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Crystal Coast Quilters' Guild
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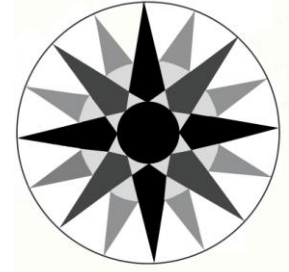
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A Message from Our President!!

Happy 2012!!

Happy 30th Birthday Crystal Coast Quilters Guild!!

The New Year is off to a great start. We have so much to look forward to! We will be celebrating our 30th Anniversary as a Guild and what a way to celebrate by having our beautiful handmade/hand quilted *GRANDMOTHER'S ANNIVERSARY GARDEN*" quilt. I just know our quilt show this year will be amazing and successful!!

Are you working on those UFO's? We will have our first special drawing for everyone that turned in a list and has completed something on that list. I know, I know, Laurie is way ahead of us in finished those UFO's but you can catch up with her. ☺ I was looking back through old quilt magazines and found a cute article on UFO's (copy at the end of the newsletter). So I'm not the only one that thinks about these things. I have a very long list and have not completed one of them yet, but lookout Laurie, I'm on a mission!!

Competition is good for the soul.....that's why we have Show Buddy's to push us along. Have you been paying attention to your Show Buddy? You could email them, you could send them a funny little reminder card, you could send them a list of To-Do's to get done for the show. You can be creative to encourage your Buddy to have her projects finished in time. I KNOW Aloa and Polly are encouraging each other, right girls ☺

I want to personally wish each of you a very Happy and Healthy New Year and look **forward to all the fun things the Guild has to offer.**

Carol



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!!!

Ann Caminiti	Jan 9th	Pat Bowes	Jan 14 th
Pat Butler	Jan 23 rd	Lee Frederickson	Jan 30 th
Julia Smith	Jan 31st		

★ TIME TO PAY YOUR DUES ★

Don't miss out on a single newsletter keeping you informed of all the fun stuff going on in the guild! Pay your dues on time and receive our 30th Anniversary Quilters Keepsake booklet with the photo of our "Remembering Grandmother's Garden" quilt on the back.

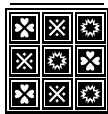
Dues are \$25 for the year of 2012. I hope we don't lose anyone and everyone rejoins!!

Give or mail your dues to **Aloa Boyd** so she can record you are a paid member. If you have any changes to your address, phone or email please let her know so we can keep our roster up to date. We had 81 members and I know 81 of you will continue to be members!!!



Next Meeting

Our next meeting will be January 19 at Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church @ 7:00 pm. Program by the 2012 Quilt show committee.



Workshop Info January, February, & March 2012

Saturday, January 21, 2012, 1st Presbyterian Church, MHC 9:00 am-3:00 pm.

We will be working on **QUILTS FOR KIDS**. Holly and Bonnie will have a variety of kits for us to make for the children at the shelter. We encourage all to attend and support our charitable work. They are also fun to make. Please plan to come early or stay late to help set up or clean up. Please bring bag lunch, drinks provided. Snacks welcome. Hope to see lots of you on the 21st.

Saturday, February 18, 2012, 1st Presbyterian Church, MHC 9:30 am-2:30 p.m.

Foundation Piecing workshop with JANE HALL. Classes with Jane Hall are very popular in our guild. We have a full list and a waiting list for this class. To hold your place in this class you must have paid the workshop fee of \$10.00 (payable to Kathy Cannon, 393-7699), and your 2012 guild dues of \$25.00 (payable to Aloa Boyd-726-1290) prior to February 1, 2012. Supply list available from Kathy Cannon.

Saturday, March 10, 2012, 1st Presbyterian Church, MHC 9:00am-3:00 pm.

RIBBON WORKSHOP- We will be making the beautiful quilt show ribbons that everyone is hoping to win. Keep working on your items for our show. Marion Faulke and Mary Frankle as usual will have prepared everything we need to make these wonderful additions to our annual show. Bring your bag lunch and come to have fun and help our guild.-

Re-print from the Last Newsletter – we desperately need to fill this position!!

