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Rachel Phaneuf

Vice President: Patti Howell

Day Secretary:

Barbara Stevens

Night Secretary:Debbie Hirschman

Treasurer:

Jessie Quick

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President's Message

Happy Thanksgiving!!

Thank You! Thank You! Because of you, we had an absolutely grand time at the R'Auction the other night! We had a great time bidding, laughing and spending! As far as has been reported to me, it is the best R'Auction ever! Because of your kindhearted donations and your generous giving, we realized a total income of \$1,026. FANTASTIC!!! Dori, along with Albertha, Bev and Mary did a GRAND job!

As these beautiful fall days flash by, we find November to be a very busy month at the Guild. First, we will have a really great time at the **Quilt 'Til You Wilt on the 7**th. Ann Groves puts a great deal of time and effort into making this an outstanding 12 hours together (9 a.m. to 9 p.m.). Make sure you come by even if you can only stay a couple of hours. You will be so glad you came!

Secondly, at our **day meeting on the 12**th, Joany Orsi has come up with a very interesting program. Everyone is to bring his/her favorite quilting tool and share with us why it is a "favorite." We will all go away learning something and needing a new tool in our arsenal. Don't forget, we will also be <u>voting for the 2010 slate of officers</u>.

Thirdly at our **evening meeting on the 19**th, we will have the **GREAT QUILT CHALLENGE AND ICE CREAM SOCIAL!!** This is going to be a very fun and very yummy evening you will not want to miss. You need to come and help vote for the quilted machine cover that is the best of show! We will also be <u>voting for the 2010 slate of officers</u>.

Finally, and very important, you need to **pay your membership dues** for 2010! They are \$20 again this year. And... there will be <u>no membership dues accepted at the</u>

<u>Christmas party</u> which is our only meeting in December. Dues need to be paid by December 15th to insure your name gets into the 2010 Membership listing.

In closing, I pray your Thanksgiving Day will be filled with precious, thankful memories!! Take time to remember our faithful military men and women who serve us with pride.

Honored to serve you,

Rachel

NOTICE, NOTICE, NOTICE CRQG MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE!

CRQG BYLAWS STATE THAT ONLY THOSE WHO PAY MEMBERSHIP DUES BY DECEMBER 15 MAY BE INCLUDED IN THE MEMBER DIRECTORY (DUES ARE NOT TAKEN DURING THE CHRISTMAS PARTY ON DECEMBER 3). FILL OUT THE MEMBERSHIP FORM ON PAGE 12 OF THIS NEWSLETTER AND TURN IT IN, ALONG WITH YOUR \$20 DUES, BEFORE DECEMBER 15.

Standing Committees

Programs Joany Orsi

Membership Broach Winsley Phyl Schiwal Tina Corbitt Debbie Hirschman

Newsletter Diane Johnson Robin Meyer

Publicity
Sandra Wilson
Joyce Trew

Telephone, Day Mary Graham

Telephone, Night Ann Groves Debra Butler

Hospitality, Day Marge Frost Vickie Pruitt

Hospitality, Night Irene Gardner Marilee Kelly Charlene Shanks

Ways and Means Dori Holt Albertha Brown Rita Perez

Historian
Doreen Thornton

Librarian Yvonne Smith-Anderson

Sunshine Jeanne Andersen



Sandy Capazzi

CHEROKEE ROSE QUILTERS GUILD

MINUTES OF OCTOBER DAY MEETING, OCTOBER 8, 2009 SUBMITTED BY BARBARA STEVENS, DAY SECRETARY

Patti Howell, Vice President, called the meeting to order at 9:38 a.m. She welcomed everyone.

Birthday wishes were expressed to everyone celebrating in October.

The following reports were given:

Treasurer's Report – The current balance is \$2,116.74.

Hospitality – Marge thanked everyone who brought refreshments. She then passed around a sign-up sheet for the November day meeting. Irene will send a list for the November night meeting around.

