



Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

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From the President

Happy Quilters,

I was so pleased at the number of members and visitors in attendance in February. We had great programs to make you want to come. Good job Tina!

It was a lot of fun to see so many at the night meeting that knew lots of “odd facts” around our American presidents. The winners of our little game received “George Washington Cherry Pies”.

We were so happy to have several new members join us in February. WELCOME!!! Please think about inviting your friends to visit us for a meeting, we do not want to keep the great quilting fun to ourselves.

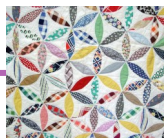
March is going to be just as much fun! During the extended Day Meeting we will all get the opportunity to stay and sew for Community Service for the S.H.A.R.E. House of Douglas County. Whether you choose to make quilts from large to small or concentrate on pillowslips, we ask you to join us for a fun and worthwhile day of sewing together.

The night meeting in March is one you will not want to miss. Regina Carter will be sharing a bounty of beautiful quilt. Regina is a master quilter and she will amaze you with her work. Come and enjoy.

Finally, our theme for the month of March is Lions, Lambs, Kites and Lucky Green. Please share your quilted beauties with all of us. Consider a small project like a table topper to give your “proud Irish green” a chance to glow.

Until then,

Charlie



Ad Hoc Committees

Bee Keeper

Annie Kellum

Challenge Quilt

Linda Jones

Albertha Brown

Christmas Party

open

Community Service

Bonnie McLain

GA Quilt Council Liaison

Phyllis Smith

Golden Scissors

Jeanette Koval, Day

Penny Landrum, Night

Photographer

Rachel Phaneuf

Saturday Stitch-In

Ann Groves

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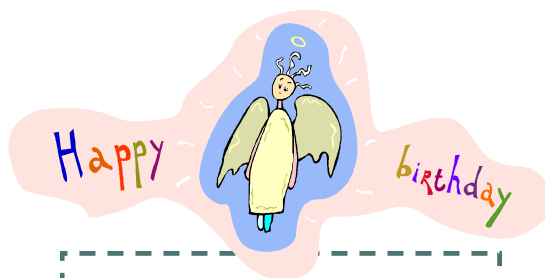
Membership

Total Paid Members: 68

Day Meeting 2/9/17—Members Present: 41, Visitors: 2

Night Meeting 2/23/17—Members Present: 39, Visitors: 0

Just a reminder, please wear your name badge to the meetings.



March Birthdays

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| Beverly Mahle | 3/05 |
| Susan Fisher | 3/08 |
| Gail Ford | 3/16 |
| Rita Perez | 3/17 |
| Donna Gilineau | 3/21 |
| Jennifer Glover | 3/23 |
| Annie Kellum | 3/25 |

New Location!!!

**Sutton Hall
5971 Sutton Dr.
Douglasville, GA**

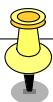
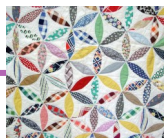
[Click here for a map.](#)

Take Highway 5 south from
Arbor Square Shopping Center
for 1.3 miles.
It is on the corner of Highway 5
and Sutton Drive.

**April
Newsletter
Deadline**

March 26th

Please send your
information to
Robin Meyer at
robinmeyerga
@yahoo.com.
Word documents
preferred—but any-
thing is okay!



Treasurer's Report—February, 2017

Submitted by Loretta Ford, Treasurer

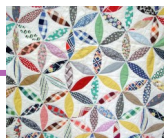
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| Beginning Balance | \$6,544.75 |
| Deposits: | |
| Membership | \$150.00 |
| Sale of library | \$300.00 |
| Ways & Means | \$162.00 |
| Total | \$612.00 |
| Disbursements: | |
| Rita Perez ck#1142 Ways & Means | \$22.07 |
| Andi Barney ck#1143 Feb Day Mtg | \$150.00 |
| D'ville 1st United Meth. Church ck#1144 2/25 Room Rental | \$75.00 |
| Rita Perez ck#1145 Ways & Means | \$13.85 |
| Broach Winsley ck#1146 Feb Night Mtg | \$25.00 |
| Total | \$285.92 |
| Ending Balance | \$6,870.83 |

2017 GQC Sewfest Retreat/Convention

The date and place for the 2017 Georgia Quilt Council retreat/convention has been set for August 16-19 at Epworth by the Sea on St. Simons Island. Sewing starts early on Wednesday but hotel check in is not till 4:00 P.M. Double room occupancy is \$375.00 for 3 night and this includes meals.

