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PRESIDENTS' DESK

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President's Desk SLOWCOOKING

When I found out I would have surgery, I knew that I would not be able to sew on my machine, so I concocted a plan to coincide with my healing. I called it the "Slow Cooking" plan. I saved three pieced quit tops with the binding on and one quilt ready to load onto the long arm to quilt, with the correct size batting and backing. I did not load it because I had a plan and a schedule that would coincide (hopefully) with the healing process of my foot. Cook a few meals and freeze. Here goes:

Week 1 - Take the prescribed pain medications as directed and hopefully remain in LA LA Land as much as possible. Follow doctors' orders!

Week 2 - Ease off the pain meds, get down the steps, and plan a bit more on how to make it to the bathroom in the middle of the night without waking Smokee, as he had been getting up faithfully putting the boot on my foot and I knew he needed the rest. Set up my hand sewing stuff down stairs in a place to sit up and stitch with a place nearby for elevating the foot. Follow doctors' orders!

Week 3 - Take no prescription meds. Sitting up long enough with my feet elevated to stitch on binding. Complete bindings. Follow.....

Week 4 - Loading the quilt onto the long arm. (That took two days - at about 2 hrs. each because I had to be on the foot and move around a lot more, and sitting for a while with the foot elevated.). Quilting the quilt. Make sure I am doing everything right so I can get a "driving" boot the following week. Follow.....

Week 5 - Good report from doctor and got the driving boot! Remove quilt from long arm, square up and stitch on the binding on the machine.... with my driving boot. I needed to drive my sewing machine!

I bet y'all thought I wanted that boot to drive my vehicle - no ma'am, no sir. (I did not think that Smokee had yet experienced the whole "for better or worse" part of the marriage vows, so he continued to drive, bring coffee to my bed, etc.) Just remember that as we age, we may have health issues to deal with. Don't panic. Make a slow cooking plan and you will be happy and content. You might want to cook and freeze a few meals, as you will! Get tired of take out foods. Until next time.....

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Membership

Total Paid Members: 68

No report for April See Meeting Minutes For info

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



May Bee will be at Emma Parker's

home on Thursday the 16th with lunch provided

2465 Greythorne Commons

Douglasville GA 30135

RSVP C 770.371.9096

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 Sunday , May 26 , 2019. Send your information to Charlie Phaneuf @ les1phd@charter.net

May Birthdays

05/06 Jeanne Andersen

05/21 Selemna Haslerig



Treasurer's Report—March, 2019

To see report go to CRQG at GroupWorks

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, <u>Color Wheel-Basic color schemes</u> 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 2nd 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 1st 3 places in each categories and fun.

Program News

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

May: Day: Program by Albertha Brown – making large bags. Limited to15 participants. Cost \$15.00. Bring fabric cut and fused. **This class is full**

The May night program is a lecture by Tammy Silvers; Studio 180

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

No Report for May

Saturday Stitch-a-Rama

Mark your calendars, call your friends, and invite them to participate in the upcoming Saturday Stitch-A-Rama on Saturday, June 22, 2019. We will begin at 9:00 am and stitch until 9:00 pm or whenever everyone stitches out the door. A sign-up sheet will be available at the May meetings. We are setting a summer theme for this event. **SALADS** The cost is \$10.00 per person plus brings a dish. Hope to see you there.

Libby and Jill

GOLDEN SCISSORS

Golden Scissors Report April 2019

Because I was unable to attend the evening meeting, at this time, I can only report on the Day Meeting.

Linda Poindexter shared 6 beautiful quilts and a lovely rug she created.

"One seed many flowers" earning a golden pin and a sewing machine charm.

"2 Friends" earning a golden pin and a sewing machine charm.

"Tailbone" earned a Golden Scissors charm and a sewing machine charm.

