

Grainlines

Western North Carolina Quilters Guild



Judy Simmons

March 18 and 19, 2010

7 p.m. Meeting Program and 9 a.m. Workshop

Judy Simmons holds a degree in Home Economics. She has always loved sewing and enjoys designing "one-of-a-kind" pieces. Her techniques include fabric marbling, dying and painting, stenciling, discharging, silk painting as well as machine embellishment techniques.

Her quilts and wearables have been exhibited nationally and internationally and have won many awards on the national level. Judy is a seven-time designer for the Fairfield Fashion Show. Her quilt "Nosegay" is part of the permanent collection of the Museum of American Quilters. Judy has been published in many books, magazines and calendars. She is also the author of several articles as well as two books: Machine Needlelace and Other Embellishment Techniques and Creative Marbling on Fabric. Judy has also appeared on the HGTV series "Simply Quilts."

Judy enjoys teaching and lecturing throughout the United States and Canada.

On Thursday, March 18, at our 7 p.m. meeting, Judy will present her lecture "A Creative Journey." She will teach the workshop on Friday, March 19, entitled "Luscious Landscapes."

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

to make banners for the DO TELL storytelling festival which will take place on July 10th.

The festival is sponsored by the 4H, Hendersonville Arts Council and Downtown Hendersonville Merchants. The design is up to you; the only requirement is that "DO TELL" must appear on the banner.

Please call or e-mail either Carol Hanniffy [channiffy@yahoo.com] or Ann Klimstra 674-0686 for further information if you can help.

Thanks.

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2010 Leadership

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Workshop Registration

Workshop Registration is not complete until fees are received. The Supply List will be provided after registration. Please make checks payable to: **WNCQG Workshops**

Your Name: _____

Your Phone: _____

Your Address: _____

E-Mail: _____

Total Amount Enclosed with Check No. _____

Name of Workshop: _____

Teacher Name: _____

Date of Workshop: _____

Give this form to or mail to:

Kitty Etterman

100 Kindy Forest Drive

Hendersonville, NC 28739

Early 2010 Workshops

All 2010 workshops are 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Etowah United Methodist Church, Brickyard Road, Etowah. All workshop fees are \$35 and do not include lunch.

Call Kitty Etterman at 890-2985 (cetterma@bellsouth.net) or Mary Anne Patrie at 698-6395 (patries1@bellsouth.net) for more information. If you cancel your registration for a workshop by phone to one of the Program Chairs at least 14 days before the workshop is held, your registration fee will be refunded; otherwise, you forfeit the workshop fee.

March 19, 2010: Judy Simmons—"Luscious Landscapes"

May 21, 2010: Linda M. Poole—"Tulip Time"

2010 Calendar of Events*

*There are many sources for the information printed below but may not have the latest correct information. Please confirm all information before you plan a trip to any event listed below.

Feb. 25-28 - Hampton, VA: "Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival XXI," Hampton Roads Convention Ctr., <http://quiltfest.com>

March 19-20 - Greenville, NC: "A String of Pearls, Quilts Old & New Through 30 Years," Greenville Quilters Guild, First Christian Church, 2810 E. 14th St. Contact: kinsadnlee@yahoo.com or Sandi (252)758-6151.

April 16-17 - Clemmons, NC: "Piecing Generations Together," Forsyth Piecers and Quilters Guild, New Hope Presbyterian Church, 2570 Harper Rd.

April 30 to May 1 - Hampton, GA: "Down South Quilt Show," Busy Needle Quilt Guild of Henry County, 4361 Jonesboro Rd, Hampton, GA 30228, near Atlanta, GA

May 14-16, 2010 - Greensboro, NC: "First Quilt Show", Gate City Quilt Guild, St. Frances Episcopal Church, 3506 Lawndale Dr.

June 3-6, 2010 - Charlotte, NC: "North Carolina Quilt Symposium." Information at: www.ncqsi.org. To receive a printed registration packet, send your mailing address and a \$4 check made payable to "CQG Symposium 2010" to: NCQS 2010, PO Box 7045, Charlotte, NC 28241-7045.

