



Cherokee Rose Quilter's Guild

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November 2014



President's Message

Hello, Quilters!

The R'auction was a great success this year contributing approximately \$1,400.00 to the guild coffers. Thank you to everyone who had a part in this success. Many layers of participation are involved we may not realize. There are members who spent months gathering fabric, storing and then transporting it to the meeting. Then the many who sorted and boxed these contributions in preparation for the buying frenzy a R'auction brings. At the meeting, the auctioneer and her helpers did a great job handling the bids and gathering the purchased items to hold down the confusion when we were ready to leave. And last, but not least, thank you to the bidders. I say all of this because it is a big job and very much appreciated as this is our biggest fund raiser of the year and very important. Thank you, again!!!

Well, this is the last month for meetings this year. So really step in and try to participate. I am looking forward to taking a day off for the Lemoyne Star class at the day meeting on Nov. 13 (if I get a ruler that is, hehe).

The Clever Quilter will be at the night meeting on Nov. 20 along with AccuQuilt demos. Come and learn some useful tips for quilting and bring some fabric to use on the AccuQuilt machines. I understand there will be 4 machines, plenty to go around. It will be a lot of fun!!!

Also, we have our Saturday Stitch In scheduled on Nov 8. in the ballroom at Hunter Park. This fun event goes from 9:00am - 9:00pm. Plenty of time for every member to participate for 2 hours or 12 hours. That's me! I try to make good use of the day to complete projects, but some people end up doing a little sewing and a lot of socializing. And, that is fine...we all have fun and enjoy our day. We need at least 25 people to pay for the room as this event is participant paid and only costs each member \$10.00. If you have a gizmo or technique you swear by, come and show us. Also, give Robyn a call to see what kind of food we need as we will need our strength to make it through the day, haha! Thank you for supporting this fun day of sewing.

Several times Christmas has come up in the past year, but now we are down to the wire. The Christmas party is December 4 and at the same great place, Atlanta's Finest Catering. We have had the party at this location for several years and it is always nice. The food and service are well worth the \$20 fee which includes the tip. So you just show up in your ugly sweater and enjoy the festivities as I am positive the Christmas committee has a lot of fun planned for us. I have already paid my money and wait with bated breath, LOL. We also have a minimum for this activity, imagine that. The deadline to pay is November

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2014 Officers

President – Tina Corbitt
Vice-President – Jennie Hollis
Day Sec'y – Patti Howell
Night Sec'y – Dori Holt
Treasurer – Bev Mahle

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Standing Committees

Programs

Linda Jones
Annie Kellum
Emma Parker
Linda Herren
Doreen Thornton

Membership

Denise Allee
Joyce Trew

Newsletter

Vickie Pruitt

Publicity

Phyllis Carpenter

Telephone

Queen Esther Smith

Hospitality

Vickie Pruitt

Ways and Means

Ann Groves
Debbie Stovall

Historian

Bonnie McClain

Librarian

Broach Winsley

Sunshine

Irene Gardner

*Committee chairs shown in bold
where applicable.*

Membership

Total Paid Members: 68

Day Meeting 10/9/14:

Members Present: 22

Visitors: 3

Door Prize Winners: Barbara Stevens
Marge Frost
Albertha Brown

Night Meeting 10/23/14

Members Present: 32

Visitors: 3

Door Prize Winners: None

New Members: 0

November Birthdays

Vickie Pruitt	11/1
Phyl Schiwal	11/2
Joyce Trew	11/6
Darlene Wheeler	11/15
Erna Kriigel	11/19
Barbara Shirley	11/19
Jill Stroer	11/19
Terry Tinsley	11/24



The New 2015 Membership Form is included in this newsletter and on the Website.

A completed 2015 Form must accompany your payment.

Bee News

There are no bees in November or December due to the holidays.

It was presented at previous meetings that starting in January, 2015, we would begin meeting the 3rd Thursday of each month at Pickleweeds Quilt Shop in Douglasville. Since Joany now has the shop for sale and her future is uncertain, Annie Kellum (our 2015 Bee Keeper) will take names starting at the Nov. 13 day meeting for people to host the Bee each month. They may host the Bee at Pickleweeds, as long as this remains an option, or in their home

Further information will be communicated before the January Bee.



Hospitality

We are done with our themed events for 2014, but you may bring a snack to any meeting, day or night, if you wish. It must be a finger food requiring only a plate or napkin (*if you bring something requiring anything else, you need to supply it*). Let me know before, if possible, so I can make sure stuff is out. Plan to stay and clean up and take your leftovers!