Programs -

- Denise Allee will present a program on making diamonds from triangles today.
- October night meeting is the R'Auction. Please get anything you want to donate to Albertha or Broach. Also, we need people to help set up.
- November day meeting will be favorite notions and tools.
- November night will feature challenge quilts and the ice cream social.
- December's Christmas party is on the first Thursday night beginning at 6 p.m.

Publicity – Albertha Brown and Phyllis Smith have quilts that will be hung soon at the hospital. The sign is up at the hospital recognizing that the quilts are furnished by our guild.

Ways & Means – The Store and Organize bag will be raffled off at the November night meeting. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. The ruler holder with rulers will be drawn for at the Christmas Party. Lots of other stuff is for sale. Remember the R'Auction at the night meeting.

Sunshine – Donna Jones' father passed away. Joany Orsi's granddaughter has H1N1 flu. Rita Rosenthal, a former member, is in the hospital with pneumonia. Aline's son is better and back to work. Mary Graham's husband is recovering at home from surgery.

Membership – 26 members present. No visitors. Door prizes were won by Sandra Wilson, Bev Mahle, Annie Kellum, and Aline Wadsworth. Fat quarters were won by Marge Frost.

Bee – The next Bee will be on October 15 at the home of Doris Hohn. This will be the last Bee of the year.

Challenge Quilts – To be presented at the November night meeting. Remember that this is on the third Thursday night in November.

Community Service – This activity is finished for the year. We collected 23 quilts and several lap quilts, cushions, and walker totes. Beverly Mahle would like suggestions for next year's project.

Christmas Party – The party will be held on December 3rd at 6 p.m.

Ad Hoc Committees

Golden Scissors, Day Dorene Bickford Sandra Capazzi

Golden Scissors, Night Ann Groves Jane Wilding

Bee Keeper Irene Gardner

Community Service Bev Mahle Jane Wilding Vickie Pruitt

Christmas Party Donna Jones Aline Wadsworth

Photographer, Day Charles Phaneuf

Photographer, Night Charles Phaneuf Ann Groves

Quilt 'Til U Wilt Ann Groves Yvonne Smith-Anderson Sandra Capazzi

Challenge Quilt
Phyl Schiwal
Albertha Brown
Jeanne Andersen

Webmaster Joany Orsi

Please pay your membership dues by December 15!

Please submit Dec. newsletter information before November 25 to Diane Johnson at hotshotz@comcast.net

Nominating Committee – The following are nominated for the 2010 term of office:

Jeanne Andersen

President
 Vice President
 Treasurer
 Day Secretary
 Rachel Phaneuf
 Dori Holt
 Tina Corbitt
 (Not yet filled)

We still have several committee openings that need to be filled.

Show and Tell



Night Secretary

Albertha Brown



Broach Winsley



Patti Howell



Phyllis Carpenter



Barbara Stevens



Jessie Quick



Linda Herren



Diane Johnson



Marge Frost

CHEROKEE ROSE QUILTERS GUILD

OCTOBER NIGHT MEETING, OCTOBER 22, 2009 SUBMITTED BY DEBBIE HIRSCHMAN, NIGHT SECRETARY

President's Opening Remarks – Rachel opened the meeting at 7 p.m. August minutes were approved and seconded. Who read the last newsletter? Well, if you did and accepted the challenge, you won one of Rachel's surprises. We never know what it will be. All you had to do was let her know that you had read the newsletter and you were a winner. Prizes were won by Ann Groves, Joany Orsi, Diane Johnson, and Marge Frost.

Where in Georgia is Sunbonnet Sue? – Debbie Hirschman announced the winner of the beautiful Jim Shaw angel. Vickie Hecht got 5 out of 6 locations correct. Congratulations, Vickie! And thank you all for participating. All of the locations were:

March – Tybee Island

April - Museum of the South and Locomotive History in Kennesaw

May – Sweetwater Park ruins

July – Six Flags Over Georgia

August – Olympic Centennial Park

September – Atlanta Botanical Park

Birthdays – September birthdays were acknowledged.

