



June 2022 Newsletter

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### **President's Note**

Dear Quilters,

Hope you're using these hot muggy days to get some quilting done!

Sorry I missed last month's meeting. I heard it was a good meeting and we had 43 present!

There will be no meeting in July as we celebrate the 4th of July! 🇺🇸 Our next meeting will be August 8th at the Swisher Center!

Have a wonderful month,

Alice

We have lots of new members lately! Please remember to wear your name tag to the meeting.



### **2021-2022 Officers and Committee Chairs:**

President – Alice Wise  
Vice President – LaWonne McCoy  
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Membership – Linda Nichols  
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Newsletter – Ellen Hart  
Community Outreach - Linda Fishell  
Door Prizes -Linda Nichols  
Website - Tracy Burkart  
Quilts of Valor - Marty Smith  
Facebook - Gloria Stickney  
Quilt Show Chairs - Shirley Sink  
Cindi Sullivan



July

Elizabeth Burke	7/13
Alan Nichols	7/16
Teri Craven	7/18
Frances Fisher	7/18
Sue Lambert	7/18
Linda Fischer	7/20
Lori Procter	7/26
Amy Illerbrun	7/28

Just a reminder that we will not meet in July because it is July 4th. Karen Carter will be presenting a program at our August 1st meeting entitled The Ecstasy of Embellishing. Please join us and invite a friend.



LaWonne McCoy

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It is a new guild year!

Please bring membership dues payment to the August 1st meeting. \$25 or \$20 for seniors over 65. Membership forms are on the website: <http://www.hottqg.com/membership.html>

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June meeting minutes will be included in the July newsletter.



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#### GUILD SEW DAY

YES, we will have our normal Sew Day on the second Monday of the month in July. The date is July 11, 2022 from 9:30 to 3:00 at the Swisher Center at Forsyth Tech. Bring your project and supplies for uninterrupted sewing time. It's a great way to meet members of the Guild, develop friendships and ask advice for your project. Bring snacks or go out for lunch. Look forward to seeing you.

Any questions?  
Call Cindi  
336-405-2324



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## HOTT Fall Retreat



Fall Retreat is a GO! But we still have plenty of room for more. Please come join us for the fun! Information and registration form is available at [hottqg.com](http://hottqg.com) on the Fall Retreat page.

## TREASURER REPORT

Beginning Balance 5/1/2022	\$12,967.91
Deposits	\$ 47.50
Checks Written	\$ 129.36
Ending Balance 5/30/22	\$12,886.05

# Fool's Gold Mystery Quilt: Scrap Buster #8 Month 7

Presented by *Quilter's World* and author Susan Mallery.

All fabrics donated from Hoffman of California.

Machine Quilting by Masterpiece Quilting.

### WEEK 7 INSTRUCTIONS

**Note:** Use a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance and stitch right sides together for all construction unless otherwise instructed. It is important to keep same units and pieces together. We suggest using sandwich bags. Be sure to label each bag with the unit or piece reference name.

- Join three The House That Jack Built blocks with two Midnight Star blocks to make a row as shown in Figure 11. Press seams toward The House That Jack Built blocks. Repeat to make four of Row 1.
- Join three Midnight Star blocks with two The House That Jack Built blocks to make a row, again referring to Figure 11. Press seams toward The House That Jack Built blocks. Repeat to make three of Row 2.
- Join the rows alternately beginning with Row 1 to complete the pieced center. Press seams in one direction.

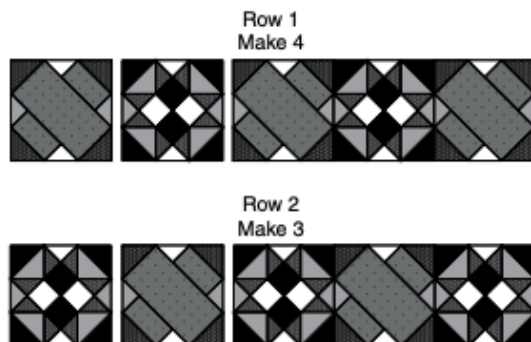


Figure 11



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## QOV Update

I was honored to award Quilts of Valor to two Vietnam veterans during May: One to Rod Ryan who served in the Marines (on the ground). He called the day after he received his quilt and told me that the quilt means more to him than all of the medals he received during the war.



