

Gate City Quilt Guild Gazette

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July 2023

President's Message

Sitting outside on the back porch this Sunday morning and enjoying the bird songs before the heat chases me inside. Hot weather is here. Speaking of hot weather, this year we will be having our annual picnic inside at our normal meeting place. See more details in this newsletter. Bring a dish to share and any show and tell items to show off. Lots of door prizes.

If you don't have anything to show, perhaps you have a quilt made by your mother, grandmother or other relative. I personally love old quilts and have several in my collection. Some have stories to go with them and others were just bought her and there. It is an honor to save these old quilts for the next generation. I have a daughter who loves these quilts as much as I do. I only have grandsons so we will see down the road if they have any love for the works of our ancestors. Right now, they are finishing college and starting careers and no interest in quilting other than, "Grandma, will you make me a T-shirt quilt?"

Come and join us on Thursday, July 6th at 6:00 p.m. for fun and fellowship.

Karen

HELP NEEDED

You arrive for a guild meeting and the room is set up and ready to go. After the meeting you say your goodbyes and head home. It's not magical chairs that suddenly appear, Laurie and I show up early to set up chairs and the TV for Zoom and are the last ones to leave after everything has been put away.

We NEED HELP. If you are available (and able) to set up chairs at 6:00 p.m. we could use your help. The same with after the meeting. Thanks to those of you who have helped in the past to put away chairs and tables after the meetings. We would like to see others get involved with set up and breakdown to share the load. Give it some thought and join us at 6:00 or hang around after the meeting. We know some of you are not able to lift and carry so think about how you might help out at the meetings. Thanks, and see you on the 6th.

July 6th 2023

Meeting In Person @ Congregational United Church of Christ

We will not be Zooming the picnic. Hope you are able to attend in person.

(6:30pm visiting, meeting begins at 7pm)

**Gate City Quilt Guild
Invites you to our
Summer Picnic**

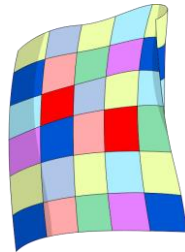


July 6, 2023

6:00 pm to 8:30 pm

Congregational United Church of Christ

Please bring a covered dish to share
Tea & water provided



***Boutique and silent auction quilts will be displayed
and for sale if you need a gift right away and
don't have time to make it yourself!***

List of Program Presentations for 2023 / 2024

June 2023

Emma Jane – “Arpilleras”

<https://dreamitquiltit.com>

July 2023

Picnic at Congregational United Church of Christ

August 2023

Vickie Clontz- “Walk on the Wool Side!”

<https://www.annieskeepsakes.com>

September 2023

Lisa Roth Alley, Bear Hug Quilt Works - “Calming the Chaos to reclaim your studio”

<https://www.bearhugquiltworks.com/about.html>

October 2023

Program Sandy Fitzpatrick-“Splendid Stitches and Machine Magic”

www.HissyfitzDesigns.com

November 2023

Quilters Gallery Antique Quilts + workshop (Pizza Girls)

<https://quiltersgallery.net>

December 2023

Holiday Party

January 2024 (Zoom)

Kelly Ashton--Sixty Degrees of Inspiration: Hexagons, Triangles and More.

<https://kellyquilter.com>

February 2024 (Zoom)

Margaret Brewster Willingham, Eye of the Beholder Quilt Designs, "Reverse Applique: Revealing Beauty." www.eobquiltdesign.com.

March 2024

Annie Smith, Quilt Maker, Instructor and Podcaster," How Technology is Changing the Way We Quilt. " www.AnnieSmith.net

