



April 2025

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Greetings to All,

Happy Easter, everyone! I hope you all enjoy the holiday, no matter how you celebrate. The weather looks as though it should be a beautiful day.

At our last meeting, a 2026 quilt show was discussed and what we really need to do is obtain a Quilt Show Chairperson or Co-Chairs. Committees chairs will work with the Quilt Show Chair. With this newsletter will be an attachment explaining what the duties of the different committees chairs are. If there are questions, contact information can be found in the attachment along with my number to sign up.

We would like to have a Quilt Show Committee in place before the next guild meeting or June at the latest, so as to be able to have a 2026 show.

Amy Illerbrun



May 5th

JoAnn Nichols is an award winning quilter from Lenoir, NC. She is coming to our May meeting to do a Trunk Show and tell us about her technique, "Quilt on the go"; making your quilt without a frame or hoop.



JoAnn Nichols stands with her quilt, "Elegance in Red," which was selected best in show and best hand quilting by Judge Lisa Alley. It was also voted first place, large bed quilts, in "viewer's choice." The quilt took 2½ years to make and was completely hand-quilted and hand-appliqued.

2024-2025 Officers and Committee Chairs:

President – Amy Illerbrun
Vice President – Sharon Dorminey
Secretary – Elaine Fotia
Treasurer – Penny Nolen
Membership – Stacey Grammer
Hospitality –
Newsletter/email – Ellen Hart
Community Outreach - Linda Fishell
Door Prizes - LaWonne McCoy
Website/FB - Tracy Burkart
Quilts of Valor - Tracy Burkart

REMINDER

Our MAY through AUGUST evening meetings will be held at the SEDGE GARDEN COMMUNITY CENTER.

This is 8 miles west of the Swisher Center.

401 Robbins Rd, Winston-Salem

Community Outreach Sew Day

Saturday, May 10 from 10:30 AM - 2:30PM
Paddison Memorial Branch Library
248 Harmon Lane, Kernersville

Things to bring:

- Sewing machine
- Walking foot (optional)
- Grey thread
- Extension cord

All stages of Community Outreach quilting on tap.

Demos and instructions on demand.

Please come and support your guild's program.

Linda Fishell


*Birthdays
of the
Month*

May

5/8	Sharon Dorminey
5/19	Becki Bostick
5/19	Diana Lentz
5/20	Ed Keller
5/21	Nicole Corbitt
5/24	Ellen Freeman
5/29	Judi Low



Guild Sew Day

Our next Guild Sew Day on Monday, May 12, 2025. We meet in our regular meeting room at the Swisher Center starting at 9:00 and ending by 4:00. It's a great space to sew, cross-stitch, cut out projects, baste quilts, etc. We can move tables and chairs but need to leave the room in the original classroom set up.

Remember to bring an extension cord for your machine, lights and iron. There are drink and snack machines in the student lounge or bring your own snacks and lunch. The outside door is locked for security reasons. If you are the first to arrive, enter the building through the glass doors. Continue to the front desk and ask for inside door to be unlocked. To prevent the outside door to lock automatically, please prop the outside door open so other members can enter.

It's your day to sew uninterrupted and have fun with like minded friends. If you have any questions, call me.

Cindi
336-405-2324



Quilts of Valor

At the meetings I have easy block kits, or strip kits, and Quilt-as-you-Go QOV quilts. Please consider taking one or two kits home with you. We now have 22 names and 6 quilts completed.

If you would like fabric to make a quilt using your own pattern, please reach out to me at the number below and I can get fabric cut for you. Please text me at 336-817-3347 or email me at quiltedsanity@aol.com.

Thanks so much.

Tracy Burkart



We will have a 2025 Fall Retreat at Camp Walter Johnson on September 22-25, 2025, and a 2026 Summer Retreat in June 2026 at Haw River State Park. We need one more person to meet our minimum registration for our Fall Retreat. Feel free to invite a quilter friend!

For information and registration, please go to our website www.hottqg.com/retreats.html.

Speaking of our Fall Retreat.... Would you like to go to retreat but can't swing it this year financially? We have a scholarship available for a single room for three nights. Everyone who signs up is eligible for a chance at the drawing for the scholarship. If you would like your name included, please email Tracy at quiltedsanity@aol.com and let me know your name, phone number and that you'd like to be part of the scholarship drawing. You do not need to pay deposit to be included.

The Julie Bodford Memorial Scholarship is available thanks to Tom Bodford.

Heart of the Triad Quilt Guild

Minutes – 4/7/2025

Amy Illerbrun opened the meeting at 6:30 pm. There were no visitors or new members this month. Prayers for Anne Everett whose father passed away at age 98. Amy shared April birthdays.

