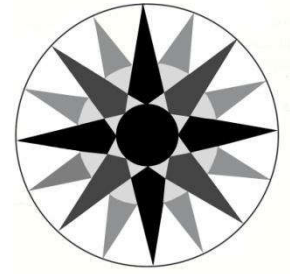


# **BETWEEN STITCHES**

**Crystal Coast Quilters' Guild**

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## **A Message from Our President!!**

### **October Greetings!**

Before Florence rudely interrupted our activities, we were grooving! Now, however, we have to play catch-up! But, before we discuss those necessities, let us thank God that we survived and are dealing with serious and devastating damages to our area. Times like these bring out the best in people, and I'm sure we are all part of the efforts to bring some order into the lives of those less fortunate.

At our October 18 meeting, we will nominate and elect our new officers for the 2019 – 2020 term. Our nominees, Cathy Crandell: President, and Chris Pochwat: Treasurer, have graciously agreed to stand for election. Anyone else can also be nominated and voted on at the meeting.

Our 2018 raffle quilt, "Holiday Stars", will have its new owner selected at our Day of Sharing on October 20. Paula Johnson needs all of us to return our money and stubs to her as soon as possible. (She is also handling the tickets for the 2019 quilt!) Bringing your money and stubs to Drop-In would be most appreciated.

Day of Sharing 2018 has survived Florence thanks to the determined actions of our marvelous committee and leader, Cindy Moeller. The First Baptist Church is not able to host us because of hurricane damage. On the Rocks (the Atlantic Beach restaurant) is going out of its way to accommodate our event. The address is 2604 W. Ft. Macon Rd., Atlantic Beach. Our \$6.00 is due to the committee now.

Please take care as you are proceeding through the taxing recovery procedures, and have fun quilting when you get a break!

God bless all,  
Carol

### **UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS!**

October 10 – Teresa Mayse    October 14 – Bonnie Sturdevant    October 19 – Lee Fredrickson  
October 30 – Darlene Tracy    October 31 – Paula Johnson

***Wishing all of you a great birthday!!!!***

## **SEPTEMBER MEETING MINUTES**

The meeting was cancelled due to Hurricane Florence.

## **NEXT MEETING**

October 18, 2018.....Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church, Atlantic Beach at 6:00. Program for the October meeting will be presented by Karen Zaenker, our other symposium winner for this year.

## **2019 QUILT SHOW MEETING**

No news at this time. Stay tuned for emailed information.

## **2019 QUILT SHOW SILENT AUCTION REQUEST**

Do you have UFOs begging to be completed? Do you wonder who will give that finished quilt a home? How about the Silent Auction? It's not too early to start planning, finishing, or reevaluating your quilts as Silent Auction items. The show is only 7½ months away---so let's get busy! Contact Chris Pochwat, to deliver your items. Thank you!

## **2018 RAFFLE QUILT TICKETS**

It's crunch time on our raffle tickets ladies! Time to make our final sales and turn our stubs in. Remember, the winner will be drawn the 20th of October. That's less than a month from now! Turn in your money and ticket stubs to Paula Johnson ASAP! Thank you!

## **A VICE-PRESIDENT'S CHALLENGE- "ONE OF THESE DAYS..."**

Please continue to work on your (One of these Days) quilts. Our show will be here before you know it and we need many, many quilts to hang.

## **DAY OF SHARING – IMPORTANT UPDATE!!**

Ladies, with the arrival of Florence we have had to make a change in venue for our Day of Sharing. We were informed that First Baptist is unavailable to host our event on October 20 due to storm damage. This year we will be going to 'On the Rocks' restaurant located at 2604 W Fort Macon Road in Atlantic Beach across from the Doubletree.

We truly need your support in attendance, and your help in many areas; breakfast food, selling raffle tickets, show and tell holders and folders, etc. Please sign up at Drop-In, or email me if you can help. Most importantly: SIGN UP AND PAY \$6 for a most enjoyable day! If you attended our beachscape workshop with Eileen, please finish it up so we can display it!

\$6.00 covers breakfast, lunch, guest speaker Eileen Williams, raffles, favors, door prizes and show and tell! What a deal! Hope to see you all there!

