

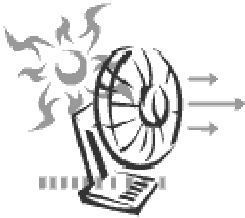


Foothills Quilters Guild



Newsletter

August, 2008



August Meeting
Thurs., August 28th
Ascension Lutheran
Church

KOZY KWILTS WORKSHOP

5:00pm UNTIL 8:00pm

DROP IN OR COME TO STAY!!

WHAT TO BRING:

- ANY SMALL QUILT TOPS (FINISHED OR UNFINISHED!)
- "CHEATER" TOPS (PRE-PRINTED PANELS)
- FABRIC STRIPS CUT 6" X 45" (APPX.)
- BATTING, LARGE ENOUGH FOR A CRIB SIZE OR A LITTLE LARGER, OR PRE-CUT IN 6" X 45" STRIPS.
- FABRIC IN KID FRIENDLY COLORS! To be used for backings, bindings, or blocks!
- THREAD (AGAIN, KID FRIENDLY COLORS!)
- BASIC SEWING SUPPLIES – SCISSORS, NEEDLES, MACHINE & HAND THREAD, ETC.

If you are bringing materials to make a whole quilt, please bring your sewing machine as well. I will get several members to bring machines, some to bring mats & rotary cutters, and some to bring irons & set up an ironing station. If you can think of anything else that would make this project even more successful, please let me know!

ALSO, if you would like to work on a South Mountain quilt at this workshop, you are welcome to bring it & work on it, yourself!

A Note from your President . . .



Hello everyone!

What an inspiring program we had for July - our speakers just get better and better, don't they? I am completely in awe of Susan's meticulously executed work, and I especially enjoyed her thought-provoking comments about "what Susan learned" with each piece.

I hope we've all learned from Susan that it's not hard to stretch just that little bit more. If you think maybe you could go farther, and work harder, to create a prize-winning quilt, I bet you'll find you can do just that.

If you think you could go farther, and work harder, to fill a position in the guild and make our guild better, you can do that, too! I ask everyone to consider just how much better our group will be, if each of us tries harder and reaches farther. If the Nominating Committee asks you to run for an office, please consider how much you and the guild will benefit! We are the sum of all our parts, and every part is a contribution to the whole. Please, ask yourself "What can I learn?" "What can I do?" "How can I help?" to create a quilt and to strengthen our guild!

Thanks to you all, and see you on August 28th.

Ellen

Deadline for September Newsletter is
September 8, 2008

Please send all info to Sally Norman
223 General Griffith Circle, Rutherfordton 28139 or
sunorman1@bellsouth.net



July Meeting Attendance

49 Members
2 Visitors

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Foothills Quilters Guild Minutes

The Foothills Quilters Guild met on 24 July 2008 at the Ascension Lutheran Church in Shelby, North Carolina.

Before the meeting started members had the opportunity to watch the Pre-Meeting Demo (PMD). Paula Barringer demonstrated a technique for making designer pillowcases. Paula had kits available for members to purchase. Paula also showed some items that members have made for the boutique.

President Ellen Yunker began the meeting by welcoming members and guests.

Suzy Bridges, Vice President-Membership, introduced new members Sara Hall and Paulette Towery.

Minutes for the last meeting were approved as written. The pray list was updated.

A group of quilters from Hiddenite were selling tickets for their donation quilt. The drawing will be on 1 Nov.

Holly Greene, Vice-President Programs discussed the program for August 2008 guild meeting. This meeting will be a workshop for Kozy Kwilts from 5:00 to 8:00. What to bring for the workshop?

Any Kozy Kwilt that you may have in progress.

Batting

Children's fabrics, bright cheery colors!

Threads to match.

If you want to help with "Strip Quilting", bring strips of fabric & strips of batting cut in 6-inch strips, your serger or sewing machine.

You don't have to bring it all, bring what you can & we can see how many Kozies we have to turn in by the September meeting. Call Holly Greene for any suggestions/questions!

Eleanor Morgan announced that she still was looking for a volunteer to make the ribbons for the 2009 quilt show. She stated that at the September meeting there would be more information about the quilt show.

The by-law change that was presented at the June meeting was voted on and passed. For details on the by-law change, see the June 2008 minutes.

Ellen announced that flyers for the Lincoln Quilters Guild Quilt show were on the back table.

President Ellen Yunker announced that she had asked Jenny Reed to develop a one-year publicity plan for the guild. A brochure will be produced as one way to advertise the guild. Ellen showed some sample brochures from other organization to give the members an idea of how our brochure could look.

Mary Henry showed some of the new books for the library.

Kathy Hackett announced that donation fabric was on the back table.

Leah Day announced that she and Jenny Reed were working on the Cleveland County Library window for September. There are going to depict a quilt studio. She requested that members loan them some small items for the display.

Rose McEathron, Cathy Earls, and Denise Spencer won door prizes.

The following members had Show and Tell: Katy Ruth Dixon, Ellen Yunker, Sylvia Lancaster, Holly Greene, Sandy Thomas, Kathy Hackett, Marie Peters, Carolyn Ross, Sue Rash, Aileen Hamrick, Robin Parton, Paula Barringer, Peggy Poe, and Susan McCarty.

Vice President-Programs, Holly Greene, introduced the program "The Artist In You" (lecture/slide show/trunk show) by Susan Brubaker Knapp.