Job Description – Publicity Chairman

The Publicity Chairman coordinates publicity for the Guild with the assistance of one or two additional Guild members depending on activities and events as dictated by the Guild. The ongoing responsibilities of this position include, but are not necessarily limited to:

- Publicizing meetings dates/places with local media, i.e., newspapers, TV, posters as directed by the Guild Board.
- Updating and maintaining an adequate supply of posters, handouts, etc. used for distribution at out of town meetings such as “Day of Sharing.”
- Works with the designated Quilt Show / Day of Sharing publicity representatives. Each of these Committees should elect/appoint publicity reps from within their ranks to work with the Publicity Chairman. Specifically, the Publicity Chairman is an ex officio member of each of these committees but is NOT the rep from either group. The Publicity Chairman is considered the “resource” person and assists with coordination of activities over all Guild activities.

*******QUILT SHOW ALERT*******

SHOW ENTRY FORMS AVAILABLE!

A copy is included with this newsletter. Please "Help yourself!" Enter early and often! The postmark deadline for entries is **April 2, 2012.**

Needed by show time are:

- *Show entries (judged or for exhibit only)
- *Silent Auction contributions
- *Guild Booth contributions
- *Hero quilts
- *Kids' quilts
- *Other creative endeavors

Your Show Committee will be performing the program at the January meeting! You will have to see it to believe it! See you there!

A hundred million thank you messages to Diana V. -- Sew It Seams -- for displaying our show flyers at the Sanford and Myrtle Beach events this month. We are very appreciative of her continued support of our guild activities!
YEA! DIANA!!!

2012 Raffle Tickets

Keep selling those tickets!! If you need more raffle tickets see Cindy Moeller at the January meeting or any Tuesday drop in.

2012 Challenge Quilt

The theme of the guild Challenge for 2012 is "What were we doing in 1981?" Let's go back to memory lane when according to Carla Hassel, author of Super Quilter II; we were making sampler block quilts in monochromatic colors.

The Challenge is to go back in time and make an unquilted 12 1/2 inch block representative of the 1980's using at least 3 fabrics from a kit. You may add from your own stashes other solid purples, black, creams and one other contrasting color.

See Bonnie Sturdevant if you want to make a challenge block for our 2012 quilt show. Kits cost one dollar and include the fabric needed for a sampler block of your choice. The winner will be chosen by viewer choice and will receive all the blocks. Let's have a lot of participation. If you need your kit mailed the cost will be three dollars.

New Website! - www.crystalcoastquiltersguild.org

As you are probably already aware, the new website is up and running. We still have the same domain, crystalcoastquiltersguild.org. The only thing that is missing from this website compared to the old one is the roster and the contact information for our officers. There are a lot more photos included, and if you would like to add some of your own, please send them as an attachment to Laurie Mayo (islandquilter.nc@embarqmail.com). When you are on the photo pages, if you click on an image, it will enlarge and show the caption. You can then click to advance to the next or previous image. If you've got any ideas for adding pages or changing something on the website, or questions, just let me know. Thanks.

Kids Quilts

January Workshop

Hope everyone has marked their calendars to attend the Kids Quilts workshop on Jan 21. This is a great opportunity for both new and old members to make a kids quilts for the Domestic Violence shelter. All the quilt blocks are already completed and all that is needed is sashings, borders and binding. The backing and batting will be provided. If you still have a block of the month out, please turn them in before the workshop! Your dedication and enthusiasm for this charity project is deeply appreciated. Holly

Supply List

- bag lunch and beverage
- sewing machine and cords
- neutral thread
- scissors
- rotary cutter, mat and rulers
- pins
- backing, batting, sashing, and binding will be provided

Any and all snacks will be appreciated!

Calendar of Events

January 27 & 28, 2012 - The Quilting & Needle Art Extravaganza

Statesville Civic Center
300 South Center St.
Statesville, NC 28677
<http://quiltersgallery.net/>

February 23-26, 2012 - Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival

Hampton Roads Convention Center,
Hampton, VA
<http://www.quiltfest.com/>

March 2-3, 2012 - A Celebration of Quilts 2012: Southern Comforts

At the Gaillard Auditorium,
77 Calhoun St., Charleston, SC
www.charlestonquiltguild.com



March 23-25 2012 - CCQG 2012 Quilting Retreat

A \$50.00 deposit is required of all participating in the March 23-25, 2012 retreat at the Trinity Center. Please send your checks or bring to the next guild meeting 12/8/10, make your checks payable to the CCQG. The balance of \$134.00 will be payable at the February 2012 meeting. Nancy Mathis has to sign the contract, and will be reserving 6 rooms double occupancy. You can contact her by e-mail or calling 910-358-2140 if you have any questions.

