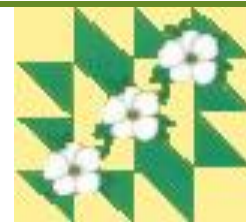


Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild



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Challenge Quilt – Linda Jones,
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Saturday Stitcharama – Libby
Armstrong, Jill Stroer

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From the President's Desk



GOODBYE FEBRUARY- HELLO MARCH!

I have to say that I have thoroughly enjoyed January and February meetings with you. I am so looking forward to another dose of Broach when she does a follow-up workshop on Ties - the lecture was great! I am looking forward to Show & Tell with hearts and flowers (continued) and seeing your latest creations.

What about that Martelli show.... that was a BLAST and I hope you enjoyed it as much as I did. Still trying to figure out another room to overtake, so I can get a lo-o-ong long arm quilting machine. A special thank you to Paul and Dawn Feist, Annie Kellum and Albertha Brown for your helping hands.

We had ticket winners to the March Sewing & Quilt Expo (thank you Charlie!) and whether you won or not, I hope you have the opportunity to attend. Wow, it is going to be very difficult to top the month of February.

Moving on to March, our Open House, "A Quilter's Gathering", will be a big event to encourage membership and show off what a great guild we have. This event is headed up by Annie Kellum, and she is the *Queen of Fun*. I know that everyone will come together to make this a fun night for all. Please invite and/or bring a guest.

Last, but not least, I encourage you to log into My Grove. It is the best way to stay informed.

Until next time....

Membership

Total Paid Members: 63

Day Meeting 02/08/18—Members Present: 32, Visitors: 1

Night Meeting 02/22/18—Members Present: 35, Visitors: 6

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

The 2018 Membership Form is on the website, also on My Grove.

A completed 2018 Form must accompany your payment.

Meeting Location

Sutton Hall

5971 Sutton Dr., Douglasville, GA

Take Highway 5 south from Arbor Square Shopping Center for 1.3 miles.

It is on the corner of Highway 5 and Sutton Drive.

Bee News

The March Bee will be at the home of Terry Tinsley

7080 Roselake circle

Douglasville Ga 30134

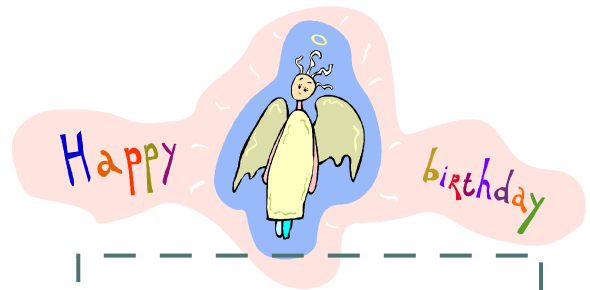
RSVP - H 770-949-2289 C 937-478-5174

Lunch will be served

Next Newsletter Deadline

is March 25, 2018.

Send your information to Libby Armstrong
@ grannyqwiltz@hotmail.com



March Birthdays

Beverly Mahle	3/5
Susan Fisher	3/8
Gail Ford	3/16
Tina Marinoni	3/18
Patricia Statham	3/20
Gladys Gant	3/21
Donna Gelineau	3/21
Annie Kellum	3/25

Treasurer's Report—February, 2018

Submitted by Loretta Ford, Treasure

Beginning Balance	\$7,804.00
Deposits:	
Membership	\$90.00
Ways & Means	\$20.00
Stitch-A-Rama	\$190.00
Total	\$300.00
Disbursements:	
Broach Winsley Ck#1195 Feb 8th Program	\$25.00
D'Ville 1st United Methodist Church Ck#1196 Stitch-A-Rama Feb 10th	\$75.00
Libby Armstrong Ck#1197 Stitch-A-Rama Plates & Bowls	\$26.55
Total	\$126.55
Ending Balance	\$7,977.47

Ways and Means

Ways and Means will have the table set up at the next day meeting. We have several new kits and fabric packs.

Historian

All pictures are posted on the web and MyGrove

Program News

MAR 08 DAY: My Grove Step-By-Step Demo and Q&As

MAR 22 NIGHT: Candace Hassen will present a Trunk Show. If you would like to see some of her quilts you can view online at <https://quilt designs by candace.com/quilts/-By-Step Demo and Q&As> .

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This will also be our open house, **“A Quilter’s Gathering”** so invite a guest, and let’s show them what our guild is all about.

Community Service

Terry has received over 130 placemats and many lap quilts for our current Community Service projects. Many of you took the time to sew these items at our recent Stitch-A-Rama. It was truly wonderful to witness the giving spirit of our Guild members. Any donations can be brought to the monthly meetings. Thank each of you for your time and generosity.