Sharon Dorminey introduced Nancy Sapin, a Freelance National Educator with Sulky. Nancy gave a presentation on Free Motion and Thread Painting. She showed various projects that she had completed and had items available for purchase.

Business Meeting

Minutes from the March meeting were approved. Ellen Hart made a motion to accept the minutes and Tracy Burkart seconded the motion. The minutes were unanimously approved.

Treasurer's Report: Penny Nolen stated the guild started the month with \$13,489.87. There were \$398 in checks written and \$306 in deposits for a total of \$13,39,52.

The guild's CD matured at a rate of 4.99% and earned in interest \$540.95 making it worth \$10,999. The current CD rate is now 1.99% for the same period of time (13 months), however the bank had a seven-month CD available at 4% so the money was rolled into that.

Amy asked for approval of the treasurer's report. Judi Low made a motion to accept the report and Tracy Burkart seconded the motion. The members voted unanimously to accept.

Fundraiser: It was decided that the fundraiser will be called "Quilt Show Get Away." Mark Craven is helping with tickets, flyers and posters. These will be distributed at local quilt shops and guilds. It is hoped that the tickets will be available by May.

Originally the cash value of the giveaway was going to be \$600. This amount has been reduced to \$500 due to tax reasons. (Having to fill out a tax form if \$600 or more is given as the prize).

Quilt show: There was discussion about the need for a chairperson for the quilt show in 2026. It is hoped that a chairperson and committee chairs will be determined by the May meeting, but no later than June. Descriptions for each position will be sent out with the newsletter to assist members in understanding the duties. Please call the President, Amy Illerbrun, with your decisions. Or you can email Amy at aillerbrun67@gmail.com. Also, next year is the guild's 30th anniversary. This could possibly be the theme for the show.

Door prizes were distributed.

Sew Day: Cindy Sullivan said sew days are on the second Monday of each month and the remainder of the year is booked at the Swisher Center.

Community Outreach: Linda Fishell has arranged a Community Outreach Day on Saturday May 10th at the Kernersville Library from 10:30am-2:30pm. Outreach quilts are made for Leukemia patients at Baptist Hospital. Members will be working of strips set, backing and quilt as you go. Linda will let everyone know what to bring to this charitable event.

Quilts of Valor: Tracy Burkart spoke on Quilts of Valor and her need for assistance. Currently there are over 20 veterans on our list to receive a quilt and only six are currently completed. Please contact Tracy to help complete these quilts.

Retreats: The fall retreat at Camp Walter Johnson is Sept 22-25th in Denton, NC.

Another retreat is scheduled for June of 2026 at Haw River. The information on this retreat is on our website and in the newsletter.

Show and tell projects were presented by the members.

The meeting adjourned at 8:40 pm.

HEART OF THE TRIAD QUILT GUILD

Treasurer's Report

MARCH 31, 2025

Heart of the Triad Quilt Guild—Pinnacle Bank

Statement Beginning balance 2/28/2025	\$ 18,663.30
Checks Written	\$ 6,353.93
Deposits Made	\$ 1,180.50
Statement Ending Balance 3/31/2025	\$ 13,489.87

February Bank Reconciliation

February Statement balance 3/31/2025	\$ 13,489.87
Outstanding Checks	\$ 398.34
Outstanding Deposit	\$ 306.00
Balance 3/31/2025 matches with checkbook balance	\$ 13,397.53

Heart of the Triad Quilt Show

Statement beginning balance 2/28/2025	\$ 3,000.00
Checks Written	\$
Deposits made	\$
Statement Ending Balance 3/31/2025	\$ 3,000.00

First National Bank

CD Balance (compounds quarterly)	\$ 10,540.95
Checking Account Balance	\$ 25.00





Stitcher's Showcase

2025 Quilt Show



- Vendors
 - Raffle Baskets
 - Fundraiser Quilt
 - The Quilter's Market
- SCAN
QR Code
for show
Details



May 2-3, 2025

Fri 9am-4pm - Sat 9am-3pm / Winston-Salem Fairgrounds

Bolton Home & Garden Bldg / Enter Gate 9 on 27th St

Admission \$10 Adults (includes 5 raffle tickets)

