

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild



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PRESIDENT'S DESK

For the past several years, June has been a busy month. My parent's wedding anniversary is in June, and for number 60 there was an obligatory family celebration at their home in Birmingham. One year, The Wife and I took 2 of her nieces to London for 10 days. (I highly recommend Evensong at Westminster Abbey and the Warner Brothers Studio Tour in Leavesden.) Then we traveled to Washington D.C. with her both nieces and her nephew. (I highly recommend the National Air and Space Museum in Chantilly, Virginia, but skip the flight simulators in the corner of the basement level - especially right after lunch.)

The only problem with these events was that they were concurrent with the Georgia Celebrates Quilts event presented by the East Cobb Quilter's Guild. It has now been many years since The Wife and I have been able to attend the East Cobb quilt show. This year, since I learned the date of the show (June 6 through 8), I have been keeping my calendar clear. I do not want to miss another one after so many sequential absences. Yes, there are larger quilt shows elsewhere in the country, but this one is here. You don't need an overnight bag, an airplane ticket, or 3 tanks of gasoline to attend the show.

The East Cobb quilt show, for me, is a giant show-and-tell where I don't have to hold up the quilts. Some of you have quilts entered in the show. I've seen the backs of your quilts there are no loose threads, but at the show I will be able to stand in front of them and think about them. And if I'm feeling ornery, I might ask one of the white-gloved attendants to flip over a stranger's quilt so that I can look for loose threads on the back.

If you are going to the show, and you see the Wife and I stranded on the side of the road with a dead car, please stop and offer us a ride. I don't want to miss this one.

Until our next meeting,

Paul

**MAY 9
DAY MEETING
FIELD TRIP!
Cottontail Quilts, Kennesaw**

**MAY 23
NIGHT MEETING
CANDACE HASSEN
Trunk Show: "Inspiration"**

Officers

President – Paul Feist
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Jennie Hollis
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Broach Winsley

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Bee Keeper – Caryl Knox
Challenge Quilt – Heather Barron
Christmas Party – Linda Kelley
Community Service – Bev Mahle
Golden Scissors – Dawn Feist
Hospitality --
Photographer – Charles Phaneuf
Saturday Quilt Till You Wilt –
Ann Groves
Jill Stroer
Auction Broach Winsley
Webmaster – Joany Orsi

2024 MEETINGS LOCATION

St. Julian's Episcopal Church
5400 Stewart Mill Rd.
Douglasville

DAY MEETINGS:
2nd Thursday of month
Doors open at 9 am
Meeting begins at 9:30 am

NIGHT MEETING:
4th Thursday of month
NOTE NEW NIGHT MEETING TIMES:
Doors open at 6 pm
Meeting begins at 6:30 pm

Membership

May Day Meeting: 21 members
May Night Meeting: 22 members. 2 visitors

Total Paid Members: 45
Welcome to both new & returning members

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

IT'S TIME TO RENEW!
2024 Membership dues - \$30
Membership form is in Newsletter
& Website

June Birthdays

June 3
June 24

Ann Groves
Irene Gardner
Jenny Hollis



Please send positive thoughts and prayers for healing and cards to Barbara Gary and Albertha Brown. Continue to send positive thoughts and prayers for Denise Adams, Regina McKittrick and Jim Fisher. Ann Groves' husband has been diagnosed with early stage colon cancer. Vicki Hecht and Bev Mahle's daughter were involved in auto accidents.

If you know someone who needs some sunshine, please call or send information.

Sunshine
Emma Parker
pemma53@yahoo.com

BEE
June 20, 2024

At St. Julian's Episcopal Church
5400 Stewart Mill Rd

Douglasville
9:30 – 3
\$5 fee for room

MAY IS SOCK MONTH

We've learned that every church where we've held meetings has an outreach program to provide clothing, food, services to the community. As the weather turns cooler, socks are a welcome donation, mens or womens, new or clean, gently used. If you wish, bring some to any meeting.

