

# Cherokee Rose Quilter's Guild

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June 2012

## President's Message

The May flowers have bloomed, the kids are out of school and the weather is getting HOT! It must mean that Summer is just around the corner!

Cherokee Rose has received an invitation from Julie Stephens of the Chattahoochee Evening Stars Quilt Guild. They will be hosting the Stars 'N' Stitches Quilt Show September 22-23 in Cumming Georgia. I have sent her an e-mail requesting promotional materials. It sounds like it will be a lot of fun. Stay tuned for more information as it comes in!

Please be sure and check our website for the programs and workshops coming up over the next few months. Our Programs Committee has done a great job lining up a lot of exciting things for our guild. I loved learning how to do Chicken Scratch at the day meeting in May, and very much enjoyed learning about The American Quilt Trail and Barn Quilts from Suzi Parron on the 24th.

It seems we've had a good response to making wall hangings for the New Hope Project in Douglasville. It was truly amazing to see how so many of you took the same piece of 3x3 fabric and turned it into a rainbow of color with such a variety of designs. It is my pleasure to be a part of this guild.

Don't forget to make your placemats for the Meals on Wheels due later this year.

If you haven't been to Douglas Wellstar yet, you need to drop by and see the quilts in the lobby. They are beautiful! Thank you to each one of you, past and present, who have loaned us your precious pieces of art so that others can enjoy looking at them for a while.

I look forward to the June activities that we have coming up and encourage you to come and bring a friend. I also want to wish a Happy Father's Day to Charlie (as he's our only male member for now)!

Keep quilting! It makes you smile.

Dori



## 2012 Officers

President – Dori Holt  
Vice-President – Jennie Hollis  
Day Secretary – Phyllis Carpenter  
Night Secretary – Connie Tallant  
Treasurer – Tina Corbitt

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**SUNSHINE**

Looks like our ladies are on the mend and we are very thankful for your recovery. Pleased to see Sandy Capazzi at the night meeting. She gave her status and all we needed to do was see the smile on her face to see she was "GOOD".

Update on Eleanor Agan from her car accident. Eleanor and Wilbur went to the Orthopedic and were told to give it some time and should heal on its own. We know that sounds so easy but know better with the bumps and bruises ya'll had. Looks like they won't need any more meals from us at this time and she sends her thanks to all of you who were so willing to give a hand.

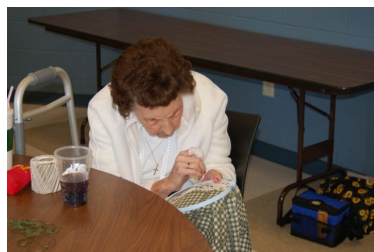
A past member has had surgery on her hand and elbow. Yes, Mary Graham will finally be able to do it "Right". (joke)

A past President, Jessie Quick's husband, Homer, is doing better.

There was a prayer request given at the night meeting for a family member. So, please keep all of our CRQG family in your prayers. Thanks. Caryl



Aloma Still Chicken Scratch  
Hearts and Starts



Above: Aloma at work  
Connie Tallant Baby Quilt



2 of Bev Mahle's quilts



## Standing Committees

### Historian

**Charlie Phaneuf**

### Hospitality

**Bonnie McClain**  
Jorie Smetana

### Librarian

**Broach Winsley**

### Membership

**Vickie Hecht**  
Charlene Shanks

### Newsletter

**Broach Winsley**

### Programs

**Irene Gardner**  
Annie Kellum  
Gail Ford  
Linda Jones  
Doreen Thornton

### Publicity

### Sunshine

**Caryl Knox**

### Ways and Means

**Libby Armstrong**



## PROGRAMS

### **June Day Meeting:** Christmas in June!

Sarah Sorenson will teach us how to make one-of-a-kind foundation pieced Christmas ornaments. We will be sewing till 3pm. Supply list is on website.

That day, we will have our regular "Show & Tell" but will also have an additional "Show & Tell" of our favorite Christmas Quilts and Quilted items. Please bring yours to share.

### **August Day Meeting:** Robin Meyers and Emma Parker will teach us Trash to Treasure - Pineapple Block technique.

"Come and Make scrappy pineapple block - you won't believe how great those 1.5" strips can look! Any quilting fabric works! You'll need a sewing machine, 1/4" foot, rotary cutter, cutting mat at least 12" square, an iron and basic sewing supplies. Can't bring your machine, but you'd like to learn this block? Well, find a buddy bringing their machine and offer to be their helper - you can press, cut or pick the next strips - it's a good two-person project.

Robin has offered to bring her bin of strips for everyone to use. So if you don't have strips you won't have to cut up perfectly good fabric.

### **Trash to Treasure website:** <http://colourfulstitches.com/trashtotreasure.html>

You will need the special ruler for this project. It will cost \$5.00. If you would like to purchase one send me an e-mail [doreen\\_gene@bellsouth.net](mailto:doreen_gene@bellsouth.net)

### **August 18 (Saturday) - One Block Wonder Workshop - taught by Denise Allee**

Images of One Block Wonder Quilts

<http://www.bing.com/images/search?q=one+block+wonder&qpv=one+block+wonder&FORM=IGRE#x0y1959>

### **Fashion Show** - November Day Meeting

Think about maybe using other fabrics other than cotton, like silk dupioni or home dec. Or maybe - what could you do with a "ready to wear" garments?

Doreen

## Ad Hoc Committees

### **Bee Keeper**

Annie Kellum

### **Challenge Quilt**

Bev Mahle

### **Christmas Party**

Denise Allee

Joyce Hill

Joyce Thew

Sandra Wilson

### **Community Service**

Phyl Schiwal

Emma Parker

### **GQC Liaison**

Robin Meyer

### **Golden Scissors**

### **Photographer**

(no chair)

Dawn Feist

### **Quilt 'Til U Wilt**

Ann Groves

### **Webmaster**

Joany Orsi



Connie Tallant

Joyce Hill Butterflies

Phyllis Carpenter Double Wedding Ring

Phyllis



Broach Winsley—pastor 's father's UGA T-SHIRTS

Susan Fisher Machine Cover



## FAT Quarter Selections for 2012

**June** - Happy Fathers Day - can't forget the men in your life "Sports, of any kind"

**July** - USA Birthday Celebration—patriotic prints

**August** - Dog Days of Summer - off to the kennel we go for "Doggie prints"

**September** - Ice Cream Social - get your "just Desserts"

**October** - The frost is on the pumpkin "celebrate FALL"

**November** - Thanksgiving - for your favorite "Batiks"

**December** – Winter Wonderland – represent your favorite memory of Winter



**Submit February Newsletter  
information by June 30 to  
[broachwin@aol.com](mailto:broachwin@aol.com)**

Please be sure to fill out the Golden Scissors and Treasurer forms BEFORE the meeting. You can download the forms from the Members Forms on the website:

[www.cherokeeosequiltguild.com/memberforms.html](http://www.cherokeeosequiltguild.com/memberforms.html)



Prolific Robin Meyer



## June BIRTHDAYS

Ann Groves 6/3

Irene Gardner 6/24

Eleanor Agan 6/5

Jennie Hollis 6/24

Tina Corbitt 6/7

Joyce Hill 6/24

Joany Orsi 6/22

(are they really triplets ?)



## 2012 May Treasurer Report—Tina Corbitt

Beginning balance \$6037.61

Disbursements

Douglasville Conf CTR \$280.00

Doreen Thornton \$110.00

\$20 ornaments for June meeting

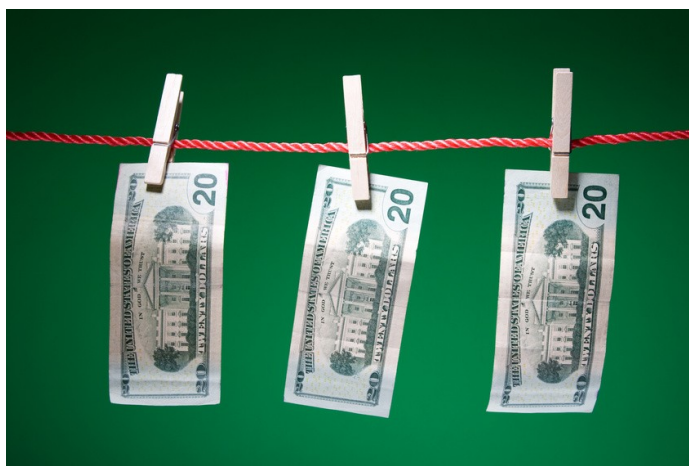
\$90 Chkn scratch kits

Suzi Parron \$194.00

Deposit:

Judy Alexander workshop \$40.00

Ending balance: \$5493.61





The **June Bee** will be on June 21, 2012 at Annie Kellum's

9170 Charlton Place

Douglasville Ga 30135

RSVP to 770-851-1096

Lunch will be provided

Everyone who is interested in doing the One Block Wonder can come and bring their fabrics to choose which ones are best to use. We will also be doing some prep work so we can get more done in the class. Bring your fabrics,

## MEMBERSHIP REPORT

### May 10, 2012 day meeting:

Attendance: Members 22; Visitors 1

Fat Quarter Winner: Dawn Feist

Door Prize Winners: Terry Tinsley, Aloma Stiller and Emma Parker

### May 24, 2012 night meeting:

Attendance: Members 31; Visitors 1

Fat Quarter Winner: Dori Holt

Door Prize Winners: Diane Johnson, Jane Wilding, Hazel Bradshaw

Ladies, please remember to turn in your 12 1/2 X 12 1/2 square made from your Fat Quarter Winnings.