The convention will be Saturday and I do not know who the speaker will be yet. You do not have to be a member of GA. Quilt Council to attend. If you would like to become a member, the membership form is on the [website](#) or contact me to get a copy.

Phyllis Smith



PROGRAM NEWS

The March 9th day program will be a "Pillow Party" for our Share House Community Service Project. We will sew after the business meeting until 3:00. Please bring your sewing machines, pretty fabric and a sack lunch! We are hoping to have many of you there to sew for this worthwhile project. If you did not get directions at the night meeting. you can view a video on you-tube on Missouri Star or Crafty Gemini.

You will need 3/4 yard for the body of the case and 1/4 for the band and about 2 inches width of fabric if you want to do a trim. If you have fabric to share with others, please bring that along! If you are working on a donation quilt, please feel free join us and work on that!

Here is a link to NancyNotions pattern for the pillowcase.. I do use the entire width of the fabric. <http://www.nancysnotions.com/text/pdf/SpeedyTrimmedPillowcase.pdf>

Our March 23rd night program a trunk show and talk by Regina Carter. Many of you will remember her from a program several years ago. Come and see about 50 amazing quilts.

Tina Corbett, Program Committee—2017

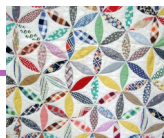
Bee News

The Bee will be at the home of Dawn Feist

On **March 16th** at 9:30am.
Everyone is welcome. Lunch will be served.

5425 Mill Valley Drive, Douglasville 30135

Please RSVP to Dawn at Cell 470-553-3320 or pawnfeist@gmail.com



Golden Scissors—Evening Meeting

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| Vicki Hecht | Picnic in the Meadow |
| Vicki Hecht | Tumbling Charms |
| Denise Adams | Twirling Log Cabin |
| Patti Howell | Lily's Tablecloth |

Where Do You Sew?

Some quilters have expansive, dedicated studios with all the latest gadgets while others turn out beautiful quilts using a decades-old Featherweight on a corner of the dining room table.

Where do you sew?

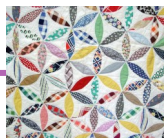
The July day program will be a photographic survey of where Cherokee Rose members sew. Grab your phone or digital camera and take a few photos of your sewing/quilting space, either as it is right now or after you tidy it up (or maybe even a before and after!), and then a selfie and email them to me.

Thanks...this is going to be fun!

Susan Fisher

suekate@bellsouth.net.





Sunshine

Dori Holt's husband needs prayers for his recovery from surgery.
Joyce Trew has a dear sister who is facing lung surgery very soon, and also needs prayers for a good outcome from this surgery.
And I would appreciate prayers for my daughters breast cancer surgery.
Be sure to contact me if you know any members who need a little Sunshine in their life.

Irene Gardner, Sunshine
i.gardner@comcast.net—770 949-7216

Community Service

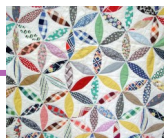
The first of our donation quilts were delivered to the Share House. They were so happy to receive them and were taking them immediately to a locked office! I was pleased that they immediately understood the value of the quilts. Thanks to all who have donated so far!

Share House Douglas is a non-profit organization providing crisis intervention and the continuum of care to address the causes and effects of family violence. They have a 24-hour emergency shelter and several transitional homes for women and children to transition to a new life. We are asking members to provide quilts (baby, twin, or double bed size) OR pillowcases (both women and children prints). We would like to provide items with "cheery" prints that will bring a smile to their faces.

We will be collecting them at every meeting throughout the year and presenting a few at a time... so please start now! Gently used linens and quilts are acceptable also as long as they are in very good condition and freshly laundered.

If you would like to read more about the Share House, you can visit their website at:
www.sharehousedouglas.org.

