

# Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild



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February 2025

## PRESIDENT'S DESK

January! January was a wonderful month! January was our first meeting since November. Show and Tell ran long. We do not have December meetings excepting our Christmas Party, but most of you continue quilting. At our January meetings, we resumed multiple months of completed quilts at Show-and-Tell. If you missed our January meetings, you missed fabulous quilts.

The day after our January night meeting, one of my co-workers came to in my office. She is tenacious once she has a task in mind, and she had decided that the garage behind the concrete lab needed to be cleared out. While cleaning, she found a ruby red Viking Husqvarna Model 6460 sewing machine. This machine was manufactured in 1978. It's heavy. Completely mechanical. And in need of major cleaning and maintenance. If you are interested in acquiring this sewing machine, please contact me

The discovery of a top-of-the-line (back in the late 1970s) sewing machine in the garage behind my concrete lab is somehow appropriate for the start of our new year at the Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild. You never know what's coming next. A fabulous guest speaker at one of our upcoming meetings? A day trip to with a chance to meet the proprietor of a store currently unknown to you? A vintage sewing machine from 1978?

The entire year is now before us. Budget discussions/votes are imminent. Proposed bylaw amendments are forthcoming. And our upcoming meeting programs include wonderful guest speakers. 2025 is going to be a wonderful year at the Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild!

Until our next meeting,

Paul

## TIME TO RENEW MEMBERSHIP

February 13  
Day Meeting  
Field Trip  
Details Inside

February 27  
Night Meeting  
Joy Peters,  
Collage  
Applique

March 8  
Quilt Till U  
Wilt  
Details Inside

### *Officers*

**President** – Paul Feist

**Vice-Pres.** – Bonnie McLain

**Day Secretary** Irene Gardner,  
Jennie Hollis

**Night Secretary** – Irene Gardner  
Jennie Hollis

**Treasurer** – Jeanne Andersen

### *Standing Committees*

**Historian** – Charlie Phaneuf

**Membership** – Darby Jochum  
Bunny Albin

**Newsletter** – Susan Fisher

**Programs** – Toni Presha  
Sheila Cartwright

**Publicity** – Mary Lesh

**Sunshine** – Emma Parker

**Ways and Means** – Jill Stroer  
Albertha Brown

### *Ad Hoc Committees*

**Bee Keeper** – Caryl Knox

**Challenge Quilt** – Heather Barron

**Christmas Party** – Linda Kelley

**Community Service** –

Annie Kellum, Darby Jochum

**Golden Scissors** – Rachel Phaneuf

**Hospitality** --

**Photographer** – Charles Phaneuf

**Saturday Quilt Till You Wilt** –

Ann Groves

Jill Stroer

**Auction** Caryl Knox

**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**

January Day Meeting: 26 members, 2 visitors

January Night Meeting: 28 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**

## February Birthdays

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2/1      Gail Scogin  
2/10     Marge Frost  
2/19     Jeanette Koval



**SUNSHINE**



We have a number of our friends who are in need of prayers:

Beverly Mahle is scheduled for cataract surgery.

Vicky Hecht is scheduled for hand surgery.

Joyce Trew has been in the hospital in ICU for over a week.

Dori Holts' husband is back in the hospital.

Jennie Hollis has been diagnosed with colon cancer. She will have surgery on February 19.

Please keep all in your prayers. If you have an opportunity, send cards or call to see what you can do to assist their caregivers.

Robert Groves, Ann's husband, had a biopsy on January 27. All was non-malignant and he is only being watched. Robert and Ann thank everyone for their prayers.

If you know of anyone else who is in need of Sunshine, please contact:

Emma Parker

pemma53@yahoo.com

### **FEBRUARY IS SOCKS MONTH**

### **THE BEE IS BACK!**

**February 20, 2025**

**9:30-3**

**St. Julian's**

**\$5 fee**

**Guests Welcome**

**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

## February: Bright solids

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 tickets for FAT quarters. Please bring only 100% cotton fabric that is suitable for quilting. Good luck to all.

