



Foothills Quilters Guild Newsletter



United We Stand

August 2010

United We Stitch

August Meeting

Friday, August 20

Ascension Lutheran Church

Shelby, NC

7:00PM

Program: Lyric Kinard

Lyric Kinard is an artist with a serious addiction to fabric. Her award-winning wall quilts and wearable works of art are a product of her need and passion to create order and beauty while living a chaotic life as the mother of young children. She often says that her art is the only thing she does that is not undone by the end of the day. Her second love is teaching, which she has been doing in various capacities for the past 12 years. She loves to share her joy in the process of transforming plain fabric into a work of art

Message from our President:

Fellow Quilters,

It's too hot to do anything except go to quilt shows! The AQS show in Knoxville was very enjoyable, and I found fabric that I didn't need, but just had to have. I also treated myself to a large cutting mat. One that is so big you need to roll it up to bring home. We were able to get it in the van (and still see out of the windows). This trip we had enough room so that we didn't have to sit on the fabric that we bought (we have had to do that in the past). But as you know, quilters will figure out how to get their purchases in the car for the trip home. I also bought some small scissors to replace my worn out appliqué scissors (they didn't take up any room so they don't count).

The quilts at the show were great; I saw some that just blew me away. I took pictures and when I got home and looked at them I realized that all the pictures were of quilts that had flowers in some form. Maybe I did that because all my flowers have died in this heat.

My plan for continuing to stay out of the heat is to attend the Asheville Quilt Show, the sale at Foust, and the longarm quilt show in Clemmons, NC. If you know of any other quilt shows, just let me know!

I am really looking forward to our August meeting on wearable art with Lyric Kinard. It is a treat to see items that can be worn, and I hope to come away with some ideas to try.

Dee

Quote for the month: *The only place where housework comes before needlework is in the dictionary.* ~Mary Kurtz

Deadline for July Newsletter- 9/2/2010
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July Attendance

46 Members

1 Visitor

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Foothills Quilters Guild

Minutes

July 15, 2010

The Foothills Quilters Guild met July 15, 2010 with President Dee Batayte presiding. There was one guest present, Judy Harkey.

The prayer list included the following: Hollis Rabb, Miriam Glenn, Hazel Wilson, Ginny Huntley's sister, Dick Derrick (Mary Henry's brother), Patrick Twomey (Mary Henry's son-in-law), Margaret Porter (Ellen Warlick's mother), Tex Sipes (Carolyn Sipes' husband), Nellie Harrell's mother, Sally Norman. Carolyn Sipes' sister and Rita Fowler's father-in-law had died.

The minutes were approved as published.

The Silent Auction at the June meeting yielded \$246.

The Asheville quilt show is called "Stars over the Mountains" and will include a silent auction. Ricky Tims is scheduled to be in Asheville, September, 2011.

The midyear budget can be viewed on line at the guild's web site.

Leah Day said she needed volunteers for the Christmas party and would have workshops to prepare the decorations. She also announced there were four spaces left for the Ellen Linder workshop on nature quilts in September.

Three memorial books and 4 donated books have been added to the library. Hollis Rabb, Sylvia Lancaster, Betty Bridges, Leah Day, Rachel Bye and Rose McEathron participated in Show and Tell.

Elaine Zinn presented a program on Hawaiian quilts.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Hutchins, Recording secretary

On The Road . . .



August 19 – 21 “Smokey Mountain Quilters Guild 2010 Quilt Show” Macon County Community Center, Franklin, NC

September 10 & 11 “Wilkes County Quilters Quilt Show” Holiday Inn Express, Wilkesboro, NC

September 17 & 18 “Seneca Festival of Quilts” Lake and Mountain Quilters Guild, Shaver Center, Seneca, SC More Info: www.lmqg.org

September 17 & 18 “Romance in the Air” Carolina Longarm Association, New Hope Presbyterian Church, 2570 Harper Road, Clemmons, NC More information: www.carolinalongarm.com

September 24 & 25 “Splash of Color” Cabarrus Quilters Guild, Cabarrus Arena & Events Center, 4751 N. Carolina 49, Concord, NC

