debbie Maddy gave a great program.

Respectfully submitted, Broach Winsley, Day Secretary



## Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

### Night Meeting, January 28, 2016

The meeting was called to order by Tina Corbitt at 7:00 pm  
Minutes from the last meeting were approved without correction.  
Birthdays were recognized for the month.

#### **Treasurer:**

Ending balance for the previous month was: \$8592.58.  
After income and expenses, the current balance is \$7831.59.  
The budget for 2016 was distributed and accepted by all members present.

**Membership:** The Guild currently has 57 paid members. At this meeting, there were 36 members and one visitor present. Door prizes were won by Annie, Loretta, Dawn and Ramona.

**Bee Keeper:** The next Bee is scheduled for February 18 at Jennie Hollis's home. Annie reported that 12 people attended the January Bee at her house and a good time was had by all!

**Newsletter:** All input is to be to Robin Meyer by Saturday at noon.

**Challenge Quilt:** Linda and Albertha presented 5 ideas for the challenge quilt for this year. They listed each of them on paper and asked everyone present to identify the ideas they liked. The same process will be used at the February Day meeting. Once results have been tabulated, the theme will be announced. There will be two categories: Art and Traditional. There will be no limit as to how small the challenge may be, but it may not be larger than 240 inches in perimeter.

**Historian/Photographer:** Charlie has the most recent pictures up on the website. They include the Debbie Maddy Trunk Show and Workshop.

#### **Programs:**

Both the Trunk Show and Workshop with Debbie Maddy went very well. Thanks to all of those who participated with housing, transportation and venues. This really helped to keep the cost down for such a renowned presenter. Debby also has a Craftsy class which can be accessed at 50% off through her website, Calico Carriage.

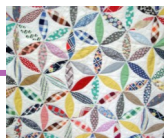
Upcoming Programs for February were announced:

Day meeting 2/11: Ramona Tucker will present Inklings

Night meeting 2/25 Mary Ellen Von Holt from Little Quilts will present on color

**Community Service:** Doreen Bickford donated some baby panels for members to use.

**Hydrangea Festival:** Melanie Cardell informed us that the festival planners would again like a quilt show to be included in the festival. Last year was the first time this happened and it was well received. This year the plan is to have a theme of America the Beautiful so all quilts should be in red, white and blue.



## January 28 Minutes, Continued

**Saturday Stitch In:** There will be 3 Stitch Ins this year. The next one will be on Saturday, February 6 from 9AM to 9PM at First Methodist Church at the corner of Prestley Mill Road and Hospital Drive. The cost is \$10.00 per person. Bring sewing supplies, and a pot luck dish to share at lunch-time. Supper will be left overs from lunch.

**Volunteers Needed:** Ways and Means donations are welcome. This committee also needs a night meeting representative. Libby Armstrong and Vicki Hecht volunteered. The Christmas Party Committee also needs volunteers.

**Librarian:** Books were available for check out on the back table.

**Georgia Quilt Council:** Applications were available on the back table.

**Sunshine:** An update was given on Martha Spencer. A sweet card from Awilda Cruz was shared with all.

After business was completed, we all enjoyed show and tell!

**Tonight's Program** was in 2 parts:

The Bulls Eye Christmas Block Swap was introduced by Linda and Emma with examples of quilts made by Emma and Sandra.

Several members shared things they were excited about with quilting in the coming year.

## Ways and Means

Ways and Means will have a table set up at the Feb 11<sup>th</sup> meeting. We are accepting all donations and they will be appreciated.

Jeannie Anderson has volunteered to help and we could use someone to set up at the night meeting.

Thank you, Patti Howell