WNCQG FINANCIAL REPORTS

Operating Account

Beginning Balance January 1, 2010 \$6,274.46

Income

Membership	537.50
Library fines, sales	30.00
Interest	0.25
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	+ 567.75

Expenses

Grainlines	51.56
Yearbook	460.61
Boys & Girls Club	7.47
Raffle Quilt	17.16
Post Office Box	60.00
Office supplies	37.79
Area Allotments	800.00
Rent (3 months)	510.00
Membership	21.12
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	-1965.71

Ending Balance January 31, 2010 \$4,876.50

CDs \$13,796.31

Program Account

Beginning Balance January 1, 2010 \$5,940.80

Income

Workshops +595.00

Expenses

None

Ending Balance January 31, 2010 \$6,535.80

CDs \$39,749.32

WNCQG 2010 CHALLENGE

YUM! It's All About Food

It's time to finish your challenge quilt for our **March 20th** show at the Blue Ridge Mall. Remember that your quilt may be any shape but must have a perimeter of 96" or more. It must use at least half of the fat quarter of our red challenge fabric and have food as a theme.

Finished quilts must be turned in on or before **March 13th**. You may give them to Barbara or Ellen, or take them to Material Things Quilt Shoppe, (be sure to let Barbara or Ellen know if you do that). Include with your quilt a short write-up with the title and size of your quilt, your name and any information of interest to the viewing public, (inspiration, technique, etc.). Be brief, please. On the back of your quilt please attach a label with your name and address and the name of the quilt.

Please consider helping at our show.

We need hostesses

and people to "Sit and Sew."

Please contact Ellen or Barbara if you are available to help.

Questions? Contact:

Ellen Anderson

ellena130@gmail.com

or 692-2078

OR

Barbara Ruff ruffb2@bellsouth.net

or 693-8668

Block Challenge

Starting at our February meeting, the guild will begin a new activity - BLOCK CHALLENGE

Each month a packet will be "for sale" for participants to make a block using a background and a focus. The charge will be \$2 to cover the cost of the fabric.

The challenge is to use as much of the focus fabric as possible. Emphasize the background fabric so it is the prominent color of the block.

The February block is to be 12 ½" square, (12" finished). Each participant will enter her name in the hat for a chance to win 20 blocks of the same size. There will ONLY be 20 packets available to begin.

COME EARLY AND PARTICIPATE!!!!!!!



Raffle Quilt from Cindy Blackberg's Pattern, **Mountain Blossoms**

\$5.00 raffle tickets will be available again beginning March 19 for the quilt Pat Childress showed at the February Guild meeting. You may purchase one by visiting the Transylvania Heritage Museum at 189 West Main Street, Brevard. The location is in a historic house behind Carolina Financial Services, across from Hob Nob Restaurant, or Pat will have the tickets at the March guild meeting.

WNC Quilter's Guild Board Meeting Minutes - February 11, 2010

A virtual Board Meeting was held in February to discuss the following: 1. Should the Guild have refreshments at its monthly meetings? 2. Should the Guild help with the cost of fabric for the block of the month? 3. Should the Guild have an activity every month?

The following was decided regarding the above: 1. Refreshments will be provided at Guild meetings. For the February meeting, board members will bring refreshments. 2. Everyone seemed to be in favor of the Guild paying for some of the cost of fabric for the block of the month. 3. The February Guild meeting will not have an activity.

Respectfully submitted by Linda Ebert, Recording Secretary

2010 Yearbook Corrections

Officers, Add'l. Board Members & Chairs:

Second V P - Kay Francis 891-6340,
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Area Representatives:

Area 1: replace Diane Paddock with
Nancy Rogers 891-5292
Area 3: replace Sue Bendel with
Pat Yurick 693-5080
Area 5: replace Peggy McCaffrey with
Carol Preston 262-498-6060,
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2010 Meeting Schedule

February 18th - day meeting
May 20th - **Linda M. Poole** on "A Quilted Journey Around the World-Part 2"
September 16th - **Pepper Cory** on "Finding Your Personal Color Palette"
October 21st - TBA
November 18th - **Ann Holmes** on "French Fuse Appliqué"
December 10th - Holiday Luncheon hosted by Area 5 at the **Connestee Falls Country Club**

Quilt Shops and Services in Our Area*

A Stitch In Time

32 Macon Center Dr. (new!)
Franklin, NC 28734
828-524-3330
<http://www.astitchintimenc.com>

Asheville Cotton Co.