The other went to Bill Wheeler who was an Army Airborne Ranger. He received a bronze star for valor and two Purple Hearts. His second injury from an IED resulted in 18 months in Walter Reed Medical Center where he was told he most likely would not walk again; yet as the pictures show, he is upright and mobile. In his thank you note, Bill wrote: I was in Vietnam more than 50 years ago. It is extremely comforting to know that after all these years, there are people such as you who remember and honor the service of this nation's veterans.

Our next award ceremony will be at the October meeting. If you have a family member who is a veteran or is active military and would like to nominate him/her for a quilt, please give me a call. Also, I have precut kits and/or fabric if you would like to participate by making a top. I'll even deliver.



Marty



To the membership:

We propose to have a new committee created for our retreats. Due to problems in the past with members being responsible personally and financially for the retreat contract and monies, we propose that the Guild add a committee to our Bylaws.

History:

The retreat has always been advertised as a Guild retreat, yet the responsibility of the retreat contract/monies has been for the individual member who plans the retreat. Any monies collected was handled by the individual member. With Covid restricting our ability to hold a retreat in the last two years, it fell upon the retreat planner to collect the refund from the retreat center and reimburse the members who signed up for the retreat. Due to personal reasons, it has taken some time to get this done. It would have been completed in a more timely manner had it been handled by the Guild. Without this bylaw change, there is no protection for guild members from losing their retreat payments in the future.

Bylaws Addition Proposal:

Article VIII, Section 12. RETREAT - In charge of setting up and making all arrangements for retreats. Communicates information and deadlines with participating members. All monies for the retreat will be deposited/disbursed by the Treasurer utilizing the Guild main account.

This bylaw change will be discussed and voted on at the August meeting.

This is what was documented in the newsletter.

Update to bylaws to include a retreat committee -

Tracy Burkart explained need for update due to problems in the past two years-

- Explained in past one person handled everything. No monies were handle by guild treasury.

Last two years retreat was cancelled. Fees have not been returned

- Group discussed pros and cons. Will be further addressed and voted on at the August meeting.



Prayers for our friend Fran McKinney, who is scheduled for surgery June 28th.



## **WANT TO GO TO THE AQS SHOW IN PADUCAH?**

We will be traveling on April 25 to Paducah, Kentucky, and returning on April 29, 2023. We will be traveling on a motor coach from the Christian Tours company, however, this trip is NOT affiliated with that company. We will depart from Bethany Baptist Church in Winston-Salem, NC, where we will leave our vehicles. We will be staying at the Baymont Inn and Suites, 203 E Front Street, Metropolis, IL (8 miles from the Quilt Museum). Each room has two double beds, free wi-fi, and hairdryer in the bathroom.

**DATES:** April 25, 2023 to April 29, 2023 (Two days' travel; three days in Paducah)

### **BREAKDOWN OF COSTS:**

Bus (based on 50 passengers)--\$180 pp

Lodging:

Single \$200 per night per person=\$800

Double \$100 per night per person=\$400 pp

Triple \$67 per night per person=\$268 pp

Quad \$50 per night per person=\$200 pp

Multi-day ticket to AQS Show \$30 pp

**Total cost based on 50 passengers (which includes bus, lodging, and ticket to show--**

**\$1010 for single**

**\$610 for double**

**\$478 for triple**

**\$410 for quad**

**COST OF MEALS ARE NOT INCLUDED.**

Contact Bonnie Taylor at (336) 403-9693 [text or call] or (336) 661-8833 or Becki Bostick at (336) 655-8100 [text or call] to sign up or if you have any questions.

## Upcoming Events



Alan and I will be setting up the new quilt at the sale on June 23rd, Cindi will be there the 24th as Alan has eyelid surgery, and we will be there Saturday also. Come and have a great time !!!

Linda



## QUILT ART by the SHADY LADIES

**June 24-26, 2022**

**Folkmoot Center at the  
Historic Hazelwood School  
112 Virginia Ave.  
Waynesville, NC**

For directions: [Folkmootusa.org](https://www.folkmootusa.org)

**Friday & Saturday  
10 AM – 5 PM  
Sunday: noon – 4 PM  
Admission \$5.00**

**Raffle quilt & Boutique**

Quilt Show  
Patchwork Quilters 10th Jamboree  
JUNE 24-25, 2022  
Graham High School Gym  
210 Valleydale Street  
Bluefield, VA 24605