



## **PRESIDENT'S DESK**

About an hour before the start of our July night meeting, The Wife and I rolled down the driveway at home after 3 days on the road. To be honest, I wasn't really looking forward to our meeting. My July was overbooked with unpleasant tasks that need to be done, and several more are lurking just around the corner in August. While unloading the car before climbing right back into it, I was not looking forward to our meeting.

Arriving in the parking lot just as the sun came out from one of those gray clouds that had been intermittently raining on us that day, a number of guild members were already gathering for the meeting and waiting for someone with a key to arrive. Yes, I had the key. Greetings. Smiles. Waves. By the time I made it to the end of the walkway to open the door, I was genuinely looking forward to our meeting. It is a wonderful thing to be able to meet periodically with friends who have at least one shared interest. Perhaps only the common faith of our churches supersedes a guild meeting.

If you listened to the Sunshine report, you know that I was likely not the only person who may not have wanted to be at the meeting, but we were all there anyway. For each of you who attended our July night meeting, thank you. You truly brightened my day. If you missed our meeting, you missed a good one and we missed you.

Until we meet again,

Paul

**AUGUST 8  
DAY MEETING  
RACHEL & CHARLIE  
Fun Tote Bag**

**AUGUST 22  
NIGHT MEETING  
UGLY QUILT REVEAL  
& ICE CREAM SOCIAL**

### *Officers*

**President** – Paul Feist  
**Vice-Pres.** – Bonnie McLain  
**Day Secretary** Irene Gardner,  
Jennie Hollis  
**Night Secretary** – Vickie Hecht  
**Treasurer** – Jeanne Andersen

### *Standing Committees*

**Historian** – Charlie Phaneuf  
**Membership** – Rachel Phaneuf  
Marilee Kelley  
  
**Newsletter** – Susan Fisher  
**Programs** – Susan Fisher  
Bonnie McLain  
**Publicity** – ?  
**Sunshine** – Emma Parker  
**Ways and Means** – Dawn Feist  
Broach Winsley

### *Ad Hoc Committees*

**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:  
2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of month  
Doors open at 9 am  
Meeting begins at 9:30 am

NIGHT MEETING:  
4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of month  
**NOTE NEW NIGHT MEETING TIMES:**  
Doors open at 6 pm  
Meeting begins at 6:30 pm

### **Membership**

July Day Meeting: 26 members. 1 Visitor  
July Night Meeting: 18 members.

**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**

## August Birthdays

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August 26

Bonnie McLain

August 27

Sheila Cartwright



**SUNSHINE**



Please pray for Annie Kellum's sister. She lost her husband and is also experiencing health issues. Ann Groves' husband, Robert, is out of the hospital. He has had a port installed for chemo but plans on returning to work on August 12. Barbara Gary completed radiation and is feeling good. Regina McKittrick had a CT scan and her lungs were clear. She is feeling good and has started reorganizing her sewing room. She hopes to join us soon.

If you know of someone in need of sunshine. please contact me.

Emma Parker  
pemma53@yahoo.com

### **BEE**

**August 15, 2024**

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

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

### **AUGUST IS BUG SPRAY 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 hot insect repellent is a welcome donation. If you wish, bring some to any meeting.**

# Fat Quarter Drawing

For August

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.

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

## 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)

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**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 insect repellent for the church to distribute.

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

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## AUGUST 2024 PROGRAMS

**August 8, Day**      **Fun Tote with Charlie and Rachel. No need to bring your machine, lesson will be on video. Your first tote will be free but the second one will be \$3.00. The DVD to take with you will be \$1.00 how ever, the video will be online for free. It will be helpful if you would please bring correct change. Surprises to be expected!!**

**August 22, Night**      **Ugly Quilt Fabric Challenge Reveal & Ice Cream Social. It's time for our annual Ice Cream Social! And this year it will also be Ugly Fabric project reveal with prizes! Remember you can make anything, any size! Have fun!**

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

**2024 Atlanta Quilt Festival  
August 2 – September 8, 2024  
Tuesday through Sunday, 10 - 5  
Southwest Arts Center  
915 New Hope Rd.  
South Fulton, GA 30331**

**2024 R'AUCTION**

September 26<sup>th</sup>, 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

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**The deadline for the September newsletter is August 25th.**



## **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 has closed its site. For information on Guild activities & meeting photos please visit the website: [CherokeeRoseQuitGuild.com](http://CherokeeRoseQuitGuild.com)**

**From last month's speaker, Linda Agnello:**

**We are so impressed with your guild- you have a powerhouse community of quilters!**

# 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, etc. 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



## QUILTS OF VALOR

Quilting4Warriors is the local chapter for Quilts of Valor. Our mission is to cover Service Members and Veterans touched by war with healing quilts, made with prayers and a lot of love. To learn more about Quilts of Valor or to nominate an active service member or veteran, please visit [QOVF.org](http://QOVF.org).

Please feel free to join us for our next meeting on September 25 at 9:00 a.m. at the Douglas County Museum of History and Art, located at 12431 Veterans Memorial Hwy, Douglasville. *The first 30 minutes of our meeting is informational, then we sew together until 2:00 (bring lunch or snacks). If you have time and would like to stay afterward to help us piece blocks for a quilt, bring your sewing machine.*

### Save the Dates:

**September 26**

**October 5**

**October 24**

**November 21**

**December 5**

**R'Auction**

**Quilt Till U Wilt**

**Challenge Quilts**

**Gallon Bag Challenge**

**Christmas Party**

**ADDITIONS OR CORRECTIONS TO MINUTES ARE MADE AT MEETINGS.**

**CRQG**

**Day Meeting Minutes**

**July 11, 2024**

Approval of Minutes Day and Night: Jennie Hollis and Albertha Brown

Birthdays: Paul Fiest, Denise Adams, Regina McKittrick, Rachel Phaneuf, Queen Esther Smith.