Treasurer's Report – Jessie Quick reported that we have \$2,117.74 in the treasury.

Publicity – Albertha Brown and Phyllis Smith currently have quilts hanging at WellStar Douglas Hospital.

Ways and Means – The ruler holder will be raffled at the Christmas Party—buy your tickets at any meeting. CRQG logo items include travel mugs, \$12; pins, \$5; cookbooks, \$10; tee shirts, \$20; and a whopping big basket of all kinds of storage containers.

Membership – There were 37 members present, 1 visitor, and 2 new members. Welcome everyone. Door prizes were won by Rachel Phaneuf, Linda Herren, and Donna Jones. Pat Oliver won the fat quarter lottery.

Community Service – Bev Mahle announced that 24 quilts were donated as well as lots of cushions and totes for Good Neighbor Care. Thank you for being such good stewards of those in need.

Hospitality – Once again, many people came through with great goodies. Thank you all.

Library – Looking for a new and unusual project? Check out the library. Need a "how-to" video? We've got it.

Newsletter – Thank you for getting the information out in a timely manner. All committee chairs should submit a wrap-up report to be published in the December newsletter.

Challenge Quilt – We will have the challenge at the night meeting in November.

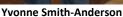


Bee – There are no bees scheduled for the remainder of the year.

Christmas Party - The Christmas Party is scheduled for December 3 at the church; it begins at 6 p.m. We will have a gift exchange. To receive a gift, bring a handmade item to be placed under the tree and to get one in return (handmade quilted items are encouraged). We look forward to seeing everyone there.

Golden Scissors/Show and Tell







Donna Schwedt



Jeanne Andersen

Don't forget to pay your 2010 membership dues before December 15. Pay them to **Broach Winsley or** mail them to her along with the membership form shown on page 12 of this newsletter.



Janice Mullins



Ann Groves



Albertha Brown

Quilt 'Til You Wilt – QTYW is scheduled for November 7 from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. Admission is \$5, a fat quarter (red or green for Christmas), and a sewing notion. It's here—everyone rest up and stay the course; you will be rewarded.

Program – The R'Auction

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

The nominating committee has identified the following individuals for CRQG officers for 2010:

President	Rachel Phaneuf
Vice President	Dori Holt
Treasurer	Tina Corbitt
Day Secretary	Phyllis Carpenter
Night Secretary	Jeanne Andersen

NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER PROGRAMS

November and December encompass holidays that cause us to reflect and be thankful for one another and the beautiful quilts members of this Guild produce. As our members share their talents with the rest of us, we have the opportunity to learn new techniques. Be sure to be at each meeting to take advantage of every learning opportunity.

November 12, 2009, Day Meeting

Favorite Tools: Bring your favorite tool or gadget used for quilting and then let us guild members see it as you tell us why it's your favorite!

November 19, 2009, Night Meeting

Challenge Quilt Show and Ice Cream Social

December 3, 2009, Night Meeting

Christmas Party – NOTE TIME CHANGE: 6:00 P.M.

PUBLICITY

Albertha Brown's and Phyllis Smith's quilts have been hung at WellStar Douglas. they will be there until the end of December. Stop by when you're in the area.



Albertha Brown



Phyllis Smith

COMMUNITY SERVICE

The final count for the community service quilts for the Douglas County Retardation Center is 24!! Yippee!! Thanks to all who worked so hard on these quilts. . .especially at the end when it looked like we were going to be short a few. I am making arrangements for delivery to them and they should be there for their enjoyment within the week. For the Good Neighbor Care facility, we managed to complete 11 walker totes, 2 bags, and 21 cushions. I'm sure the residents there will be thrilled with all these items! These items and the quilts sure look impressive when all stacked together. . .we have been busy this year. My thanks to all who participated.