April 21, 2012 -

The Colonial Quilt Lovers Guild is having a Day of Sharing in Elizabeth City, NC.

April 20-21, 2012 - Greenville Quilters Show

May 18th and 19th, 2012 –

Our 30th annual judged **Quilt Show, "Coastal Stars,"** will be held on Friday and Saturday, at the Crystal Coast Civic Center, 3505 Arendell Street, Highway 70, Morehead City, NC. Hours for the quilt show will be: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

June 7 – 10 – Cullowhee, NC,

NC Quilt Symposium "Stars Over the Smokies", Western Carolina University

June 22 & 23 – Wilmington, NC,

Quilters By The Sea Guild's 30th Annual Quilt Show

Reminder!!

Starting in January the Day of Sharing committee is asking members to bring the following items: wine corks, shells less than 1", fat quarters in red, black and white, 6" clear glass trifle bowls to borrow for centerpieces.

If you will be traveling in the near future check out the following website to see if there are any quilt shows in the area you are going to - <http://quiltguilds.com/>

Don't Forget - Tuesday Drop-in is a Shepherd of the Sea in Atlantic Beach from 9:00 – 12:00 Noon. Bring your own fun project to work on. Remember to wear your nametag to meetings. Raffles are back!!

CLAIM FORM Entry No: _____

Do not enter any information above.

Category Number _____

Category Name _____

Maker _____

Name of Quilt _____

Member of CCQG? Yes ___ No ___

LIABILITY RELEASE:

I, the undersigned, do release the CCQG from any liability for damage or loss of item listed above.

Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____

**Pick Up Time: 5:30 P. M.
Saturday, May 19, 2012 at the
Crystal Coast Civic Center**

This entry CLAIM Form must be presented at pick up time. (Please do not detach prior to mailing in your form. When you submit your entry, you will be given the receipt.)

ENTRY FORM Entry No: _____

Do not enter any information above. For Guild use only.

Maker _____

Telephone _____

Address _____

Email _____

For exhibit only (will not be judged) _____

Category Number _____ Category

Name _____

Name of Quilt _____

Size in inches: Width _____ Length** _____

Year Completed _____

****ALL QUILTS LONGER THAN 90" MUST HAVE A SLEEVE ATTACHED 90" FROM THE BOTTOM OF THE QUILT.**

Pieced/Appliquéd by _____
Quilted by _____

Checklist: 2" or 4" sleeve _____ ID label _____
Non-CCQG entry fee enclosed: \$ _____

(See entry instructions for amount)

LIABILITY RELEASE: I, the undersigned, do release the CCQG from any liability for damage or loss of the item listed above

Signature: _____

Date: _____

In **50 words or less**, please share what inspired you to create your entry and/or a short history about it, including source of your design.

Please complete and mail to: Laurie Mayo, 106 Wyndward Ct., Emerald Isle, NC 28594 and must be postmarked by Monday, April 2, 2012.

I give permission for CCGQ to use images of my quilt on their website YES _____
NO _____

Quilt Entry Form Instructions

Submit one Entry Claim Form for each item entered. This entire form must be completed, signed in two places and **postmarked by April 2, 2012**. Entry forms should be mailed to Laurie Mayo, 206 Wyndward Ct., Emerald Isle, NC 28594

ENTRY DELIVERY/PICK UP

ALL HAND DELIVERED ENTRIES MUST BE BROUGHT TO:

The Crystal Coast Civic Center
3505 Arendell St., Hwy. 70
Morehead City, NC

On **THURSDAY, MAY 17th**
BETWEEN 8-10 A.M.

ALL MAILED QUILTS must be received by Laurie Mayo, 206 Wyndward Ct., Emerald Isle, NC 28594 by Monday, May 7, 2012. If mailing entries, please call Laurie Mayo at 252-354-3056 for shipping instructions.

Mailed in entries will be shipped on Monday, May 21, 2012.

Entry pick up takes place following the take-down of the show on **Saturday, May 19, 2012 at 5:30 p.m.** The **CLAIM FORM** must be presented at time of pick up.

Important

Crystal Coast Quilters' Guild will take every precaution to protect your entry from damage or theft, but cannot be held responsible for loss or damage of entry during the quilt show.

