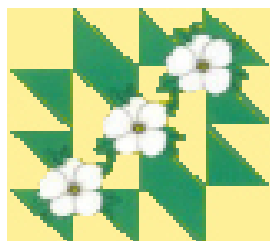

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President's Message

Summer has officially arrived and by now most of us have enjoyed a summer picnic and fireworks celebrating the birthday of the USA.

June was full of fun and interest. The "Charming Tote" that Libby showed us how to make at the day meeting would make a wonderful gift (after you've made one for yourself!) And after the twisting lesson that Linda and Annie presented at the night meeting, I'm ready to put on my dancing shoes!!! Just kidding! The "Twister" is quite a remarkable tool!

I do hope that you were able to attend the East Cobb Quilt Show. I have to admit that it was my first time. I just gazed in amazement at how so much beauty was gathered in one place. I am so proud of the entries that we had from CRQG and congratulate those who won ribbons and honorable mentions! The guild has purchased a DVD from the show that we will probably use for a program and then log into our library if you want to see it again.

I would like everyone to start thinking about something. I hope I'm not stepping out of bounds, because this is just off the top of my head. Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild will be 25 years old in 2015!!! I think it would be nice to start considering how we can celebrate our "Silver Jubilee" in a very special way. I'm thinking that, between all of our members with your creativity, talent, and "connections," we could make it quite a milestone.

July will find us preparing for the holidays with "Christmas in July." Please check the website for program information. Our Hospitality committee is planning on having a cookie swap at both meetings. Check further in the newsletter for details, and get out your favorite cookie recipe! Joany Orsi, our web master, has asked that you type up the recipe and send it to her. She will get all the recipes on our website for us.

If you are traveling this summer, be safe. We'll miss you at our meetings, but can't wait to see your bounty from all of the quilt shops you have visited!

Dori Holt

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Night Sec'y – Broach Winsley
Treasurer – Tina Corbitt

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Irene Gardner

Librarian

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(open)

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

July Birthdays

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|--------------------|------|
| Denise Adams | 7/12 |
| Queen Esther Smith | 7/19 |
| Joan Hardy | 7/23 |
| Brenda Senn | 7/22 |



Bee News

The June Bee was at the home of Dawn Feist with 5 ladies present. Thanks, Dawn!

The July Bee will be July 18 at the home of Irene Gardner. Lunch will be served, so please RSVP to Irene at 770-949-7216, i.gardner@comcast.net



July's Fat Quarter Lottery:

Summer time, summer time, sum-summer time! The color of sunshine, flowers and caution lights. Lemon chiffon, mustard, gold, butter, etc...yellow rules this month.

Each 100% cotton fat quarter you bring equals one lottery ticket!



Hospitality

IT'S CHRISTMAS IN JULY! If you would like to bring a finger food to share to add to our celebration - please do. Everyone still bring your own beverage in a container with a lid. If you would like to participate in the Christmas Cookie Swap, please bring one batch of cookies (usually it is about 3 dozen). Bring them in a labeled container, with cookie name and your name (please note if there is any peanuts/peanut butter in your cookie - to alert those that are allergic). Also, bring us one copy of your recipe. You will go home with at least one of every cookie.

Ways and Means

Lots of exciting items this month! We have a Table Runner, Rotary Cutting Mat, and Design Board Set. Tickets are \$1.00 each or \$5.00 for six. Also, July is the 7th month, so bring 7 items for the R'auction...we want it to be a huge success!

Contact Bonnie McLain (678-398-7536, bmmclain@aol.com) or Jennie Hollis (770-942-9798, 6jrhollis@gmail.com) with any questions.



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

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Challenge Quilt

Joany Orsi

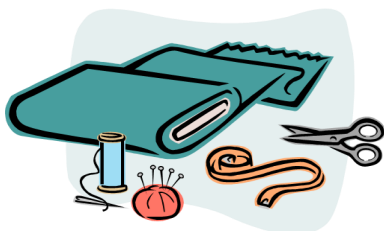
Webmaster

Joany Orsi

Community Service

We have received 107 of the 246 pillowcases needed and 6 walker bags. Directions for both are on the web site. Please keep them coming!

