



Piedmont Quilters' Guild Newsletter

September 2022

Greensboro, NC

Next Meeting:

September 8, 2022

Location:

New Garden Friends
Meeting House 801
New Garden Road

Time: 7:00 pm

President's Message

Fall is almost here! I hope everyone is planning their fall quilting projects. I am going to try hand quilting. I am not a hand quilter, but it seems like something I could do to keep from dying of boredom during my recovery from surgery. Wish me luck. I'll be thinking of all of you while I'm confined to home. Michelle Volkmann will chair the September meeting. I know she'll do a fabulous job.. Gail

Community Outreach



There was no activity with Community Outreach in August because I was not in town. I will be at the next meeting in September to receive any donation quilts.

MEMBERSHIP

Welcome our three newest members Judie, Patricia and Mary When you see them be sure to say hello and introduce yourself.

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!



Margaret Kreis
09/11

Teresa Rouzer
09/17

Betty Green
09/22

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Special Notes

Michelle Owens has two friends interested in having custom cushions made. One is for an outdoor lounge chair and one is for a wooden chair. If you or anyone you know would be interested in making these, please contact Michelle (mowens3@yahoo.com or 336-681-3295) and she will be happy to put all parties in touch. Thank you!

Come see our raffle quilt at the Village Fair at Mendenhall Homeplace! You can also do early Holiday present shopping by buying some boutique items or small quilts. The fair is 10am to 4pm on Saturday, September 17th, free admission and free parking across the street at City Lake Park. Mendenhall is located at 603 W. Main Street in Jamestown. Come enjoy music, experience living history, shop local vendors and see skilled exhibitors. We already have three volunteers for this event!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED


The Textile Heritage Museum in Glencoe is hosting a "Textiles and Tar Heels Heritage Festival" on Saturday, October 1 from 10am to 4pm. We are able to set up our raffle quilt to sell tickets. We may also be able to sell boutique items if we have another volunteer to help. Please volunteer! We need your help to sell our raffle tickets! Please contact Michelle Owens or speak to me at the next guild meeting if you would like to volunteer. Thank you!

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.

You are warmly invited to our Annual ASG meeting on Saturday, October 15, 2022, for a very special presentation! Our guest speaker will be Zuelia Ann Hurt, former designer for Simplicity Pattern Co. Inc. She will reveal what life was like working there in the 1960's-1970's during what was the peak, definitive time in the home-sewing industry. She will give a virtual tour of how sewing patterns were produced plus show fashions from her personal wardrobe of this era, discussing what apparel construction was like then compared to now.

Ann worked her way up from the Educational Department to the Design Department into her ultimate goal as a designer. She was appointed by Simplicity's President to originate and be creative designer for their design division expansion into CRAFTS and HOME DECORATING PATTERNS. Her most famous and ground-breaking pattern was for the Holly Hobby ® soft-sculptured doll, licensed to them by American Greetings™.

Virginia born, and now re-established there, Ann claims "dual citizenship" with New York City since she lived there more than half of her life. With formal training from Virginia Tech, Parsons School of Design, Fashion



Institute of Technology and Queens College, Ann is truly a shining star in the world of sewing and creativity. We are thrilled and honored to be hosting this accomplished, artistic and entertaining designer as she regales us with her stories and a fun trip down memory lane!

Please join us on October 15 at noon for a delicious luncheon and a once-in-a-lifetime creative experience. We will meet at Pine Grove United Methodist Church at 1130 Jonestown Road, Winston Salem, NC 27103. Reservations are required for this once-in a lifetime event and are due by October 1st (see attached flyer.) There will be door prizes, free giveaways, and more fun things - bring your 60's/70's show & tell! Hope to see you there for this fun 70's bash!

Warm regards,

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