1378 Hendersonville Rd. Suite B
Harris Teeter Shopping Ctr.
Asheville, NC 28803
828-277-4100

Country Peddler Quilt Shop

3 Town Square
Burnsville, NC 28714
828-682-7810

Deb's Cats 'N' Quilts

106 W. Palmer St.
Franklin, NC
828-349-8912

Hummingbird Longarm

Quilting Service-Peggy McCaffrey
and Patty Leitch
1072 Kentwood Lane
Pisgah Forest, NC 28768
828-884-5013
www.hblongarmquilting.com

Inman Quilt Cottage

25 S. Main St.
Inman, SC
864-472-0888

Marti's Patchwork Cottage

206 Sutton
Black Mountain, NC
828-669-9005

Material Things Quilt Shop

2021 Asheville Hwy.
Hendersonville, NC
828-698-5556
www.materialthingsquiltshop.com

My Quilt Shoppe

1032-C Greenville Hwy
Hendersonville, NC 28792
828-692-8870 www.MyQuiltShoppe.com

Norenequilts Longarm Quilting

Norene Goard
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(828) 891-5920
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Waechter's Fine Fabrics - new locale

9-D Reed Street
Asheville, NC
274-3146
www.waechters.com



*E-mail editor with shops we should list.

WNC QUILTERS GUILD MEETING MINUTES - February 18, 2010

The meeting was called to order by President Cathy Choisser at 9:40 a.m. Guests were welcomed.

Bonnie Cunningham made a motion to approve the Jan. minutes as printed in the "Grainlines.". It was seconded and approved.

Announcements:

The Transylvania Arts Council is showing quilts. The Open House is March 19 from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.

If anyone wants to sell a used Bernina or Babylock sewing machine for about \$500, see Cathy for the name of the person who is interested in buying.

Pat Leitch reported that she is organizing a bus trip to the Knoxville Show, held July 14 -17. It will cost \$20 each if 30 people sign up. The trip will be either Thurs. or Fri. If Interstate 40 is still closed, the trip will take an additional hour travel time each way.

Carol Hanniffy asked for volunteers to make banners for the July Story Telling Festival in Hendersonville. Banners need to be completed by May or June.

If anyone has fabric scraps, Marian Gowan will take them to be recycled.

Reports:

First Vice President: Kitty Etterman reminded members of the upcoming workshops:

Feb. 19	Cindy Blackberg	Perfect Hand Piecing
March 19	Judy Simmons	Luscious Landscapes
May 20	Linda M. Pool	Tulip Time

A home for Judy Simmons to spend the night is still needed.

Quilt Challenge: Ellen Anderson announced there is a sign-up sheet for volunteers to sit and sew and to be hostesses for the Quilt Challenge. March 13 is the deadline to turn in your entry.

Block Challenge: Joanne Shafer reported that kits for \$2.00 are available with a background and a focus fabric to make a 12 ½" block. Blocks are due at the March Guild Meeting.

Raffle Quilt: Joanne displayed the 2010 Raffle Quilt. Six thousand raffle tickets will be printed. Six tickets for \$5.00 will be available this year. Cathy reminded members that everyone is responsible for either selling or buying at least 10 tickets themselves .

Area Reports:

Area 1: Marian Gowan said Jay Barr will present an Easter project.

Area 3: Pat Yurick reported that Area 3 will be making place mats for Pine Park.

Area 5: Francia Tartar said Claire Rouse will demonstrate folded flowers.

Area 8: Sarah Bookspan reported that Area 8 will sit and sew quilts for charity.

Area 9: Ann Klimstra announced that Area 9 will visit Mary Jo's on Sat. and will make bed-size quilts at the March meeting.