For questions, contact Emma Parker (770-489-0550, pemma53@yahoo.com) or Annie Kellum (770-851-1096, anniekell@yahoo.com).



Membership Report

Total Paid Members: 59

Day Meeting 6/13/13

Members Present: 23

Visitor: 1

Fat Quarter Winner: Emily Poole

Door Prize Winners: Albertha Brown
Sandra Wilson
Marge Frost
Patti Howell
Dori Holt

Night Meeting 6/27/13

Members Present: 29

Visitor: 1

Fat Quarter Winner: Albertha Brown

Door Prize Winners: Claudette Booker
Linda Jones
Dawn Feist
Tina Corbitt
Joyce Trew

New Members: 0



Treasurer's Report:

June 2013

Beginning Balance \$ 5,886.39

Disbursements:

Tina Corbitt 79.25
(Thimbles/Sewing Machine Charms)

Doreen Thornton 35.29
(3M Mounting Strips)

Deposits:

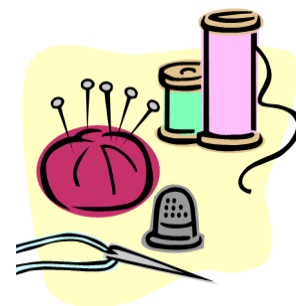
Fabric sales from Phyllis Smith 37.50
Name Tag Fines 27.55

Ending Balance \$ 5,836.90

Broach Winsley Reports:

Kids Can Quilt Class

On the mornings of July 27-28, guild members taught a Kids Can Quilt Class at the Douglas County Library. Irene Gardner, Jennie Hollis, Phyl Schiwal, Broach Winsley, Darlene Wheeler, Charlene Shanks were present the first day. On the second day we lost Charlene and Phyl and gained Dawn Feist, Emily Poole, and Connie Tallant. 15 Children were present, mostly girls. On the first day, they pieced a 9-patch by hand. On the second day they were supposed to hand quilt, but after Show and Tell they wanted to bind their 9-patch like Broach had bound small quilts. So that's what happened the second day. Broach brought 3 sewing machines. She and Emily Poole sewed on binding while the kids practiced on the other machine. One girl wanted to quilt fancy patterns like Broach had done on the long arm, so she was told to draw a design on tracing paper, pin to her block, quilt on the lines, then tear the paper off. Connie and Emily had the nasty job of spray basting the quilt sandwiches. Half the kids didn't come watch Show and Tell that day because they were too busy with their own projects. 2 kids showed up on Friday thinking class was Fri./Sat. so I had them come over to my house Sat. and finish. They stayed 3 hours. One of the kids said what they were doing was art. They really enjoyed it. Thanks to Diane Johnson for cutting out fabric and marking light pieces with sewing lines. She made 30 packets and cut 13 squares of batting. Thanks to all who helped.



When does a WIP become a UFO?

It starts out as a WHIMM (Work Hidden In MY Mind).

After a FART (Fabric Acquisition Road Trip) and some SEX (Stash Enhancing eXperience).

It becomes a PIG (Project In Grocery sack).

The PIG becomes a HSY (Pronounced Hissy ... means (Haven't Started Yet)).

Once you have a HSY fit and begin work, it becomes a WIP (Work In Progress).

The WIP becomes a UFO (Unfinished Project) as soon as some other project grabs and holds your attention more than the project that was a WIP.

- Author unknown

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.cherokeequiltguild.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

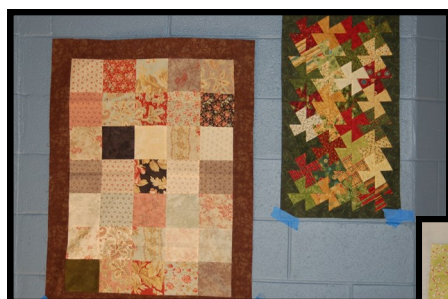
The quilts are due at the night meeting in September. Judging, prizes and fun!

CRQG Program News

Our guild will be celebrating "Christmas in July" for both of our meetings. At the day meeting on July 11, Irene Gardner will be teaching us how to make a cute wristlet purse. This purse would make a great Christmas gift for your family and friends. It can also serve as a small cosmetic bag or a purse for a young girl. It could be used by quilters to organize their small sewing supplies, or by children to carry their small craft items such as crayons. The guild will be supplying the tape measures and painter's tape for the purses. All you need to bring is 2 coordinating fat quarters and a few basic sewing supplies. The list of what to bring to the class is listed on our website. We will be in our regular room and plan to be finished no later than 3pm. Please bring your lunch and plan to spend the day with us making this simple and cute Christmas gift.

