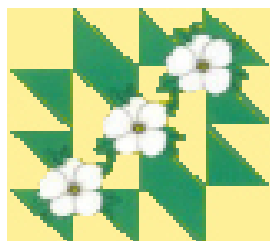

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President's Message

It is said that April showers bring May flowers. I'm looking forward to a beautiful May! Spring has already brought beautiful colors to many backyards with the blooming of flowers and radiant hues in the birds.

I'm sorry to say that I missed both April meetings. Our fieldtrip found me with pollen problems (as I'm sure many of you had, as well!) and our night meeting with a bothersome back! I hate getting older!

I'm looking forward to our May meetings. At our day meeting, Rachel Pfaneuf will teach us the "10 minute" block! Maybe even *I* can make a block in 10 minutes!! Programs has put together a Quilt Camp for the evening meeting. That always presents an opportunity to learn a few tips and/or learn about some new gadgets that we always want!

In addition to our June Meetings, Broach Winsley will head up an activity for kids teaching them how to quilt at the Douglas County Library on Selman Drive on June 27 and 28 from 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM. If you would like to help or have questions, give Broach a call. I understand that last year was very rewarding and the kids really enjoyed learning about quilting.

Since we have no Sunshine committee, Libby and I have been trying to make sure that the guild is aware when a member needs some extra support - through thoughts and prayers, assistance or whatever the need. If you know of one of our members, or even yourself, who should be remembered, please let Libby or myself know. It's amazing how a little word of encouragement from a friend can lift the spirit. If one or a few of you would like to become that ray of Sunshine that brightens someone's day, again, get in touch with Libby or myself.

While I was unable to attend the Board Meeting, I want to reiterate that any and all suggestions, ideas and comments are welcome from you, the members. You have entrusted the leadership of the guild to your officers, but the guild belongs to all of us!

Remember: "A stitch in time saves nine." Nine what???? Did anyone get that idiom for their challenge?

Dori Holt

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*Committee chairs shown in **bold**
where applicable*

May Birthdays

Jeanne Andersen 5/6
Caryl Knox 5/24



Bee News

The April Bee was at Diane Johnson's house and, as usual, it was fabulous!

The next Bee will be at Sandra Capazzi's house, 3467 Pinemont Dr., Douglasville, on May 16. Lunch will be served, so be sure to RSVP to Sandra at 770-947-3338.



May Fat Quarter Lottery is: Florals

April showers bring May flowers! Our fat quarters this month reflect that with flowers appearing in all their glorious splendor. Each 100% cotton fat quarter you bring equals one lottery ticket!



Membership Report

Total Paid Members: 55

New Member: Jill Vaughan
(Information in New Membership Directory sent 5/1/13)

Day Meeting 4/11/13

No Meeting – Fieldtrip to Intown Quilters

Night Meeting 4/25/13

Members Present: 25

Visitors: 0

Fat Quarter Winner: Jill Vaughan
Door Prize Winners: Bonnie McLain
Charlene Shanks
Linda Herren
Queen Esther Smith
Jill Vaughan

My granddaughter came to spend a few weeks with me, and I decided to teach her to sew. After I had gone through a lengthy explanation of how to thread the machine, she stepped back, put her hands on her little hips, and said in disbelief, "you mean you can do all that, but you can't play my Game Boy?"

~Unknown

Ad Hoc Committees

Golden Scissors
Gail Ford

Bee Keeper
Dawn Feist

Community Service
Emma Parker
Annie Kellum

Christmas Party
Denise Allee
Vickie Pruitt
Brenda Senn
Caryl Knox
Loretta Ford
Dawn King

GA Quilt Council Liaison
Patti Howell

Photographer
Dawn Feist

Saturday Stitch-In
Robin Meyer

Challenge Quilt
Joany Orsi

Webmaster
Joany Orsi

Broach Winsley Reports:

Sweetwater Park Factory Days

On Saturday, April 27, Charlene Shanks, Marilee Kelly, my grandson, Jackson, and I spent the day at Sweetwater Creek Park for Factory Days and represented the guild in the process. The crowd wasn't as big as usual, probably due to the threat of rain.

Marilee talked with lots of ladies about our guild and helped kids quilt. Charlene helped with candle dipping and cloth dying with walnuts. Lots of kids hand quilted - some of them did 2 blocks and folded over the backing to make binding.

In addition to our efforts, there was chair caning, basket making, butter making (then putting the butter on corn bread baked over the coals in a cast iron pot with legs!) There was also a table loom and the kids got to have a turn. That was Jackson's biggest attraction. He probably had 10 turns and now wants a loom for Christmas! Toward the end of the day, Hannah (the loom lady) was helping Jackson weave and Hannah's husband was learning to hand-quilt and bind.