## WAYS & MEANS

The “Chinese Auction” is back! Tickets will be \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Write your name on the ticket and deposit it (or as many as you wish) in the box(es) in front of the item(s) you like. The first drawings will be held in February.

Do you have something for a future drawing to donate to Ways & Means? A notion, pattern, quilted item, or ??? Talk to Jill or Albertha.

Albertha Brown & Jill Stroer

## PROGRAMS

### **February 13, Day Meeting:**

Regular business meetings at 9:30 then we will carpool to the Southwest Arts Center. 915 New Hope Rd SW, Atlanta, GA 30331, to view a special exhibit by the Sewjoiners Quilters.

### **February 27, Night Meeting: "**

.Joy Peters, Fiber & Visual Artist, Exceptional Collage Applique  
<https://njoysart.com/>



**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  
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).**

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### **Community Service**

This year we will be making lap quilts for cancer patients around Douglasville.

Almost all of the quilt top fabrics will be provided for you if you choose to use it. Your major cutting has been done

I also have pattern ideas for the sizes provided as well as YouTube sites with plenty of ideas.

Quilts made from your own fabrics and patterns will be gratefully accepted.

Annie Kellum  
anniekell@yahoo.com

**The deadline for the March newsletter is March 1st.**

## Gallon Bag Challenge

If you want to participate in the Gallon Bag Challenge this year, you will need to prepare a gallon bag with various fabrics. You may also include things like buttons, zippers, bells, etc. When your bag is full, write your name on the bag and turn it in to Dawn Feist before the end of the March night meeting.

Your bag will be distributed to one of the challenge participants and you will receive a bag from a different participant in return.

The challenge is to make something for the person whose bag you receive using some or all of the contents of the bag. Your project may include additional fabrics or notions from your stash; you are not limited to the contents of the bag. You decide what you will make and present to that person at a night meeting later in the year. At that meeting, you will also receive a finished project from the person who had your gallon bag

## 2025 Challenge Rules

**The Challenge this year is a “Roll Of The Dice”. The challenge is due at the night meeting in October- there will be prizes and a door prize (Tenzi dice game) that the participants will have a chance to win.**

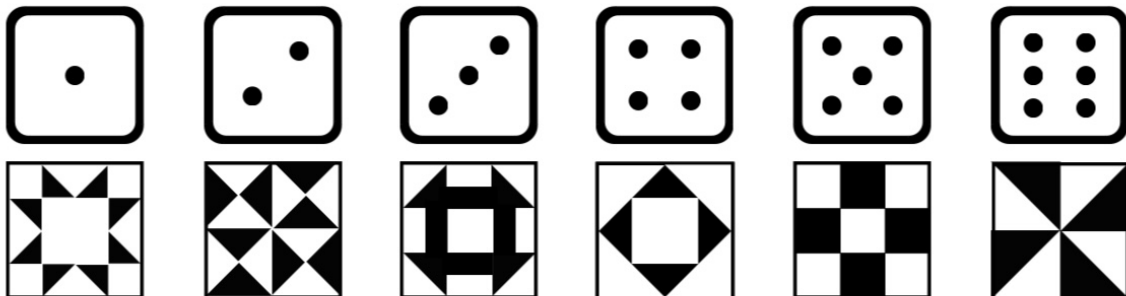
# QUILT GUILD

## CHALLENGE

### ROLL OF THE DICE QUILT CHALLENGE

The Roll of the Dice Quilt Challenge is a fun way to create a quilt by adding a twist of chance. You will roll TWO DICE, two times. Roll TWO DICE to find out which two blocks you will use. Then, roll TWO DICE to find out which two colors you will use! The rest is up to you. Do you want to add borders, appliqué, sashing? That is up to you... Let your creative juices run wild!

#### -ROLL TWO DICE-



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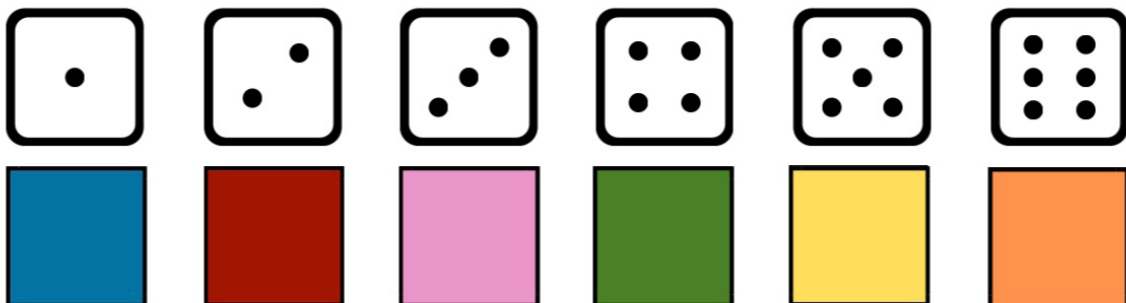
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#### -ROLL TWO DICE-



Quilty Quotes, Games & Projects for Quilty People  
[www.etsy.com/shop/QuiltyCobb](http://www.etsy.com/shop/QuiltyCobb)

-ROLL TWO DICE-



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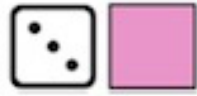
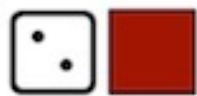
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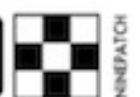
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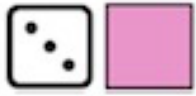
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## GOLDEN SCISSORS



**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

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## **Golden Scissors Report — January 2025**

Attention! Attention!! We are in a RACE!!

At the beginning of this new year and new month, we started a contest to win a Beautiful Queen size batting. We are encouraging you to join in. To win the batting, you need to register and show all your new quilts, runners, wall hangings, and other quilted objects (totes, etc).

Of course you will get your pins (small quilts and objects) and golden scissors (larger objects), HOWEVER, if you did your own quilting, there are additional charms.

I will do my best to show the running totals starting next month. (Check out the rules in the monthly newsletter.)

Wishing you creativity!  
Rachel

The Cotton Patch Quilters of Athens, Georgia, invites you to our biennial quilt show, "A Journey in Quilts 2025." More than 200 beautiful quilts will be on display, each one handmade by guild members from Athens and nearby communities. Visitors can vote for their favorite to receive the Viewer's Choice Award.

Vendors will be selling fabric, art supplies, books and more. A boutique will offer many handmade crafts, and the guild charity bee will be selling a variety of quilts. Raffle tickets can also be purchased online or at the show for a chance to win the beautiful quilt shown below. Please visit <https://cpquilters.org/show> for more information. Come celebrate the wonderful art of quilting with us!

**When**

Friday, February 28 10 am to 6 pm

Saturday, March 1 10 am to 6 pm

Sunday, March 2 12 pm to 4 pm

**Where**

Oconee Civic Center

2661 Hog Mountain Road

Watkinsville, GA 30677

**Admission** Adults \$10 (purchase at the door)

Children 12 and under free



The Cotton Patch Quilt Guild is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that was created to promote interest in quilting among its members and the community at large; to preserve and assure the continuation of the art of quilting; and to contribute to the community through charitable service projects.

**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**

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

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

CRQG  
Day Meeting Minutes  
January 9, 2025

The treasurer was not in attendance, but we have over \$8000 in the Treasury.  
January birthdays were noted:: Charlie Phaneuf Jan.12, Barri Heyward Jan.13, Loretta Ford Jan. 18,  
Linda Kelly Jan. 22. Happy birthday to all.  
Treasurer's report: estimated at over \$8000. Treasurer was not able to be at the meeting.  
Auction will be held at the September meeting.  
Bee news: Our next Bee is scheduled for Jan. 16. \$5, bring your lunch and a snack to share. Non  
members are welcome to sew with us. Hours are 9:30 to 3 pm, we all help clean up and put chairs  
away. We are encouraged to share our ironing areas and our cutting mats.  
Challenge Quilt will be explained at the net meeting.  
the Christmas Party theme will be Winter Wonderland. Linda Kelly has some great ideas.  
Service committee: Annie was unable to attend tonight, but is thinking about making small quilts for  
cancer patients.  
We received many RED fat quarters for the drawing, the winner will be announced at the night  
meeting.