R'AUCTION

R'Auction Results!! Ladies and gentlemen, THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU! The R'Auction this year was fantastic!! We had lots and lots of beautiful fabric, nice books, a variety of tools and containers, and most of all, LOTS of participation from you! The night of the Great R'Auction (not to be confused with the Great Pumpkin) brought in \$1,026 for the Guild!!!!!!! I believe that is the highest amount to date for our R'Auction. We had several raffle winners as well—Joany Orsi, Sarah Groves, Jeanne Andersen, Donna Schwedt, Robin Meyer, Phyllis Carpenter, Ann Marie Mangiasi, Linda Jones, Doris Hohn, Rita Lee (2), and Debra Butler. I hope I didn't leave anyone out. Congratulations, ladies.



Sarah Groves with Dori Holt



Phyllis Carpenter with Dori Holt



Donna Jones



Florence Pinkerton, Doris Hohn, Rita Lee



Jeanne Andersen



Robin Meyer



Ann Marie Mangiasi



Linda Jones



Rita Lee



Debra Butler



Donna Schwedt

Thank you to all who donated. Thank you to all who bid. And, most of all, thank you to Albertha Brown, Bev Mahle, Kathy Eck, Annie Kellum, Doreen Thornton, Diane Johnson, and Mary Graham for all your help before, during and after the R'Auction.











Dori Holt, Mary Graham, Bev Mahle, and Albertha Brown get ready to auction off a surprise package of fabric and other goodies.

SUNBONNET SUE CHALLENGE

Sunbonnet Sue is almost ready for her vacation debut. She is visiting the state from your childhood. She is going to show off her new outfit while visiting the state of your childhood memories. Remember the quilt she will be sewn into/on must somehow cover your sewing machine.

FEATURED MEMBER JANE WILDING

How long have you been quilting? About 3 years.

Who taught you how to quilt? I just started, bought a book, and the ladies at Cherokee Rose have been so patient and kind—you answer all my questions, watch me at Quilt 'Til U Wilt, and give me great advice.

What are your favorite quilting techniques? I'm learning to be more meticulous when I cut fabric; I'm trying diligently to keep my seams at ¼-inch; I iron everything as I go along, and the "hands-on" programs at Cherokee Rose and at Woodie Fite are fabulous.

What are your favorite colors to work with? Anything goes! But if I had to choose, it would be earth tones.

What are your favorite fabrics to work with? Cotton, cotton, cotton.

What is your favorite quilt shop? JoAnn's.

If you sew by machine, what kind(s) do you use? I have two: my original Singer Featherweight which will be 50 years old in November and my Sears Kenmore that I bought back in 1974. I'm drooling over the new machines!

What inspires you to make a particular quilt? Appearance. I'm not that creative and if I see a picture of a quilt I like, I'll give it my best shot.

What is your favorite quilting book or pattern? Better Homes and Gardens Complete Guide to Quilting.

On average, how many quilts do you make in a year? Three or four, more if they're small.

Do you quilt your own quilts or do you send them out? I've been quilting my own, and I'm trying to learn machine quilting. (I) would love a long-arm quilter. . .!

What quilt-related item(s) are you working on right now? A queen-sized sampler quilt for my son and daughter-in-law, a full-sized mystery quilt for a friend, another queen-sized quilt for a friend—and I have fabric for three more quilts waiting to be started. I think I've been bitten by the "quilt bug." And it's time to make a quilt for us!

What other hobbies do you have? Music: piano, organ, and about five other instruments. Reading, camping—I'm never bored!

Tell about one way that quilting has changed your life. My house is a mess!

Are you on any committees with the CRQG? Golden Scissors and Community Service.

Feel free to tell us more about yourself and your family. Les and I have been married for almost 26 years. He's a ham radio fanatic, he makes beautiful cabinets and I put the finish on them. We enjoy camping in our motor home, and we walk almost every day. We have two children and two grandchildren, and we will become great-grandparents in November. I support him in his hobbies and he supports me in mine. He actually gets excited when I finish a quilt! We serve the Lord in whatever way he calls us, and we look forward to 2010 as the year when we will finally be able to take a vacation and relax.