Respectively Submitted
Dee Batayte
Recording Secretary

Sandy's Country Christmas

2536 W. Dixon Blvd., Shelby, N.C.



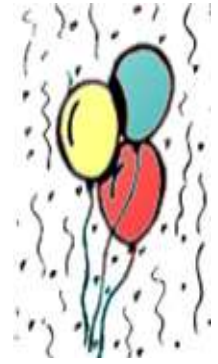
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- 8 Jane Ronan
- 9 Barbara Toney
- 9 Suzy Bridges
- 11 Mary Henry
- 19 Eleanor Morgan
- 21 Brenda Arrowood
- 22 Hollis Rabb
- 24 Jenny Reed



Happy BirthdayLadies!



Note:

If your name appears in the birthday list please arrive at 6 pm to help set up the meeting room. Please plan to stay a few minutes late to return it to its original arrangement. If you are unable to attend please find a replacement. Your help and cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

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FQG Calendar 2008 - 2009

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| Aug 28 | Kozy Kwilts Workshop
5pm - 8pm |
| Oct 23 | Pattiy Torno
"Living in the Material World"
Lecture |
| Sep 25 | Lynne Mott
Certified Pam Bono Educator
Trunk show |
| Nov 20 | Mary Ray
Lecture/Trunk Show |
| Jan 2009 | Jane Garrison - YLI Corp. |



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Sep 3-6, 2008

Blowing Rock, NC, "Kristin Steiner Believe in Yourself" workshop, held at the historic Green Park Inn. Complete information available at www.kristinsteiner.com.

Sep 19-20, 2008

Rock Hill, SC - "Fall Into Quilts", presented by the York County Quilters Guild, First Presbyterian Church.

Sep 25-27, 2008

Boone, NC - "2nd Annual Camp So & Sew", presented by Sew Original, to be held at Broyhill Inn & Conference Center, 775 Bodenheimer Dr., Boone, NC. Infor: www.seworiginal.org.

Sep 26-28, 2008

Greensboro, NC - "Quilting in the Piedmont". For more information: www.quiltinginthepiedmont.org.

Oct 17 - 19, 2008

"A Thread Runs Through It", Durham-Orange Quilters' Guild at the American Tobacco Campus, 324 Blackwell St., Bay 7, Durham, NC. Fri & Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 10am-5pm. Contact 919-933-1015 or see www.durhamorangequilters.com.

New Library Books

Quilts From Larkspur Farm

by Pamela Mostek & Jean Van Bockel, donated by Kay Young

Every Quilt Tells a Story

by Helen Kelly, donated by Jane Ronan

Quilts of a Different Color

by Irena Bluhm, donated by Susan Washburn
in memory of Irene Grigg, Harriett's mother

Create Your Own Hand Painted Cloth

by Rayna Gillman, donated by the Guild
in memory of Irene Grigg, Harriett's mother

Design Essentials

by Lorraine Torrence,
in memory of Maude Daniel, Brenda Arrowood's mother

Radiant Sunshine & Shadow

by Helen Frost & Catherine Skor,
by the Guild in memory of Ada Bridges

In Our Prayers . . .

Sue Padgett

Hazel Wilson

Miriam Glenn

Wayne Hyder - Carolyn Sipes' son- in-law

Marjorie Busby's granddaughter

Barbara Toney

Jerry Rabb - Hollis's husband

Nancy Horner's husband, Jack

Linda Greene's grandson, Jeremy Wiggins -
deployed to Iraq

Jenny Reed & husband

April Van Dyke

Susan Rose Taylor, daughter of Claudia Rose

Bob Runyans, Shirley's grandson, back in Iraq

Ginny Huntley's mother

Elias, son of Sue Alvarez



2008 UFO Days

We will be meeting at SANDY'S COUNTRY CHRISTMAS store on highway 74 west of Shelby. She is moving her store there over the holidays. (If any member can help the week after Christmas with the move, please give her a call or go by the present store)

The room is 20' by 40' and has 10 tables in it. If you are planning to attend and would like to participate in lunch, you will need to bring a food item. We usually have sandwiches, soup(cold months), salads, and desserts. Each member furnishes their own drinks.

We will be meeting on second Saturday of each month from 9:30-until store closes or you need to leave. We encourage you to attend.
The dates are as follows.

Sept 13 Oct 11 Nov 8 Dec 13

If you have any questions please me at 704-487-1960 or email ginnhuntley@bellsouth.net
Ginny Huntley

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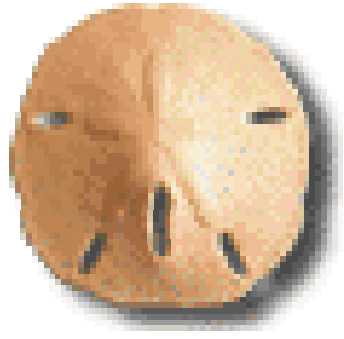
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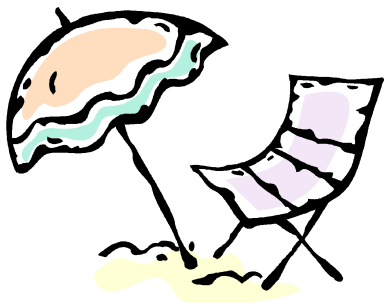
Jean McRay new e-mail: mcrayr@bellsouth.net



Different hours 5pm - 8pm
Orphan blocks for the bazaar
Show 'N Tell
Quilts for South Mountain
Kozy Kwilts
Library Books

Things to bring to the meeting on August 28th -

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Summertime