# Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild



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## President's Desk

Hi there, Cherokee Rose Quilters,

I hope things are starting to get back to Normal or a New Normal for you and your family. In April we started in person meetings again; the day meeting had 16 people attend and the night meeting had 12 people attend. It's a good start! We hope to see you in the upcoming months!! The Day meeting is at Grace Presbyterian Church, 5000 Stewart Mill, the meeting starts at 9:30. And the Night meeting is at Douglasville United Methodist, 6167 Prestley Mill, the doors will open at 6:00pm and the meeting starts at 6:30pm. We hope to see you at the next meeting!

Starting in May we will have programs at each meeting! The day meeting is Rachel and Charlie and the Crazy Quilt Blocks. The night meeting is a Scandinavian Star with Irene Gardner. It's so nice to have such talented quilters that want to share with the rest of US! Please join us for one or both meetings in MAY! We would love to see you!

# Tina **DAY MEETINGS:**

Grace Presbyterian Church 5000 Stewart Mill Rd Douglasville

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

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, May 27, 2021 Irene Gardner Scandinavian Star \*\*\*

## JUNE 10, 2021 DAY MEETING: Field Trip: Stitch 'n Quilt, Mableton

\*\*\*Supply lists in this newsletter.

## 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 Commíttees

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**

#### 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.



## 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 JUNE NEWSLETTER IS MAY 30. suekate@bellsouth.net

#### 04/08/21 Minutes Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild Day Meeting

The Meeting was held at Grace Presbyterian Church, 5000 Stewart Mill Rd. Douglasville, GA

Vice President Debbie McDade was unable to attend the meeting. Ramona Tucker served in her place and called the meeting to order at approximately 9:30AM

There were no minutes to review.

April Birthdays: Vickie Hecht

Committee reports given:

<u>Challenge Quilt:</u> Broach reported that the Story Quilt Challenge will be judged at the 09/23/21 night meeting. The Gallon Bag Challenge will be judged 11/18/21 night meeting.

<u>Programs:</u> Jill reported that the April night meeting will be show and tell as its been so long since we have been together that there should be lots of quilts to see. The May Day meeting program Charlie and Rachel will teach: Crazy Quilt block. Jill reminded us that she has programs lined up for

the rest of the year but would like someone to take over the committee.

<u>Community Service:</u> Bev reported that we will continue making items for DFACS kids.

<u>Golden Scissors:</u> Ramona has the sign up sheet and will give the information to Rachel.

<u>Newsletter:</u> Susan requested that the info for newsletter be sent to her in a timely basis.

<u>Photographer:</u> Dawn First filled in for Charlie - no report given.

Stitcharama: No report given.

#### Publicity: Inactive

<u>Sunshine:</u> Please keep Emma Parker in prayers after the loss of her son. Also keep Joyce Trew in prayer due to serious lung issues.

<u>Membership:</u> Sandy reported that 16 members were present. She requested that we complete a new Membership Form so she can make sure that the contact information is still correct. Door proces: Irene, Dawn Feest, Ramona and Loretta

<u>Ways and Means:</u> On hold until a permanent meeting location is found.

Due to the meeting being informal there was no real old or new business discussed. However, several comments were made. No motions made or votes taken.

- 1) If we are not able to meet at St. Julians, not to request a refund as they are probably having financial difficulty.
- 2) Everyone liked the facility and easy access at Grace Presbyterian and were interested to find out if it would be possible to have both the day and night meetings there.
- Even thought Grace Presbyterian is not charging the Guild to use the building it was suggested that the Guild make a donation equal to the amount t we were paying St, Julians.
- 4) Cultural Arts Center is having a "Craft Show" in conjunction with Tased of Douglasville in May 2021. Sandy Vickers is trying to get the details so that Guild might be willing to have a display and information to try and attract more members.

April Night Meeting 04/22/21 will be held at the United Methodist Church, corner of Hospital Drive and Presley Mill Rd.

Vickie Hecht

Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild Night Meeting, April 22,2021

The meeting was called to order by Broach Winsley with a nod to the April birthdays. YEA!!

Committee Reports

Bees- on hold until further notice Ways and Means- will resume in August Community Service and Newsletter- no report Historian had no new information to report Golden Scissors is set up for today for your show and tell items. Story quilt is due in September Challenge quilt is due in October Christmas Party will be headed up by Anne and she is welcoming several ladies to volunteer to help plan the event; she is checking on a new location.

Membership - there were 12 of us. The door prizes were won by Regina, Rachel and Jill.

Programs-

May Day meeting will be Rachel leading us in making a 10x10 inch crazy quilt block . instructions to follow. Probably at Grace Presbyterian Church.

May night meeting-Irene will teach us to make a tree ornament called Scandanavian Star.

June Day meeting will be a field trip to Stitch 'n Quilt. Call Jill to sign up and get details. June night meeting will be a lesson in machine applique.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanne Andersen

## SEND YOUR QUILT PICTURES TO CHARLIE!

## **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.

In April I turned in 19 quilts of various sizes, 16 pillowcases, 7 fleece throws, drawstring bags and toiletries!! Thank you!

#### **BRING COMPLETED QUILTS, PILLOWCASES & DRAWSTRING BAGS TO 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



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

## MAY MEETINGS SUPPLY LISTS

#### No machine needed for either

## Day Meeting: Crazy Quilt Block Rachel & Charlie

Bright fabric scraps Embellishments (lace, ribbon, buttons, etc) Colored Thread Hand sewing supplies Small iron or Clover press

## Night Meeting Scandinavian Star Irene Gardner

4 strips of fabric- at least 3" x 14".

An iron. You won't need to bring an iron if you fold and iron the fabric strips beforehand. Wonder clips or regular size binding clips, or pins.

A hemostat or tweezers.

Very sharp 5" embroidery scissors.

Basting glue-optional but recommended.

Perl cotton or embroidery floss to add a tie-on loop, optional.

\*The site below has the directions for making the stars and will be helpful to read before starting to make the stars:

https://mymodafabrics.com/webfiles/fp scandi-stars tutorial.pdf

Call or email me if any questions. i.gardner@comcast.net 770 949-7216

## SEND YOUR QUILT PICTURES TO CHARLIE!



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 (<u>les1phd@charter.net</u>). 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 quit with at least the quilters 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

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.