



Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

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Patti Howell

From the President

Hello Quilters,

The Hydrangea Festival is fast approaching and I hope everyone is getting those quilts ready. The theme is America the Beautiful so it is all in how you interpret this statement. It's pretty open including red, white and blue, flowers, birds, landscape, you get the picture. Let's have a great turn out and represent our Guild!! The next drop off time will be at the day meeting barring any unforeseen issues.

May will be a busy month starting with the day meeting as Community Service day. Bring your sewing machine and fabric for a baby quilt. Sewing will be until 3:00, maybe you will complete a quilt for a sweet new baby. It will be appreciated. Also, I am sure the night meeting will be mesmerizing with a truck show by Melinda Fulkerson. Come out and see the beautiful quilts.

The following Saturday we will have our first May Saturday Stitch In at the First United Methodist Church across from the hospital. You can avoid the stairs by coming to the front of the church and calling Ann's cell phone that will be listed on the door. Also, Broach mentioned there is an elevator in the breeze way so we will be checking this out. Maybe it will be easy to operate. LOL. See you there, 9 to 9. If you haven't signed the food sheet give Ann Groves a call.

Have a nice day!

Thank You

Tina Corbitt



Ad Hoc Committees

Bee Keeper

Annie Kellum

Challenge Quilt

Linda Jones

Albertha Brown

Christmas Party

Rachel Phaneuf

Charlie Phaneuf

Community Service

Emma Parker

Albertha Brown

GA Quilt Council Liaison

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Golden Scissors

Jeanette Koval, Day

Penny Landrum, Night

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Saturday Stitch-In

Ann Groves

Vickie Hecht

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Membership

Total Paid Members: 66

Day Meeting 3/10/16—Members Present: 28 Visitors: 0

Night Meeting 3/24/16—Members Present: 31, 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.*



May Birthdays

Jeanne Andersen 05/06

Caryl Knox 05/24



May Newsletter Deadline

May 29th.

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

Word documents pre-
ferred—but anything
is okay!



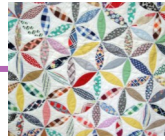
Bee News

The Bee will be at Dawn Fiest's
house on May 19th
at 9:30am.

Everyone is welcome.
Lunch will be served.

5425 Mill Valley Road
Douglasville, GA 30135

RSVPs welcome:
pawnefeist@gmail.com
770 942-3573



Hydrangea Festival

June 4 - 5, 2016 (Sat and Sun)

Our Quilt Exhibit theme will be "America the Beautiful" (think - all quilt patchwork is Americana, landscapes, flowers, states, eagles, etc.) We would like to display at least one quilt from each of our members. Submit your favorite quilt and a second choice, too. You will need to fill out a form for each quilt. We will be sending the form out by email soon.

We hope to hang as many of the second-choices as possible. Please mark on the form if the quilt is your first choice or your second choice. Each quilt should be in a pillowcase with 3 copies of the form attached.

We will be accepting quilts at:

- April night meeting
 - May day meeting
 - An additional day and time that quilts can be dropped off at Rita Perez' home.
- Friday, June 3rd, We will need as many to help with the set-up as possible.
- On June 4th and 5th (from 9am-5pm), we will have the opportunity to greet our guests. (We will have a sign-up schedule)

This year, we have the delight of having "Quilts of Valor" (the official organization) joining in on the Quilt Exhibit. The Hydrangea Festival committee asked them to join in since the theme is "America the Beautiful." They will have a section to display their quilts and information.

If you would like to volunteer to be involved in the preparations for the Exhibit please, call or e-mail me.

Thank you,
Doreen Thornton
Doreen_gene@bellsouth.net
770 439-8216



Program News

Our May 12th day meeting has been moved to Rooms 112 and 113, down the left hallway, not in Room 208 where we usually meet. We plan to hold the business part of the meeting in Room 112 and the sit and sew part in Room 113. We have both rooms for the day. Since our regular meeting room 208 and the ballroom have been rented to a large group, you might consider parking in the far side or left side of the parking area.