OCTOBER FAT QUARTER WINNERS

Day Meeting – Marge Frost Night Meeting – Pat Oliver

OCTOBER DOOR PRIZE WINNERS

Day Meeting – Annie Kellum, Bev Mahle, Phyl Schiwal, Aline Wadsworth, Sandra Wilson Night Meeting – Linda Herren, Donna Jones, Rachel Phaneuf

SUNSHINE NEWS

Aline Wadsworth's son is doing great; he's back to work.

Donna Jones' father passed away.

Joany Orsi's 14-month old granddaughter was diagnosed with swine flu.

Rita Perez is doing great.

Mary Graham's husband had surgery; he's home and doing well.

Patti LaConto had a stroke.

Denise Allee's husband had surgery.

BEES

Due to the flooding, the October Bee had to be cancelled. No Bees are scheduled for November and December because of the changes in meeting dates. See you in 2010. Start thinking now about holding a Bee and attending several.

QUILT, QUILT. . . THEN WILT

Saturday, November 7 (9 a.m. until 9 p.m.) come one, come all and enjoy the last Quilt 'Til U Wilt of 2009. Bring your projects, UFO's or anything else you want to work on. This is still a ½ off special - \$5 plus a fat quarter (since it's near Christmas, please bring a red or green or Christmas print) and a notion, e.g., pins, thread, etc.—just something small that you use all the time. Please bring a covered dish that can be shared as this is a pot luck type of affair. Come and have a good time and see what everyone else is working on. Hope to see you there!

Don't forget to pay your membership dues before December 15. Use the form provided on page 12 of this newsletter.

Ways and Means

I'm sure you're all aware of the various items we have for sale, so I'll just mention the raffles that are in progress. Our Store and Carry raffle (worth over \$100) will be raffled off at the November day or night meeting. Also, the ruler holder (including some rulers which is over a \$100 value as well) will be raffled off at the Christmas party. However, the November day and night meetings will be your last opportunity to purchase these tickets. We will not be selling raffle tickets at the Christmas party. This gives everyone (except our Christmas party hostesses) a chance to relax and just have fun. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Just as a reminder. some of the items that we have for sale would make nice Christmas gifts for your friends that "seem to have everything!"

NOVEMBER FAT QUARTER LOTTERY IS "CHRISTMAS COLORS"

100% cotton fabric is the same for both Day and Night meetings. Each fat quarter you bring equals one lottery ticket.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

November 1	
November 2	•
November 6	Joyce Trew
November 10	Myra Wade
November 15	Darlene Wheeler
November 19	Charlene Shanks
November 20	Joy Wegand
November 24	Jane Wilding
November 26	Marilee Kelley

UPDATE ON MARIA PEAGLER COLOR MASTERY

If you go to www.youtube.com and search for colorfulquilter, the following videos will come up:

Color Mastery for Quilters
Creating a Quilter's Color Wheel
Color Palettes from a Quilter's Fabric Stash
Extreme Makeover: Quilt Edition
Using Prints in a Color Palette
New Colors for 2009/2010
Spiritual Art Gallery Talk

NIGHT HOSPITALITY

Our Ice Cream Social has been rescheduled for our November 19 night meeting. No hostess volunteers are needed. I will bring the ice cream and condiments required for making our own ice cream confections.

A BITE OF THE BEE

The following recipe is not from the last Bee but is recipe that members requested after tasting the cake at a guild meeting.

- 1 ½ cups boiling water
- 1 cup uncooked regular or quick-cooking oats
- ½ cup butter or margarine, softened
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 cups firmly packed brown sugar, divided
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- ¼ teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 2 large eggs
- 1 ½ cups all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1 ½ to 2 cups flaked coconut
- 1 ½ cups chopped pecans
- 1/3 cup butter or margarine, melted
- 1/3 cup milk

Stir together 1 ½ cups boiling water and oats; let stand 20 minutes.

Beat ½ cup butter, 1 cup sugar, and 1 cup brown sugar in a large bowl at medium speed with an electric mixer until creamy; add cinnamon and next 3 ingredients, beating well.