Finally, there was a snake, lizard, turtle, etc., demos, but Jackson left that early to get back to candles, weaving, dyeing. All in all, we had a good time. Jackson and I were there from 9:00 - 3:30.

Broach

In the Library

We have 3 copies of **QUILT-LOVERS' FAVORITES** from Better Homes and Gardens. These quilts are from American Patchwork and Quilting Magazine; we have Volumes 4, 7 and 9.

If Memory Quilts are your thing, we have these options:

- **Quilts** by Jean Wells
- **Quilt a Travel Souvenir** by Kimberly Eimna
- **Quilted Memories** by Lesley Reilly
- **Quilting your Memories** by Sandy Bonsib



~~Libby's~~ Vickie's Question of the Month...

“Where’s Libby?!”

Is this a feature you enjoy and want to continue to see in future newsletters? Its time to vote! Please send your responses to Vickie Pruitt at vlp-gapeach@hotmail.com.



Treasurer's Report:

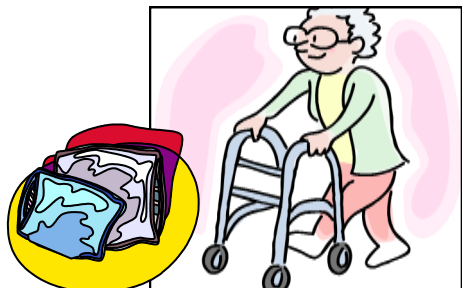
April 2013

Beginning Balance	\$ 5,951.64
Disbursements:	0.00
Deposits:	
Membership	30.00
Ways and Means	<u>181.00</u>
Ending Balance	\$ <u>6,162.64</u>



Community Service

This year, Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild will support the Douglasville Nursing Home. We will be providing standard pillow cases and walker bags. The nursing home has 245 residents and many of them use walkers. Please begin making the pillow cases and bags. We will present them to the residents sometime prior to Thanksgiving and would like members of the guild to attend the presentation. For questions, contact Emma Parker (770-489-055, pemma53@yahoo.com) or Annie Kellum (770-851-109, anniekell@yahoo.com).



2013 Challenge Quilt

The Quilted "Idiom" Project

Idiom Definition: An idiom is a rendition of a combination of words that have a figurative meaning.

Quilted Idiom: A rendition of an expressed idiom in pictures (I made this up).

Go to this link to review complete rules and to download the entire handout (select link, right click on it and select "Open Hyperlink):

http://www.cherokeeRoseQuiltGuild.com/Projects/CRQG_Challenge2013.pdf

If you do not have internet access, please see Joany or ask another member to print it for you.

Be sure to let Joany know either at the meeting or in an email when you decide on your pick for the project. crqguild@gmail.com

The quilts are due at the night meeting in September. Judging, prizes and fun!

Ways and Means

No report this month. Contact Bonnie McLain (678-398-7536, bmmclain@aol.com) or Jennie Hollis (770-942-9798, 6jrhollis@gmail.com) with any questions.

Minutes: CROG Day Meeting, April 11, 2013

In lieu of our regular meeting on April 11, we instead took a fieldtrip to Intown Quilters in Decatur, Georgia (see pictures on next page).

Respectfully submitted,

Patti Howell

Day secretary

CRQG Program News

Our programs in May are filled with new ideas, new tools, and an exciting Saturday workshop. Please put all of the following dates on your calendars. You will not want to miss a thing!

We start the month's activities with our May 9 day program, "The 10 Minute Block", presented by Rachel Phaneuf. She has given us a short list of materials to bring to the meeting so you can make your own block as she teaches the technique. So please check the list posted on our web site and bring your materials with you. We will be doing hand sewing, so you do not need to bring your sewing machine to the lesson.

For our night meeting on May 23, we are bringing back "Quilt Camp". We not only have 4 presentations prepared for you but we also have a fabric sale with Phyllis Smith. We will meet in the ballroom so we have room for the camp program and lots of room for Phyllis' gorgeous fabrics. She plans to bring a large assortment of fabrics and plans to start the sale an hour ahead of the meeting (6:00pm). So come early to check out the fabric deals and, of course, stay for the "Quilt Camp."

