

# Piedmont Quilters' Guild Newsletter

#### February 2022

Greensboro, NC

Next Meeting: February 10, 2022

#### Location:

Your home computer or smartphone via Zoom

#### Time: 7:00 pm

The zoom link will be sent out on the Monday prior the meeting

(February 7<sup>th</sup>)

## President's Message

I don't know about you all, but I've had about all the snow I want for the winter! I'm looking forward to our February meeting where we will work together on Zoom to create a charity quilt as a group. Be sure to read the section below about the program so that you can be prepared to participate during the meeting. Can't wait to see everyone......Gail

#### Program

We will be making "at home and together" a 121/2 inch 9 patch square or more than one which will be collected to make a charity quilt. These will be "scrappy" so check your stash and be ready to join us. There will also be time for "Sew and share". We would love to see what you have been doing since the last meeting. Nothing has to be a finished project. We look forward to seeing you on Zoom.

## REMINDER

If a guild member is ill, Covid or otherwise, send an email to guild secretary, Bea Mandell. She will mail a card from PQG to that member via home address. Thanks, and stay healthy and well!

## SHOW AND TELL

Please send pictures of your show and tell to Michelle Volkmann by the Tuesday before the zoom meeting. This is especially for large quilts, so we can see the whole quilt. Or if you've given away a quilt we'd love to see a picture of that too.

## **MEMBERSHIP**

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS: membership for 2022 is due no later than March. We want to keep you up to date...and keep getting the monthly newsletter. Our 2022 Membership applications can be download it from the website. Senior Membership is discounted to \$20. Our year starts on January 1st so all 2021 Membership renewals are requested as soon as possible. Forms can be sent to the PQG post office box.



Community Outreach has received a generous donation from Michelle Owens' company which makes mattress fabrics. There are two twin bed mattress covers. Michelle cut, serged and laundered 25 new born blankets from the cotton knit fabric made by the company. She also made a lovely quilt for donation. Patti Stiles donated nine quilts and Paula Becker added two more quilts to make our total 12 quilts. Thank you very much ladies! I'll get them posted to our face book page as soon as I can get outside to photograph them. Please remember to call me (336 706-6061) if you need any materials for donation quilts

#### RAFFLE QUILT

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# LOTS OF VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need volunteers to sell raffle tickets at these events listed below. Yes, I know it is many events in a very short time span. That is why we need everyone to check their calendars and volunteer. PLEASE!!! We are asking for you and a friend to volunteer for the whole day. It is so hard to coordinate half day volunteers for all these events. (Or you can arrange your own half-day volunteer shifts.) I would suggest there be two people working together per day...it makes it easier to put up/take down the raffle quilt and easier to take breaks to walk around for shopping, restroom breaks and lunch. Please contact Gail Lott and Michelle Owens if you would like to volunteer for any day listed below. (Right now, some of these events we do not have definite approvals yet but we wanted to let you know as early as possible. We will let you know if we will not be participating in any of these events.)

\* GATE CITY QUILT GUILD - Friday, April 1 & Saturday, April 2 -Location: Congregational United Church of Christ, 400 W. Radiance Drive, Greensboro

\* UNCLE ELI'S QUILTING PARTY - Thursday, April 7 (8:30am to 1pm) - Location: Eli Whitney Recreational Center, 4110 E. Greensboro-Chapel Hill Rd, Burlington NC (less than an hour southeast of Greensboro) Check out their Facebook page for more info!

\* HEART OF THE TRIAD QUILT GUILD Quilt Show - Friday, April 8 & Saturday, April 9 (8am to 5pm) - Location: Winston-Salem Fairgrounds, 411 27th Street NW, Winston-Salem

\* TEXTILE HERITAGE MUSEUM 140th Anniversary Celebration -Saturday, April 30 (9am to 5pm) - Location: 2406 Glencoe St, Burlington \*I've asked if we can sell small quilts and boutique items so this event may require three volunteers. \*Outdoor event but if there is rain they will move use inside one of the historic buildings.

PS - We still need a volunteer to coordinate getting our raffle quilt out into the public. The more events we participate in are for the benefit of the guild! We promote the art of quilting, sell raffle tickets and maybe get new members! Please contact Gail Lott if you are interested!

#### February Birthdays:

Jeanne Harrison 02/01

Carolyn Burgess 02/11

Carol DeSantis 02/18

Nancy Schmidt 02/27

Lillian Adcock 02/27

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Outreach and more. Photos of our raffle quilt plus information on the quilt are on the RAFFLE QUILT page. Please encourage friends to check out this page to see our beautiful raffle quilt.

**ADVERTISING** The Guild newsletter is free to our members for advertising. Others will be charged \$15 for a small ad and \$25 for a larger ad. Ads for estate sales, museum quilt shows and other quilt guilds are free. Contact Michelle Volkmann, Guild newsletter editor.