Gallon bag challenge was explained. Bring a large gallon zip lock bag , filled with fabrics, notions to be exchanged for another member to make something for you, to be presented at one of our Fall meetings.

Rachael Phaneuf did a wonderful job of explaining how the Golden Scissors works. Membership we had 28 members and 2 visitors.

Jan 6th is the deadline for items to be put in the newsletter.

Photos are up on the website .

Our program tonight was presented by Denise Alee. We played some challenging games.

Next month bring your earliest quilt to the day meeting.

Quilt To You Wilt will be on Saturday, March 8. \$10, 9 am until 7 pm. we will all help to clean and put chairs up from 7 to 7:30. Bring a dish to share . Friends may attend Free for their first visit.

Sunshine: Ann Groves husband has biopsy scheduled. Still has lymphoma and will have more treatments. Annie Kellum is still recuperating from her surgery.

Ways and Means has some great stuff ! Tickets for the drawing are \$1 each or 6 for \$5.

Quilts of Valor will be displayed at the Carrollton quilt museum on Feb. 1st.

Rent Increase will be \$110 for less than 6 hours. \$125 for more than 6 hours. Executive Board has approved.

Minutes entered by Jennie Hollis

CRQG

January 23, 2025

Night Meeting Minutes

Our day meeting members have approved the St. Julians room fee for our guild at \$70.

January birthdays...Charley Phaneuf, Loretta Ford, Linda Kelly. I hope I didn't miss anyone's birthday...a bit noisy in the room tonight.

Jeanne Anderson informed us that our Treasury amount is \$8,930.16

Linda Kelly says our Christmas party is not yet scheduled but it will more than likely be held at a different location this December.

Our newsletter deadline is January 26.

Sunshine Committee Committee; Bonnie McLain filled in for Emma Parker:

Joyce Trew is in the ICU unit at Cobb hospital

Ann Groves husband Bob has developed complications with his health.

Jennie Hollis has been diagnosed with cancer; surgery date is February 19, 2025.

Annie Kellum is much better and was in attendance tonight.

Toni Presha has scheduled a wonderful February day program...a field trip to a Quilt show (I didn't catch the name of the museum) All members shall meet at St. Julians for a brief business meeting and then we will carpool to Cascade Road. No entrance fee required. We will meet for lunch after the quilt show.



Fat Quarter Lottery: Our winner for this month was Charlene Searcy. Bring bright solids for our February FQ lottery.

Golden Scissors Show N" Tell...Rachel Phaneuf has made some changes to encourage more participation. This month Bunny, Marge, and Charlene all received charms.

Gallon Bag Challenge: Dawn Fiest says the participation deadline for this challenge is March night meeting.

Community Service: Annie Kellum and Darby Jochim. Annie brought fabric for each of us to use in a lap size quilt (finished) to donate to this charity. Some pattern ideas can be found at Quilt with Lori Dickman on You Tube.

Quilting Bee: February 20th. Caryl Knox cannot bring her ironing board, iron, or cutting mat anymore. Please bring your own if you need these items.

Challenge Quilt: Hather has challenged us with a "Roll the Dice game, and some fun prizes too!

Membership: 27 members attended, plus 1 guest.

Ways and Means: Albertha and Jill Strorer...their first drawing will be on our February day meeting.

R'auction: Caryl Knox says to start saving your quilt related items and also save box tops and boxes. We also anticipate a name change in the near future...to "Auction".

QTYW...reserve this date for QTYW...March 8th, 9am to 7pm. We should all stay until 7:30pm and help with the clean-up. \$10 fee plus a covered dish for sharing.

Show and Tell:

Rachel sowed a lovely baby quilt.

Beverly Mahle presented 8 lovely donation quilts.

Caryl Knox showed a pretty Kaffe Fasette quilt.

Mary made a lovely table runner.

Toni Presha showed us 4 small Hoffman Challenge quilts.

Bunny showed a lovely large quilt.

Ann Groves finally finished and showed us her gorgeous Cathedral Window quilt-all done by hand!

Respectfully submitted,  
Irene Gardner

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 \_\_\_\_\_