



PRESIDENT'S DESK

For the first time during my tenure as President, I missed our night meeting. The Wife and I are encouraged by your prayers and your messages of support and sympathy.

After my father-in-law entered eternity with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, the funeral home collected his mortal remains and we returned to the house where they lived for two decades. On the bookshelf in his study, I found one of her Bibles. The bookmark was at 1 Corinthians 15. I read verse 51: "Behold, I tell you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, but we shall be changed – in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed." (NKJV) Similarly, 1 Thessalonians 4 beginning at verse 16: "For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with an archangel's voice, and with the trumpet of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are still alive will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air; and so we will always be with the Lord. Therefore encourage one another with these words." (HCSB)

While death might initially be considered an inappropriate topic for our newsletter in this Christmas season, death has already touched each of you just as it has touched The Wife and I. While the angels sing "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men," (KJV) we mourn for the loved ones no longer here with us. Yet despite our sorrow, Christmas marks the nearly complete prophecy of Isaiah 9:6-7: "For a child will be born for us, a son will be given to us, and the government will be on His shoulders. He will be named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace. The dominion will be vast, and its prosperity will never end. He will reign on the throne of David and over his kingdom, to establish and sustain it with justice and righteousness from now on and forever." (HCSB)

Until we meet again – or the trumpet sounds and His kingdom is established,

Paul

Merry Christmas

January 9
Day Meeting
Game Day

January 23
Night Meeting
Earliest Quilt & Quilt
Tips

Officers
2023 2024 2025

President	Paul Feist	Paul Feist	Paul Feist
Vice President (Day Chairperson)	Bonnie McLain	Bonnie McLain	Bonnie McClain
Treasurer	Vickie Hecht	Jeanne Anderson	Jeanne Anderson
Day Secretary	Loretta Ford	Irene Gardner and Jennie Hollis	Irene Gardner and Jennie Hollis
Night Secretary	Denise Adams	Vickie Hecht	Irene Gardner and Jennie Hollis

**Standing Committees
2023 2024 2025**

Programs	Irene Gardner	Susan Fischer and Bonnie McLain	Toni Presha and Sheila Cartwright
Membership	Albertha Brown, Vickie Hecht, Paul Feist	Rachel Phaneuf, Marilee Kelley, (Vickie_nametags only)	Bunny, and Darby Jochum
Newsletter Editor	Susan Fisher	Susan Fischer	Susan Fischer
Publicity	(vacant)	Bonnie McLain	Bonnie Mclain
Ways and Means	Irene Gardner, Jeannie Hollis	Broach Winsley (with Dawn and Vickie)	Jill Stroer and Albertha Brown
Historian	(vacant)	Charles Phaneuf	Charles Phaneuf
Librarian	(vacant)	(vacant)	(vacant)
Sunshine	Mary Graham Bonnie McLain	Emma Parker	Emma Parker

**Ad Hoc Committees
2023 2024 2025**

Beekeeper	Jeanne Anderson	Caryl Knox	Caryl Knox
Challenge Quilt	Albertha Brown, Jill Stroer	Heather Barron	Heather Barron

Christmas Party	Annie Kellum	Linda Kelley	Linda Kelley
Community Service	Jill Stroer	Beverly Mahle and Darby	Annie Kellum and Darby Jochum
Fat Quarter Drawing	Dennise Allee	Vickie Hecht	Marge Frost and Vickie Hecht
Gallon Bag Challenge	Dawn Feist	Dawn Feist	Dawn Feist
Golden Scissors	Dawn Feist	Dawn Feist	Rachel Phaneuf
Photographer	Albertha Brown	Charles Phaneuf	Charles Phaneuf
Quilt-Till-You-Wilt	Ann Groves	Ann Groves and Jill Stroer	Ann Groves and Jill Stroer
R'Auction	Caryl Knox	BroachWinsley	Caryl Knox

11/25/2024

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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:
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

November Day Meeting: 24 members
November Night Meeting: 23 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!
2025 Membership dues - \$30
Membership form is in Newsletter
& Website

December Birthdays

12/7 Albertha Brown
12/8 Beverly Ward
12/13 Linda Jones



Our deepest sympathies to Dawn Feist on the death of her father and to Rachel Phaneuf for the loss of her brother.

Bonnie McLain's husband is on the mend as is Ann Grove's husband. Annie Kellum is improving. Dori Holt's husband is ill and in hospital. Jenette Koval's husband underwent heart surgery and is well now.

If you know of someone in need of Sunshine, contact me.

Emma Parker
pemma53@yahoo.com

DECEMBER IS SOCKS MONTH

BEE

No Bee in December

Next Bee, January 16, 2025

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. If you wish, bring some to any meeting.

Fat Quarter Drawing

Will resume in January!

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).

LINKS & WEBSITES FOR 2024 PROGRAM PROJECTS

FUN TOTE BAG presented by Rachel & Charlie:

Here is the link to the You tube video instructions for the Fun Tote Bag

<https://youtu.be/FyB9PSRg-ZA>

FOLDED STAR MAKE IT & TAKE IT:

Felicityquilts.com, search for Folded Fabric Star Ornament

MASON JAR LID SUNFLOWER MAKE IT & TAKE IT:

Afrayedknotbynicole.com, search for Easy No Sew DIY Primitive Sunflowers

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.

The deadline for the January newsletter is December 22nd.



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

**IT'S TIME TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP FOR 2025
2025 MEMBERSHIP FORM IS IN THIS NEWSLETTER
AND ON WEBSITE**

**Renew your membership by end of January to be included in new
Directory**

LOOKING AHEAD: JANUARY 2025 PROGRAMS

January 9, Day - "Game Day"

January 23, Night - "Earliest Quilt and Quilt Tips"

**For information on Guild activities & meeting photos please visit the
website: CherokeeRoseQuitGuild.com**

ADDITIONS OR CORRECTIONS TO MINUTES ARE MADE AT MEETINGS.

Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild
November 14, 2024 Day Meeting
Minutes

The meeting called to order by Bonnie McLain.

October Night meeting Minutes:

Approved by Jill Stroer and Loretta Ford.

November birthdays:

Joyce Trew, Toni Presha. Barbara Shirley, Jill Stroer, Marilee Kelly., Debbie McDade.

Treasury Report:

Jeanne Anderson, \$8,790.51

Committee Reports:

Bee Keeper-Caryl Knox, no dates set at this time.

Challenge Quilt-Heather Barron, not present.

Christmas Party-Linda Kelly; is in Utah, Rachel Phaneuf says the dinner fee is \$25, and they will have many, many gifts to give out!

Community Service-Beverly Mahle, 265 pillowcases have been delivered to the boys and Girls Club and were greatly appreciated by the staff.

Gallon bag challenge-Dawn Fiest; will be presented next Thursday night meeting (Nov. 21)

Newsletter-Susan Fisher, Nov. 24 Sunday is the deadline for reporting information. Newsletter will not be sent out to members until after the Christmas holiday.

Programs-Susan Fisher, today's program will be make and take Sunflower kits.

Quilt 'til you Wilt- Jill Stroer and Ann Groves; No QTYW dates have been set at this time. Fee to attend is \$10, also hours for QTYW are 9am to 7pm.

R'auction...Caryl Knox and Loretta Ford volunteered to run our 2025 R'auction but need volunteers.

Sunshine-Emma Parker; Bonnie McLain's husband is on the mend, also Annie Kellum is improving .

Dori Holt's husband is ill and in hospital. Jenette Koval's husband underwent heart surgery and is well now. Rachel Phaneuf's brother passed away at age 74.

Ways and Means, no information at this time.

Membership-Rachel Phaneuf and Marilee Kelly; we had 21 members attend and we gained a new member-Charlene Sercy. Winners of the Membership drawing were Jil Stroer, Albertha Brown, and Irene Gardner.

Fat Quarter Drawing-Vickie Hecht; we need more participation. Marge Frost volunteered to handle our FQ drawing next year.

New Business:

We voted for 2025 election. Also need to vote at our night meeting.

Old Business: discussed vacant positions; we need members to participate and sign up for positions!

Announcements: Albertha Brown brought in some delicious Quaker Rice Crisps for our treat, they were donated by her church. And Rachel Phaneuf brought in Chocolate balls to encourage participating in our voting process.

Show and Tell: Rachel Phaneuf -Lion and the Lamb quilt, Debbie Mc Dade-two gallon bag challenge wall hangings for Ann Groves, Charlie Phaneuf showed six fleece quilts, Vickie Hecht showed her Retreat quilt, Susan Fisher showed her lovely wall quilt, Jill showed us her gorgeous Lucy Boston queen size quilt and a pretty wind spinner made by Loretta Ford, and last was a lovely Western quilt made by Queen Esther Smith.

Program-Susan Fisher; passed out kits and showed us how to make some adorable fabric Sunflower!

Respectfully submitted,

Irene Gardner

Minutes Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild November 21, 2024 Night Meeting

Meeting Called to Order by Vice President Bonnie McLane.

The Minutes for the September Day Meeting has submitted to guild members. No corrections, Minuted approved as submitted.

August Birthdays: Happy Birthday to ALL of the members celebrating Birthdays in November.

Treasurer's Report: Jeanie Anderson - \$9433.51. See Newsletter for details.

Newsletter: News Letter Articles were due Sunday 11/24/24. Note that because Susan is traveling the December Newsletter will be a little late going out.

Christmas Party: 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 provided there are 40 guests needed to keep the price at \$25.00. If you have not paid please bring your money to the Christmas Party. We're told by the committee that it's going to lots of fun.

Sunshine: Continue to pray for Regina McKittrick, Bobby Groves has finished Chemo and plans to be at the Christmas party, continue to pray Jeanette Koval's husband Mark as he recovers from heart surgery. Prayers for Dawn and Paul Feist due to the passing of Dawn's father.

Programs: The Gallon Bag challenge was lots of fun. Everyone was surprised by the maker of the completed projects when they were returned. We hope that more people will sign up in 2025. You won't be disappointed.

FAT Quarter Drawing: November Theme: It's a Circus winner Irene. December theme is: Time flies anything vintage. (Don't let Irene Winn again)

Bee: Beekeeper Caryl Knox not present. October was the last Bee for the year. Plan to join the fun in 2025.

Community Service: Bev Mahle turned in the pillow cases and she isn't sure who was the most excited the adult workers or the children. Bev reported that the Boys & Girls club is closing in 2025.

Membership: 23 members and 2 quests present: Door Prizes: Broach, Linda West, Beverly & Albertha

Nominating committee: See newsletter for election results and the committee's seem to all be filled.

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

Ways & Means: Drawing winners: ?

Quilt til you wilt: Anne Grove reports dates for 2025 have not yet been set.

Old Business: No Old Business

New Business: No New Business

Announcement: None

Show and tell: Many beautiful quilts were shown.

Respectfully submitted, Vickie Hecht

Date _____



Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild
2025 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 _____