



Piedmont Quilters' Guild Newsletter

April 2022

Greensboro, NC

Next Meeting:

April 14, 2022

Location:

New Garden
Friends
Meeting House
801 New Garden
Road

Time: 7:00 pm

President's Message

The Piedmont Quilters' Guild will resume in-person meetings on April 14th at 7:00 pm. We will meet at the New Garden Friends Meeting House located at 801 New Garden Road. We'll be in the Fellowship Hall with the entrance in the back of the building. There are 6 or 7 steps into that entrance, but the office entrance will also be unlocked and there are no steps there.

We will have membership forms on hand, or you can print one from our website at <http://www.piedmontquilts.com>. The dues are \$35 per year or \$20 if you are over 70 years old.

We are going to be doing some interesting things this year. We are going to be having a Sit and Sew at the Trotter Active Adult Center at 3906 Betula Street the day after our meeting each month from 12 noon to 4 pm for members of the Guild. There is a large room with tables and chairs and wall outlets all around. There will be an ironing board and iron available. You can work on your own projects, charity quilts, hand work or machine work. It's a great place to put tables together and pin baste larger quilts. There are many members who are reluctant to come out at night for various reasons. Our hope is that this will fill a need for people who want the companionship of other quilters in a daytime setting. Of course, we'd love for you to do both! The first one of these events will be April 22nd since the day after our April meeting is Good Friday and the center is closed. You can pay your dues at this first Sit and Sew also if you can't make it to the meeting.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone and having tons of great Show and Tell. See you there!



MONTH Birthdays:

Cass Matther
04/23

Michelle Volkmann
04/30

Contact Us

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Program

"Beyond the Basics with Hexies and More." Time for something new. Kits for new fun will be at the meeting. Bring your needle and thread, small scissors and we will be on our way. Old members, new members and guests, there will be enough kits for all.

Community Outreach



On March 28th, eight quilts were delivered to Freedom House. Also, thanks to Michelle Owens, 14 baby blankets and three mattress covers were donated. I'm so happy we will be meeting in person on April 14th. At the meeting I will have a few kits, batting and quilt labels for anyone who is interested in making a quilt for donation.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Please contact Michelle Owens if you can volunteer for this event. If we don't get volunteers I will need to decline our invitation to participate. Please remember, without a quilt show recently, selling raffle quilt tickets and boutique items is the way we add to our income.

* **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!

RAFFLE QUILT

I would like to thank the volunteers who sold raffle tickets at the GATE CITY QUILT QUILT Quilt Show, UNCLE ELI'S QUILTING PARTY and the HEART OF THE TRIAD QUILT GUILD Quilt Show...Ann Johnson, Jeanne Harrison, Mary Ann Rhodes, Beverly Wilcox and Michelle Owens!

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

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!

Special Notes

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.



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