



## President's Desk

“I can still bark  
out orders  
from here!”

APRIL 2019

## Last words before drifting off in a blissful sleep to La La Land:

Okay, so I only had a bandaged foot with a boot. It was on day three after my surgery when Eric (from Martelli) shows up to change the wires and check on a couple of things on Big Oliver. I was in bed and had taken a pain pill as Smokee ushered Eric into the workroom down the hall. I felt bad not being able to get up to see Eric and instruct him on how to treat Big Oliver. Even though he built the Big O, I think I know everything, hence I needed to holler out that statement before passing out.

Big Oliver is my beloved long-arm machine. I previously owned a Martelli sit-down quilter among many other purchases from this company. Martelli is a family owned business and over the years, I have built a great relationship with them so it's always a joy to see or talk with any of them. I don't by any means feel that I am treated any different than other customers because I know for a fact that they treat their customers very well and stand by their products, but they sure make me feel special. This caused me to think about the fact that I always recommend purchasing a machine at Quilt Expo/Shows because you normally get a great price, however, I now notice that some quilt shops will not honor the guarantee unless you make the machine purchase from them.

## *Officers*

**President** – Ramona Tucker  
**Vice-Pres.** – Tina Marinoni  
**Day Secretary** – Jeanne Andersen  
**Night Secretary** – Denise Adams  
**Treasurer** – Loretta Ford

## *Standing Committees*

**Historian** – Charlie Phaneuf  
**Membership** – Awilda Cruz,  
Albertha Brown  
Sandy Vickers  
**Newsletter** – Charlie Phaneuf  
**Programs** – Annie Kellum,  
Sarah Sorenson  
**Publicity** –  
**Sunshine** – Bonnie McLain  
**Ways and Means** – Linda Kelley

## *Ad Hoc Committees*

**Bee Keeper** – Jeanne Andersen  
**Challenge Quilt** – Linda Jones,  
Albertha Brown  
**Christmas Party** – Toni Presha  
**Community Service** – Jill Stroer  
  
**Golden Scissors** –  
Rachel Phaneuf  
**Hospitality** -- LaJuana Wingo  
Awilda Cruz  
Bonnie McLain  
Jill Stroer  
**Photographer** – LaJuana Wingo  
**Saturday Stitcharama** –  
Libby Armstrong,  
Jill Stroer  
**Webmaster** – Joany Orsi

In the past years I've had machines that the guarantee is honored wherever you take it regardless of where it is purchased. In my area, we no longer have a sewing center that sells and/or repairs the kind of machines we may be interested in so this makes it a bit more difficult in deciding whether to purchase your dream machine at a show. All is not lost, as some of the representatives at the shows can help you with ways to ensure you are protected with their guarantee when you make a purchase. Be sure to ask! Shows are so much fun and I just love seeing the latest machines and gadgets - and QUILTS and STUFF - it's like Disney World to me. There are still companies who really care about their customers so have fun and enjoy all the shows you can. Happy travels to those of you going to Paducah this year. Not sure that I can make it this year - boot and all - but next year - look out!

Getting back my surgery experience: 'Round about day 4 I wanted to kind of spruce up a bit so when I looked in the mirror, I stopped dead still —

WHAAAAT?? EEEEEKK!! AAHHHH!! .....I was looking at a She-Werewolf.....Is that a mustatche??? DID THEY PUT MALE HORMONES IN THE IV solution????.....I'm going back to bed - I must be in a 3D nightmare.

Until next time....

## Membership

**Total Paid Members: 68**

Day meeting Members Present: 19 Visitors 1  
Night Meeting Members Present: 34 Visitors: 0

We welcomed 3 new member in March.

Doris Furlow, Evelyn Ancona and Marge Frost.

***Just a reminder, please wear your name badge to the meetings.***  
The 2019 Membership Form is on the Website and on GroupWorks  
A completed 2019 Form **must** accompany your payment.