Fat Quarter Drawing

For June Down on the FARM (anything farm related, veggies, tractors, farm animal etc)

For each FAT Quarter that you bring you will receive one ticket to be placed into a container for a drawing at each night meeting. If you bring yardage you receive the equal amount of FAT quarters.

Please bring only 100% cotton fabric that is suitable for quilting. Each month the winner will also receive something special relating to the Theme of the month. Have fun with this and think outside of the box. Good luck to all.

Fat Quarter Schedule for 2024

January: Seeing Spots - Heather Barrow winner

February: Bees - Anne Groves winner

March: Birds of a Feather Flock Together - (birds, feathers, eggs etc)

April: Let's plan a VACATION (anything relating to travel)

May: Coffee or Tea what will it be?

June: Down on the FARM (anything farm related, veggies, tractors, farm animal etc)

July: Christmas in July

August: In My Heart There Sings a Melody (anything relating to music)

September: R'Auction night; No drawing.

October: -Games People Play

November: A Day At The Circus (anything you might see at the circus use your imagination)

December: Where Has The Time Gone? (anything time related)

Georgia Celebrates Quilts^(R) Quilt Show & Market

June 6-8, 2024

10 am - 5 pm

[Cobb County Civic Center](#)

Marietta, Georgia

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

If you won't be at a meeting, please have someone else give your report or email it to Bonnie (Day Meetings) or Paul (Night Meetings).

Community Service 2024

The Boys & Girls Club will be the recipient of our community service. We are doing pillowcases! Two coordinating fabrics, simple pattern, and about an hour of time is all it takes to contribute. You can do one or ten (or more) - I'm setting a goal of 200! If you want to help and need help in anyway, please let me know.

We are really close to our goal of 200 pillowcases for the Boys & Girls Club! I know there are several I haven't picked up yet and plan on doing so soon. I've been bagging each pillowcase individually with a "Made especially for you by the Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild of Douglas Co" tag included.

Since the Club has more participants during the summer months, I'm considering delivering them just before school starts back.

Thanks to each of you who have participated so far!!

Don't forget- part of community service is also donating socks for the church to distribute. (Soon the item will be insect repellent.)

Bev Mahle
Jankyb1961@gmail.com
Text to 770-757-2473

JUNE 2024 PROGRAMS

June 13, Day	Field Trip: Cottontail Quilts, Kennesaw To carpool meet at 10 am at Park & Ride on Douglas Blvd Or meet at Cottontail at 11 am Lunch after at West Cobb Diner 3451 Barrett Pkwy NW, Marietta (Corner of Barrett Pkwy and Dallas Hwy)
June 27, Night	Candace Hassen, Trunk Show: "Inspiration"

Starting in April 2024, Ways and Means will only accept exact cash or checks. IOUs are confusing Broach and Jeanne.

Looking for a longarmer?
Contact Jeanette Koval or Bev Mahle

2024 R'AUCTION

September 26th, Night Meeting

- Bring goods to be auctioned in open boxes with your name on the boxes.
- If your box doesn't sell, you have to take it back home.
- Doors open at 4:30 for setup. Bring your boxes starting at 5:00. R'auction starts at 6:00 after short business meeting.
- You cannot pay for your purchases until R'auction is over. No IOUs. Cash or check.
- When your boxes arrive, a label will be placed on each box showing: BIDDER, PRICE, BOX NUMBER. You will receive a paddle with bidder number.
- Bid prices must be in increments of one dollar.
- You can bring boxes/sacks of scraps. Cotton fabric only.
- ***I need: helpers to setup and label boxes and put away tables and chairs. Two people to run computer and keep up with who bought what.***
- Index cards, pencils, paddles will be provided

Broach

The deadline for the July newsletter is June 30.

The Guild Newsletter is online only. You can access the newsletter at the Cherokee Rose website. It is posted by the third of each month.