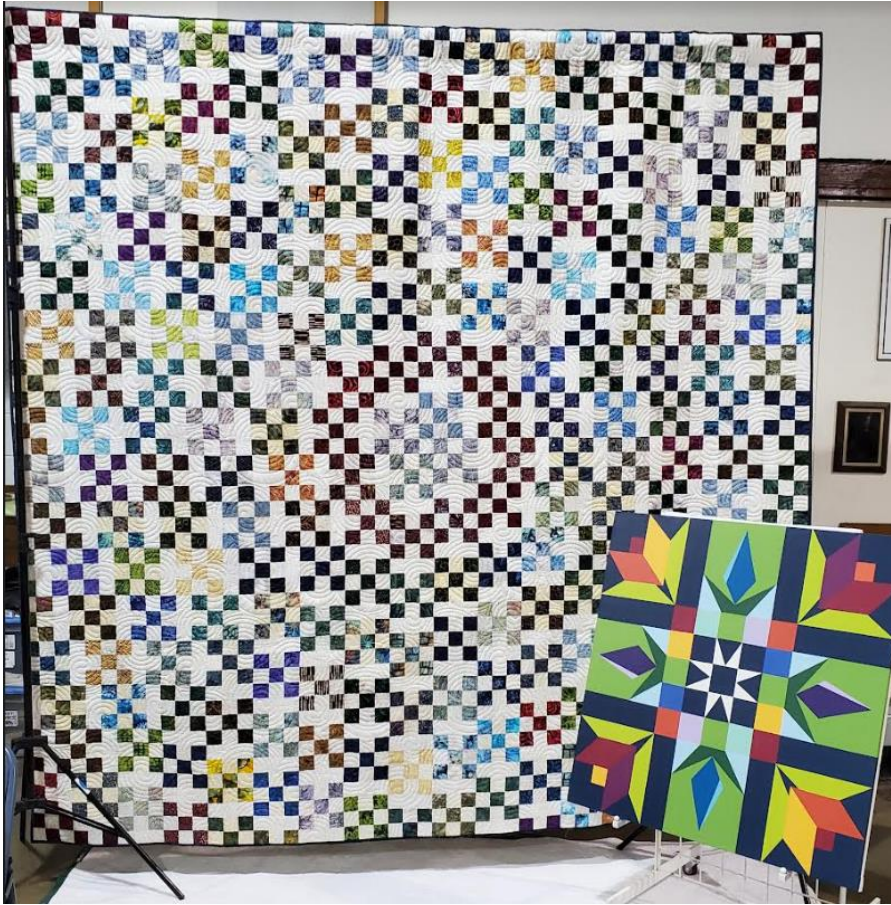
April 2024 (TBA)

Workshop April 5, 2024 Laurie Shaw, Workshop for creating a barn quilt

May 2024

Betsy Bopp and boutique committee, Workshop for creating items for quilt show boutique.

2024 Quilt Show



Here we go! Please put October 11 and 12, 2024 on your calendars for our next amazing Quilt Show! Just 17 months to go :-)

We will, again, use the entire week beginning Sunday, October 6, 2024 to move into the church venue and enjoy all the fun setup time together. Please watch this space for upcoming events and please be working on your quilt show entry quilts!

Many thanks to the following Quilt Show Committee leaders. A Quilt Show Committee meeting is right around the corner. Stand by for date and time.

Laurie Shaw Chair / Karen Cartlidge Vice Chair
Valerie Paterson Challenge Quilts
Jane Weinstein Layout / Valerie Paterson Layout
Linda Grogan Publicity / Heather Brandon Publicity
Ruth Hamilton Printing / Karen Cartlidge Ribbons
Debbie Feulner Registration / Linda Chappell Registration
Caryn Wright Cashier / Bea Mandel Silent Auction - Showtime
Michelle Puzio Volunteers / Joan O'Donnell Volunteers
Sigrid Kenny Silent Auction Collection / Margaret Dick Silent Auction Collection
Darcy Benson Yard sale / Betsy Bopp Boutique / Donna Paulsen Boutique
Susan Roth Raffle Baskets / Caryn Wright Signs
Becky Hayes Raffle Quilt Inside Sales
Barbara Wolfe Family Reception
Ginger Karb Coordinator of Raffle Quilt Sale Locations

Sew Hours

Dare we say - HEY HEY HEY?

The summer heat is upon us so plan on joining in a Sew Hour or two or even better three this month. Stay for some of the time or all of the time.

Sew Hour meets on the 1st Tuesday of the month and the 4th Thursday of every month from 1:00 to 3:00. And we meet on the 2nd Sunday of the month from 2:00 to 4:00.

So bring your projects and join the fun, the conversation, the sharing and the dedicated time for your quilting right from your sewing room on Zoom.

Sunday, July 9th at 2:00

Thursday, July 27th at 1:00

The invite for these Zoom events will be sent the day before we meet.

Hand Applique / Quilting Mini Group

The handwork mini group will meet the following Fridays at Benjamin Branch Library, 1530 Benjamin Parkway, Greensboro, NC 27408. We meet the third Friday of the month (July 21 and August 18), from 9:30am to 12 Noon. Please join us.

Sharon Bibbs.
Co-Chair. of Programs
Coordinator of Handwork Mini

Charity Committee

It's summertime. This is a great time to quilt a charity quilt. We will bring some quilts to be quilted to the next meeting. You can also contact us for other ways to get a quilt.

Contact Patti Jones, Esther Mayo or Juli Hurin for more information.