The June Fat Quarter Theme is: Happy Fathers Day - can't forget the men in your life "Sports, of any kind"

Respectfully Submitted,

Vickie Hecht & Charlene Shanks

## HOSPITALITY June and July

June Day Meeting and July Day Meeting we will be sewing and program will run until 3:00 pm so bring your lunch.





## CHEROKEE ROSE QUILT QUILD DAY MINUTES

MAY 10, 2012

The meeting was opened by Dori Holt.

There were no corrections to the minutes of March meeting.

May birthdays were recognized: Jeannie Anderson and Caryl Knox.

Comments were made about the treasury since a report was not available.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership: 22 member present

1 visitor – Ann Peeples

Door Prizes – Terry Tinsley, Aloma Stiller, and Emma Parker

Fat Quarters – Dawn Feist

Historian: No report

Hospitality: Next month, June, Bring a brown bag and a dessert to share as we have an extended program.

Librarian: No report

Newsletter: No report

Programs: Today is chicken Scratch led by Doreen Thornton

May night is “Barn Quilts” with Suzy Perrin

June 14<sup>th</sup> is Sara Sorenson with “Small Tree Ornaments”. If you have any ornaments please bring them for “show & tell”.

August day is “Pineapple” blocks lead by Robyn Myers and Emma Parker using Ilene Fitzgerald ruler (\$5).

August 18<sup>th</sup> workshop – One Block Wonder” led by Denise Allee.

November is our Fashion Show.

Publicity: Hospital quilts are to be displayed today.

Sunshine: No report

Telephone: No calls made

Ways & Means: No report

Beekeeper: May bee is at Dawn Feist’s home with brown bag.

June 14 and Oct 18<sup>th</sup> are open dates for someone to volunteer.

Challenge Quilt: No report

Community Service: We need 36 butterfly mini quilts by the night May meeting.

Day minutes continued:

We will be doing place mats for the Meals on Wheels needing 160 by Thanksgiving.

New Business: Needle threader is available @\$12 and can be purchased from Carol Bowman

Quilt 'til You Wilt: Next one will in October.

Show and Tell: The following persons presented their items: Bev Mahle, Joyce Hill, Connie Tallon, Phyllis Carpenter and our visitor Ann Peeples shared a partial quilt made in the 1930's.

Respectfully submitted

Phyllis Carpenter

## **CHEROKEE ROSE QUILT GUILD NIGHT MEETING**

May 24, 2012

Dori Holt called the meeting to order at 7 o'clock with a reminder to turn off cell phones. She asked if anyone else took her up on the April President's Challenge. Well, she accepted her own challenge and brought a guest to the meeting: Loni Farr (or Faar), her neighbor, is a new quilter. She was welcomed with a round of applause.

The next most important announcement was Happy Birthday to Caryl Knox TODAY and to Jeannie Anderson on the 6<sup>th</sup> of May. Caryl not only stated her age, but also beamed when she announced her retirement.

Our Webmistress, Joany Orsi, present in the flesh, was given a warm welcome-back applause.

The President reiterated the fact that it is necessary to have a "comfortable bank balance" not only for rent and speakers, but to stay ahead of these regular bills. The Guild still is spending annually MORE than is raised by (1) membership dues, (2) Rauction and (3) Ways and Means.

In answer to Dori's inquiry of the name of the person to contact about the Building Quilt in downtown Douglasville: Pat Smith at the Welcome Center.

The President pre-empted Sunshine and asked Sandra Capazzi how she was doing with her broken arm. Sandra replied that the huge case doesn't do much to help her quilting. Then, the wrist cast of Eleanor Agan and ankle cast of her husband were discussed. Caryl Knox, Sunshine, thanked every guild member who took food to them. She said that "things were better" now and food was planned only through this weekend.

Ann Groves said that Homer Quick was now out of the hospital. He is on oxygen and still has an upper respiratory infection but she cheered the fact that he has now QUIT smoking.