Be sure your homeowner's policy, or other insurance, covers the appraised value of the item while at the show. You must sign the liability release.

For further information about the Quilt Show or additional entry forms, please go to our website: www.crystalcoastquiltersguild.org, or call: Carol Stens at 252-808-4060 or Pat Butler at 252-223-3789

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, April 2 - Deadline for submission of Entry Forms.

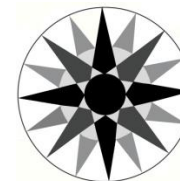
Monday, May 7 - Mailed quilts must be received by this day.

Thursday, May 17 - Drop off quilts for show between 8-10 am

Friday and Saturday - Show Hours: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Saturday, May 19 5:30 p.m. – pick up your entries.

Crystal Coast Quilters' Guild Entry Form For the 30th Annual Coastal Stars Quilt Show



Friday and Saturday
May 18 and 19, 2012
9 A.M. – 5 P.M.

Crystal Coast Civic Center
3505 Arendell St.
Highway 70
Morehead City, NC

Admission \$6
(children under 12 free)

Featuring:

Merchants' Mall - Special Exhibits
Guild Boutique
Silent Auction
Queen Size Donation Quilt
"Grandmother's Anniversary Garden"

QUILT SHOW ENTRY RULES

A quilt is defined as having three layers: a top, batting, and backing held together by stitching. Items made from preprinted cloth may not be entered. **All** entries larger than 40" wide must have a four inch (4") sleeve attached to the top of the back of the quilt. **All** smaller quilts must have at least a two inch (2") sleeve attached. **ALL QUILTS LONGER THAN 90 INCHES NEED TO HAVE A SLEEVE ATTACHED 90 INCHES FROM THE BOTTOM OF THE QUILT. Quilts without sleeves cannot be hung.**

All entries must have an identification label with the person's name, address, and telephone number attached to the lower left corner of the back of the item and must have been completed within the past five years. Items previously entered in CCQG judged shows may not be re-entered. Non-CCQG members may submit up to three (3) entries to the show, with a fee of \$5 per entry.

CCQG members may submit up to three (3) entries per category and pay no fee.

CCQG reserves the right to change the category designation if an incorrect category has been selected by the entrant.

Items may be entered for exhibit only and should be indicated as such on the entry form.

Questions: please call Carol Stens at 252-808-4060.

CATEGORIES

Bed Quilt: Quilt intended for use on a bed. Sum of all sides 280" or more.

1. Hand quilted
2. Machine quilted
3. Mixed
4. **Duet Quilt:** Any quilt having 2 persons involved in its completion. Includes all techniques, as well as quilting by a person other than the maker of the top.
5. **Group Quilt:** Any quilt made by 3 or more people in a collaborative effort. Includes all techniques, as well as quilting by a person other than the maker of the top.
6. **Large Wall Hanging:** Intended for display on a wall. Sum of all sides equals 100" or more. Completed by one quilter.
7. **Small Wall Hanging:** Intended for display on a wall. Sum of all sides less than 100". Completed by one quilter.
8. **Small Utility Quilts:** Throw, lap, crib, or children's quilts. Sum of all sides less than 280".
9. **Innovative/Art Quilt:** Shows personal creativity and originality. No commercial patterns or copies of previous works. Quilts must be made of fabric, have three layers and contain quilting. Quilts based on traditional patterns and designs should be entered in another category.
10. **Home Decor:** A non-holiday household decorative item.

11. **Holiday:** Any holiday decorative item.

12. **Miniature:** Scaled down version of large quilt. Longest side no more than 24 inches and block size less than 4 inches wide. All techniques included in this category.

13. **First Quilt:** Any size.

14. **Quilts Made by Kids:** 14 years or younger.

15. **Quilted Clothing/Wearable Accessories**

16. **Challenge Piece:** Crystal Coast Quilters' Guild Members Only.

REMINDER: All quilts **MUST** have a sleeve.

AWARDS

All ribbons (Best of Show, First, Second, Third, and Honorable Mentions) will be awarded at the judge's discretion.

Additional Merit Awards for Best Hand Quilting, Best Machine Quilting, etc. will be awarded.

Cash awards are presented to top winners.

Show attendees will vote to select a "Viewers' Choice" award for their favorite quilt.