Please continue to bring your own beverage in a covered cup or bottle.

Vickie Pruitt, 678-650-9351,
vlp-gapeach@hotmail.com.



Ad Hoc Committees

Golden Scissors
Gail Ford

Bee Keeper
Dawn Feist

Community Service
Emily Poole
Marge Frost

Christmas Party
Caryl Knox
Dawn King
Vickie Pruitt
Brenda Senn
Loretta Ford
Dori Holt

GA Quilt Council Liaison
Patti Howell

Photographer
Dawn Feist

Saturday Stitch-In
Robin Meyer

Challenge Quilt
Libby Armstrong

Webmaster
Joany Orsi

Finish It Up Club -- UFO's No More in 2-0-1-4

Rules:

- A list of your UFO's must have been given to Emma Parker by Mar. 13, 2014.
- Projects must have been started prior to Jan. 1, 2014.
- Must be completed by the November night meeting (including quilting and binding).
- Must have been presented at a Show and Tell.
- Long-arm owners and non-owners will be judged separately to keep it fair.
- Please contact Emma Parker if you have questions, 770-489-0550 or pemma53@yahoo.com.

Last
Month!

Treasurer's Report

October 2014

Beginning Balance \$5,933.52

Deposits:

Christmas Party	273.00
W & M (Raffle Table)	124.00
W & M (R'auction)	1,446.00

Disbursements:

Caryl Knox (Christmas Party)	49.21
Linda Jones (Programs)	33.56
Vickie Pruitt (Hospitality)	20.22

Ending Balance \$ 7,673.53

Community Service

The Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild is seeking quilts for children ages 4 to 6. The quilts will be given to children in the Douglas County Head Start program in early December. Each quilt must measure at least 40" x 50" so the children will be fully covered from the cold.

The quilts we have collected so far demonstrate the guild's creativity with a delightful variety of colors and fabric sure to please each youngster. **Our goal as a group is to contribute 50 quilts by the end of November. We're more than halfway there!**

Head Start prepares preschool children for the future. They teach health and nutrition and seek to prepare children for success in public school. If you would like to help bring warmth and comfort to a deserving child, please make a quilt to deliver by the end of November.

For questions, please contact Emily Poole at 678.715.1280, dnnpool@comcast.net or Marge Frost at 770.947.6376, margefrost@comcast.net.

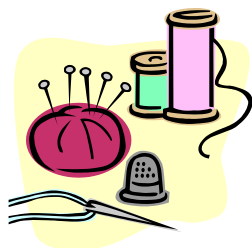




Saturday Stitch-In

November 8th from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. will be the second 2014 Cherokee Rose Stitch-In in the ballroom in the Ike Owings Community Center at Hunter Park. Plan your projects, bring your machine and plan to spend a day quilting and quilting and quilting!!! The cost is just \$10.

We'll be there from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., but YOU come when you can and stay as long as you can. Bring your own lunch and we will have a potluck dinner around 5:00pm., convenient for day and evening quilters. The Guild will supply paper goods.



New to this Saturday Stitch In is “**Gizmo Demos.**” Attendees are asked to bring that one thing you just can't do without, or the new thing you just bought that you think is going to transform your quilting. Each quilter is asked to demonstrate their gizmo – for just a few minutes – so that everyone else can learn about it too!

This is also a great time to get advice on a project, figure out a new pattern or technique, or just get a bunch of stuff sewn while chatting with your friends. New to the Guild? There isn't a better way to get to know other members. Saturday Stitch-In works for everyone!

Here is what you need to bring:

- Your sewing projects, machine, extension cord, and supplies. (Also, bring a light for detailed work and an extra table if you have one.)
- Lunch
- Covered dish for dinner
- \$10 fee
- A smile!

If you have any questions, contact Robin Meyer at robinmeyerga@yahoo.com or 770 948-5394.

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20, but please don't make the Christmas committee sweat it out until then, pay as soon as you can.

Finally, the following committee positions are still available: Day Secretary (must be a guild member for 1 yr.), Christmas Party, Membership and Publicity (no term requirements for these last three). There are not very many positions open but they are important. Please volunteer by yourself or with a friend to support your guild.

Thank you and have a nice day!

Tina Corbitt

tinacorbitt2@comcast.net
770-315-3378



ECQG Program News

At our **November 13** day meeting, Annie Kellum and Linda Jones will teach how to use the Deb Tucker Lemoyne Star ruler.

At the **November 20** night meeting, we will have The Clever Quilter and Accuquilt Demonstrations by Doris Davis, Linda Jones and Joany Orsi.

We also have several exciting programs coming up in 2015. More information will be provided in the December newsletter.

Christmas Party 2014

Planning continues toward making this a fun time for all! The date is **Thursday, Dec. 4** at 7:00 pm at Atlanta's Finest Catering. Tickets are \$20 each and should be purchased by the night meeting on Nov. 20.

Please see end of newsletter for directions to Atlanta's Finest Catering

Don't forget you may start the **Christmas Layaway Plan** at anytime. Because other festivities in your life at the same time might be clamoring for your attention and/or you need to budget your dollars, we are more than willing to take them in advance to help out with any stress. Just bring it on, sign up and we will keep tabs for you.

We have **Two Drawings** going on...one for a **Ticket** (a \$20.00 value) and the other for a beautiful **Christmas Tree** crafted by our own Brenda Senn and on display at the regular meetings now through the Nov. 20 night meeting. Tickets are a \$1.00 each and placed in the jars as noted. The lucky winner of the free ticket will receive a refund of your ticket price if you've already paid.

Finally, we'll have an **"Ugly (Christmas) Sweater"** contest at the party, so be thinking ahead to which one you will wear (because, if you're of a certain age, you'll no doubt have several!)



Drawing!

Georgia Celebrates Quilts® -- Call for Quilts

The East Cobb Quilters' Guild has issued a Call for Quilts for their 2015 show, Georgia Celebrates Quilts®. The entry deadline is March 16, 2015. All Georgia quilters are welcome to enter; ECQG membership is not required. They want all kinds of quilts: complicated and simple, traditional and modern, original or patterned – whichever one you like the best! There is \$4,000 in prize money, plus seeing your quilt in the show is priceless!

All the entry information is at <http://ecqg.com/quilt-show/>.

Check out the new First Entry and Modern Quilt categories. Also, they've expanded the Young Quilter category to include stitchers up through age 18 and replaced the original design category with Art Quilts and Pictorial Quilts.

Stay informed! Sign up for the Georgia Celebrates Quilts® e-mail list at <http://ecqg.com/quilt-show/>. Questions?

Email them at quiltshow@ecqg.com.



Minutes: CROG Day Meeting, October 9, 2014

Meeting was called to order by Jennie Hollis.

Minutes were approved as published.

Treasurer's report was given. \$5932.53 total in treasury.

PROGRAMS: Linda Jones announced that Marge Frost will be teaching a method for making a vest out of men's ties for today's program. The October night meeting will be the annual R'auction. We are still in need of items to be auctioned. The November day meeting will be a presentation on making the Lemoyne Star using Deb Tuckers ruler. Linda and Annie will be showing us how to make this star.

MEMBERSHIP: We had 24 members present and 3 visitors. Door prizes were won by Marge Frost and Albertha Brown.

SUNSHINE: We need to remember these people: Caroline Chapman, Bea West and Patti LaConti. Also, former member LaRue Hayes, has passed away.

WAYS & MEANS: R'auction will be held Thursday night Oct. 23 at our regular meeting.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: We have approximately 30 quilts already turned in and we are in need of 50. These are due in December as they will be given to the children for Christmas.

CHRISTMAS PARTY: Dinner will be held on December 6th at Atlanta's Finest. You can purchase a chance to win tickets for this at the Ways and Means table for \$1 each.

SATURDAY STITCH IN: This will be held on November 8, from 9:00am to 9:00pm. Come any time and stay as long as you like or stay all day. Bring lunch. If you plan to be there for dinner, sign up with Robin as to what you want to bring. Cost for the day is \$10 to help pay for the use of the room.

OLD AND NEW BUSINESS:

East Cobb Quilt Show will be held on June 11 thru 13 at Helping Hands Church in Woodstock.

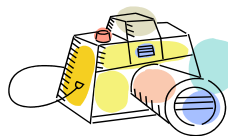
We need a volunteer to take responsibility for holding a quilt show during the Hydrangea Festival in Douglasville.

SHOW AND TELL

Respectfully submitted,

Patti Howell

Day Secretary



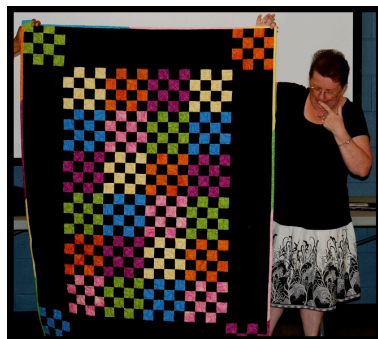
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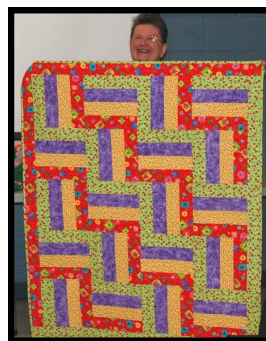
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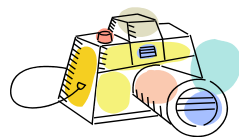


Marge Frost



Rachel Phaneuf





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Jennie Hollis



← Patti Howell

Broach
Winsley →



Annie Kellum





Minutes: CROG Night Meeting, October 23, 2014

Tina called the meeting to order at 7:00pm

Minutes in the newsletter were accepted.

October birthdays were recognized.

Treasurer: Report was given.

Christmas Party: Loretta reminded everyone of date/time/place and to expect a great time.

Community Service: Emily said we still need kid's quilts at least 40" x 50."

Newsletter: Get articles in by Saturday.

Saturday Stitch In: Date November 8, 9:00am - 9:00pm. Check the website for details. If you have any questions, contact Robin Meyer.

Membership: 32 members and 3 visitors present. Denise also reminded members of the East Cobb Quilt show in June 2015. Doreen Thornton will be Coordinating our participation in the Hydrangea Festival. Membership forms for 2015 will be in the newsletter.

Tina announced that the By-Laws Committee has been working on some revisions and to contact Dori Holt, Dawn King or Joyce Trew if anyone has any concerns that they would like addressed.

Nominating Committee: Vickie Hecht announced that we still need a Day Secretary, Membership chair, Christmas Party chair, and someone for Publicity. She also announced a partial slate of officers for 2015 of Tina Corbitt -

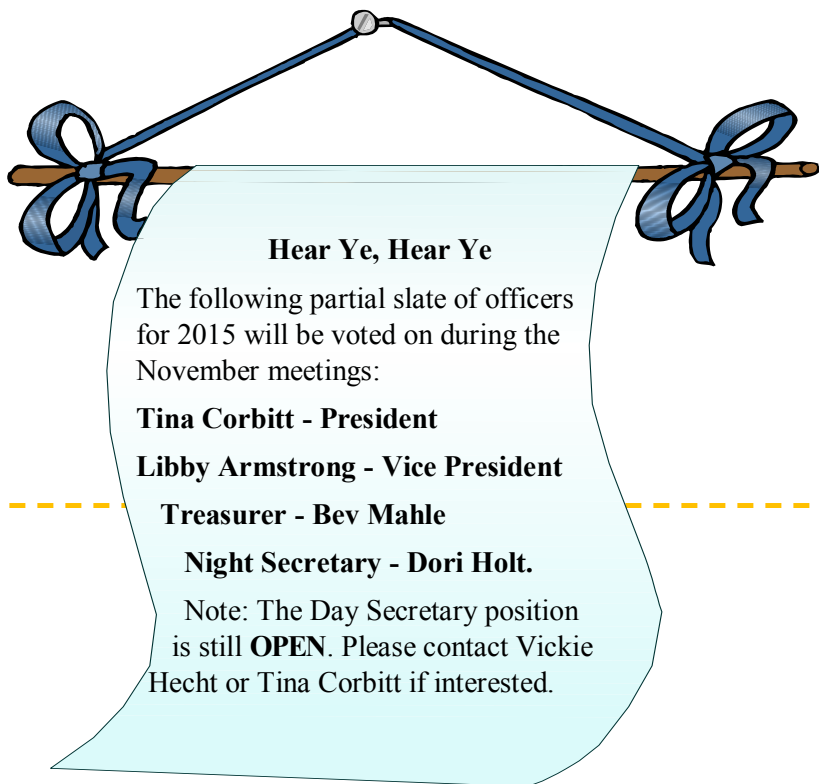
President; Libby Armstrong - Vice President; Day Secretary - open; Treasurer - Bev Mahle and Night Secretary - Dori Holt.

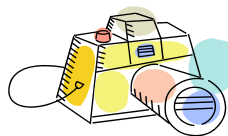
Annie Kellum asked that if you are interested in hosting a Bee in 2015, please contact her.

Respectfully submitted,

Dori Holt

Night Secretary





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Rachel Phaneuf



Jill Stroer





2014 R'uction Local Business Support Came From The Following:

Taqueria Jalisco

8485 Hospital Dr.
Douglasville, GA 30134
770-577-5715

The Plumber

3126 Bankhead Hwy.
Lithia Springs, GA 30122
770-941-7411

Thank You!



November 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Military Family Month• Nat'l Alzheimer's Awareness Mo.• National Diabetes Month						1
2	3	4  Election Day	5	6	7	8  Saturday Stitch-In
9	10  Veteran's Day	11	12	13 Day Meeting	14	15
16	17	18	19	20 Night Meeting	21	22
23	24	25	26	27 Thanksgiving 	28	29
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Saturday Stitch-In

November 8, 2014 • 9:00am—9:00pm

Ike Owen's Community Center
Hunter Park
Douglasville, Georgia 30134

- Gizmo Demos
- Covered Dish Dinner @ 5:00pm

(See Article On Page ??? For Details)

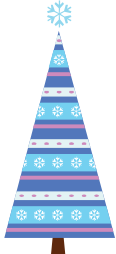
Christmas Party

Thursday, December 4, 2014 • 7:00pm

Atlanta's Finest Catering
7981 Highway 78 • Winston, GA 30187

- Drawings
- Door Prizes
- "Ugly Sweater" Contest
- Yummy Food
- Good Company
- Fun – Fun – Fun!

(See Article On Page ??? For Details)





Proposed CRQG By-Laws Revisions November 2014

All proposals are separate items and will be voted on as such at the Day and Night meetings in November. Results will be published in the December Newsletter and take effect January 01, 2015.

ARTICLE FOUR – MEMBERSHIP

CURRENT:

A person is eligible to become a member of the Guild on payment of dues.

Persons 12 years or older may participate as a paid member when accompanied by an adult member.

PROPOSED:

Section One: A person 18 years or older is eligible to become a member of the Guild on payment of dues.

PROPOSED:

Section Two: A person joining after June 30, shall pay one-half the amount of annual dues.

(This provision appears in Article Ten, Section Three. The By-Laws committee thought it appropriate to appear under Membership, as well.)

PROPOSED:

Section Three: If a visitor attends three meetings within three consecutive months, they will be encouraged to become a member.

ARTICLE FIVE – OFFICERS AND ELECTIONS

Section Two:

CURRENT:

Officers' terms of office shall be one year. A person must be a member for one full year before accepting an Officer position. Officers may be elected to consecutive terms. Vacancies may be filled by the Board of Directors.

PROPOSED:

Officers' terms of office shall be one year. A person must be a member for one full year and at least 21 years of age before accepting an Officer position. Officers may be elected to consecutive terms. Vacancies may be filled by the Board of Directors.

(“Proposed CRQG By-Laws Revisions” continued from page 18)

(“Proposed CRQG By-Laws Revisions” continued on page 19)



ARTICLE SIX – STANDING COMMITTEES

Section One:

CURRENT:

There shall be the following Standing Committees, the Chairpersons of which shall serve on the Executive Committee:

- A. Program – for Day and Night
- B. Membership
- C. Newsletter Editor
- D. Publicity
- E. Hospitality – for Day and Night
- F. Ways and Means
- G. Historian
- H. Librarian
- I. Sunshine

PROPOSED:

There shall be the following Standing Committees, the Chairpersons of which shall serve on the Executive Committee.

- A. Program**
- B. Membership**
- C. Newsletter Editor**
- D. Publicity**
- E. Ways and Means**
- F. Historian**
- G. Librarian**
- H. Sunshine**

(It is understood that if Hospitality is dissolved that the appropriate change will appear in Article Seven, Section Two: Hospitality)

PROPOSED:

Section Two: A member must be at least 21 years of age to be a committee chairperson.

(“Proposed CRQG By-Laws Revisions” continued from page 19)

ARTICLE SEVEN – DUTIES OF OFFICERS AND STANDING COMMITTEES

Section One: Officers

(“Proposed CRQG By-Laws Revisions” continued on page 20)



CURRENT:

3. The Treasurer shall have charge of Guild funds, keeping accurate records of receipts and disbursements and will make monthly reports to membership. The Treasurer serves both the Day and Night groups. Records from previous years shall be turned over to the incoming Treasurer.

PROPOSED:

3. The Treasurer shall have charge of Guild funds, keeping accurate records of receipts and disbursements and will make monthly reports to the membership. The Treasurer serves both the Day and Night groups. All monies received shall be deposited into the Treasury no later than 30 days from the date received. All disbursements for reimbursement shall be paid within 30 days from the time receipts or invoices are submitted. Records from previous years shall be turned over to the incoming Treasurer.

Section Two: Standing Committees

CURRENT:

B. Membership: Shall seek to expand Guild membership, maintain an accurate membership roster, greet and introduce visitors. The Membership Chairperson shall prepare and distribute membership packets and shall be responsible for collecting dues and accounting to the Treasurer. The Telephone person shall notify members who request reminders of regular meetings and special events.

PROPOSED:

B. Membership: Shall seek to expand Guild membership, maintain an accurate membership roster, greet and introduce visitors. The Membership Chairperson shall prepare and distribute membership packets to those members who are unable to access the internet and shall be responsible for collecting dues and accounting to the Treasurer. Monies collected by Membership shall be turned into the Treasurer no later than 30 days of being received. The Membership Chairperson shall appoint a member of the committee or other member to telephone those members that request to be called for meetings and special events.

CURRENT:

C. Newsletter Editor: Shall publish and mail a monthly newsletter for Guild members and visitors. It will be available electronically to all members and sent by regular mail, as provided in Article Ten, Section Two.

PROPOSED:

C. Newsletter Editor: Shall publish a monthly newsletter for Guild members and visitors. It will be available electronically to all members no later than 7 days before the upcoming Day Meeting. A copy of the newsletter will be sent by regular mail as provided in Article Ten, Section Two.

("Proposed CRQG By-Laws Revisions" continued from page 20)

ARTICLE NINE – MEETINGS

Section Three:

CURRENT:

Section Three: Meetings are intended for enjoyment by adult quilters, both members and visitors. Members may bring visitors 12 years old and older to visit and participate.

("Proposed CRQG By-Laws Revisions" continued on page 21)



PROPOSED:

Section Three: Meetings are intended for enjoyment by adult quilters, both members and visitors. Members may bring visitors 18 years and older to visit and participate.

PROPOSED:

Section Four: It is understood that if the Douglas County Schools are closed due to inclement weather that any guild activity for that same day is cancelled as well. If there is any question, the President or his/her designee shall be responsible for the final decision. To ensure that all members are made aware, the President/designee shall send an email or appoint members to telephone the membership to advise of the decision.

ARTICLE TEN – FINANCES

Section Five:

CURRENT:

The outgoing Executive Committee shall present a proposed budget for consideration by the incoming Executive Committee. A budget will be presented to the membership for approval.

PROPOSED:

The outgoing Executive Committee shall present a proposed budget for consideration by the incoming Executive Committee. The new budget shall be published in the newsletter for review prior to the membership vote.

PROPOSED:

Section Six: Any funds collected by any committee shall be turned into the Treasurer no later than 30 days after being received.

PROPOSED:

Section Seven: Any receipts for reimbursement shall be turned into the Treasurer no later than 30 days after the event for which expenses were incurred.

Directions to Christmas Party

Atlanta's Finest Catering

7981 Highway 78, Winston, GA 30187

Directions:

Take I20 West to Exit 30 Post Road. Turn Right onto Post Road - Continue for .7 Miles

Turn Left onto US78 West/GA8 - Continue for .8 Miles

(Note: It is .4 miles past Conners Rd - If you reach Smith Rd you've gone a little too far)

Atlanta's Finest Catering is on your Left

Or

From Hwy 78 West at Hwy 5 it is approximately 4 miles to Atlanta's Finest Catering (See Note Above)

Date _____



Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild 2015 Membership Form

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 – 2nd Thursday at 8:30am

_____ Attend Night Meeting – 4th Thursday at 7:00pm

_____ Attend Both Meetings

_____ Telephone Reminder for Meetings

_____ Email Reminder for Meetings

_____ Read Newsletter Online at Website

_____ Mail Newsletter (Pay Additional – Contact Membership)

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: Denise Allee, 9115 Saddlebrook Court, Douglasville GA 30135

_____ **Membership use only below this line** _____

Renewal	Paid \$ _____	Cash _____	Check# _____		
New Member	Paid \$ _____	Cash _____	Check# _____	Badge _____	Notify _____