Debra Butler Stovall asked that we please keep her step son in our thoughts and prayers as he just miraculously lived through a horrific motorcycle accident.

There were no additions or corrections to the last minutes.

NOTE: Late-arrivers to the meeting trickled in as there were no parking spaces due to a huge baseball crowd. Some of our quilters even parked across the street. Though it was not mentioned at the meeting, we may need to think seriously of some car pooling in the future. Irene kept her eyes on the parking lot for our speaker, who

was spotted very early on, but was not able to park until much later. She actually arrived at the designated time of 7:30pm.

**TREASURY REPORT:** The **treasury report** was given by Tina Corbitt. She said that there is \$5,647.61 in the treasury. The rent is paid quarterly.

**MEMBERSHIP:** There were 31 members present. We had 1 visitor. Joany was welcomed home again and her name WILL be added to the check-in sheet. Vickie Hecht will remain on the Membership Committee! Dori Holt won the Fat Quarters. She stated she knew she now had to turn in a 12 ½ inch block next month. The monthly FQ challenge blocks will be assembled at the end of the year for a yet-to-be-determined donation.

Diane Johnson, Jane Wilding and Hazel Bradshaw's took home the door prizes.

**HISTORIAN and HOSPITALITY REPORT:** No report.

**LIBRARY:** Broach Winsley brought some of the books from the **Guild library**. The library books are now kept at her house. Anyone wishing to check out a book should let her know. She posted a complete list of books and patterns on the Guild website. Broach's email is broachwin@aol.com.

**NEWSLETTER:** Broach said the deadline for newsletter items is tomorrow, 25 May, as she's going to Hawaii. She shared what a grand success Sweetwater Founder's Day was on April 28<sup>th</sup>, at the State Park. There were participants from 4 years old to 20, including a boyfriend of one of the teenage girls. Two girls stayed long enough to learn how to turn the back over the front to finish binding the orphan blocks donated by Diane Johnson.

**PROGRAMS:** Tonight Suzi Parron is giving a Barn Quilt lecture (when she, IF she, finds a place to park). She will also sign her barn quilt book.

**June 14<sup>th</sup> is paper piecing Christmas Ornaments by Sara Sorenson. The supply list is on our website.** "Brown-bag it" for lunch.

June 28<sup>th</sup> is a trunk show by Denise's sister, Claudette Booker.

The Program Committee went to Kiwi Quilts in Powder Springs and brought back many samples. Thank you, Tracy.

July 12<sup>th</sup> is Quilting Without Corners. This circular quilt uses a 10 degree ruler. (If you have a 9 degree ruler, add more wedges).

Gem design samples, such "Banded Agate", were shown. For this one and others, if guild members buy the templates before 27 June, Tracy will give a 10% discount. She will take phone orders as well, and bring the books and templates to the class she is teaching.

July 26<sup>th</sup> will review what was taught during the day meeting for the night attendees, but there will be no sewing. Tracy will also cover a folding technique.

Linda said all the above information will be put on the website in detail.

August 9<sup>th</sup> will be Trash to Treasure. Robin Meyer and Emma Parker will team teach Gayleen Fitzgerald's technique. Robin said that any scrappy strips 1 ½ " or wider can be used. Don't worry about color. The more

strips the better your results. Each round of strips added is trimmed as you go. Details will follow closer to the actual date.

**ALL DAY WORKSHOP:** August 18<sup>th</sup> will be Denise Allee and her popular class “One Block Wonder with Cubes.” She asked for a show of hands. Details will follow.

**PUBLICITY:** New quilts are hanging in the Hospital. Caryl said, “They look awesome.”

**TELEPHONE COMMITTEE:** Charlene called herself.

**WAYS AND MEANS:** Libby Armstrong raffled off a May Surprise bag, but the substitute secretary didn’t get the winner’s name. It’s 12:08am and too late to call to find out.

**BEE KEEPER:** The last **Bee** was at Dawn Feist’s house. Everyone who attended had a fabulous time and enjoyed the house tour specializing in antiques and hand crafted items, some of which were made by Dawn herself. The next **Bee** will be at Annie Kellum’s house.

**CHALLENGE QUILT:** For questions call Bev Mahle at 770-757-2473. The quilts are due at the night meeting on September 27<sup>th</sup>.

**CHRISTMAS COMMITTEE:** The Christmas party will be December 6<sup>th</sup> at Atlanta’s Finest Catering and Event Center on Bankhead Highway.

