

# PIEDMONT QUILTERS GUILD

PO Box 10673, Greensboro, NC 27404

## NEXT MEETING

February 8, 2023 – 7pm

New Garden Friends Meeting

New Garden Rd, Greensboro, NC

Program: Stephanie Trippe – Textile Artist, Clothing Designer



### *President's Message:*

WOW!! What a whirlwind of weather this January has been—cold, warm, wet, dry, sleet, fog, wind.... whew! We've had a variety of weather and as I write during another wet day, I am reflecting on the immense variety of quilters and talent this guild has within it. At our last meeting, our own member, Nancy Jo Smith and her granddaughter showed us what a creative array of clothes can be made with quilting, adapting patterns, and other embellishments to dazzle your mind. It was very inspiring and a great way to start the New Year. Everyone enjoyed the program, and we appreciate the sharing of ideas to all of us. Thank you for sharing with us. Betty

Please fill out a form and pay your membership dues for this year by March 2024. You can bring to the meeting or mail the membership form and check to our PO Box, Sabrina Miller, or myself.

REMINDER If a guild member is ill, send an email to the guild secretary, Ann Johnson. She will mail a card from PQG to that member via home address. Thanks, and stay healthy and well!

**BOARD MEETING**- short meeting before the regular meeting on Feb. 8, 2024 at 6:00 pm. Bring the budget request sheet passed out last month and filled out the best approval, etc. Thank you.

### 2024 OFFICERS

*President:* Betty Green

*Vice President:* Open

*Secretary:* Ann Johnson

*Treasurer:* Susan Bower

*Newsletter / Web:* Nancy Jo Smith

*Hospitality:* Sherri Rose & Mary Ann Rhodes

*Membership:* Sabrina Miller

*Outreach:* Mary Ann Rhodes

### February Birthdays

Jeanne Harrison - February 1

Cheri Rose - February 4

Lillian Adcock -- February 27

Nancy Schmidt -- February 27

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**March Program - Ann Johnson will demonstrate how to make flowers for quilts, garments, or packages.**

April - ? Open ?

July - ? Open ?

October - ? Open ?

May - Picnic

August - ? Open ?

November - ? Open ?

June – Sandra Vernon

September – Sabrina  
Miller

December - Party

**PROGRAMS--**We are trying something new this year with asking members to pick a month and either present a program, an activity, or get a speaker to inspire us. If there is a fee, please present it to the guild at a meeting beforehand or contact Betty Green for information on allotment of a payment. Above is the lineup so far. Please jump in for the empty ones as soon as possible, thank you to everyone for helping keep our guild fun and informative.

## **Minutes of January 11, 2024 meeting**

10 members present, 1 guest



### **Discussions:**

Nancy Jo announced the Artist In Residence Show January 27 from 5-7pm by Stephanie Trippe, textile artist and clothing designer using “repurposed material.”

1. The wagon used for membership is missing; if anyone has information regarding recovery it would be appreciated.
2. Newsletter: Nancy Jo, editor, would like to receive items to be included in newsletter on a timely basis, this month by the 25<sup>th</sup>.
3. Charities: Hospice has asked for quilts using the colors red, white and blue to give to veterans. Hannah’s Haven was also mentioned as a possible place to give quilts. At next month’s meeting we will make a decision about specific places we will donate quilts.
4. There will be a meeting of the Board at next month’s meeting: 6:00 pm.
5. Budget: committee chairs need to be prepared to give their estimated need for the coming year.
6. Show n’ Tell:
  - a. Cheri displayed a baby quilt using Winnie the Pooh fabric.
  - b. Sabrina had many “sublimation” items that she is still experimenting with. She sells her items on line.
7. Program: Nancy Jo and her granddaughter, Sarah, made a presentation of quilted clothing.

Submitted by: Ann Johnson, Secretary

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## February Events:

### February 22 – 25 Quilt Con 2024

*A Juried Modern Quilt Show*

*Raleigh Convention Center*

*500 S. Salisbury St., Raleigh, NC*

### January 27 – March 16, 20

*The Gee's Bend Experience (Free)*

*Piedmont Arts Center*

*215 Starling Ave., Martinsville, VA*

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Stephanie Trippe, our February presenter, is the first resident artist at Reconsidered Goods. She set up shop there three weekends and created clothing from items she found in the store. At the end of her residency, she gave a fashion show. The outfits are on display until February 2, when they will be for sale. Y'all come.

NEXT MEETING: MARCH 14, 2024

NEWSLETTER ARTICLES TO PRINT DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 29, 2024

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