Our July 25 night meeting program will be a visit from Robin Jones of Cottontail Quilts Shop. She plans to bring a large display of what's new in her shop and what's new for Christmas. She plans to demonstrate a few techniques and have many items for sale. Come see what Cottontail Quilts has new for Christmas 2013!

We have one reminder for your calendar. Our last Saturday workshop of the year is August 17. Jan Cunningham will be teaching her appliqué technique to us. We will start asking members to sign up for this class at the July meetings. The cost is only \$10 for the all day class. You will also be asked you to bring \$5 on the day of the workshop to pay for a kit Jan is providing for you. Jan is a very talented quilter and her appliqué technique is exceptional.



*June Night
Program...
"Twisted!"*



Minutes: CROG Day Meeting, June 13, 2013

Meeting called to order by Libby Armstrong.

Minutes adopted as published.

Treasurers Report: None

June Birthdays were recognized.

Programs: Charming Tote Bags were taught by Libby [Armstrong] after the meeting.

June 27 at night meeting, the Twister tool was presented by Annie and Linda Jones

July 11 at the day meeting we will have Christmas in July. We will have a cookie swap . Each one is supposed to bring a batch of her favorite cookies bagged in small bags to exchange with the others who bring cookies. Also it would ne good to bring the recipe. We will have refreshments for this meeting. We are also asked to bring our favorite Christmas craft to share with the group.

Robin Jones will be at the July night meeting for a Christmas in July presentation.

Hospitality: Please bring finger foods to share and your cookies for a cookie swap if you are interested in swapping.

Sunshine: Vickie H. is taking treatment and doing as well as expected.

Ways and Means: Items for drawing are Table Runner, Rotary Cutting Mat, and Design Board Set. Remember to bring in your items for the R'auction

Membership: We had 22 members present and 1 visitor. Kathy Posey was the visitor. Door Prizes were won by Albertha B, Marge F, Sandra W., Patti H., Dori H. Fat Quarters were won by Emily P.

Bee: will be held at Dawn Feist's house.

Community Service: Pillowcases are being accepted and we have received just under 200, so far. Also we are making walker bags.

Challenge Quilt: Will be due in September. If you have not yet selected an idiom, see Joany. She still has plenty to choose from.

As a matter if information, Joany is planning on opening a quilt shop in 3 or 4 months. It will probably be located across from Post Office in the large shopping area there. Also see Joany if you are interested in ordering rulers.

Show and Tell: Linda H. (5), Albertha B. (2), Gail F (2), Marilyn B. and Hazel B.

Respectfully submitted,

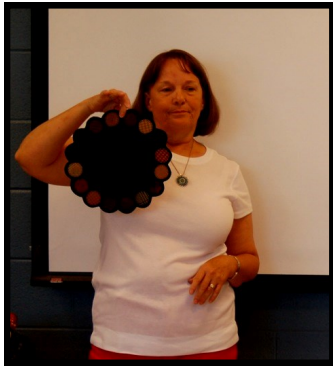
Patti Howell

Day Secretary

June Day Meeting Show and Tell



← Marilyn Bradley



↑ Gail Ford ↓



← Linda Herren ↑



← Albertha Brown →

← Hazel Bradshaw



Minutes: CROG Night Meeting, July 27, 2013

Dori Holt called the meeting to order.

Tina Corbitt reported \$5,807.40 in treasury.

Last Bee was at Dawn Feist with five present. Next Bee will be at Irene Gardner's and she will serve a light lunch. Please RSVP to Irene.

You can still sign up for the Challenge quilt. See the web site for available Idioms. Joany Orsi will open a quilt shop end of August in the shopping center across from the post office.

Christmas party is December 5.

Community Service: Emma has 150-160 pillowcases. Needs more. Cobb City Center has program for children and young adults and needs luggage for children who outgrow the program. Contact Emma if you have suitcases or gym bags to donate.