The May 12th program is our community service sit and sew day. Please bring your sewing machine, regular sewing supplies, small cutting mats irons and ironing surfaces for this fun day. Linda Jones plans to bring her Accuquilt along with several dies and a stash of donated fabric to help us plan our projects. We are asking for our members to bring several copies of any free quilt patterns they like to use for their charity sewing projects. If you can't bring your sewing machine, that's okay too. If you bring a mat and rotary cutter, you can help cut. And we need people to press and organize blocks, too. The guild plans to treat all of the members who stay and help to a pizza party for lunch.

The May 26th program is a trunk show presented by Melinda Fulkerson. She is an accomplished and talented quilter who works at Tiny Stitches. It is a special treat that we were able to get her to visit our guild and show us her beautiful creations.

Linda Jones and the Program Committee

Challenge Quilt—"I Love the Holidays!"

Our members have voted and chose the theme of "I Love the Holidays!" You may choose which holiday you wish to celebrate with your quilt challenge.

We will have 2 categories, **art quilting** and **traditional quilting**. You can participate in either category, your choice.

Anything quilted is okay, such as tote bags, table runners, wall hangings, or quilts. The only size restriction is that the perimeter is 240 inches or less.

We are encouraging all members to participate and enjoy this year's challenge!

Linda Jones and Albertha Brown



Golden Scissors—April Day Meeting

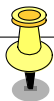
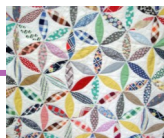
- ✂ Dawn Feist - Blue Labyrinth
- ✂ Beverly Mahle - Getting Rid of the Blues
- ✂ Brenda Findley - Baby quilt (service project)
- ✂ Jill Stroer - Tackle Cancer
- ✂ Emma Parker - Basil's Quilt
- ✂ Robin Meyer - Pickle Dish and baby quilt (service project)
- ✂ Margie Frost - Baby quilt (service project)
- ✂ Rachel Phaneuf - Two quilted totes
- ✂ Queen Ester Smith - Christmas Star
- ✂ Patty Howell - School House wall hanging, Giraffe baby quilt, Charms lap quilt, Australian Zig Zag quilt, and Batiks quilt
- ✂ Annie Kellum - Easter wall hanging, What's for Dinner I wall hanging, What's for Dinner II wall hanging, Dazzling Diamonds quilt
- ✂ Broach Winsley - yellow tank quilt and green tank quilt

Reported by Jeanette Korval

Christmas Party

Christmas plans are in the making with some great fun ideas. We have a wonderful bunch of members willing to help us make it "An Evening To Remember". The date has been set for Thursday, December 8th at Atlanta's Finest. (Same location as last year.) Once again the cost is \$20.00. Invite someone to come along with you!!!!!!

Rachel and Charlie Phaneuf



Treasurer's Report—April, 2016

Beginning Balance	\$8,462.44
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Deposits:

Ways & Means	\$459.00
Total	\$459.00

Disbursements:

Murial Pfaff - April 28 Mtg ck#1105	\$285.00
Angela Gulber - Dep for June 23 Mtg ck# 1106	\$50.00
Total	\$335.00

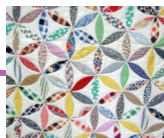
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Submitted by Loretta Ford, Treasurer

Ways and Means

Denise Adams won the quilting by Albertha and Albertha won the charm pack of 100 at the night meeting. In May, we will start a raffle for quilting by Sarah Sorenson and we will have new items to sell tickets. Bring your money and check it out when you are at the meeting.

Thank you, Patti Howell



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.

I delivered quilts to the hospital on April 28. I asked how the quilts were received. The nurse receiving them said they were loved by both the nurses and the families.

Thank you for your generosity, Emma and Albertha

Saturday Stitch-In May 14, 2016

The next Saturday Stitch-In is set for May 14th from 9am to 9pm. Come and bring your projects and spend a fun day sewing, learning and enjoying guild friendships. Questions? Call Ann Groves at 770-827-9935.

