March 2022 Newsletter



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President's Note

Happy Spring Quilters!!

The countdown to the Quilt Show is truly on! Hope you have all those beautiful quilts ready!

We have a Guild meeting on April 4th at the Swisher Center.

We had a great turnout last month and hope to see more in April! LaWonne has a great program scheduled!

Happy quilting,

Alice

Pineapple Fabrics will allow us to set up a tent outside to sell tickets for our quilt during their Spring Warehouse Sale. I will not be available to go. If anyone would like to take the quilt, let me know and we can make arrangements.

Thanks, Linda Nichols



2021-2022 Officers and Committee Chairs:

President – Alice Wise
Vice President – LaWonne McCoy
Secretary – Gerry Lou Wray
Treasurer – Tracy Burkart
Membership – Linda Nichols
Hospitality – Shirley Sink
Newsletter – Ellen Hart
Community Outreach - Linda Fishell
Door Prizes -Linda Nichols
Website - Tracy Burkart
Quilts of Valor - Marty Smith

Cindi Sullivan

Facebook - Gloria Stickney Quilt Show Chairs - Shirley Sink HAPPY
BIRTHDAY

4/10 Mark Craven

4/10 Renita Gray

4/16 Joanne Saunders

4/24 Kathy Motsinger

4/30 Alice Wise

Please join us April 4th for a presentation by Susan Pierce called Every Quilt Tells a Story.

LaWonne McCoy



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Please bring sales money for the raffle quilt or any leftover tickets to the meeting on Monday, April 4th.

TREASURER REPORT

Beginning Balance 2/1/2022 \$13,940.19

Deposits \$ 540.00

2/9 \$540.00

Checks Written \$ 1,244.16

2/1 Access Self Storage 990.00

2/7 Karen Comstock 254.16

Ending Balance 2/28/22 \$13,236.03

QUILTS OF VALOR

Quilts of Valor has a new chairperson. Marty Smith stepped up take over the QOV committee. Others stepped up to help as well. If you need fabric for a block or a quilt, please contact Marty at marty.smith@triad.rr.com. Thank you for what you do for our veterans.

Tracy Burkart

Heart of the Triad Quilt Guild, Inc. 2022 Fall Retreat

Please read the following information carefully. There have been several changes since the last time we had a retreat at Haw River State Park. The retreat is scheduled for September 23-25, 2022.

The price is as follows:
Single Occupancy Room - \$231 (limited # of rooms)
Double Occupancy Room - \$183
Day Camper - \$25/day (only after 12 overnight campers paid)

Non-refundable deposit is \$50 and is due by April 15, 2022. Balance is due by August 15, 2022

Retreat Information and registration form are attached in email with this newsletter.

Heart of the Triad Quilt Guild Meeting March 7, 2022 Swisher Center

Alice Wise, guild president opened the meeting with a welcome to visitors and new members

- -2 visitors
- -1 new member.

Alice asked who was celebrating a birthday in March and several members raised their hands.

Alice then asked for those we should keep in our prayers

- Fran McKinney had been diagnosed with cancer
- Teri Craven was thrilled to tell us she was 4 years cancer free
- Shirley Sink was at her mother's bedside.
- Jan Vincent had been told her cancer had returned

Alice Wise then turned program over to LaWonne McCoy to introduce the evening program

- Introduced Bob and Cathy Bogan, owners of Stitch Party Studio in Madison, nc
- Bob started with a history of their shop and how Cathy got into quilting
- Cathy presented several of her guilts from Laura Heineken collage guilts
- Cathy invited guild members to give Bob their emails so we could be included in their class offers for 2020

Alice resumed guild business meeting by taking 15 minute break for members to shop and talk to Mary Jo Wimberly to volunteer for quilt show

- -Asked to approve February meeting minutes. Approved and seconded
- -Tracy Burkart, treasurer stated started February with 13,940.99. Paid some expenses and added some monies so ended the month with 13,236.03
- -Tracy asked for a guild volunteer to look over the books as an annual review
- -Ellen Hart for the newsletter asked for members tips and shortcuts for the newsletter
- -Linda Fishell, Community Outreach Chair, explained how she was having difficulty contacting Novant Oncology. She has over forty quilts to be given to patients. Teri Craven said she would speak to her doctor in the practice when she went for checkup. If the problem could not be solved by the guild might look for others to donate.
- -Tracy Burkart, Quilts of Valor Chair and Website coordinator, said website up to date.
- -Quilts of Valor need to find a presenter. Linda Nichols said she would ask Alan if he would be interested

Quilt show agenda

- Quilts to be turned in Tuesday, April 5 from 1 pm -7 pm at the Swisher Center
- Judging will be done Wednesday, April 6
- Set up will start around 8 -8:30 Thursday, April 7 at Neil Bolton home and garden building at Winston Salem Fairgrounds
- Ellen Hart reported 130 entries and they added new categories

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 April meeting

Alice adjourned the meeting.

Together Again 2022 Quilt Show

Are you ready? Your Committee Chairs have been busy planning and organizing our Quilt Show. Below are the details for our Show week.

Tuesday, April 5 is Show entries TURN IN. Swisher Center 1:00 to 7:00 in the same room as our monthly meetings. Remember to place each entry in a separate pillowcases. Micol, Candy and volunteers will guide you through the process. You will receive the form needed to pick up your entry after close of the Show. All entries will be placed in their pillowcases before any entry is released to its owner on Saturday AFTER close of the show. Please be patient. While you wait, please help with the takedown of our Show.