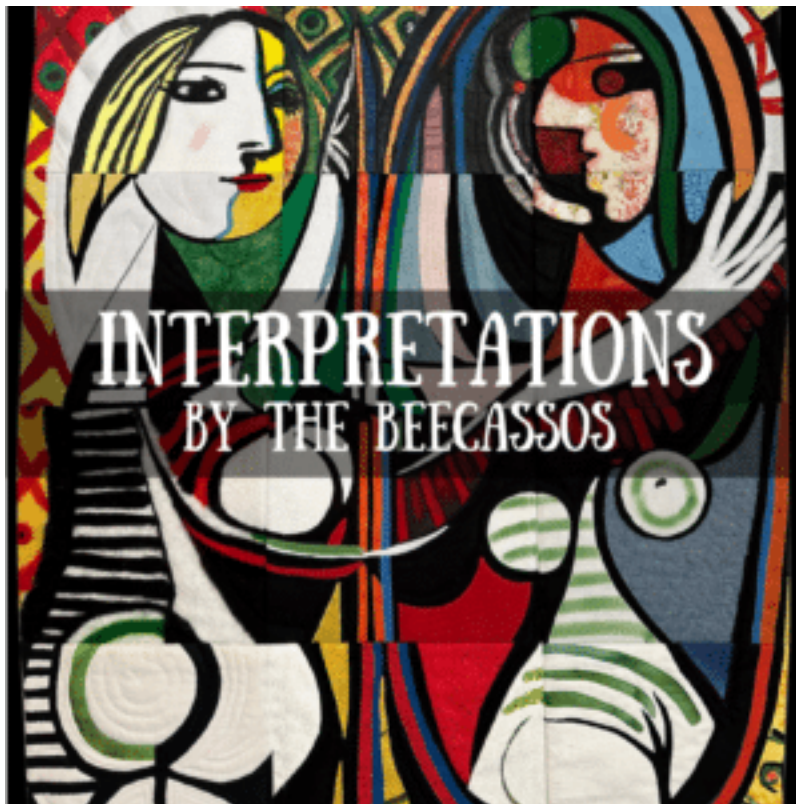
\$5 Children 4-12 (under 3 free)



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INTERPRETATIONS by The Beecassos

On Display May 8 – June 27, 2025

The Beecassos are an award-winning triad-based art quilt collective that takes their name from Picasso. Like Picasso a master of stylistic expression, the Beecassos experiment with non-traditional ways of working with fabric, thread and related materials. This group is focused on non-traditional quilting and styles such as art quilts, various types of fabric, digitized images and three-dimensional techniques. This particular show will include the works of Beecassos artists Pat Arndt, Vickie Clontz, Ellen Hart, Kathy Johnson, Nancy Lassiter, Gail McNeill, Valerie Paterson, Joan Rutledge, Penny Sharp, Jenny Williams, Mary Jo Wimberly, Nanette S. Zeller, and Paula Jones.

The Beecassos have periodic group challenges, which are tons of fun and push their creativity to new levels. Challenges for this exhibit include: Fish, Travel, Where We Call Home, and Song Titles.

An opening reception will be held Friday, May 9 from 5-7pm at the
Yadkin Cultural Arts Center ~ 226 E. Main St., Yadkinville, NC

Refreshments will be served.

Free Admission, all are welcome to attend.

<https://www.yadkinarts.org/welborn-gallery/?>

Historic Jamestown Society invites you to

Fiber Arts Day

at Historic Mendenhall Homeplace

Saturday ~ June 7, 2025 ~ 10 am – 2 pm



What to expect:

- ❖ Demonstrations of spinning, dyeing, weaving, quilting, crocheting, embroidery, knitting, chair caning, Native American beading, knot tying, fiber history, silkworms, and *more*
- ❖ An Olde English Babydoll lamb (and wool)
- ❖ Sale of handcrafted items, craft supplies, craft books, and gift baskets
- ❖ Children's craft activities

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Mendenhall Homeplace

603 West Main Street, Jamestown, NC

336-454-3819

mendenhallhomeplace.com

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Parking at City Lake Park across the street ~ Limited mobility parking on the site

***~ Free Admission ~ Donations gratefully accepted ~
Donations support historic preservation and education.***

Cabarrus Quilters Guild

Splash of Color Quilt Show



Friday, June 20, 2025, 9am – 5pm

Saturday, June 21, 2025, 9am – 4pm

West Cabarrus High School

Common Area

4100 Weddington Road

Concord, NC 28027

Admission \$8.00

✦ **Judged Show**

- Guild Members - \$10 First Quilt Entry
- Guild Members - \$5 Each Additional Quilt Entry
- Non-Guild Members - \$15 First Quilt Entry
- Non-Guild Members - \$10 Each Additional Quilt Entry
- No Charge for Youth, Challenge, or Display Quilts

✦ **Local and Regional Vendors**

✦ **Silent Auction (with Buy It Now Option)**

✦ **White Elephant Boutique**

✦ **Door Prize Raffle Baskets**

✦ **Raffle Quilts**

For more information visit www.cabarrusquiltersguild.org

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