Bring a Friend!

Invite someone to come with you to the next Cherokee Rose Guild Meeting. We always welcome visitors and new members!

Sunshine

We need to keep Regina and her husband in our prayers; he is receiving regular treatments now.

Also need to keep praying for Jill Storer's daughter Wendy; she is also on a treatment schedule.

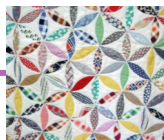
Rita's niece is receiving treatments and we pray for her to heal quickly.

And let's not forget Bonnie McLain's husband Mike, who fell down a flight of stairs and is slowly recuperating from his injuries.

Paula Miller is in therapy to help heal her from knee surgery a few weeks ago.

You are all in our thoughts and good wishes to get well soon.

Sunshine Committee Chairperson
Irene Gardner



Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

Day Meeting, April 14, 2016

Libby Armstrong opened the meeting. Minutes were accepted as corrected (Bee date wrong).

Treasure's report: \$8,462.44

Birthdays were recognized.

Next Bee will be at Dawn Feist's on May 19th. Lunch will be served. RSVP.

Photographer: Charlie said all photos have been sent to Joany.

No report: Publicity, Library, Sunshine

April night meeting: Patchwork of the Crosses with Murial Pfaff

May day meeting will be a community service sew day at the other end of the Community Center. Pizza will be ordered for lunch.

Challenge Quilt: Theme: I Love Holidays. May be traditional or art. 240" perimeter max.

Christmas party: Charlie and Rachael Phanuef have agreed to be co-chairs. Date has changed to December 8. At Atlanta's Finest.

Newsletter: Newsletter should be on line before the first day meeting of the month.

Membership: 28 members present.

Community Service: We have several quilts but keep making them.

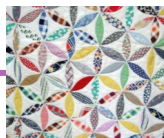
Saturday Stitch-in will be May 14 at the First United Methodist Church on Hospital Drive, Douglasville, across from the hospital. There is an open elevator in the breeze way between the two buildings.

Hydrangea Festival: Doreen Thornton has sent out an email with forms. You need 3 forms for each quilt. All quilts must have sleeves. Quilts will be collected at April night meeting or May day meeting or you can take them to Rita Perez's house.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Broach Winsley



Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

Night Meeting, April 28, 2016

The meeting was called to order by Tina Corbitt at 7:00 pm.

Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved.

Birthdays for the month of April were recognized.

Treasurer: Current balance is \$8398.44.

Bee Keeper: April Bee was well attended. May Bee will be held at Dawn Feist's home.

Christmas Party: Rachel Phaneuf has agreed to head up the party this year.

The date will be December 8, 2016 which is the SECOND Thursday in December.

The cost will remain \$20.00 per person. The event will be held at Atlanta's Finest.

Historian: Charlie states that all pictures to date have been submitted.

They should be up on the website within the next 2 weeks.

Librarian: Books were available for checkout on the back table.

Membership: Present at this meeting were 31 members and 1 guest. Three door prizes were distributed to: Marla Maxwell, Annie Kellum and Vickie Hecht.

Upcoming Programs:

May 12 Day Program: Community Service Sewing Day at Hunter Park

May 26 Night Program: Melinda Fulkerson Trunk Show

Saturday Stitch In: May 14, 2016 at First United Methodist Church on Hospital Drive

Cost: \$10.00 per person Great chance to enjoy sewing and each other.

Bring your own drinks, food to share, projects to work on.

Sunshine: Irene is sick – we hope she feels better soon. Regina updated us on her husband.

Ways and Means: Charm pack won by Albertha Brown. Long arm quilting by Albertha won by Denise Adams.

Hydrangea Festival: Quilts are to be turned in this month.

No reports from Community Service, Georgia Quilt Council or Golden Scissors.

A delightful program on Patchwork of the Crosses was presented by Murial Pfaff.

For further details, please see the Cherokee Rose Website and Newsletters.

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Adams