Membership: 59 members paid members. 29 here tonight with one visitor, Claudette Booker, Denise Allee's sister.

Fat quarter winner: Albertha Brown

Door prizes: Linda Jones, Dawn Feist, Tina Corbitt, Joyce Trew, Claudette Booker

Hospitality: Our July program will be Christmas in July. We will have a cookie swap.

Sunshine: Vickie Hecht thanks us for cards and emails. Vickie Pruitt fell and has black eye, scrapes on face and is sore all over. Kathy Eck does NOT have cancer. Bev Mahle's stepfather died.

Programs: Tonight's program is Twisted by Linda Jones and Annie Kellum. July day meeting – bring Christmas crafts for Show and Tell. Program is wristlet purse. July night meeting: Robin Jones of Cottontail Quilts will demo Christmas stuff.

Fons and Porter has a free eBook. See their web site.

Ways and Means: Rotating cutting board, batting, and a fat quarter box for raffle.

Newsletter: Get info to Vickie P. by noon Saturday.

The Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Broach Winsley

Night secretary



June Night Meeting Show and Tell



↑ Eleanor Agan



Annie Kellum ↑



↑ Mildred Adams ↓



↑ Denise Adams



Broach Winsley ↑



↑ Denise Allee



Susan Fisher ↑

June Night Meeting Show and Tell (cont'd)



↑ Libby Armstrong



↑ Irene Gardner ↓



Susan Fisher ↑



↑ Patti Howell



Broach Winsley ↑



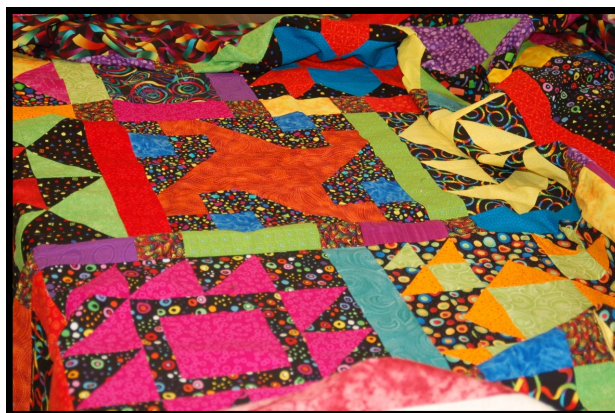
← Albertha Brown

Claudette Booker →
(Denise Allee's sister)





← Claudette Booker →



Southeastern Quilt & Textile Museum All Call for Crazy Quilts

Sewn from bits and pieces of long-forgotten party dresses or grandpa's ties, crazy quilts are a unique art form that contain a wealth of history. In comparison to more 'orderly' quilts, crazy quilts are hodge-podges of color and fabric that often seem to have no rhyme or reason - but the reasons are most certainly there. These quilts commonly represent not just an individual milestone in a quilter's life, but whole lives, or even entire families.

In celebration of the Southeastern Quilt and Textile Museum's first year, the museum will be hosting an exhibit to celebrate these traditional crazy quilts and their rich story-laden histories through a juried exhibition selected from participants from across the state.

If you have a crazy quilt that you would like to submit for exhibition, please download and complete the [application](#) and mail it to 306 Bradley Street, Ste. C, Carrollton, GA 30117, or email it to info@southeasternquiltmuseum.com. Be sure to let us know if your quilt has a story (or history) that you would like to share, and keep in mind that the quilt can be of any age.

The deadline for application submission is July 31, 2013. For more information, please contact the SQTM at info@southeasternquiltmuseum.com or (770) 301-2187.



July 2013

**Fat Quarters:
Yellows**

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

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| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4  Independence Day | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 | 9 Islamic Ramadan starts at sundown | 10 | 11 Day Meeting | 12 | 13 |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18  Bee @ Irene Gardeners' | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Night Meeting | 26 | 27 |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | |



Saturday Stitch-In

We have a date! **The next SSI is November 5!!!** If you have any questions, contact Robin Meyer at 770-948-5394 or robinmeyerga@yahoo.com.

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. Details are on their website, gaquiltcouncil.org.

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

CRQG Christmas Party ♦ Dec. 5, 2013 ♦ 6:00 - 9:00 pm ♦ Atlanta's Finest Catering