

Gate City Quilt Guild Gazette

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"The times they are a changin'," in the immortal words of Bob Dylan. We, too, shall experience some new and exciting changes in the months to come.

To start off, we have a new Slate of Officers for 2023. Our committee has curated a great line up to continue the good work. The slate was presented at the October meeting and ushers in some new faces and ideas to our Board.

Next, your illustrious Board has voted unanimously to hold our monthly meetings for 2023 at the Congregational United Methodist Church. Our Quilt Show location affords us many more opportunities for gathering and connecting. Congregational has invested in a computer system that will allow us to gather in person while watching a speaker via Zoom, when necessary. This means that we can still see each other and have Show & Tell in person, even when our speaker is not able to be with us in the room. In addition to potential savings on speaker travel and lodging, the computer equipment will allow us to have a speaker in person and Zoom the meeting for those who aren't able to drive or are feeling under the weather. We love to share with each other, but there's no need to share your germs, he he. The investigating committee performed a thorough walk through twice to make sure that the arrangement would work for us. I think that you will be pleased with our many new possibilities.

Change can be challenging, but usually means progress and fulfillment. In this month of thankfulness, we should all consider these changes as blessings. Yes, there will be a learning curve for many of us and I'm confident that we can rise to the challenge. You are amazing.

Happy Thanksgiving to all of you and your families. Michelle

November 3rd Meeting In Person @ New Garden Friends (6:30pm visiting, program starts at 7pm)



Janice Pope of Raleigh, N.C. will be our guest speaker on November 3rd. She is a lecturer, teacher and designer. The title of her program is "How Fabrics are made--cotton in the field to a finished Quilt". Janice has been sewing since she was a teenager, known for her energy and enthusiasm has created her own style of purses for several years now.

Over 20 plus patterns of her bags and quilts are available. She also designed the Bias Binding Simplified Ruler for Creative Grids. Janice and her

daughter-in-law are the author and illustrator of the <u>Big Stitch, Quilting Basics to</u> <u>Learn Hand Quilting in the Big Stitch Style.</u>



List of Program Presentations for 2022/2023

January 2023 (Zoom) Pat Speth--Five Inch is a Cinch https://patspeth.com

February 2023 (Zoom) Sarah Goer--Creating a Scrappy Slab <u>https://www.sarahgoerquilts.com</u>

March 2023 (Zoom) Kathleen Rountree--Joyful Journey (+ Workshop) <u>https://kathleenrountree.com</u>

April 2023 TBD

May (Congregational United Church of Christ) Barbara Blanton--Academy of applique (+ Workshop) www.academyofapplique.com

June 2023 TBD

July Picnic in the park

August 2023 TBD

September 2023 TBD

October 2023 TBD

November 2022 (New Garden Friends)

Janice Pope, "How Fabric is Made" <u>anythingbutboring.com</u>

December 2022 Holiday Party

CALLING ALL TO HELP WITH 2023 PRESENTERS

Who would you like to see visit our guild in 2023? We are working on the roster and would love your suggestions. In fact, we need your suggestions so we can find instructors you will learn from and enjoy. So please send your suggestions to Debbie or Carol. Our contact information can be found on the Membership List

Activities!!!

Sew Hours

Sew Hours - Hey everyone. We are settling down into our Fall routine. Don't forget to add Sew Hours to your schedule. Join fellow Guild members to sew, learn and laugh on Zoom while you work on your project. The remaining Sew Hours for October is Thursday the 27th and starting in November Tuesday 1st and 15th. All Sew Hours begin at 1:00 and end sometime around 3:00. Come and join us.

Look for the Invites for all of the above a day or two before the event. Hope you can join us. If you have questions email or call me. My info can be found on the Membership List. Carol

Charity Committee

Hi quilters, our beautiful weather makes me think of quilting. Charity quilting has a lot of tops needing quilting. If you would like to offer to quilt any tips let us know. Patti and Esther.

Special Thank You

Shout out to Sonya Overman the new owner of Calla Lily. Most of you know her since she has worked there for long time and has spent the past three years as the store manager.

As we get ready for our quilt show Calla Lilly has allowed us to use their beautiful classroom once again, most recently to put our raffle quilt together. The huge design walls were really helpful.

Sonya also made generous donation for our Guild of 11 finished quilt tops, backing for our charity quilt, and silent auction projects.

Little House Quilts for Habitat Greensboro

We have delivered another batch of "Little House Quilts" to Habitat Greensboro. These quilts are just darling! Families are able to choose one Little House Quilt as they move into their new home.

Please keep making them and bringing them to Guild meetings. Size about 12" or 14". Remember to have some kind of hanging tabs, sleeve, or rings on the back. I apply a Gate City Quilt Guild label to each one.

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Boutique Reminder

We have supplies like zippers, interfacings, Insulbrite, fabric, and trims. If you are making something for Boutique and need supplies give Donna Paulson a call. We may have what you need. Also, if you are making something as a gift, consider making an extra for Boutique. Thank for supporting the guild.

Donna Paulson

Yard Sale

Please keep the yard sale items. Just let me know when you have items to drop off or will have items at the monthly meetings to ensure I have room in the car. Thank you all for supporting our guild, Darcy Benson

Raw Edge Applique / Quilting Mini Groups

Betsy Bopp and Barbara Wolfe are starting a mini group for raw edge applique. This group meets on the last Saturday in the month at 10am. For October the date is the 29th. The meeting place will be Lee's Chapel United Methodist Church. Since it is a large space, we are inviting all quilters to sit and sew with us.