Bonnie McLain - Chairman
Jeanne Andersen and Gail Ford - Committee Members



Shop Hop Is Coming!

March 22 - 26, 2017

9:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Wednesday - Saturday, 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. Sunday

This year, there are 8 participating shops: Cottontail Quilts, A Scarlet Thread, Georgia Sewing & Quilting, Intown Quilters, Red Hen Fabrics, Sew Main Street, Stitch 'N Quilt, and Tiny Stitches. Get your Passport stamped to be eligible for these great prizes:

Grand Prize: Babylock Jazz sewing machine (\$1299 value)

First Prize: \$100 Gift Certificate to each shop (\$800 value)

Second Prize: \$50 Gift Certificate to each shop (\$400 value)

Third Prize: \$25 Gift Certificate to each shop (\$200 value)

Bonus Prizes: \$100 value drawing at each shop

Quilter's Tip Cards: Free with \$10 purchase. Collect them all!

* Free pattern at each shop.

The theme of this year's Shop Hop is "A Notion To Quilt." As an added bonus, each shop will host demonstrations and discounts for various notions every day of the event and there will be a free pattern at each shop. Visit the [website](#) for more info!

Call for Quilts!

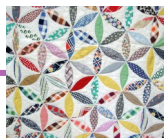
Georgia Celebrates Quilts 2017

will be held June 8-10, 2017 at the newly-remodeled Cobb County Civic Center.

Enter your quilts today—online entry available this year! It is quick and easy.

[Click here](#) for more information!

Quilt Entry deadline is March 18th!



Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

Day Meeting, February 9, 2017

Emma called the meeting to order. Motion to approve January minutes made by Libby, seconded by Annie. Recognized February birthday. Account balance as shown in newsletter.

Committee Reports

Beekeeper: Annie reported that the February bee will be at Jennie Hollis's house. Lunch provided. Please RSVP. There are still a few spots available to host a bee this year.

Challenge Quilts: Linda Jones and Albertha announced that this year's challenge theme is "Diamonds Are a Girl's Best Friend." The same rules will apply as last year. Details are on the website. To encourage members to participate, Linda and Albertha will be doing demos for diamonds cut with regular rulers before the next two meetings and during the breaks.

Community Service: Emma is still taking quilts to the hospital until they are gone. Bonnie McLain reported that this year's community service project will be to provide quilts (baby, twin and double) and pillowcases for women and children at Share House, a shelter for victims of domestic violence. Think bright, happy, cheerful! Gently used and washed quilts will also be accepted. Gail Ford and Jeanne Andersen are also on this committee. Emily Poole was the first member to donate a quilt.

Georgia Quilt Council: Phyllis Smith reported that this year's retreat and convention will be on St. Simons Island in August.

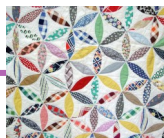
Golden Scissors: Jeanette Koval asked that everyone see her when they arrive and sign up for Show and Tell.

Librarian: Broach reported that we no longer have a library. It was sold by vote of membership to Paula Miller.

Newsletter: Robin expressed thanks for getting articles to her on time. Articles are due on the Saturday following the evening meeting. Also send her any quilt-related announcements, such as quilt shows or exhibits, you may have.

Programs: Annie reported for Tina that today Andi Barney from Red Hen will be doing a program on sewing machine maintenance. Broach will be demonstrating the corn and beans block at the February night meeting. There is a template by Sharyn Craig that is no longer made for this block. Look to see if you have it in your ruler stash. Dorie will be doing a program on Triangle Frenzy sometime after Len's surgery on February 16th.

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Day Minutes continued...

Saturday Stitch In: Broach reported for Ann Groves that 2017 dates for SSI are: February 25, May 20 and November 4. Time is 9a-9p and the cost is \$10.

Sunshine: Libby reported for Irene who is sick. Irene's daughter has breast cancer. Erna fell. Arm not broken or in a cast but is wrapped.

Membership: Denise announced that there are 41 members and 2 visitors present today. We currently have 65 members. She and Joyce drew for door prizes, some donated by Andi Barney, our speaker for today.