"Mellow Yellow" earned a Golden Scissors charm and a sewing machine charm

"Lime Green Fractured Diamonds" earned a Golden Scissors charm and a sewing machine charm

"Stars" earned a Golden Scissors charm and a sewing machine charm

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Day Minutes

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

April day meeting 2019

President ,Ramona Tucker called the meeting to order, welcoming new members and visitors and noting the birthdays for the month of April. The minutes were excepted as posted with no corrections.

Committee reports

Beekeeper : The March Bee was hosted by Dawn Feist- thank you Dawn for stepping up when Annie had to go out of town (,also thank you Dawn for being day secretary for March while I was away .)We had a small group at the March bee, but very much enjoyed each other's company and the food .The April Bee is at the home of Irene Gardner hosted by Irene and her daughter ,Cheryl .please RSVP. We still need a volunteer for the month of July.

Christmas party: there was no report this month.

Community service :we are making blankets for the Headstart group and they should be 55 x 65" with no holiday fabric ,we are also making fleece blankets for the sheriff's department for their cruisers they should be 1 to 2 yard pieces of fleece by the with of the fabric (WOF)

Golden scissors :make sure you sign your show and tell quilt information in each meeting to get your pins .there is a hand out available , with the guidelines for your quilts.

Newsletter photographer and historian :all pictures and info have been posted or sent to the Webmaster.

Programs :Diane Knott will have a trunk show for us today and have Her books and patterns for sale.

The April night meeting will be Sarah Sorenson with paper piecing information. Bring some of your examples to show and come ready to learn .May Day meeting ,Albertha will have a class on making the "big bag ". there is a \$15 fee please pay Sarah when you sign up.

Stitch-a-Rama :the next stitch a Rama will be Saturday, June 22 at first United Methodist Church there will be a sign up at the night meeting.

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild April 2019 Day meeting minutes

Sunshine :A number of our membership have needed a bit of sunshine lately. It is so good to have Ramona and Denise and Linda back . And noting how saddened we are by the death of former member Phyllis Schiwal, Andre have been informed that Marla Maxwell's mother passed away .Please feel free to send cards to any of these ladies.

Membership : We have 35 members present and five visitors.

Ways and means: The drawings for March cleared \$80.Please get your tickets at the break time for today's drawing .

Old business : Ramona noted that Rachel's exciting class on trapunto is now on group works .Please check it out.

New business: please pay your dues for this year. Last year at this time we had 84 members and this year we have 68.

Also, the Sojourner Show will be at the SW. Arts Center April 26 -May 24.Check online for further details.

Respectfully submitted Jeanne Andersen, day secretary

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Night Minutes

Night Meeting, April 25, 2019

The meeting was called to order by Ramona at 7:00 pm at Sutton Hall. Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved. Birthdays for the month of April were recognized.

Treasurer: Report will be posted in GroupWorks.

Bee Keeper:

May Bee will be at Emma Parker's home on the 16th with lunch provided. Tina Marinoni will host June Bee. Annie Kellum will host July Bee.

Challenge Quilt: Theme: Triadic Colors.

The challenge will be held at the September night meeting.

Newsletter: Please submit all pertinent info to Charlie Phaneuf by Sunday, April 28.

Programs: Tonight: Paper Piecing by Sarah Sorenson

May 9-Day Program: Albertha Brown – Big Bag.

Instructions were previously distributed.

Bring pieces pre-cut, pressed and ready to go.

May 23 Night Program: Tammy Silvers; Studio 180

June 13 Day Program: No meeting Field trip to Scarlett Thread. Please sign up ahead of time. Meet at Park and Ride on Douglas Boulevard @ 9:15 am to carpool.

Stitch A Rama: Next date is June 22. Food theme will be salad. Sign up sheets will be available in May.

Membership: Door prizes were distributed. Present at this meeting were 35 members, 3 of whom were new.

New member nametags are on the way.

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

No reports from: Community Service, Golden Scissors, Photographer, Newsletter, and Sunshine.

No OLD or NEW business was addressed.

For further details, please see GroupWorks.

Respectfully submitted, Denise Adams