Hand Applique / Quilting Mini Group

The handwork mini will meet at Benjamin Library on the third Friday of the month, which for November 18th from 9:30am-12noon. The library is located at 1530 Benjamin Parkway, Greensboro Bring any kind of handwork project and join the fun.

Sharon Bibbs is vour contact if vou have questions.



November Birthday's

Nov 2 nd	Ruth Hamilton
Nov 6 th	Eileen Kane
Nov 13th	Sue Cole
Nov 23 rd	Debbie Feulner
Nov 29 th	Rosie Fleshman
Nov 29 th	Sue Roth
Nov 30 th	Jane Weinstein

Gate City Quilt Guild - 2022 Board Officers

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4	President Elect	Kare
4	Quilt Show Chair*	Laur
4	Treasurer*	Bea
4	Secretary*	Joan
4	Newsletter*	Darcy
4	Website*	Darcy
4	Historian*	Linda
4	Membership*	Ruth
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27	28	29	30			

Out and About News

Embroidery attachment module for Bernina 180 and for a Bernina 200 for sale. Some hoops available. Call Nancy if interested at 336-609-3923. Very good price!

Also, a weird request: Did anyone purchase a holiday advent pattern called **Here Comes Santa** at the last shows yard sale? If so, I would be interested in purchasing it back from you or reviewing the pattern. Thought I would never make another one of these after making a dozen or so, but have had a request to make a few more. Thanks. Nancy at 336-609-3923

Any one looking for an antique sewing machine. She is looking to sell, needs to be out of her house by Oct 27. Reach out to Jane Weinstein







Save the Date

Quilting and Fiber Art Marketplace

Dennis A. Wicker Civic Center 1801 Nash St. Sanford, NC 27330 Jan. 13, 2023 - 9am - 4 pm Jan. 14, 2023 - 9am - 4 pm.

We have assembled more than 30 of your favorite small businesses that feature the best products for quilters and knitters. Spend the day shopping for quilting fabrics, yarns for knitting, and wools for appliqué and much more. QFAM starts early at 9am with Early Bird Specials. Many vendors will have selected items on sale from 9am - 10am. Throughout the day, we will have hourly door prize drawings. We plan to give away a couple of sewing machines as well!

Plan to arrive early and spend the day. The first 100 people in the door, get an extra ticket to win all day long. Mrs. Lacy's Magnolia House will be serving her wonderful chicken salad and baked goods for your pleasure.



Quilting and Needle Art

Extravaganza Statesville Civic Center 300 South Center St. Statesville, NC Jan. 27, 2023 from 9 am - 5 pm Jan. 28, 2023 from 9 am - 4 pm

Mark your calendar for this fabulous shopping event!

Spend the day shopping for quilting fabrics, yarns for knitting, and wools for appliqué. Books, patterns and notions will inspire you to create. Shop for a new sewing machine or a long arm sewing machine. Our vendors are quilt shops and knitting shops. Some vendors dye their own fabrics and some "grow" their own yarns on their farms. Some vendors design their own patterns and some just know where to order the "best stuff". There will be hourly door prizes and each day at 3pm, Sew Original from Winston Salem and Studio Stitch from Greensboro will be giving away a Bernina Sewing machine. (You must be present to win a machine.) Arrive early. Be one of the first 100 people in the door, and you will get an extra ticket to win all day long. Cafe 220 will be there with their fabulous food and Troyer's Bakery will have delicious baked goods.

Membership

Gate City Quilt Guild members it is time for early renewal of your membership for 2022. We start our new guild year January 1 and would love to have everyone on board for a great year of programs, show and tell and charity quilts galore. Membership chairs: Ruth Hamilton and Sue Cole

Gate City Quilt Guild Membership Application for the year of - 20_ _

Please Print Legibly	
Name:	_Date:
Address:	
City, State, and Zip:	
Home Phone:	
Cell Phone:	
Email:	
Birthday: (year optional):	
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- Annual membership is January 1 December 31 and the annual membership fee is \$35 due by January 31.
- Annual fee for members age 75 or older is \$20.
- New members joining after July 31 will be charged \$25 for membership through the remainder of the membership year. No other prorating will apply.
- Membership dues are non-refundable.

Mail this completed form and your check, payable to Gate City Quilt Guild by January 31st to:

Gate City Quilt Guild

P.O. Box 29196

Greensboro, NC 27429-9196

Or-hand it in at the membership table at any meeting.

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Inclement Weather Policy

If Guilford County Schools are closed due to inclement weather the meeting may be changed to a zoom session.

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We do our best to update you on meeting changes from in person to Zoom via email, Facebook, our website or a phone call

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The guild website http://www.gatecityquiltguild.org/

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK.

https://www.facebook.com/gatecityq uiltguild



Use the Facebook page to share work, tips & ideas. Or even to ask for help with a project!

Guild Meetings are held:

1st Thursday of the month 6:30 pm Social 7:00 pm Meeting begins

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New Garden Friends Meeting 801 New Garden Road Greensboro, NC 27410

Meets are held either in person or via Zoom (see the list of Program Presentations for the meeting location)

Email - info@gatecityquiltguild.org Mailing Address: Gate City Quilt Guild P. O. Box 29196, Greensboro, NC 27429

Newsletter Advertising

The cost is per month for both newsletter and website

Ad size Business card	Member N no charge	lon-member \$ 5.00
1/4 page	\$3.75	\$ 7.50
1/2 page	\$6.25	\$12.50
Full Page	\$12.50	\$25.00

Newsletter Deadline The 20th of the month Send your contributions and info to share to BensonDarcy@gmail.com Include the word "Newsletter" in the subject line.