Boutique Reminder

We have supplies like zippers, interfacings, Insulbrite, fabric, and trims. If you are making something for Boutique and need supplies give Donna or Betsy 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 and Betsy Bopp

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

Little House Quilts for Habitat Greensboro

We continue to collect marvelous Little House Quilts for Habitat for Humanity. Use your scraps and creativity and bring your final art to a Guild Meeting. Size should be around 14” square or so (no real rules) and should have some kind of way to hang. A sleeve, rings, tabs, whatever you would like to do. Let Laurie Shaw know if you have questions.



CALLING ALL TO HELP WITH 2023/2024 PRESENTERS

Who would you like to see visit our guild in 2024? 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



July Birthday's

July 10 th	Linda Chappell
July 18 th	Juli Hurin
July 24 th	Christine Plesh
July 24 th	Laurie Shaw
July 27 th	Margaret Dick

Gate City Quilt Guild - 2023 Board Officers

✚ President	Karen Cartlidge
✚ President Elect	Miranda Slade
✚ Quilt Show Chair*	Laurie Shaw
• Co-Chair	Karen Cartlidge
✚ Treasurer*	Caryn Wright
✚ Secretary*	Barbara Wolfe
✚ Newsletter*	Darcy Benson
✚ Website*	Darcy Benson
✚ Historian*	Linda Grogan
✚ Membership*	Ruth Hamilton
✚ Membership*	Sue Cole
✚ Membership*	Becky Hayes
✚ Publicity*	Linda Grogan
✚ Publicity*	Heather Brandon
✚ Charity*	Patti Jones
✚ Charity*	Esther Mayo
✚ Charity*	Juli Hurin
✚ Hospitality*	Mary Puckett
✚ Hospitality*	Barbara Wolfe
✚ Programs	Debbie Feulner
✚ Programs	Sharon Bibbs
✚ Activities	Open Position
✚ Parliamentarian*	Betsy Bopp

July							2023
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
9 Sew Hour (zoom) 2pm – 4pm	10	11	12	13	14	15	
16	17	18	19	20	21 Hand Applique 9:30am-Noon Benjamin Library	22	
23	24	25	26	27 Sew Hour (zoom) 1pm – 3pm	28	29	
30	31						

Out and About News

For Sale
Babylock Destiny Combo Sewing / Embroidery Machine
(Model BLDY – upgraded to Destiny II)

Includes IQ Designer & Scanner

Maximum embroidery field 9.5”x14”

(Optional) leather bound Love of Sewing Tutorial Manual included

Babylock Destiny luggage for machine, embroidery bed and hoops

Numerous additional (optional) embroidery hoops in various sizes

Machine is in excellent shape, infrequently used and serviced annually.

Asking price \$2,000 OBO

If interested contact Donna Hoffman

elschafer@mindspring.com

(505) 933-3874



Lewis Schafer

Custom Quilting, Sewing, Knitting, and Crochet

October 20 & 21, 2023

Quilt Show

*Home is Where
the Quilt Is !*

Dennis Wicker Civic Center
1801 Nash St., Sanford, NC

Presented by the Hearts & Hands/ECA Quilters' Guild

\$1.00 off admission with this card

Home is Where the Quilt Is !

Dennis Wicker Civic Center, Sanford, NC
Fri, Oct 20, 10 am to 5 pm; Sat, Oct 21, 10 am to 4 pm
Admission \$7.00; under 12 free



Supported by the  Arts COUNCIL
P.O. Box 2815, Sanford, NC 27331

Over 100 Handmade Quilts
Vendor Booths Door Prizes Raffle Quilt
Raffle Baskets Boutique Book Sale
Catered by GiGi's Creations

Visit our website at
www.heartsandhandsnc.org
for information about the show and
how to enter your quilts

Phone: 845-616-1004 or 719-338-7787 Email: info@heartsandhandsnc.org
(\$1.00 off admission with this card)



Randolph Quilters Guild Biannual Quilt Show

Friday, 11/10/23 - 10a to 5p
Saturday, 11/11/23 - 10a to 4p

Admission: \$6 .
(Bring this postcard for a \$1 discount)

Location: Randolph Senior Adult Association
347 W. Salisbury Street, Asheboro, NC

Judged Quilt Show
Over 100 Quilts on Display

Find us on Facebook
for details about
entering your quilt
in our show



Vendors
Cafe
Free Parking

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): _____

Check if New: _____ Renewal: _____ Check #: _____ Amount: _____

- 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.

Rev April 2022

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/gatecityquiltguild>



*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

Congregational United Church of Christ
400 W. Radiance Drive
Greensboro, NC 27403

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

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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.