Treasury Report: Jeanne Anderson \$8,026.31

**Committee Reports:**

Bee Keeper: Caryl Knox; Bee date is July 18, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm Bring a lunch and maybe a snack to share, \$5.00 per person for room rental fee.

Community Service, Beverly Mahle: announced that we may need to make more pillows. She will give us an account of how many more at a later date.

Challenge, Heather Barron: The Challenge is to use the game of CLUE as inspiration and the Due date is October 9th, 2024.

Christmas Party, Linda Kelly: was not present.

Fat Quarter Exchange, Vickie Hecht Christmas prints, didn't catch the name of the winner.

Gallon Bag Challenge, Dawn Fiest: projects are due at our November night meeting.

Newsletter, Susan Fischer; July 28th is the deadline for turning in information.

Photographer, Charlie Phaneuf: Photos will be ready on our July newsletter.

Programs, Susan Fischer: July night meeting program will be Christmas in July. And we will have a Make and Take project.

Our August day program Charlie will present a tote bag project, and we will also have an Ice Cream Social, and our Ugly Fabric Challenge Show n' Tell and a winner will win a prize.

Quilt 'til You Wilt, Jill Stroer and Ann Groves: save the date of October 5 for our QTYW stitch-in...September 9, 2024. Bring a covered dish to share and \$10 fee for room rental.

R-auction, Broach Winsley: she needs helpers, please sign up!

Ways and Means, Broach Winsley: We will have a lot of fabric and can be purchased by weight. Broach will bring in a scale for our use.

Sunshine Committee, Emma Parker: Please keep these folks in your prayers, send a cheerful card if you can...Annie Kellum lost her brother-in-law; Bonnie McClain husband's health is improving.

Membership, Rachel Phaneuf and Marilee Kelly: We had 26 members and 1 visitor. Also, the membership drawing winners were Patti Howell, Albertha Brown, and Linda Kelly.  
No old business or new business.

Announcements: Linda Kelly and Heather Barron visited Paducah, shopped at Hancocks of Paducah and highly recommend it.

Also, we are asked to remember to try to visit the Southeast Textile and Quilt Museum.  
Our visitor Beth Sizemore of Quilts of Valor invited us to check out her Quilts of Valor group at the old courthouse.

Presented by Irene Gardner.

### **Minutes Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild July 24, 2024 Night Meeting**

**Meeting Called to Order by President Paul Feist.**

**There was a correction made to the Minutes of the June Day Meeting. Quilt Til You Wilt is on Oct. 5, 2024.**

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

**Treasurer's Report:** Jeanie Anderson - \$8117.31. See Newsletter for details.

**Newsletter:** Susan Fisher not present. Paul Feist reminded everyone that the articles are due Sunday 07/28/24.

**Christmas Party:** Linda Kelley was not present - Rachael Phaneuf reported that the party is under control. Heather Barrow came with goody bags for everyone that included a piece of Christmas fabric and invitation to the Christmas Party to be held at Atlanta's Finest Catering at 6:30 pm on Dec. 5, 2024. The cost is \$25.00 per person. The committee will begin collecting the money in September 2024. Please make your check payable top Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild.

**Sunshine:** Please continue to keep Jim and Susan Fisher, Denise Adams who is recovering, Annie Kellum who is recovering, Regina McKitterick is now able to navigate stairs without assistance, Barbara Gray. Ann Groves husband received report the colon mass is not cancer, however has received a diagnosis of Large B cell Lymphoma and will be having a port placed next week. Unsure when chemo will begin. Please keep in touch with all of our Cherokee Rose Family with cards and prayers.

**Programs:** The program for tonight is QUILTO - lots of prizes were given out. Rachael and Charlie Phaneuf will present the August Day Meeting Program. The August Night Meeting is a showing of the UGLY fabric projects from the Game we played earlier in the year.

**FAT Quarter Drawing: July theme:** Christmas in July, Darby was the winner of the drawing. She also received a quilt pattern, nice Christmas mug and Snowman note pad. **The August Theme is:** In my heart there sings a melody. Any thing that makes your heart sing or music related.

**Gallon Bag Challenge:** All 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:** Bev Mahle reported that 240 pillow cases have been make. Thanks to all the members who are busy helping with the project. She hopes to take the pillow cases to the Boys and Girls Club in August.

**Challenge quilt:** Heather Barrow- not present. Paul gave a brief explanation.

**Membership:** 17 members present: Door Prizes: Debbie McDade, Ann Groves and Jill Stoer.

**Historian:** Photos have been sent to Joni for posting to the website.

**Ways & Means:** Earning \$28.00 **Rauction:** September night meeting.

**Quilt til you wilt:** Anne Groves reports that the next QTW will be Oct. 5th from 09:00am til 07:00pm. Bring your project, food to share. Cost for the day is \$10.00 per person.

**Old Business:** The May motion regarding the November night meeting remains tabled.

**New Business:** Some discussion on the website, Group Works and the Quilt Facebook page. No Motion made. Discussion to resume in July.

**Announcement:** Debbie McDade announced that she is expects ng her first grandchild,

**Show and tell:** Rachel Phaneuf

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 \_\_\_\_