### Bee News



**The April Bee will be on Thursday  
April 18th at the home of  
Irene Gardner**  
4954 Horton Place  
Douglasville, GA.30135  
Lunch provided  
**RSVP 770.354.4874**

### 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.

### Next Newsletter Deadline

Is Saturday, **April 29 , 2019.**  
Send your information to Charlie Phaneuf  
@ les1phd@charter.net

### April Birthdays

04/08 Robin Meyer  
04/12 Emma Parker  
04/19 Vickie Hecht



## Treasurer's Report—March, 2019

Treasurer's  
report is on  
WorkGroups

## Ways and Means

Ways and Means will have the table set up at all meetings. Tickets are 6 for \$5.00 or \$1.00 each. This money helps to fund our Guild in many ways.

## 2019 Quilt Challenge

### *"Color My World"*

This year's challenge is to use a triadic color scheme in your project. Choose 3 colors that are equally spaced on the color wheel. You may use tints or shades of these 3 colors. In order to complete your design, you may use any neutrals such as white, beige, gray or black.

Suggestions:

- 1) Find a color wheel to look at. Did you make one in Rachel's class? Do you have a quilt book that has a wheel? Do you have a tablet or computer where you can Google "Color Wheel"?
- 2) Look at a color wheel and find 3 colors that are equally spaced around the wheel such as: green, purple and orange. If you choose this triad of colors you can use any shades or tints of green, purple and orange in your quilt. Next you can add any neutrals to your quilt.
- 3) **For fun but not required:** Download this free or cheap APP on your phone or tablet, **Color Wheel-Basic color schemes** in the app, click on the icon "wheel" in the lower left to change the wheel from basic to tints or shades of colors. Next click on the 2<sup>nd</sup> icon from the left at the bottom. This icon will show you all of the triadic color choices.

Your fabric choices do not have to be solids. Try using this challenge as a stash buster!

### ***RULES***

**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.**

The quilts are due at the night meeting in September. Judging two categories Traditional and Artistic, prizes for the 1<sup>st</sup> 3 places in each categories and fun.

## Program News

### Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

The April day program will be Diana Knott lecture and demo on the secret of strips quilts. Be ready to learn new techniques and maybe get some ideals on the triadic theme we have as a challenge for Sept. night program.

The April night program will be with Sarah Sorenson and guild members on the "How's of Paper Piecing". Be sure to bring items you have paper pieced finish or unfinished to share and discussed as a teaching mode for all or us. Be ready with your questions. Sarah will also be sharing one of her original patterns with us and maybe a few surprises.

May: Day: Program by Albertha Brown – making large bags.  
Limited to 15 participants. Cost \$15.00.  
Bring fabric cut and fused.

## Community Service

### 2019 Community Service

This year we are taking on 2 projects for service to our community.

#### 1. HEAD START

Quilts for Head Start should **measure 55" by 65 inches or Bigger.**

Use kids friendly themed fabric is encouraged (can be for boy or girl) The kids are between the ages of 3 to 6 years old, but please **NO HOLIDAY FABRIC.**

#### 2. Sheriffs Department – Fleece Blankets

We are asking members to create **fleece throws** for the Sheriff's Office. Officers will be able to use the throws for those that need a warm hug.

These throws should be one layer and a friendly print nothing scary.

Size **measure 1 and 1/2 yards or up to 2 yards by width of fabric.**

PLEASE serge all four edges.

I have turned in first bunch to sheriff's office so far great work!

Jill Stroer



## SUNSHINE

April Sunshine!



Please remember Denise Allee is still recovering from her accident!

Ramona is hoping to return to the next meeting with all her toes healed!

Keep Linda Jones in your prayers as she adjusts to the passing of her hubby..

Lajuana Wingo is suffering with back pain, so please think of her!

Annie Kellum lost her brother. Prayers for her. Losing a sibling is tough!

Let me know of anyone needing sunshine!

Bonnie McLain

## GOLDEN SCISSORS



### Golden Scissors Report March 2019

Heather Shaw received a “Golden Scissors” charm and a “Sewing Machine” charm for her beautiful “Beauty and the Beast”.

Sandy Vickers was a “Busy Lady” with her new machine as she created 4 beautiful quilts

“New York State of Mind” - received a Golden Scissors and a Sewing machine charm.

“A May Zing Christmas Quilt” - received a Golden Scissors and a Sewing machine charm.

“Twisted Triangle Quilt” - received a Golden Scissors and a Sewing machine charm.

“Christmas With The Mice” - received a Golden Safety Pin and a Sewing machine charm.