GOLDEN SCISSORS



Remember to record your name, quilt, details in the Golden Scissors book at meetings.

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 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

GROUPWORKS CLOSING

Groupworks is closing its site on June 21. For information on Guild activities please visit the website: CherokeeRoseQuitGuild.com

CHALLENGE QUILTS

Clue

Each person chooses three cards from a standard "Clue" game. They then have to represent those three 'clues' somehow in their quilt. The people (Professor Plum, Ms. Scarlet etc) could be easy as they can represent the color (but they don't have to), the rooms and weapons will be the tricky part.

The Rope ... could be a rope quilting motif, or a couched thread as an embellishment

Lead Pipe ... something grey, something long and thin

Conservatory ... use floral fabric, applique flowers and vines

Example: Mrs Peacock in the Dining Room with the Revolver could be Peacock feathers forming a Dresden Plate (dining room), quilted in concentric circles (revolver).

There is no size restriction to the challenge, it can be a pillow, bag, wall hanging, quilt any size, ect. It is due the night meeting in October.

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Heather Barron

People:

Mr. Green
Prof. Plum
Mrs. Peacock
Miss Scarlet
Mrs. White

Weapons:

Candlestick
Knife
Lead Pipe
Revolver
Roe
Wrench

Rooms

Conservatory
Lounge
Kitchen
Hall
Study
Ballroom
Dining Room
Billiard

QUILT LABELS

From Holly Ann Knight

Corner Labels

When I do have my act together, this is my go-to way to label my quilts! It's so simple— cut a 6.5 inch square of light fabric and fold in half on the diagonal. Sew the two sides that form a right angle onto the lower corner of your quilt as you attach the binding. This ensures that the two raw edges are encased when you stitch the binding down. If desired, you can blind stitch across the diagonal, but I often leave it loose as it's handy for hanging the quilt for photos (and could totally be used as a snack pocket!). Simply write on this label with a fabric marker or pen, set with heat, and you're good to go!

UGLY FABRIC FOLLOW UP

You have your pieces of “ugly” fabrics. Now what?

Now you get to make something quilted to be revealed at the August night meeting & ice cream social!

It can be anything, any size. Have fun with this! And there will be prizes!

ADDITIONS OR CORRECTIONS TO MINUTES ARE MADE AT MEETINGS.

May 9, 2024

Day Minutes:

Birthdays were announced for Jeanne Andersom May 6 and Caryl Knox, May 24. No treasurer's report. We had about 10 members attend the sewing Bee on May 16. Bees are from 9:30 -3:00 and cost only \$5, plus your lunch, maybe a snack to share. You do not need to be a member, and can bring a friend along to sew with us.

Heather Barron is in charge of the Challenge. The theme is "Clue" . Details can be found in the newsletter.

Linda Kelly has some volunteers to help with the Christmas Party, but could use a few more. She will provide more information at the July Meeting. Hopefully, the cost will still be \$25.

Charlie , our photographer, warned us about scams.

We had a wonder speaker, Marge Frost. She displayed her beautiful mini log cabin quilts and demonstrated how to make them. I am working on one, it is addicting!

Our night meeting should be fun. we are too bring a yard of ugly fabric. I think we need to make something from it and prizes will be awarded at our August Ice Cream Social. More details ath the next meeting.

The June day meeting will be a field trip to Cottontails Quilt Shop in Kennesaw. We will have several drivers , so if you don't have a way out there, you be be able to ride with one of our members. We will go to a local restaurant for lunch afterwards.

Our next Quilt Till You Wilt is scheduled for Oct. 5th. The cost is \$10 and bring a dish to share.

Sunshine reports that Jim Fisher is in hospice. Denise Adams has covid, Annie is still recovering from surgery, Regina had cataract surgery.

Prayers and good wishes for healing for all.

One of our members told us about a new quilt shop in Hogansville GA. Hometown Quilts, Very friendly and much to see and buy .