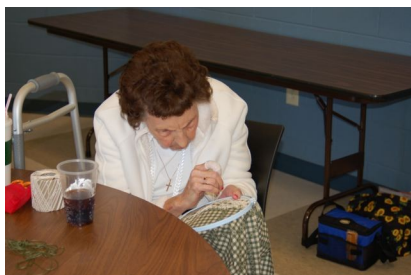
**COMMUNITY SERVICES:** The Guild is nearing the required number of small wall hangings for the New Hope Project. One is “in the mail” and several are yet to be bound and others started are not yet turned in, but those that were turned in tonight are now in Caryl’s possession for embroidery. Please let Phyl know IF you still have one at home: 770 - 489 - 0849.

Emma Parker announced the **placemat** project for Meals On Wheels at the last meeting. Dawn turned in the 1<sup>st</sup> of 160 tonight with the chicken scratch design Doreen taught at the last meeting. The goal is to have them delivered by Thanksgiving.

**THE GEORGIA QUILT COUNCIL:** The next Quilt Council will be in October. The date will be announced later. Their web site is [georgiaquiltcouncil.org](http://georgiaquiltcouncil.org).

**“QUILT TIL YOU WILT”:** The date for the second **Quilt ’Til You Wilt** is October 20th. It will be at Hunter Park. **WEBMISTRESS:** Our resident Joany Orsi told the Program Committee during the meeting anything they get to her ASAP she’d have “UP on the website tonight!”

The meeting was adjourned at 7:48pm.



Aloma Still still working

## June Day Meeting Program

### Paper Pieced Ornaments 2012

It's never too early to begin celebrating the holidays! At this meeting if you stay and sew we will be making one-of-a-kind foundation pieced ornaments. If you've struggled with precision, then you'll love paper piecing. You'll be surprised how easy it is to tackle such small pieces. And the best part - go home with several finished ornaments that will be perfect to hang on your tree, decorate a package, or to include with a card. Each sewing participant will be provided six ornament patterns.

#### Supplies:

Sewing Machine and Accessories

Open Toe Foot

GSS – General Sewing Supplies

Paper Scissors & Fabric Scissors

Add-A-Quarter or Add-A-Eighth

Threads – Neutrals for Piecing & Christmas Colors for Decorative Stitching

1/8 or 1/4 inch Ribbon for Hangers

Small Mat and Rotary Cutter

Clover Iron and Ironing Surface (or you can finger press seams)

#### Fabrics:

Note: Fabric choices with miniatures should be small scale prints

5 or 6 Fat Quarters or Large Pieces of Pieces Fabric

(Bring a Christmas mix...backgrounds, prints, and colors)

Six 4 inch squares of fabrics for the back of ornaments

Six 4 inch squares of cotton batting

#### Optional

Pinking Rotary Cutter (or other decorative rotary blades)

**Taught by** Tracey Morgan and Johnnie McKenzie of Kiwi Quilts

**Date and Time:** July 12<sup>th</sup>, 11am -3pm

**Place:** Regular meeting room, Room 208, Hunter Park

**Class Project:** You will have a choice of making the “Banded Agate” using the 5 & 10 tools, or making a spiral quilt using the book, Quilts Without Corners and the 10 degree wedge ruler.

**Supplies:** The usual sewing supplies, machine, quarter –inch foot, thread, iron, ironing surface, etc. The amount of fabric depends on the project you choose to make. Tracey can give you some advice on fabric choices and amounts.

**Costs:** There is no charge for the class; however, I told Tracey that we would purchase our patterns and tools through her store. If you call or go by her store before June 27<sup>th</sup>, Tracey will give you a 10% discount on the patterns and tools. Orders may be placed over the phone and paid for with a credit card, your purchase will be brought to you the day of the class. If you do not buy these ahead of time, they will be full price on the day of the class, first come first serve.

**Pattern and Tools Information:**

**Choice 1-** Gem quilt using the 5&10 gem tool and the pattern “Banded Agate”

**Choice2-** Wedge Quilt using the 10% wedge and the book, Quilts Without Corners.

**Prices (without the discount)**

5&10 Gem Tool	\$20
“Banded Agate” pattern	\$9
10% Wedge	\$20
Books- <u>Quilts Without Corners</u>	\$18 or
<u>Quilts Without Corners, Encore</u>	\$22

Samples of both quilts will be displayed at both of the CRQG June meetings.

Contact Information for **Kiwi Quilts: Telephone:** (770) 243-3749

**Email:** tracey@kiwiquilts.com

Need more details?

Email or call Linda Jones at