## **2018 WORKSHOPS**

The September workshop with Dianna Vaccarella has been rescheduled for November 17. At Happy's suggestion, we will host Dianna in November and postpone Happy until early 2019. Thank you Happy, for being willing to teach the reversible table runner and also willing to wait to share!

## **UPCOMING FOR 2019**

Our committee is pleased to offer the Jelly Roll Rug in January, Made in USA in February, Phyllis Reeves of [www.thevalleyquilter.com](http://www.thevalleyquilter.com) with her version of Lemoyne Star and Snails trail in March. Phyllis will be presenting a lecture at the guild meeting on March 21 on 'SCRAP SENSIBLE' and then teach a 2-day workshop on March 22 & 23.

## **HERO QUILTS**

No new news.

## **KIDS' QUILTS**

Block kits are ready to pass out to those who want to make a quilt block for kids quilts. A demo of the block will take place at our next meeting.

## **QUILT-A-MONTH VACANCIES**

The Quilt-a-Month group has two vacancies for the upcoming calendar year, 2019. This is a hand quilting group where each member has a turn to have sections of her quilt hand-quilted by the other members. All levels of skill are welcome. We also work together to make a Christmas throw-sized quilt each year that one of the members wins at our December gathering! Please contact Laurie Mayo, 252-622-8658, if you have any questions or are interested in joining the group.

## **NEW RETREAT OPTION**

Ladies, looking for some time away to finish Christmas gifts. A retreat has been reserved at Carolina Charm Retreat Center in Tabor City. The dates are November 4-7 (Sunday -Wednesday). Space is limited. Cost \$250 (which includes all food and lodging), pictures and registration can be found on their website: carolinacharmquilting.com. Any questions contact Chris Pochwat.

## **EMPTY SPOOLS???**

Paula Johnson is looking for empty thread spools. Please contact Paula, if you have some to donate.

## **BERNINA FOR SALE-price reduced**

I recently sent out an email about Aloa Boyd's friend, who is selling her Bernina 170. Her mother bought it for her from the dealer in New Bern, and she has never used it. It is about 4-5 years old. It has the embroidery attachment, several feet, a bag of attachments, and a DVD. She was asking \$2000, but has **DROPPED** her asking price to **\$500!** If interested, call Beth Nichols. Her phone number is: 252-514-7045.

## **NEW MEMBERS**

Be sure to make your name tag using our club logo, as soon as possible. A drawing is held at each guild meeting for those wearing their name tag!

## **DROP-IN QUILTING- EACH TUESDAY FROM 9 A.M. TO NOON**

All quilters are invited to Drop-In at Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church in Atlantic Beach each week for quilting and chatting. Bring your own projects(s) to work on, share information, and visit with fellow quilters. Non-guild members are welcome.

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS (\* denotes CCQG event)**

Wednesday-Saturday, October 3-6.....AQS Quilt Show, Virginia Beach Convention Center, 1000 19<sup>th</sup> St., Virginia Beach, VA. Hours: Wednesday-Friday: 9-6, Saturday: 9-4. They offer single, two-day, and multi-day admission prices. Also, if you purchase your tickets online, you will receive a discount and won't have to wait in line, when you arrive. Additional admission discount for AQS members.

\*Thursday, October 18.....CCQG Guild Meeting, Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church, Atlantic Beach at 6:00. Program for the October meeting will be presented by Karen Zaenker, our other symposium winner for this year.

\*Saturday, October 20.....Day of Sharing, **CHANGE OF VENUE!** On the Rocks Restaurant, 2604 W Fort Macon Road, Atlantic Beach. It is located across from the Doubletree. 9:00-3:00. See above for additional details.

Friday and Saturday, October 26 & 27.....Twin Rivers' Quilt Show has been **CANCELLED** and rescheduled to October 25 & 26, 2019 due to severe damage to the Convention Center from Hurricane Florence.

\*Thursday, November 15.....CCQG Guild Meeting, Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church, Atlantic Beach at 6:00. Program TBA.

\*Saturday, November 17.....CCQG Workshop. Happy will share her reversible table runner, using a quilt-as-you-go technique.