



President's Desk

Hi there,

Hope everyone is having a GREAT start for their Summer. Celebrating the 4th of July always makes me think of family. Having BBQ's and Sparklers, family game night and lots of laughs. What type of memories do you have of the 4th of July?

The Guild meetings have had a consistent amount of people, around 20 for each Meeting. We would love to see more of you and hope you will feel comfortable coming back. Let's get back to normal.

We have some Fun Events coming up in the next month. Jill has worked hard to get different types of sewing projects. The night meeting is having Christmas in July with Stitch and Quilt. Check out the newsletter for more details. Both meetings will be at Grace Presbyterian Church at Stewart Mill Rd for July and August. Come and see what you have been missing! We sure have missed YOU!

Hope to see you soon,

Tina

SPECIAL MEETING LOCATION FOR JULY AND AUGUST:

Grace Presbyterian Church
5000 Stewart Mill Rd
Douglasville

Day meetings:
Doors open at 9:00 am
Meeting begins at 9:30 am

Night meetings:
Doors open at 6 pm
Meetings begin at 6:30 pm

NEW BOARD OFFICERS

The present board has served for two years. It's time to nominate new officers.
Volunteers?

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 – Rachael & Charlie Phaneuf
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 – Dawn Feist

Hospitality -- Awilda Cruz
Bonnie McLain
Jill Stroer

Photographer – Charles Phaneuf
Saturday Stitcharama –
Ann Groves

Webmaster – Joany Orsi

TEMPORARY MEETING LOCATION

JULY & AUGUST 2021

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, DOUGLASVILLE

DAY MEETINGS:
Doors open at 9 am
Meeting begins at 9:30 am

NIGHT MEETING:
NOTE NEW NIGHT MEETING TIMES:
Doors open at 6 pm
Meeting begins at 6:30 pm

FACE MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED
SOCIAL DISTANCING, PLEASE

Membership

6/10/21 we had 16 members present
6/24/21 we had 20 members present & 1 visitor

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.**

July Birthdays

7/8 Paul Feist
7/12 Denise Adams
7/13 Awilda Cruz
7/15 Regina McKittrick
7/18 Rachel Phaneuf
7/19 Queen Ester Smith



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 AUGUST NEWSLETTER IS JULY 25th.
suekate@bellsouth.net

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild
Day Meeting Minutes
June 10, 2021

There was no formal meeting for the day meeting. We had a field trip to Stitch N Quilt in Mableton, GA.

Those in attendance we asked to gather in the classroom briefly so that a head count could be taken. The door prize of a \$10.00 Stitch N Quilt was given to Gail Ford when her wining ticket was selected.

Thank you, Stitch N Quilt for the generous gift.

We had so much fun browsing the fabrics and offering assistance when others were having a difficult time with their selections.

For lunch 9 members gathered for lunch at South Cobb Diner in Austell. The food was good but the fellowship was better. Discussion included favorite TV programs, the best YouTube quilting instructions etc. There was much laughter.

Respectfully Submitted,
Vickie Hecht

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild
Night Meeting Minutes
June 24, 2021

The meeting was called to order by President Tina Marinoni at Grace Presbyterian Church. The birthdays for June were recognized.

- Bee -Thinking about starting them late summer-
- Christmas Party- It is being worked on for location, food, activities because of Covid regulations, we don't know what the rules will be. So everything is being evaluated.
- Community Service- If you have items to donate contact Bev Mahle.
- Golden Scissors- At each meeting, be aware there are gold pins when you identify a new quilt for show and tell.
- Newsletter- Deadline is Sunday.
- History- all pictures are posted. Watch the blooper video about the crazy quilt teaching. !!
- Programs- Tonight is Broach with applique and needle turn instructions.
July Day- bring patterns, books to exchange.
July Night- Christmas in July by Stitch n quilt
August Day- Wreath by Rita
August Night- Orphan blocks
September Day- Annie Stocking
September Night- Challenge quilt
October Stitch N- 1st Methodist Church.

October Night R'Auction normally happens here. we are trying to put the details together.

- Sunshine- No report !
- Ways and Means- On hold until further notice.
- Membership- 20 members 1 visitor. There were several door prizes of Fresh blueberries, and the usual quilting objects!

NEW BUSINESS

Ideas about the 'auction such as the time, the way to divide the fabric and other items, what kinds of items to include, etc. Broach said she would head it up so we will try to get it together in time to have it in it's regular time slot in October.

It is time to think about a new board/officers for next year. Voting is in November.

And where we will meet. St. Julian's said they would refund our monies. We really need a location to have enough light, electric outlets, ability to have food, and be constant from month to month. And in budget!

Respectfully submitted,
Jeanne Andersen

SATURDAY STITCH-IN

Saturday Stitch-In is back! Mark your calendars for October 9, 2021. It will be at the Methodist church at the corner of Hospital Drive and Prestley Mill Rd across from the Hospital, from 9 am to 9 pm. It's \$10.00 to attend.

You can come for a few hours or all day. Everyone brings a dish to share for lunch and leftovers for supper. I will start a list of who can come and food items in the next few months.

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

Stay safe as well.
Ann Groves

CHRISTMAS PARTY

We are working to find a new location for our Christmas party on Thursday, Dec 2nd. If all fails, we will be returning to Atlanta's Finest. Vicki, Sandy and Broach are working on this with me. If you'd like to join us, please let me know. You can contact me at 770-827-9935.

Ann Groves

PROGRAMS:

July 8, day, Quilt Pattern & Book Swap ***

July 22, night, Christmas in July

August 12, day, Wreath Making

August 26, night, How To Use Orphan Blocks

***** Bring patterns &/or books you no longer use to trade**

**Are you interested in restarting the Bees in August or September?
Contact Jeanne Andersen. Jeanneandersen4@gmail.com**

Charlie is updating membership information. Please complete the membership form and give it to him at the next meeting. Remember: no dues for 2021!

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.

If I'm not at a meeting and you have items ready to go, I'm very willing to pick them up at your convenience. I do plan to have another drop off 'under the big tree' at First United Methodist, probably in September!!

Continue your great work...y'all have been amazing and a blessing to so many!

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



The sun is shining this month, so no extra sunshine is needed! No news of anyone needing extra sunshine but we all can use a little now and then!

So, sending a ray of sunshine to all of our members! 

If you know of someone or you need sunshine, just contact me!

Bonnie McLain
bmmclain@aol.com

SEND YOUR QUILT PICTURES TO CHARLIE!

AND THE WINNERS ARE....

June Day Meeting:

Gail Ford: \$10 gift certificate from Stitch 'n Quilt

June Night Meeting:

Ann Groves

Vickie Hecht

Regina McKittrick

Bonnie McLain

Queen Ester Smith



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 (les1phd@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

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.