Our first Saturday workshop of the year is scheduled for May 18. We have Regina Carter returning to teach us her applique technique to make a wall hanging called "The Leaf". The class is limited to 20 members and is filling up fast. The cost is \$45, and the list of fabric requirements is posted on the web site. Several pictures of the project are also posted online. If you haven't already signed up for the class contact Annie Kellum ASAP. The money is due to her no later than the May 9 day meeting. Also, Denise Allee ordered the Totally Stable needed for the class. She will bring it on the day of the workshop so you will need to bring an extra \$2.25 to pay her for the stabilizer.

For program questions not answered by the website, please contact Linda Jones at ljones700@hotmail.com or 770-949-0852.

Field Trip: Intown Quilters Day Meeting, April 11, 2013.



Minutes: CROG Night Meeting, April 25, 2013

Libby Armstrong called meeting to order. No changes to minutes of last meeting.

Treasurer report by Tina Corbitt: \$5,951.64

Annie Kellum reported on programs: May 9, 10 minute block by Rachel Phaneuf; May 18, workshop with Regina Carter 'THE LEAF'; May 19, Quilt Camp in the Ballroom.

No reports from Hospitality, Historian, Ga. Quilt Council

Vickie Pruitt said deadline for articles for newsletter is Sat. after night meeting.

Publicity: We will do October display at Library of the Challenge quilts. We can display our quilts at the new Dog River Library but there is problem of how to hang and security. We cannot hang at Hunter Park – quilts are too heavy. No response from new Conference Center. No info from Carrolton Quilt Museum. Pictures of our quilts are being turned into The Sentinel in hopes they will appear in the paper.

Queen called members. Broach reported some new books in the library.

Membership: Door prizes: Bonnie McClain, Charlene Shanks, Linda Herren, Queen Esther Smith, Jill Vaughn (new member). Fat quarter winner: Jill Vaughn.

Sunshine: Irene Gardner's and Jennie Hollis' sister died and they have gone to funeral. Annie Kellum's nephew was killed in car crash.

Ways and Means: We will draw next meeting for roller bag, thread holder, and Scrapbook Max.

Golden Scissors is ready.

Bee will be at Sandra Capazzi's. Lunch will be served. Last Bee was at Diane Johnson's with 18 people present.

Community Service: Annie Kellum said she had 27 pillowcases and home and received 40 tonight. Turn in your money for THE LEAF workshop tonight. Denise Allee has bought 2 bolts of Stitch & Tear stabilizer for the class. You can buy from her – about \$2.50 for enough for class.

Christmas Party is Dec 5 – same time, same place.

Saturday Stitch In – next one in November.

Libby reported that the Executive Committee met tonight and said NO to Facebook page and NO to ads in newsletter. Use the group 'quiltingthreads' to pass on info. Broach is the moderator for that group.

Just email broachwin@aol.com if you'd like to join. Only open to past and present members of our guild. No religion, politics or forwarding of cutesy things. Quilt related stuff; handyman services; things you want to sell, etc.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

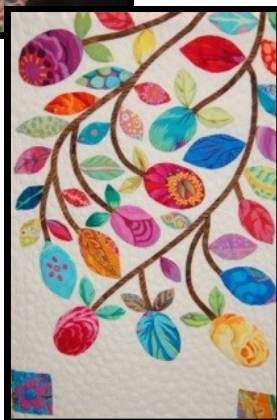
Broach Winsley

Night secretary

April Night Meeting Show and Tell



East Cobb Quilters: "Georgia Celebrates Quilts"
Raffle Quilt Visits CRQG!



Robin Meyer



Charlene Shanks



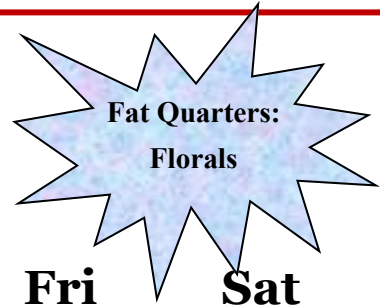
Christine Sumner



Erna Kriigel



May 2013



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Saturday Stitch-In

The next SSI will be in November. If you have any questions, contact Robin Meyer at 770-948-5394 or robinmeyerga@yahoo.com.

Save The Date!

CRQG Christmas Party ♦ Dec. 5, 2013, 6-9 pm
Atlanta's Finest Catering

The Quilts of Gee's Bend

On display thru 5/31/13

Arts Clayton Gallery
136 South Main Street
Jonesboro GA 30236

www.artsclayton.org/gallery

GA Quilt Council

The GA Quilt Council will have its annual meeting in August along with a workshop at the Charlie Elliot Center in Mansfield. You must join the Council to attend the meeting.

If you have any questions, contact Patti Howell, 770-942-3822 or pwpatti@bellsouth.net.