

October 2022

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## **President's Note**

Happy Fall Y'all!

What a beautiful time of the year! Leaves are turning beautiful colors, the weather is cooling down, and all kinds of Fall festivals and quilt retreats are happening! The holidays are fast approaching!

We had another great meeting in October! The Quilts of Valor Presentation was awesome. We had a good program and 48 in attendance!

Our November meeting will be at the Swisher Center on November 7th. Invite your friends to come and join us.

See you on the 7th,

Alice



## **GUILD SEW DAY**

Mark your calendar for our Monday, November 14, 2022 Sew Day.

We meet at the Swisher Center at Forsyth Tech in Kernersville (same room as our monthly meeting). We start at 9:30 and leave by 3:00.

Bring your sewing machine, supplies, handwork or cut out your next project. Start your week having fun with your friends.

Any questions, call Cindi  
336-495-2324

### **2022-2023 Officers and Committee Chairs:**

President – Alice Wise  
Vice President – Jessica Shouse  
Secretary – Gerry Lou Wray  
Treasurer – Lori Procter  
Membership – Linda Nichols  
Hospitality – Elaine Fotia  
Newsletter – Ellen Hart  
Community Outreach - Linda Fishell  
Door Prizes -Linda Nichols  
Website - Tracy Burkart  
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*November*

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|------------------|-------|
| Prudence Dawson  | 11/2  |
| Jessica Shouse   | 11/2  |
| Joyce Keller     | 11/3  |
| Mary Jo Wimberly | 11/3  |
| Diane Zobrosky   | 11/13 |
| Cathy Gauldin    | 11/14 |
| Pamala Sauce     | 11/18 |



November 7



## Meet the Authors

The Santa Suit Quilt is a childrens book that needs a quilt. A new tradition that is honoring quilt making.

Shelly Gephart and Kimberly Morrow are two first time authors living in the quaint town of Hoschton, Georgia. They are both loving wives and mothers and have spent years honing the craft of creating Christmas magic within their homes, all while getting into a little mischief themselves.



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## Treasurer's Report

|                              |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| September beginning balance. | \$21,324.79 |
| Checks written               | 69.17       |
| Deposits made                | 692.00      |
| September ending balance     | \$21,947.62 |

Check written to Tracy Burkart for website expense.      \$69.17

|                 |                               |          |
|-----------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| Deposits:       | Memberships.                  | \$475.00 |
|                 | Refund Insurance.             | 167.00   |
|                 | Spring Bouquet tickets.       | 30.00    |
|                 | Loving Stitches (advertising) | 20.00    |
| Total deposits: |                               | \$692.00 |

Lori Proctor

## Fall Retreat 2023

Fall Retreat 2023 will be from Friday to Sunday, September 22 - 24, 2023.  
We will have the option of adding Thursday, September 21, 2023 as an additional day.  
Pick the one that works best for you.

|                                      |                            |             |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| <b>Fri 8am – Sun 3pm (9/22-9/24)</b> | <b>(9/21/23)</b>           |             |
| _____ Single Occupancy Room - \$241  | _____ Add Thursday (\$113) | Total \$354 |
| _____ Double Occupancy Room - \$193  | _____ Add Thursday (\$89)  | Total \$282 |
| (rates include room and meals)       |                            |             |

We will have games and prizes, free Swap table, and show-and-tell.

Non-refundable deposit will be \$60. Balance will be due by July 15, 2023.

Registration form and more information is on the Fall Retreat page at [hottqq.com](http://hottqq.com).  
Please contact Tracy for any questions at (336) 817-3347 or [quiltedsanity@aol.com](mailto:quiltedsanity@aol.com).

Heart of the Triad Quilt Guild  
August 1, 2022  
Swisher Center  
Amended minutes requested at October 3, 2022 meeting

Pre meeting  
Budget meeting of the board  
Shopping of the quilt show remains  
Special refreshments to celebrate guild anniversary

Alice Wise, president, opened the meeting.  
She turned over the meeting to Cindi Sullivan  
Cindi explained that this was the guild's 26th anniversary  
The birthday cake and Alan Nichols cobbler were for our celebration  
Cindi asked for the charter members to stand.  
Heart of the Triad Quilt Guild was started in August 1996, 26 years ago

Alice Wise resumed the meeting

- First order of business was to address changing by-laws to form a retreat committee that would funnel any funds through guild treasurer. Floor was opened to view opinions. Motion was made to take a vote by Diana Lentz and move was seconded by Linda Nichols. Vote was taken. It was 28 for and 9 against. Motion passed and by-laws will be amended. See end of minutes for the update to the bylaws. Also available on the website.
- Alice welcomed visitors and new members. 2 visitors and 6 new members
- Those with September birthdays were recognized.
- Prayers and cards were asked to be sent to Fran McKinney who is battling cancer. Alice turned meeting over to LaWonne McCoy
- Guild speaker for the evening was not able to talk about embellishing a quilt due to illness.
- LaWonne had several games designed to have us interact with those new members.
- Everyone seemed to enjoy the activities
- After Alice Wise thanked LaWonne for all her great efforts at having informative speakers and activities.