Ways & Means: Rita thanked those who have made donations. She raffled off the longarm quilting (Emma), the wool purse kit (Emma), fabric (Jennie) and more fabric (Denise).

New Business

Emma read a letter from the National Quilt Museum regarding their 2017 Quilts for Quilting campaign requesting people to donate quilts. No one volunteered to organize this request.

Denise reported on the East Cobb Quilt Guild Call for Quilts for the show. Information is on their website.

Charlie recognized Barbara Shirley for "Caught Doing Good." Barbara donated a gavel made by her husband.

Dori announced that the West Georgia Quilt Show is currently at the Carrollton Library.

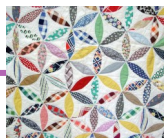
Old Business

Please see Annie if you didn't get the patterns from the program presented by Tom and Rose. Last call. Meeting was adjourned for Show and Tell and the program.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Wilson, Day Secretary

(After the program, there was a question as to whether we would participate in the Hydrangea Festival. We haven't been asked but some research will be done to come up with an answer when and if they do ask us. Also Denise reported for Erna that we will do a display at the Douglasville Library, hopefully in October with our challenge quilts.)



Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

Night Meeting, February 23, 2017

The meeting was called to order by Charlie Phaneuf at 7:00 pm at Sutton Hall. Housekeeping details were addressed for our new meeting place. Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved. Birthdays for the month of February were recognized.

Treasurer: Current balance is \$6297.68.

Bee Keeper: February Bee was held at Jeannie Hollis' home. March Bee will be held on March 16th at Dawn Feist's home. Lunch provided.

Challenge Quilt: Linda Smith and Albertha Brown. Before the meeting, a demo on cutting diamonds was held. Theme this year is: Diamonds are a Girl's Best Friend. There will be two categories: Art and Traditional. Details can be found on website. Members are asked to loan their entries to the guild to be on display at the Douglas County Library in October.

Christmas Party: Reservations are made at Atlanta's Finest for December 7, 2017. Still need someone to take the lead for this annual event!

Community Service: Bonnie McLain has already delivered 3 quilts to the Share House. They were appreciated! We are asked to provide pillowcases, twin, full and queen sized quilts. Patterns were available for making pillowcases. We are invited to stay after the March day meeting to have a "Pillowcase Party". We will sew until 2:30 and then clean up before we leave.

Georgia Quilt Council: no report. Info can be found at GeorgiaQuiltCouncil.org.

Golden Scissors: See elsewhere in Newsletter.

Historian: Pictures are current on the website.

Membership: Present at this meeting were 39 members. Total membership is currently 67. Five door prizes were distributed.

Newsletter: Please submit all pertinent info to Robin Meyer by February 26, 2017.

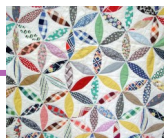
Programs: Tina Corbitt

Upcoming Programs: See Details on Website or elsewhere in this Newsletter.

March 9 Day Program: Pillowcase Party

March 23 Night Program: Regina Carter Trunk Show

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Publicity: Douglas County Library display of Challenge Quilts in October.

Saturday Stitch In: First Stitch-In to be held February 25.

All from 9A to 9P at First United Methodist Church. Bring \$10.00 and food to share.

Sunshine: Dori Holt's husband is improving.

New business:

No information on Hydrangea Festival Quilt Show.

East Cobb Quilt Show: submissions due by March 18, 2017.

Taste of Douglasville. The guild does not want to host a booth.

Charlie educated us on Groundhog Day, Valentine's Day and Presidents Day.

Prizes were distributed for the winners of the Presidential Trivia quiz.

Ways and Means: Drawings were held before the evening program.

Program was presented by Broach Winsley regarding several blocks.

Thank you so much, Broach!

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

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Adams

Ways and Means

Raffle winners for the month of February were: Emma Parker-long arm quilting, Awilda Cruz- St Patrick tea towel set, and Toni Presha- Bag lady

Thank you!! to all the following person that donated to ways and means in the month of February, Emma Parker, Linda Jones. Broach Winsley, Albertha Brown and Marla Maxwell.

Without donations from our members, Way and Means will not be able to rise funds for our guild. We welcome your donation.

Rita Perez, Ways and Means