Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

February 2006

2006 Officers:

President: Irene Gardner 770.949.7216

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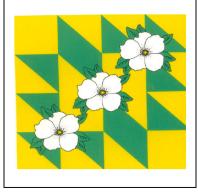
Night Secretary: Joy Wegand 770.562.2392

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Please submit information for the February <u>Newsletter by</u> February 25, 2006 to: Marla Tatum <u>sewbug2004@yahoo.com</u>

Life is like a patchwork Make it precious day by day Have a pattern for your life Adding fun along the way!



A Message from the President:

I'm proud to say we had great attendance at our January meetings. My heart was warmed by this wonderful start for the year of 2006. We rolled up our sleeves, dusted off our new membership books and got rolling with the approval of our Guilds Budget. The business part of our guild is done and out of the way, we can relax and look forward to a year full of fun times together. Our committees are excited and energized and ready to bring us a year choc-full of new exciting presentations. They have already been working hard to bring us fresh new speakers with new ideas and techniques for all of us to learn and enjoy.

The best news is we have completed our Community project for 2005 with a total of 87 quilts! Amazing! Be proud of our group endeavor, we deserve the glory of setting a goal and completing it. We are an awesome force! Thank you one and all for your dedication and participation to our group.

Stay warm with a quilt or two, Irene Gardner

WAYS AND MEANS: Let's get our treasury rolling.....

Raffle items (at least two at each meeting) for the next few meetings. Sewing Machine Trolley won at Night Meeting by Debbie Hirschman!!! Tickets \$1.00 or 6 / \$5.00.

Fons and Porter – "Love of Quilting Magazine" – \$20.00 subscription Half of subscription price (\$10.00) goes to Guild.

Remember Book Fair in March. Please start bringing book donations beginning February meetings.

Scrap Basket: Most scraps ten cents. Larger ones 25 cents. Donate your leftover scraps to the guild.

Cookbooks \$10.00 Kleenex tissue holders \$2.00

Cherokee Rose Quilt Guild pins \$5.00 O Chair Cushions \$15.00

Standing Committees:

Program:

Barbara Stevens Patti Howell Phyllis Smith

Membership: Denise Allee Caryl Knox Cindi Schroeder

Newsletter: Marla Tatum

Publicity: Robin Meyer

Telephone – Day: Myra Wade

Telephone – Night: Mary Graham

Hospitality – Day: Barbara Stevens Donna Blake

Hospitality – Night: Debbie Hirschman

Ways and Means: Dina Greer

Historian: Patti Howell

Librarian: Kimberly Laderoute Donna Walker Pat Oliver Robin Meyer Janie Hitchcock Gary Hitchcock Myra Wade

Sunshine: Louise Moore

February 9, 2006 – Day Program *Taffy McLaughlin – "Batik Quilts Trunk Show" and introduce the Batik Swap.* Packets \$12.50 / 2 pks are needed to make a lap size quilt. Money due at end of day meeting. Barbara Stevens - "Valentine Keeper"

To make the Valentine Keeper wall hanging, you will need the following: 1/4 yd of 8 different valentine fabrics.

These are to be cut into l rectangle, 10 1/2" x 8 1/2" from each fabric (since you can get more that 1 from this fabric, I suggest that we swap some so that we can have a wider variety.)

7/8 yd of white fabric

Cut this into 2 rectangles, (1) 12 1/2" x 29 1/2" and (1) 16" x 35" Batting 16" x 35"

If you can layer and quilt the white rectangles and batting together, it will speed up the project.

You will also need 97" of binding. This can be made from scrap strips of the valentine fabrics.

Please bring machine and sewing supplies to match fabrics.

This project should only take about an hour to finish if the background is already quilted.

February 23, 2006 – Night Program Mary Anne Henderson from Red Hen Fabrics. She will tell us about "Fabric Design".