Committee reports

- Treasury. Retreat finally payment due August 15
- Secretary. First Tracy Burkart said there were corrections to previous minutes. (Updates included in September newsletter). Minutes were accepted with the noted corrections
- New officers. Slate was given to membership, voted on and approved as follows.  
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Vice President - Jessica Shouse  
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Treasurer - Lori Procter

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- Newsletter. Anything to go in newsletter should be to Ellen Hart by 15th of the month. Newsletters sent out and published on website by the 21st.
- Quilts of Valor . Asked for nominees. Will be a presentation in October .
- Community Outreach. Have given 40 quilts to Baptist hospital in patient oncology. Also presented quilts to Next Step Ministry

Door prizes were awarded.

Show and tell was saved for the end of the meeting

Alice closed meeting with reminder the next meeting is Monday, October 3rd.

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By law change.

## Article VIII

### Standing Committees

#### Section 12

##### Retreat Chair

In charge of setting up and making arrangements for retreats, communicating information and deadlines with participating members. All monies for the retreat will be deposited/dispensed by the Treasurer utilizing the Guild main account.

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Heart of the Triad Quilt Guild minutes

October 3, 2022

Swisher Center

Marty Smith opened the meeting with the October Quilt of Valor presentation.

Ann Everett read a poem written by K. Straight when he was in high school as a tribute to his father.

It was titled "Freedom is not Free".

Quilt of Valor recipients covered most of the Armed Services. There were 8 quilts awarded. One quilt was awarded to our guild president's husband, Glenn Wise.

The entire guild stood to thank these veterans for their service.

Alice Wise resumed the meeting by turning the meeting over to the Vice President, Jessica Shouse to introduce the evenings speaker.

- Karen Starnes did a presentation on how she creates and designs pieced and art quilts. She showed her self taught techniques and the resulting pieces.

Alice Wise resumed the meeting for the business portion

- Visitors and new members were welcomed. 3 visitors and 2 new members
- Birthdays were recognized for September and October

The 2022-2023 budget needed to be discussed and passed by October.

The budget was reviewed line by line to the guild. When the floor was opened for discussion, there were no changes suggested. Motions were made and seconded to accept the budget as read (for copy see August newsletter). Vote to pass was unanimous.

- Secretary, Gerry Lou Wray, minutes were questioned as being not complete on the bylaw amendment vote. The changes have been made and resubmitted for this month's newsletter. A vote on the August minutes will happen at the November meeting.
- Treasurer, Lori Procter, reported ending September balance was \$21,947.62 and one deposit of \$692.00 was made during the month
- Membership, Linda Nichols told everyone to invite a friend
- Hospitality there was nothing to report
- Raffle quilt, Linda Nichols, said the raffle quilt would be traveling to Galax, Winston Salem, Hickory, and Durham in this month
- Community Outreach, Linda Fishell, reported she had kits for those who wanted one. Linda gave Ann Everett a big thanks for the quilts she had contributed. Six quilts had been given to the Next Step Ministry. Quilts also went to patients at Baptist hospital
- Quilts of Valor, Marty Smith, reported she had fabric available to those who wanted to make a Quilt of Valor. She hopes to have given out around 75 quilts by end of 2023.
- Retreat, Tracy Burkart, reported by Cindi Sullivan that next year's retreat is planned for around September 21st of 2023. There will be an option of starting retreat on Thursday.
- Teri Craven thanked those who had contributed fabric to their quilt group at their church. She has tax forms for anyone that may need one
- Show and tell closed the meeting.



## Upcoming Quilt Shows

*This weekend!*

### CATAWBA VALLEY QUILTERS' GUILD

#### 2022 Quilt Show: Stars Over The Valley

October 21, 2022, Friday: 9a-5p

October 22, 2022, Saturday: 9a-4p

Adult Admission \$8

Children 5-17 \$5, under 5 Free

Hickory Metro Convention Center

1960 13th Ave Dr SE

Hickory, NC 28602

## Fall in Love with Quilting

**OCTOBER 21-23, 2022**

MEBANE RECREATION (OLD REC) CENTER

209 W. JACKSON ST., MEBANE, NC 27302

**QUILT SHOW PRESENTED BY DURHAM ORANGE QUILTERS' GUILD**

- OPEN FRI. & SAT. 9:00AM – 5:00PM,  
SUN. 10:00AM – 3:00PM
- ADMISSION IS \$7/DAY, 10 & UNDER FREE  
MAXIMUM \$20/FAMILY/DAY
- 10 LOCAL VENDORS WILL BE ON SITE,  
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