Respectfully submitted by Irene Gardner

Minutes Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild May 23,2024 Night Meeting

Meeting Called to Order by President Paul Feist.

April Birthdays: Happy Birthday to ALL of the members celebrating Birthdays in May.

Treasurer's Report: Jeanie Anderson - \$8715.48. See Newsletter for details.

Newsletter: Susan Fisher not present. Paul Feist reminded everyone that the articles are due Sunday 04/28/24.

Christmas Party: Linda Kelley reported that yes there will be a Christmas Party with full information to be provided in July.

Sunshine: Emma Parker gave an update. Please continue to keep Jim and Susan Fisher, Denise Adams, Annie Kellum, Regina McKitterick, and Barbara Gray. Ann Groves husband has been diagnoses with early stage colon cancer. Bev Mahle's daughter was involved in and MVA. Please keep in touch with these members of out Cherokee Rose family.

Programs: The program was a fun and invigorating game based on Musical Chairs. Those who participated was asked to make something using the fabric they received for the August Night Meeting. June Day meeting is a trip to Cotton Tails Quilt shop in Kennesaw and lunch.

FAT Quarter Drawing: May theme was "Coffee or Tea what will it be?" The Winner was Irene Gardner who also mug, a plaque, a cute needle keeper and a quilt pattern. **June theme:** Down on the farm. Anything related to the theme, fat quarters, panel etc. The winner will also receive some very special items other than the fat quarters.

Gallon Bag Challenge: Tall of the bags have been distributed. Project due at the Nov. night meeting.

Bee: Beekeeper Caryl Knox not present. Members were reminded to bring lunch and a treat to share. Time is from 9:30-3:00. Lots of fun and a good time to exchange ideas. Cost is \$5.00 per person. We do have to pay the church for the usage of the space and utilities.

Community Service: Darby reported that the pillow cases keep coming in. Thanks to all the members who are busy helping with the project. She will have an updated count at the May meeting.

Challenge quilt: Heather Barrow brief explanation of challenge. Complete details will be in the newsletter.

Membership: 18 members and 2 visitors present: Door Prizes: Jeanette Koval, Gayle Scoggins and Jeannie Anderson.

Historian: Charlie Phaneuf absent. Dawn Feist filled in as photographer.

Ways & Means: Several items were sold - amount raised not given.

Quilt til you wilt: Anne Groves reports that the next QTW will be Oct, 5th from 0900 til 19:00. Bring your project, food to share (remember do not use the church's ice). Cost for the day is \$10.00 per person.

Old Business: none

New Business: Motion made by Bonnie McLean and seconded by Broach Winsley that November Night meeting be canceled for various reasons. After discussion the motion was tabled

Announcements:

Show and tell: Irene, Anne Groves, Jeannie Anderson and Linda West showed us several wonderful quilts.
Keep up the good work. You inspire us.

Respectfully submitted, Vickie Hecht

Date _____

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

2024 Membership Form {age 15 and up} **Please Print Clearly**

Name _____ Spouse _____
Address _____ City _____
GA Zip _____ Home _____
Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Work _____
Phone _____ (Is not printed in Directory)
E-mail _____ Birthday (Month) _____ (Day) _____

Check Your Preferences Below:

_____ Attend Day Meeting – 2 nd Thursday at 9:30am _____ Attend Night Meeting – 4 th Thursday at 6:30pm

_____ Attend Both Meetings

_____ Email Reminder for Meetings

_____ Read Newsletter Online at Website or GroupWorks

Yearly Dues are \$30.00 *Make checks payable to: Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild* Please bring your completed renewal form and payment to a meeting or

Mail to: Jeanne Andersen, 5297 Kings Hwy, Douglasville, Ga. 30135

_____ **Membership use only below this line**-----

Renewal Paid \$ _____ Cash ____ Check# _____ New Member Paid \$ _____ Cash ____
Check# _____ Badge ____ Notify ____