March 3, 2006 – Workshop Sharon Schamber – Piec-lique' \$60.00 class fee; 9-5-class time; deadline to sign up February 9, 2006 and payment is required at sign up time; other guilds will be invited to attend after Feb. 9th. She will be teaching the Susie Q design. Visit her website at www.sharonschamber.com



March 9, 2006 – Day Program *Return of Taffy McLaughlin for the actual Ballk Swap.* You will be making a quilt from the 10-1/2" squares purchased from the batik packets. Ad Hoc Committees:

Show and Tell & Golden Scissors: Linda Johnston

Photographers: Rebekah Bobell Ann Groves

Webmistress: Sheila Miller

Beekeeper:

Community Service: Joy Wegand Myra Wade Cathy Russo

Quilt till You Wilt: Joy Wegand Irene Gardner Ann Groves

Thank the Bank:

Challenge Quilt:

ONLINE NEWSLETTER:

www.quiltsites.com

Go to Visit the Quilt Guilds. Select Cherokee Rose. Select Newsletter. User Name: Rose Password: Needle February Day Hospitality: Bring soup or chili with fixins

February Night Hospitality: Robin Banks, Jeanne Anderson, Janie Hitchcock, Kimberly Laderoute, and Debbie Hirschman



GOLDEN SCISSORS: January Recipients

Denise Allee, Karen Campbell, Irene Gardner, Dina Greer, Ann Groves, Janie Hitchcock, Patti Howell, Kimberly Laderoute, Cathy Russo, Cindy Schroeder, Phyllis Smith, Marla Tatum, Donna Walker.

NOTE: The Golden Scissor charm is awarded for a completed quilt with a minimum measurement of 220" around the perimeter of the quilt.



SUNSHINE:



Joyce Hill is doing well after her surgery from breast cancer. She still has some more testing and will let us know about further treatments. Please respect her wishes of **no** phone calls.

Caryl Knox is having surgery on her hand for Carpal tunnel (no sewing for awhile).

Virginia Bennett, a former member and Vice President has been diagnosed with breast cancer. No surgery date yet, due to some testing with her heart. Her address is: 219 Rippling Dr NW, Marietta GA 30064. Phone: 678-229-3721

Karen Smith is not feeling well.

FOR SALE: 75 EMBROIDERY LESSON CARDS IN COLOR DATED 1907 SOME MAY BE OLDER. IN COLOR AND FAIR TO GOOD CONDITION. MAKE OFFER. EMAIL <u>ARTS4CAROLYN@AOL.COM</u> OR 770-456-0442 CAROLYN CHAPMAN



February Birthdays

Mary Graham Linda Johnston Kimberly Laderoute Crystal Walker

Fat Quarter Lottery for January is PINK Fabric!! Any shade of pink – Rose, Hot Pink, Fuchsia, Powder Puff Pink, Bubble Gum, etc. Fabric is the same for both Day and Night Meetings. Each fat quarter you bring equals one lottery ticket.

January Winners !!!

Day - Karen Campbell Night - Joy Wegand

Additions and Changes Membership Booklets

Barbara Shirley 4355 Clare Lane Lithia Springs, GA 30122 Home: 770-941-8025 Cell: 404-863-7360 E-mail: ss4355@aol.com Birthday: Nov 19

Changes:

Jessie Quick 92 Mitchell Way Hiram GA 30141 Home: 678-567-9598 Cell: 770-841-9224

Janie & Gary Hitchcock E-mail: janie123456@yahooo.com



New Year Resolution:

Call and schedule your machine's annual tune-up and cleaning if it's a machine that needs professional adjusting.

Quilting Calendar of Events:

March 3, 2006

Sharon Schamber - Piec-lique' workshop

March 4-12, 2006

Great American Cover-Up Quilt Show at Historic Bulloch Hall (entry applications due by January 20, 2006)

March 17-18, 2006

Heart of Georgia Quilt Guild Quilt Show in Macon, Ga. Sase to Barbara Wilcher, 315 Somersby Lane, Macon, GA 31210

March 24-26, 2006

Bernina Alpine Quilt Retreat in Helen, GA. Sponsored by the Atlanta Sewing Center. Jan Wildman and Jennifer Gigas are teaching. Call ASC @ 770-622-1880 to reserve your spot.

March 30 - April 2, 2006

The Greater Atlanta Shop Hop 2006 "The Amazing Quilt Book Race" March 30 & 31: 9am – 8pm April 1: 9am – 6pm April 2: 1pm – 5pm Intown Quilters, Patricks, Quilted Hearts, Quiltin Time, Quilts & Fixins, Red Hen Fabrics, Share the Spirit, Stitch N Quilt, Tiny Stitches and Little Quilts

April 7-8, 2006

"The Scraps of Our Lives." Foothills Piecemakers Quilt Guild Show. Morningside Baptist Church. 1115 Pelham Road, Greenville, SC.



New Quilt Shop Opening in March????

Quilt Station In The Old Town Shops of Hiram Shopping Center (across from the old Hiram train depot)

37 Beatty Street Ste #105 Hiram GA 30141 770-222-6861