



President's Desk

September is one of my favorite months! The leaves start to change colors, the temperatures get cooler and for some reason I start sewing more. Not sure why I sew more but I've been getting that itch. I have two projects on my sewing table!

Our Zoom Meeting in August went well. We had fourteen people attend. I hope that number grows this month. It is so nice to see everyone. We meet for about one hour. We had a short meeting discussing the Board for next year, Community Service projects and keeping people in our thoughts and prayers.

Since most of us have been sheltering in place, please reach out to those who might need a BOOST! I think the one good thing about this Corona Virus is that people have been sending cards (Old School) to people. It's nice to have that personal touch!

We have another Zoom Meeting scheduled in September! Please bring any and all quilts you would like to share with the group for a virtual Show & Tell. The meeting is scheduled for September 24th at 7pm! Let me know if you need help with ZOOM. Call me on my cell at 678-361-4313 if you need some help getting started.

Hope to see you there!

Tina

ZOOM! ZOOM! ZOOM!

**REMAINING 2020 GUILD ACTIVITIES
CANCELED**

Officers

President – Tina Marinoni
Vice-Pres. – Debbie McDade
Day Secretary Heather Shaw
Night Secretary – Denise Adams
Treasurer – Loretta Ford

Standing Committees

Historian – Charlie Phaneuf
Membership – Awilda Cruz,
Sandy Vickers
Newsletter – Susan Fisher
Programs – Jill Stroer

Publicity – ??????????
Sunshine – Bonnie McLain
Ways and Means – Linda Kelley

Ad Hoc Committees

Bee Keeper – Jeanne Andersen
Challenge Quilt – Broach Winsley
Christmas Party – Ann Groves
Community Service – Bev Mahle
Bonnie McLain
Golden Scissors – Rachel Phaneuf

Hospitality -- Awilda Cruz
Bonnie McLain
Jill Stroer
Photographer – Charles Phaneuf
Saturday Stitcharama –
Ann Groves

Webmaster – Joany Orsi

New Meeting Location Starting January 2020

St. Julian's Episcopal Church
5400 Stewart Mill Road
Douglasville, GA 30135

We are very easy to find, and not far off of interstate 20. Coming from Atlanta, travel west on I-20 to exit #36, go south on Chapel Hill Road one quarter mile then turn right at the fourth traffic light onto Stewart Mill Road. The church is 1.7 miles on the right.

MEETING TIMES - STILL THE SAME

Day meeting - Doors open at 9 AM and meeting begins at 9:30 AM

Evening Meetings - Doors open at 6:30 PM and meeting begins at 7 PM
SEE YOU THEN!!

REMAINING 2020 MEETINGS CANCELED

Membership

Total Paid Members: 57

*Just a reminder, please wear your name badge to the meetings.
Forget your name badge? It'll cost you a quarter!*

**The 2020 Membership Form is on the Website and
on GroupWorks
A completed 2020 Form **must** accompany
your payment.**

September 2020 Birthdays

9/1	Doreen Thornton Broach Winsley
9/8	Patti Howell
9/12	Doris Furlow
9/13	Dawn Feist
9/22	Kay Cheetam
9/27	Heather Barron



Program & Bee News

REMAINING 2020 PROGRAMS & BEES HAVE BEEN CANCELED.

Challenge Quilt

Because guild activities are canceled for the rest of 2020, the Challenge Quilts will be due September 2021. The Gallon Bag challenge will be due November 2021.

Broach Winsley

The item can be anything and any size – bed quilt, wall hanging, table runner, bag, etc. It must tell a Story. If you make a large quilt it probably can't be displayed in full unless you bring a rack but it can be folded to show as much of the quilt as we can. After the voting, you will be able to display your quilt to the group and tell you story.

The Gallon Bag Challenge

7 people joined the Gallon Bag Challenge. Each filled a gallon Ziplock bag with fabrics, buttons, zippers, lace, trim, etc. The bags were distributed among the participants. Each person will make a wall hanging using some or all of the items in the bag. Maker can add fabric, etc. Maker does not have to use all of the items in the bag. The wall hanging must be finished – quilted and bound. At the November 2021 night meeting the quilts will be returned to person who filled the gallon bag and an explanation (if needed) will be given for each quilt.

Community Service

Drop off date, time and location will be announced soon. Check Group Works.

Bev Mahle, bev_1_mahle@att.net

BEFORE YOU DELIVER YOUR COMPLETED COMMUNITY SERVICE QUILTS, TAKE A PICTURE OF EACH AND SEND THEM TO CHARLIE FOR AN ONLINE SHOW & TELL.

I've donated to CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) for several years. They work directly with the foster care program in Douglas County. There are 215 kids (up to age 21) currently in "the system," a number which is ever changing.

They are always in need of quilts! However, they are also in great need of items to put in the duffle bags currently supplied by another civic organization. So, WE are making drawstring bags and pillowcases for foster kids!! The bags will then be used for personal hygiene items and should be large enough to hold full-size toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, etc. (If you would like to add a little extra, The Dollar Tree has toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, etc.)

They specifically need items for teenage BOYS.

Have fun and let's show the kids some love!!

