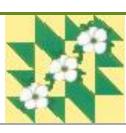
Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild



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Challenge Quilt – Linda Jones,

Albertha Brown

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Community Service – Terry Tinsley

Golden Scissors – Rachel Phaneuf

Photographer – Dawn Feist

Saturday Stitcharama – Libby Armstrong, Jill Stroer

Webmaster – Joany Orsi

From the President's Desk

MONTH OF A-MAY-ZING

HELLO EVERYONE!

We had our FIRST machine class of the year and it was fun, fun, fun. I think we all had a blast and most students were finished with their quilt tops by the next week. That makes me so happy and I can't wait to see your quilts in Show and Tell. Candace Hassen was a great instructor and she indicated that we had such a friendly and welcoming guild.

Dana, from Southern Stitches, Thomaston, GA did a demo - from cutting to stitching - that made making the Spiral Table Runner a super easy project. I realized that I had purchased the pattern a few years ago. The runner was displayed on the wall of a quilt shop and I thought it was beautiful so I purchased the pattern. It has been in on my bucket list to make. I do remember looking at it a couple of times and thinking that it may be a bit challenging. Then, arrives Dana and I was blown away. I can make this quilt in 3 hours - start to finish. Unbelievable easy. I was so happy and thankful that she did this program for us. Wasn't she a hoot?

We only have three more machine classes for the year so I hope that you will plan to participate. I understand how difficult it may be to bring your machine so let me assure you if you ask for assistance we will be happy to assist you. The remaining machine classes will be on June 14, Aug 9 and the last class will be on September 13. As an encouraging bonus, the Aug 9 class with Nancy Mahoney will be offered at \$10 for members only. This WILL include the pattern! I hope these classes will help you get a few nice gifts done and take a bit of stress off your Christmas list.

Your Committee Chairpersons and I are stepping up our game to make our guild more exciting and enjoyable than ever so stay tuned.

Lastly, the baby boy has arrived. It was a long labor and delivery, being that he was such a big boy - his head was very large and he was 11 feet in length - whew what a delivery! I'm very tired and I haven't had much sleep - but MAN-O-MAN AM I HAVING FUN. He's already weaned from free motion stitching because he does so well on his own - all by himself (my kids are so smart like that). All in all, Oliver is happy and doing well and I am thankful for your well wishes, your excitement, and for all you long-armers for getting me into this mess!

Until next time....

Membership

Total Paid Members: 71

Day Meeting 5/10/18—Members Present: 25, Visitors: 1

Night Meeting 5/24/18—Members Present: 40, Visitors: 5

We welcomed 1 new member in May

Just a reminder, please wear your name badge to the meetings. The 2018 Membership Form is on the Website and 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 June Bee will be at the home of Annie Kellum 9170 Charlton Place Douglasville 30135 Rsvp 770-851-1096 Lunch will be served The date is Thursday, June 21, 2018 at 9:30

Next Newsletter Deadline

Is Sunday July 1, 2018. Send your information to Libby Armstrong @ grannyqwiltz@hotmail.com

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June Birthdays				
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Treasurer's Report—May, 2018

Submitted by Loretta Ford, Treasure

Beginning Balance		\$7,012.97
Deposits:		
Membership		\$30.00
Ways & Means		\$208.00
Candace Hassen Class		\$190.50
	Total	\$428.50
Disbursements:		
Bonnie McLain Ck#1207 Cards & Postage Stamps		\$20.78
Sutton Hall Ck#1208 3rd Qtr Rent - July 12th \$25 - Aug 9th \$25		\$425.00
Broach Winsley Ck#1209 June 14th Day Program		\$25.00
Dana Brue Ck#1210 May 24th Night Program		\$50.00
	Total	\$520.78
Ending Balance		\$6,920.69

Ways and Means

A huge THANK YOU! to our generous guild members. We truly appreciate every single donated item from you. We have many wonderful and inspiring items for you to consider purchasing...at a dollar a ticket or 5 dollars for 6 tickets!

We will be out of town during the June day meeting. This means no Ways and Means table at this meeting...unless we have a volunteer to step up and manage our Sell Table for us while we are gone. Looking forward to seeing y'all again when we return in time for our June night meeting.

Ways & Means Committee

Irene Gardner and Jennie Hollis

Program News

JUN 14 - DRESDEN PLATE TIES & T-SHIRT CLASS. That's right, Broach Winsley is willing to include the T-shirt class as a bonus. Bring your machine, and lunch. It's what we've been waiting for so get your ties together and see Annie Kellum for supply list. This class is free for members and \$5 for visitors.

JUN 28 - TID-BITS & SOMETHING SPECIAL - A few of our great quilters will share their FAV techniques, rulers and other info in a 10-min-i class. The "Something Special" is a secret, so come and find out what that's all about and help us celebrate —-OOPS, did I say "celebrate"?

JUL 12 - CHRISTMAS IN JULY - The Stitchery is coming from Rome, GA to bring us the latest fabrics and gadgets so get your list going and shop til you drop.