**SUPER JOB LADIES!!!!!!!!**



## Saturday Stitch-a-Rama

Next Stitch A Rama will be held on Saturday, June 22.

### Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Day Minutes

#### Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild March 2019 Day meeting minutes

##### Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Tina M., the Vice President.

##### Minutes

The minutes were approved. A correction was needed. The date of the next Saturday Stitch-In is June 22; not June 27. Annie K. made a motion to accept the corrected minutes. Sara S. seconded the motion. The motion passed.

##### Committee Reports

Treasurer: Report is posted on the website.

Bee: No report. Annie K. will host the March Bee at her home. Please call Annie to RSVP no later than Tuesday.

Challenge Quilt: Challenge quilt details are on the website. Charlie and Rachel's color wheel triad selection video is also posted.

Christmas Party: Planning is now in progress.

Community Service: Jill reported there are two projects. One is for Head Start; the other for the Sheriff's Department. Head Start quilts (no holiday fabrics) will be for 3- to 6-year old boys and girls. Sheriff's Department fleece blankets (non-quilted) will be for the patrol cars. Details are posted on the website.

Golden Scissors: No report. Please sign up your quilts for Golden Scissors.

Newsletter: The newsletter is posted on the website.

Photographer: No report.

Programs: Today's program, by Annie, is Paper Piecing - Part II. The March evening meeting, by Rachel, will be a class on Trapunto. The April day meeting will be a trunk show and lecture by Diane Knott from Butterfly Threads Quilting.

## **Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild March 2019 Day meeting minutes**

Publicity: No report.

Saturday Stitch-In: Jill reported that the next Saturday Stitch-In will be on June 22.

Sunshine: Ramona T. is recovering from foot surgery. Denise A. is up and walking. Barbara S. is recovering from surgery.

Membership: Today's attendance is 19 members, 2 new members, and 1 visitor. There were 3 door prize drawings.

Historian: Pictures are posted on website.

Ways and Means: We raised \$155 in February.

### **New Business**

None

### **Old Business**

None.

### **Announcements**

1. March 29 is the entry deadline for the Georgia Celebrates Quilts show hosted by the East Cobb Quilter's Guild.
2. Andi Barney with Sewing Doc led an excellent Featherweight workshop on March 9.
3. Red Hen Quilt Shop is closing. The final sale ends in 10 days.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned for Show & Tell.

Respectfully submitted-  
Dawn Feist

## Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Night Minutes

CHEROKEE ROSE QUILT GUILD NIGHT MEETING MINUTES  
March 28, 2019

Meeting was called to order by Tina Marinoni at 7:00 pm at Sutton Hall.  
Ramona was not present as she is recovering from foot surgery.  
Minutes from the February meeting were approved.  
Birthdays for the month of March were recognized.

Bee Keeper: March Bee was held at Dawn Feist's home.  
April Bee will be held April 18 at Irene Gardner's house. Lunch provided.  
Hostess is needed for July Bee.

Challenge Quilt: Linda Jones  
Theme this year is: Triadic Colors.  
Details in GroupWorks.

Christmas: Party to be held on Thursday, December 5 at Atlanta's Finest.

Community Service: Keep them coming, ladies! Details in GroupWorks.

Golden Scissors: Folks are encouraged to sign in their quilts and share.

Historian/Photographer: All is up to date on GroupWorks.  
Info to Charlie for the newsletter is due this weekend.

Membership: We have 68 paid members.  
Present at this meeting were 34 members, no guests.  
Membership list will be finalized and distributed in April.  
If you have not signed up and paid as a member for 2019, now is the time!

### Programs:

Tonight: Program on Trapunto by Rachel Phaneuf.  
Upcoming Programs: See Details on GroupWorks or elsewhere in Newsletter.  
April: Day: Lecture and Trunk Show by Dianne Knotts.  
Night: Throwback Thursday with focus on paper piecing.  
May: Day: Program by Albertha Brown – making large bags.  
Limited to 15 participants. Cost \$15.00.  
Bring fabric cut and fused.

Stitch-a Rama: Next event is June 22 at First United Methodist.  
If interest, Albertha may help folks work on their bags.

Sunshine: Updates provided.

Ways and Means: Goodies were displayed and drawings held.

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

Respectfully submitted,  
Denise Adams

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