The meeting ended with Show and Tell. Cindy Blackberg presented a lecture, "Sneaky Tips and Tricks of the Pros."

Respectfully submitted by Linda Ebert, Recording Secretary

Corrections, New and Renewal Members

not published in the 2010 Yearbook

Please send all changes and corrections to the membership chairs.

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Area News

Area 1

Area Rep: Marian Gowan 891-7180
Nancy Rogers 891-5292
When: 1st Thursday: March 4th
Where: Trinity Presbyterian Church on Blythe Rd.
Time: 10 AM
Agenda: Jay Barr will demonstrate making a pieced Easter egg baby toy. In February we donated 3 baby quilts and 1 crocheted blanket to Open Arm Crisis Pregnancy Center. Remember to bring those scraps. We took 4 large bags of scraps for recycle in February.

Area 3

Area Rep: Pat Yurick 693-5080
When: 3rd Wednesday: March 17th
Where: Pine Park Retirement Center
Time: 10 AM
Agenda: Members should bring fabric, and pattern to make centerpieces for dining room. Steam a seam will be provided. Bring irons and boards to finish project. Contact Pat Yurick@pnyqs@bellsouth.net or 693-5080

Area 4

Area Rep: Marti Cummins 669-9005
When: Every Friday
Where: Marti's Patchwork Cottage
Time: 7 PM 'til...

Area 5

Area Reps: Francia Tartar 891-8189
Carol Preston 262-498-6060
When: 3rd Tuesday: March 16th
Where: Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd
Time: 9:30 AM
Agenda: Claire Rouse will teach us how to make 3-D Flowers that we can use on our clothing, quilts, etc.

Area 8

Reps: Sarah Bookspan 693-8085
Elizabeth Cunningham 891-3562
When: 4th Thursday: March 25th
Time: 9:30 AM
Agenda: No information received in time to publish.

Area 9

Area Rep: Ann Klimstra 693-6764
When: 1st Wednesday evening: March 3rd
Where: Henderson Co. Ext. Office in Jackson Park.
Time: 6 - 9 PM
Agenda: Area 9 will meet March 6, 2010 Henderson Co. Ext. Office in Jackson Park. Time: 6-9pm. We'll begin our service project for Elizabeth House. Please bring 5 1/2" squares for the project. Feel free to bring your "dinner."
For more information call Ann Klimstra at 674-0686.

Coming Attractions

Coming in April! Karen Grof of Happy Apple Quilts will present a lecture entitled "What Does A Designer Do" during which she will tell how she began her business, how patterns get from her head to you and some things she learned along the way. She will also offer technique tips as she describes her designs and kits. She will have patterns, fabrics, kits, etc., for sale. You can read more about her and her sister Sharen in the article "Sewing Double" in the January 2010 issue of Quilter's Home.

Coming in May! Linda M. Poole is an enthusiastic appliqué artist who has taught internationally and in the USA. She will tell us about "A Quilted Journey Around the World, Part 2." She will teach her workshop "Tulip Time." Her website is lindampoole.com. She has written the following books: Turkish Delights to Appliqué, Bended Bias Appliqué, and Quilted Fairie Tales. The registration form for her May 21 workshop is printed in Grainlines. The fee for all workshops is \$35.



Sunshine Report

Please help me stay in touch with our members who may need cards: Barbara Kinsey 681-5177 or andekin@att.net.

In the event of bad weather, all meetings for WNCQG will be cancelled if the Henderson County Public School System dismisses early, delays opening or cancels classes for that same day.



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March 2010



Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 Area 9	4 Area 1	5 Area 4 (Every Fri.)	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 Board Mtg. 10 am Etowah U. M. Church	13
14 Daylight Savings Time begins	15	16 Area 5	17 <i>St. Pat's Day</i> Area 3	18 7 P.M. Guild Mtg.	19 9 A.M Workshop	20 National Quilt Day Challenge at Blue Ridge Mall
21	22 <i>As Young As You Feel Day</i>	23	24	25 Area 8	26	27
28	29	30	31			