JULY 26 - THE HISTORY OF FABRICS - A lecture by Mike Flynn. You will learn how to choose the best fabrics for your quilts and so much more. It's such a great lecture on so many things you may have wondered about in your years of seeing and using different kinds of fabrics. He will also bring short-bolts to sell. So there, your quilt list is done!

Community Service

Thank you to our members who continue to work on our current projects. (Placemats for Meals on Wheels and small lap quilts for nursing home.) Any donations can be brought to the monthly meetings.

Sunshine

Terry Tinsley's husband, Jack is recovering at home after surgery! He is doing well but will be taking IV meds for another three weeks.

As this goes to press, Jill Stroer remains at Wellstar Hospital trying to improve her "breathing and lung function".

Please keep these two in your thoughts and prayers!

If you know of anyone needing "sunshine, please let me know! 609 668-3720 cell phone, text, email, or call me at home! Thanks!

Saturday Stitch-a-Rama

Mark your calendar for Saturday, October 27, 2018.

Golden Scissors

In the month of May we had 4 ladies receive several Golden Scissors charms. Their quilts were traditional to artistic. Please take the time to look them over, you will really enjoy.

Susan Fisher - "Dashing Through the Neighborhood" - Golden Scissors Charm Jennie Hollis - "Corn and Beans" - Golden Scissors Charm

Linda Poindexter - "Jamming Under the Stars" - Golden Scissors Charm; "Diaspora Colors" - Golden Safety Charm; "God Said . . ." - Golden Safety Pin Charm and Machine Quilting charm; "Mixed Emotions 9patch" - Golden Safety Pin Charm and Machine Quilting charm; "Fruits and Flowers" - Golden Safety Pin Charm and Machine Quilting charm

Denise Adams - "New Baby Elephant #1" - Golden Safety Pin Charm; "New Baby Elephant #1" - Golden Safety Pin Charm

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.

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

Day Meeting, May 10, 2018

Emma called the meeting to order. Motion to approve the April minutes was made by Annie and seconded by Albertha. May birthdays were recognized.

Committee Reports

Beekeeper (Annie): May's bee will be at the home of Dawn Feist.

Challenge Quilts: Theme for 2018 is "Reach for the Stars." Linda said that information is on MyGrove and the website. Anything goes—quilt 240" or less, purse, wall hanging, clothing. There are great prizes.

Community Service: Terry reported that 23 lap quilts were taken to the Benton House and were very well received. Thank you.

Golden Scissors: Rachel said to please sign up.

Historian: Charlie said that information is on MyGrove and the website.

Programs: Annie said that today we will have the A-maze-ing class with Candace Hassen. The May night meeting will be a trunk show and demo by Dana Brue, Southern Stitches, Thomaston. June 14th will be a workshop with Broach on making a Dresden plate with ties. She demonstrated how to take a tie apart today. July 12th is Christmas Galore presented by The Stitchery in Rome.

Stitcharama: Jill reported that the next Stitcharama is in October. We need to sign up to have more variety in food.

Sunshine: Bonnie said that Jackie Delgado's daughter is better and so is Smokee, Ramona's husband. Emma's mom and Doreen's father passed away. Rita had surgery again. Janet Reno's husband is ill.

Ways and Means: Jennie said they will draw for two items today. Also there is a box of ties to be raffled off. Remember the program with Broach in June!

Membership: Charlie reported that today there are 26 members present. Door prizes were awarded.

New Business: Emma reported the proposed changes to the bylaws passed.

The meeting was adjourned for Show and Tell.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Wilson, Day Secretary

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Minutes

Night Meeting, May 24, 2018

The meeting was called to order by Ramona Tucker at 7 pm at Sutton Hall. Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved. Birthdays for the month of May were recognized.

Treasurer: See Report in My Grove.

Bee Keeper: May Bee was held at Dawn Feist's home. June Bee will be held at Annie's home. Lunch provided.

Challenge Quilt: Linda Jones and Albertha Brown. Theme this year is: Reaching for the Stars. Details can be found on website.

Community Service: Please focus on lap quilts for residents.

Golden Scissors: A poster depicting rules and charms was displayed by Rachel Phaneuf.

Historian: Pictures are current on the website and on My Grove.

Membership: Total membership is 71. Present at this meeting were 40 members and 5 visitors.

Newsletter: Please submit all pertinent info to Libby Armstrong.

Programs: Tonight: Program on Spicy Spiral by Dana from Southern Stitches. Upcoming Programs: See Details on Website or elsewhere in this Newsletter.

June Day Program: Dresden Tie Workshop by Broach Winsley. Free to members; charge of \$5.00 for guests. Sign-up sheet distributed. Please have all ties open and interfacing applied beforehand.

June Night Program: Tidbits (with surprises promised by Ramona!)

Stitch A Rama: Last Stitch A Rama was attended by 22 people. Next is scheduled in October.

Sunshine: Updates on several members and families were shared.

Ways and Means: Drawing was held before the evening program.

No additional OLD or NEW business was presented.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Adams, Night Secretary