September 24 & 25 “Quilting in the Pines” Sandhills Quilters, Pinehurst Fair Barn, 200 Beulah Hill Road, South, Pinehurst, NC

September 30 – October 2 “High Country Quilt Guild Quilt Show” Maggie Valley Town Hall and Community Center, 3987 Soco Road, Maggie Valley, NC

October 15 – 17 “Harvest of Quilts” Western North Carolina Quilters Guild, Conference Hall, Blue Ridge Community College, East Campus Drive, Flat Rock, NC

October 22 – 24 “A Thread Runs Through It” Durham-Orange Quilters Guild, American Tobacco Campus, Bay 7, Durham, NC

October 29 – 30 “Quilts for 300 Years” Twin River Quilters, Newbern Riverfront Convention Center, Newbern, NC More Info: www.twinriversquilters.com

ON-GOING EXHIBITS Asheville NC Arboretum, off Blue Ridge Parkway, Asheville: Asheville Quilt Guild continuing exhibit (changed every 4–6 weeks).

Welcome
New Member

Martha McGinnis

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Service Project Report

The beads are here! If you have turned in either a quilt or a large tote bag this year, stop by the service project table to pick up your beads. The beads can be sewn to your name tag or attached in your own unique way. Your names have already been entered in a box for the end-of-year drawing for a nice prize. Each month you donate a quilt or bag, turn your donation in at the service project table and pick up your beads and enter for the drawing.

Good news to report ~ the sale of auction leftovers and material from Doris Wallace's stash added another \$52 to our cause. Remaining items will be donated to the quilt show boutique.

Sylvia Lancaster finished another quilt and Amy Hudson donated a heavy quilted throw and 4 tote bags. Another large quilt was finished by Betty Bridges, Georgia Cline and Katy Ruth Dixon. They have had fun working together and have finished 4 large quilts so far this year. They all live in Boiling Springs and have been working at their church. So you might think about getting together with some neighbors and socialize while working on items for our project. Many hands make quick work, you know.

It was reported at the guild meeting that the committee is endeavoring to make a donation quilt for the abuse prevention centers in both Cleveland and Rutherford counties. These quilts will be used by both facilities to raise funds. The Cleveland County quilt is underway and the Rutherford County quilt is in the planning stages. If you would like to help with this project, contact Ann Hutchins at 828 286-2493.

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Foothills Quilters Guild 2011 Quilt Show

We all need to work together
to have a successful show.

Ask how you can help!

Wishing You a 
**Happy
Birthday!**

- 5 Molly Savage
- 8 Jane Ronan
- 11 Mary Henry
- 11 Mary Wilkerson
- 19 Eleanor Morgan
- 21 Brenda Arrowood
- 26 Nancy Horner

If your name appears above 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. And remember - you only have a birthday once a year so you only have to help once a year!

The Guild newsletter can be found on our website:
www.foothillsquiltersguild.org
When the newsletter is posted, you will receive notification by e-mail. If you wish to have the newsletter mailed directly to you, there is a cost of \$10.00 per year to cover costs of printing and mailing.

Upcoming Programs Create your own Nature Landscape! with Ellen Linder



**Our Regular Meeting
September 17**



**Workshop
September 18, 2010
9:00AM – 4:00PM
1 hour break for lunch
This class is \$35 with a \$5
kit fee.
Call Leah Day 704 297-3571**



In Our Prayers...

Hazel Wilson
Ginny Huntley's sister
Dick Derrick (Mary Henry's brother)
Tex Sipes (Carolyn Sipes' husband)
Margaret Porter
(Ellen Warlick's mother)
Marion Elliott (Linda Davis' dad)
Sara Hall
Nellie Harrell's Mother
Hollis Rabb
Miriam Glenn
Patrick Twomey
(Mary Henry's son-in-law)
Rita Fowler & Family
(death of father-in-law)
Sally Norman

Recipe of the Month: Summer Vegetable Dip

1 cup mayo
1 cup sour cream
2 tbsp. minced onion
1 tsp. salt
Blend well. Makes 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ cups. Good with
cauliflower and celery.

1/2 tsp. pepper
1/2 cup chopped parsley
1 tbsp. Dijon mustard
1 scant tsp. sugar
Carrot sticks, cucumbers, broccoli,