



WE'RE BACK!

DAY MEETINGS:

Grace Presbyterian Church
5000 Stewart Mill Rd
Douglasville

Doors open at 9 am
Meetings begin at 9:30 am

Thursday, April 8, 2021
COVID Show & Tell
&
Community Service S & T

Thursday, May 13, 2021
Rachel & Charlie Phaneuf
Crazy Quilt Blocks

NIGHT MEETINGS:

Douglasville First United
Methodist Church
6167 Prestley Mill Rd
Douglasville

Doors open at 6 pm
Meetings begin at 6:30 PM

Thursday, April 22, 2021
COVID Show & Tell
&
Community Service S & T

Thursday, May 20, 2021
Irene Gardner

JUNE 10, 2021 DAY MEETING:

Field Trip:
Stitch 'n Quilt, Mableton

President's Desk

Hi Cherokee Rose,

Happy Spring! Good news! If you haven't heard, starting in April we will start meeting Face to Face for our Meetings. The Day Meeting will meet on April 8th, 2021. This meeting will take place at Grace Presbyterian on Stewart Mill. Our Night Meeting will be on April 22nd at Douglasville United Methodist church, 6167 Prestley Mill starting at 6:30. (SEE in the Newsletter for Specific address and times for these meetings.)

MASKS Are REQUIRED for BOTH Meetings.

Both Meetings will have a short meeting to go over monthly agenda. And then the Program for Both meetings will be Show and Tell. Since it has been a LONG time since we have met, that the Show and Tell would be like a Large Trunk Show. And of course SOCIAL time to get caught up on all of our happenings in the last year!

Since we are meeting Face to Face we WILL NEED Help with Membership. At this time there is NO one signed up for Membership, Sandy Vickers has decided to help get us started, but she cannot do this alone, so please if someone could Step UP and take on this project that would be GREAT!

Hope to see you soon,

Tina

HELP WANTED

COMMITTEE POSITIONS OPEN:

Membership
Programs
Publicity
Golden Scissors

Please contact Tina Marinoni to volunteer

Officers

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

Standing Committees

Historian – Charlie Phaneuf
Membership – ??????????????

Newsletter – Susan Fisher
Programs – ??????????????

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 – ??????????????

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

Webmaster – Joany Orsi

TEMPORARY MEETING LOCATIONS

APRIL & MAY 2021

DAY MEETINGS:
GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, DOUGLASVILLE
Doors open at 9 am, meetings begin at 9:30 am

NIGHT MEETINGS:
DOUGLASVILLE FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
NOTE NEW NIGHT MEETING TIMES:
Doors open at 6 pm, meetings being at 6:30 pm

FACE MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED
SOCIAL DISTANCING, PLEASE

JUNE DAY MEETING ONLY:

June 10, 2021
ANNUAL QUILT SHOP FIELD TRIP
STITCH 'N QUILT, MABLETON
FOR THIS MEETING ONLY, PLEASE RSVP TO JILL STROER:
JillyB39N@aol.com or 770-949-0209

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!*

**All 2020 paid memberships will be carried
over to 2021.**

MARCH 25 ZOOM MEETING MINUTES

Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild
Minutes, March 25, 2021

Our meeting was held on Zoom and attended by 12 – 15 people.
After Tina called the meeting to order, there was a bit of time to catch up with each other.

First on the agenda was BIG NEWS!

In-person gatherings are planned to be in April.

- Day meetings will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church.
- Night meetings will be held at United Methodist Church.

We are very grateful to all who researched sites and obtained locations for us to meet. Masks are to be worn at both day and night meetings. Ways and Means will remain suspended until we can resume having all our meetings in one location. We are hopeful that St. Julian's will re-open to outside groups in the fall. More details are located elsewhere in the newsletter.

Next, we discussed Committees.

- The guild needs volunteers to serve on the Membership Committee.
- We are also in need of someone to head up Programs. Jill Stroer has programs scheduled through the end of the year. This would be a great opportunity for someone to work alongside her so that planning for the following year will be easier to visualize.

If you are willing to support our guild in these ways, contact Tina Marinoni.

The Cultural Arts Center is having a one-day event on Saturday, May 15, 2021. Booths will be available. After discussion, it was decided that this would be a great opportunity for CRQG to attract new members. The plan is for members to make smaller items for sale (such as pillowcases or other small items) and to have a few quilts on display. We will also have membership information available for distribution.

A suggestion was made by Vicki Hecht that once we are together again, we organize and orphan block exchange. Others chimed in about a pattern exchange. We enjoyed sharing about ways we can share with each other once we re-gather. On that note, the evening ended with Show and Tell. It is always a joy to see the beautiful and creative work of our friends.

The meeting ended at 8pm, with many happy faces looking forward to the future!

Respectfully submitted,
Denise Adams

April Birthdays

4/8 Robin Meyer
4/10 Marguerite Eberhardt
4/12 Emma Parker
4/19 Vicki Hecht



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.

DEADLINE FOR MAY NEWSLETTER IS APRIL 27.

suekate@bellsouth.net

Community Service

Our Community Service project for 2020 was so successful, that it will continue on through 2021: Quilts, Drawstring Bags and Pillowcases for the Douglas County Foster Children.

BRING COMPLETED QUILTS, PILLOWCASES & DRAWSTRING BAGS TO APRIL DAY OR NIGHT MEETINGS.

Bev Mahle

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

SEND YOUR QUILT PICTURES TO CHARLIE!



It is with great sadness I report the death of Emma Parker's son. Please keep Emma and the entire family in your thoughts and prayers.

Please also remember Joyce Trew in your prayers. She is dealing with some difficult lung issues.

Also, Linda Kelly is having additional knee surgery. Please think of her as she deals with this!

Please let me know of any members needing sunshine! We need to be "there" for our members.

Bonnie McLain
bmmclain@aol.com

Saturday Stitch-a-Rama

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



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.

Don't hide your light under a bushel! Take a picture of your quilts and send them to Charlie.

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

SEND YOUR QUILT PICTURES TO CHARLIE!

How to join Group Works:”

Send an email to Charlie leslphd@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.

Beginning with the January 2021 issue, the Guild Newsletter will be online only. You can access the newsletter through Group Works or the Cherokee Rose website.