Wednesday, April 6 is JUDGING Day. This is a closed event for Gloria and volunteers only. Judging will take place at Swisher Center also. Scott Murkin from Asheboro is our judge.

Thursday, April 7 is LOAD-IN / SETUP DAY. Alan will rent a truck to pickup items from our storage unit and books and magazines from Linda F. house.

I will send out an email with times volunteers are needed to help load the truck.

Alan will drive the rental truck to NEIL BOLTON HOME and GARDEN building for SETUP of our SHOW.

The remainder of Thursday will be hanging quilts, unloading the truck and set up of our ENTIRE Show floor. Vendors will arrive in the afternoon. By the end of Thursday, magic and hard work happens and we will be ready to share our Quilt Show.

Friday, April 8 and Saturday, April 9 SHOW OPENS. Our hours are 9:00 to 5:00 each day. We ask that volunteers arrive at 8:30.

We have come a long way with our planning for this Show. The income from this Show insures we will continue as a Guild and have funds for programs. Heart of the Triad Quilt Guild started in 1996. We will continue to share our love of quilting with our best friends. And this Show will be as special as all previous shows.

Many thanks to each one of you that have volunteered and will help make our Quilt Show a success! As in our previous years, the admission for members is as follows:

On your Volunteer Day, admission is free. IF you want to participate in Door Prize drawings, you will need to purchase a Door Prize entry form for \$5.00 Door prizes will be drawn hourly and one grand prize each day.

If you come another day as Show attendee, you will need to pay \$5.00 Admission fee that automatically includes a Door Prize drawing.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for April Quilt Show

Please review your schedules. May Jo Wimberly needs to fill empty time slots for our Show. Even several hours is appreciated. Some members will be at the Show all day. Lunch and break times relief will be appreciated. Please call Mary Jo 336-470-5233 today!

Advantages of volunteering: Free Heart of the Triad mask, free admission to the Quilt Show on your volunteer day and a warm feeling in your heart from helping your friends.

Fool's Gold Mystery Quilt: Scrap Buster #8 Month 4

Presented by Quilter's World and author Susan Mallery.
All fabrics donated from Hoffman of California.
Machine Quilting by Masterpiece Quilting.

K 4 INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Use a ¼" 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.

 Draw a diagonal line across the wrong side of each I square. Place I right sides together with J; stitch ¼" on each side of the marked line, cut on the marked line and press I open to complete two I-J units referring to Figure 6. Repeat to make 68 I-J units.



Figure 6

 Sew H to D and H to E as shown in Figure 7; press seams toward D and E. Repeat to make 34 each D-H and E-H units.



Figure 7

Guild Sew Day continues Monday, April 9, 2022. We meet at Swisher Center the 2nd Monday of each month at 9:30 to 3:00. Tables for basting, cutting out your projects or relaxing time away from home to hand stitch bindings. Make it your day! Bring your supplies and snacks for an enjoyable time with friends.

Swisher Center at Forsyth Tech 1108 Swisher Center Road Kernersville, NC. 27284 Cindi Sullivan 336-405-2324



Bring this coupon for \$1 off admission

GATE CITY QUILT SHOW A Celebration of Color

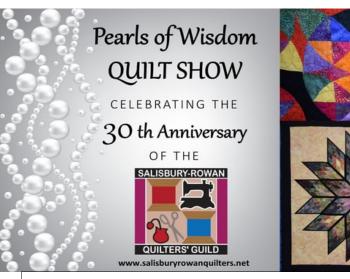
Congregational United Church of Christ 400 W. Radiance Drive, Greensboro NC

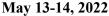
April 1-2, 2022

9:30a.m. - 5:00p.m. Admission \$6

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MASKS REQUIRED. Please check our website for updates on COVID precautions.





Friday 10-5;30 Saturday 10-4 West End Plaza

1925 Jake Alexander Blvd Salisbury NC

Door Prizes

Basket Raffle

Granny's Attic

Vendors
Check FB or our website for details and updates
SalisburyRowanquilters.net

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Upcoming Events

41st Quilt Show & Competition Smoky Mountain Quilters of Tennessee

DEADLINE TO ENTER: JUNE 7, 2022



Show Dates: Friday, August 5, 2022 9am – 5pm Saturday, August 6, 2022 9am – 4pm

Knoxville Expo Center 5441 Clinton Hwy Knoxville, TN

More than \$6000 in Awards 15 Categories 13 Special Awards

For information/Entry Forms visit: www.smokymtnquilters.com email:info@smokymtnquilters.com call: 865-382-5976

ENTER YOUR QUILTS IN THE 2022 SMOKY MOUNTAIN QUILTERS SHOW

The Smoky Mountain Quilters of Tennessee is inviting you to showcase your quilts at the guild's 41st Quilt Show & Competition. The show is scheduled for Friday, August 5 and Saturday, August 6, 2022, at the Knoxville Expo Center in Tennessee. More than \$6,000 in awards will be made to quilters in 15 categories, including a juniors category (ages 16 and under), and 13 additional special awards.

Deadline for entries is June 7, 2022.

Please visit <u>www.smokymtnquilters.com</u> for more information on the competition and for entry forms.