Stir in flour, baking soda, and salt just until moistened; beat in oatmeal. Pour into a lightly greased 13- x 9-inch pan.

Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes or until a wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean.

Combine remaining 1 cup brown sugar, coconut, and remaining ingredients in a bowl; spread over warm cake.

Broil 8 inches from heat 2 to 3 minutes or until golden.

Yield: 12 to 15 servings.

Don't forget to submit a "wrap-up" report if you are a committee chair. Those reports will be included in the December newsletter.

GOLDEN SCISSORS/PINS

Congratulations to the following who earned golden quilting awards in October:

Day Meeting: (Golden Scissors) Dorene Bickford (2), Albertha Brown, Sandy Capazzi (2), Patti Howell, Diane Johnson (3), Jessie Quick, Broach Winsley; (Sewing Machines) Albertha Brown, Marge Frost, Patti Howell, Diane Johnson, Jessie Quick, Broach Winsley; (Golden Pins) Sandy Capazzi, Marge Frost, Linda Herren (4).

Night Meeting: (Golden Scissors) Albertha Brown, Donna Schwedt, Queen Esther Smith; (Sewing Machines) Jeanne Andersen, Albertha Brown, Queen Esther Smith, Yvonne Smith; (Golden Pins), Jeanne Andersen, Ann Groves, Janice Mullins, Yvonne Smith; (Golden Thimbles) Ann Groves, Donna Schwedt.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

The following changes need to be made to the membership list provided in your membership folder:

Add

Olgarita G. Lee 5497 Twin Oak Drive Douglasville, GA 30135 Phone: 678.838.8195 Cell: 504.453.1096 olgarita@bellsouth.net Birthday: March 2



Darlene Wheeler 3495 Arbroath Drive Douglasville, GA 30135 Phone: 770.577.0470 Cell: 404.680.8885 dwheeler@gmail.com Birthday: November 15



Don't forget to pay your membership dues before December 15!

Don't forget to attend at least one of the November meetings so that you can vote for our new officers.

SAVE THE DATE

December 3, 2009 6:00 p.m.

A Quilted Christmas

Christmas is coming fast and it is time to prepare for our annual Christmas Party! We are going to have a gift exchange this year If you would like to participate, you are asked to bring a handmade (preferably quilted) gift. It can be as big or as little as you want it to be. Everyone who brings a gift will receive a gift. The gift must be wrapped in pretty paper.

You won't want to miss this Christmas Party. we have a special skit planned, and door prizes, and special little favors for everyone. Of course, we will play some games, and everyone will be asked to bring a covered dish, and our photographer will be taking pictures and our guild president, Rachel Phaneuf, will be saying a "few" words.

So, <u>SAVE THIS DATE</u> and start thinking about a gift to exchange!!!! It's only about 5 weeks away!!!

Date				
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Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild

2010 Membership Form

Please Print Clearly

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Address						
	GA Zip					
Home Phone	Cell Phone					
Work Phone	(Is not printed in Directory)					
E-mail	Birthday (Month) (Day)					
E-mail Re Read Ne	ne Reminder for Meetings eminder for Meetings wsletter Online at Website reletter (Pay Additional \$1.00 for each month)					
Yearly Dues are \$20.00	Make checks payable to: Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild					
Mail to: Broach Winsley, 3492 Pir	Make checks payable to: Cherokee Rose Quilters Guild the Grove Dr., Douglasville GA 30135 (before December 15) anbership use only below this line					

November 2009						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	9:00 – 9:00 Quilt 'Til U Wilt
8	9	10	11	9:30 Day Mtg – Your Favorite Tools	13	14
15	16	17	18	7:00 Night Mtg – Challenge & Ice Cream Social	20	21
22	23	24	25 Newsletter articles due to Diane Johnson	26 Thanksgiving	27	28
29	30					

December 2009						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 6:00 Christmas Party	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	Newsletter articles due to Diane Johnson	19
20	21	22	23	24 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas Day	26
27	28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve		