

Piedmont Quilters' Guild Newsletter

March 2022 Greensboro, NC

Next Meeting:

March 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

(Attached to this e-mail)

President's Message

I am so hopeful that we are approaching our last Zoom meeting in March. With the numbers of Covid cases falling rapidly it seems safe to return to in-person meetings in April. New Garden Friends has not changed its policy on masking, so we need to be prepared to mask at our meetings until its leaders deem it appropriate to change their policy. It feels like we are gearing up to rebuild our membership after a two-year period of just hanging on by our fingernails.

We have all missed seeing each other in person, sharing the news of our families, mutual friends and fellow quilters. I have so missed sharing our quilted creations and being able to touch and admire those works up close. Those are the things that are so hard to do on Zoom in a way that satisfies our need for human friendship and contact. I can't wait! Let's get together one more month on Zoom and make the best of it, as we have been doing, and look forward to a better future in every way......Gail

Program

This is 4-patch time to equal 121/2 inches for our "Sew separately and together " to make a charity quilt. Make it during our zoom meeting, before or after. We will find a way to get it from you or save it for April when we meet in person. We will sew and show as we go - we want to see what each member is working on now. It does not have to be a finished product. We will be happy to see those as well. Meet us on zoom for March. See you then. Keren

SHOW AND TELL

Please send pictures of your show and tell to Michelle Volkmann by the Tuesday before the zoom meeting. She has graciously offered to share them at the meeting.

MEMBERSHIP

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS: Our 2021 Membership applications can be download it from the website. Senior Membership is discounted to \$20. Please feel free to contact Michelle Volkmann if you are unsure of your membership status.



March Birthdays

Bea Mandel 03/23 Lucille Amos 03/29

Contact Us www.piedmontquilts.org

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Community Outreach



Community Outreach donated 11 quilts and 12 baby blankets to the Justice Center. Keren Rothberg and Gail Lott recently donated 6 quilts to Afghanistan resettlement families. Thanks to all for your time and generosity.

WEBSITE Always remember you can check the website for current and archived newsletters. Newsletters are uploaded to the website (www.piedmontquilts.org) as soon as they are published. Also check out the website for up-to-date information on programs, Community 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!

RAFFLE QUILT

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR:

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.)

- * GATE CITY QUILT GUILD Quilt Show Friday, April 1 & Saturday, April 2 Location: Congregational United Church of Christ, 400 W. Radiance Drive, Greensboro *Need Friday volunteers, two people have volunteered for Saturday!
- * 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! *One volunteer, need one more please!
- * 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 *Need volunteers for both days!
- * 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. *This is a definite event! We have approval for this event! *Two volunteers, need another person if possible!

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!

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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.