Sunshine

We have some "praises" this month! Dorie Holt's husband returned home from rehab center! Yea! Annie Kellum's daughter, Katherine completed some additional surgery and is doing well!! Last but not least, Rita Perez has recovered nicely from her hand surgery but is facing surgery on the on the other hand this week! Please remember her as she goes through this again!

If you know of someone needing sunshine, please text me, call me, or email to let me know! We want our members to know we are with them!

Bonnie McLain 609 668 3720 Cell

Saturday Stitch-A-Rama

We had a total of 19 quilters that showed up to sew, eat, and enjoy the company of fellow quilters. Some of the participants spent their day making placemats for our Community Service. We enjoyed a lot of good food and were excited that we had several new members to join us for the day. We didn't quite make it until 9:00 pm, but that was okay. A special thank-you to Jill Stroer, my co-host, and to Paul Feist, who arrived early and helped with all the unloading and heavy lifting.

Hope you will make plans to attend the next Stitch-A-Rama on Saturday, April 28. Look forward to seeing you!!!

Libby

2018 Quilt Challenge

"Reach for the Stars!"

The main focus of your quilt should be stars. You may have star blocks, star arrangements, artistic stars, or even movie stars. When someone looks at your project they should be "seeing stars".

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

Anything quilted and finished can be entered, 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 be a star in 2018!

The Quilt Challenge will be the program for the September 27, 2018 night meeting.

Golden Scissors

There were NO Golden Scissors awarded for the month of February.

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

Day Meeting, February 8, 2018

Ramona called the meeting to order. Motion to approve January minutes was made by Albertha, seconded by Charlene. Recognized February birthdays.

Committee Reports

Beekeeper: February's bee will be at Jennie's house. Lunch will be served.

Challenge Quilts: Theme for 2018 is "Reach for the Stars." Linda Jones said that information is on the website.

Community Service: Terry Tinsley reported that this year we will be making lap quilts for residents of assisted living and nursing home facilities. We will also be making placemats for Meals on Wheels. Showed charm pack placemat. Phyllis donated some Easter fabric for placemats and Sarah quilted it. Terry asked for Easter-themed placemats by the end of March.

Sunshine: Bonnie reported that Rita is recuperating from her surgery. Dori's husband has been in rehab but will hopefully go home this weekend. Annie's daughter is recovering well from her reconstruction surgery.

Ways and Means: Jennie and Irene said they will draw for two items today.

Stitcharama: Jill has signup sheet for Stitcharama which is this Saturday.

Historian: Charlie said there are pictures on the website.

Membership: Charlie reported that we now have 60 paid members. Today there are 29 members present and one visitor. Door prizes were awarded.

Programs: Ramona said that Broach will present a lecture on Dresden plates with ties at today's meeting. The February night meeting will be by Martelli Enterprises. They will have their products set up and will demonstrate them. The March day program will be a demonstration/tutorial on My Grove by Ramona. Annie said that the March night program will be an ice cream social/open house.

The meeting was adjourned for Show and Tell and the program.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Wilson, Day Secretary

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

Night Meeting, February 22, 2018

Meeting was called to order by Ramona Tucker at 7:00 pm at Sutton Hall.

Minutes from the January meeting were approved.

Birthdays for the month of February were recognized.

Treasurer: Ending balance is \$7944.02.

Bee Keeper: February Bee was held at Annie Kellum's house. March Bee to be held February 15 at Terry Tinsley's house. Lunch provided.

Challenge Quilt: Linda Jones Theme this year is: Reaching for the Stars. Show at September night meeting. There will be two categories: Art and Traditional. Details on website.

Christmas: No report tonight, but details to come closer to Christmas.

Community Service: We currently have 100 placemats but need more. Please give any tonight to Jill Stroer.

Historian: Pictures are posted on website and My Grove.

Membership: Total membership is 62. Present at this meeting were 34 members and 5 visitors. Door prizes were distributed including tickets to the upcoming Expo.

Newsletter: Submissions due to Libby Armstrong by Sunday, February 25, 2018. Email to: grannyquiltz@hotmail.com

Programs: Tonight: Martelli demonstration and instruction with discounts. **Upcoming Programs:** See Details on Website or elsewhere in this Newsletter.

March 22 – Open House with Trunk Show and goodies. Annie Kellum has arranged set up and food. If she requests your help, please say yes!

Stitch-a Rama: Last event was attended by 19 on February 10, 2018. Next Stitch A Rama will be held on Saturday, April 28, 2018.

Golden Scissors, Show and Tell, Publicity and Ways and Means did not present tonight in order to provide more time for Martelli program.

New Business: Ramona requested members to sign up to share 10 – 15 minute "TIDBITS" of information at a future program. A sign-up sheet was distributed.

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Adams, Night Secretary