<https://youtu.be/oLG8FahYWNQ> drawstring bag

<https://youtu.be/dwL5VF8KSjw> jell roll pillowcase

Want a fun and fast quilt pattern? Potato Chip Quilt Lesson by Rachel can be found on You Tube:

<https://youtu.be/uXwxkz1WnMU> Potato Chip Quilt Supply List

<https://youtu.be/pD0bkhTpMC8> Potato Chip Quilt Lesson 1

https://youtu.be/GW_C3cj8X7Y Potato Chip Quilt Lesson 2

<https://youtu.be/awrtck0-sxk> Potato Chip Quilt Lesson 3

<https://youtu.be/FIS5Jbwfwlk> Potato Chip Quilt Lesson 4



Hi Everybody,

We have some members/spouses needing sunshine! Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers!

Dori Holt (one of our former members who has been inactive due to her husband's illness) is going to have heart surgery next week. Please keep her and her husband who is still under treatment in your prayers.

Denise Allee is still recovering so let's keep her on our list too!

If you know of anyone else, please let me know!

Bonnie McLain
bmmclain@aol.com

Saturday Stitch-a-Rama

THE NEXT STITCH-A-RAMA HAS BEEN POSTPONED.

We'll reschedule the Spring Stitch-a-Rama as soon as it's safe for us to gather.

We now have several months to try and figure a good location for everyone. If anyone has an idea for a location, please let me know

If anyone has questions call me at my office, 770-827-9935.

Stay safe as well.
Ann Groves



GOLDEN SCISSORS



Rachael Phaneuf

Although we aren't able to meet in person we are able to share Golden Scissors quilts virtually until we can hold them up in front of everyone at Show & Tell. In the meantime, send a picture of you and your quilt to Charlie (leslphd@charter.net). Include the measurements and title. Charlie will post them on Group Works.

Golden Scissors Report for August 2020

Sandy Vickers sent a picture of her quilt "Hail State." She will receive two charms, Golden Scissors and a sewing machine.

Be sure and take the time to see these quilts on Group Works and on the website.

Rachel

A Golden Scissor Charm is awarded for a completed quilt with a minimum measurement of 220" around the perimeter of the quilt.

Golden Scissors Rules

- The quilt should be completed in the same year the award is given.
- The quilt must be completely finished, quilted and bound.
- There must be a quilt label sewn into or onto the quilt with at least the quilter's name and date.
- The quilter presenting the quilt must have pieced the top.
- Piecing can be done by hand or by machine.
- Block-of-the-month, friendship, and round robin quilts assembled by the owner qualify for Awards.
- Whole cloth quilts are acceptable: however, no cheater quilts.
- Quilting may be either by hand or machine.
- Professional machine quilting and tied quilts are acceptable
- After earning 5 Golden Safety Pin Awards, they may be exchanged for 1 Golden Scissor Award.
- Both a written record of the Award and a Photo will be kept permanently by the guild.
- The record will include: the quilter's name, the name of the quilt and awards given

Historian & Photographer Report 07 25 2020

During the leadership Zoom meeting it was suggested that everyone should send in pictures of their beautiful quilts by a special theme each month for show and tell. Here are just a few ideas that might “spark” your creativity.

Sept / Oct : Labor Day fun, fall leaves, harvest, or maybe Halloween

Nov/Dec : Thanksgiving feast, Christmas fun cookie or maybe your own tree.

Send your pictures to me les1phd@charter.net and I'll get them posted.

Charlie

***DURING THESE UNUSUAL TIMES IT TAKES MORE EFFORT TO STAY CONNECTED AS A GUILD.
TAKE A MINUTE TO SEND PHOTOS OF YOUR GOLDEN SCISSORS QUILTS, COMMUNITY SERVICE QUILTS OR ANY OF YOUR QUARANTINE QUILTS TO CHARLIE. THEY'LL BE POSTED TO SPECIAL QUILT PHOTO GALLERIES ON GROUP WORKS***

I have a Husqvarna mega quilter that I would like to give to any member who has need of a sewing machine. Please contact me (eloschky@outlook.com) and let me know if you would be interested. This is completely free...all you would have to do is pick it up from the Tributary Villages neighborhood.

Eileen Loschky

HOW TO STAY IN TOUCH

How to join Group Works:”

Send an email to Charlie les1phd@charter.net and he will fill out a new member form and send it back to you to join.

How to find the guild on Facebook:

Go to facebook.com

In the search box enter Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

The CRQG page will pop up.

How to find the guild’s website:

Put www.cherokeerosequiltguild.com in your internet browser

The website has information about every aspect of the guild including meeting, program and workshop information, quilt photos, newsletters and more.

How to join a Zoom meeting:

The easiest way is to tap on the link that Tina will email to you. Just tap the link at the appointed hour. Depending on your device, there will be icons at the top or bottom of the screen for video and audio. A red line through either icon means no audio or video. Just tap on the icon and the red line will disappear and you will be seen and heard. It will be easier to see you if you have the light source behind your device so you’re looking at it. If the light’s behind you, your face will be in the shadow and you’ll look like you’re in the witness protection program.