

Grainlines

Western North Carolina Quilters Guild

November & December meetings Cancelled!

Dear friends, I send you loving greetings from my house to your house. I really miss seeing you, sharing our love for quilting, marveling at your amazing work, and getting inspiration from your enthusiasm. But, I'm sure we all agree, that this time has been a great opportunity for getting lots of projects done and our sewing areas reorganized. It has also been a time to decide what's really important to us, and to set priorities in our lives. We are creative and resourceful. And we are resilient. We will be back together with renewed energy and vitality. I am eager to see you and learn how you've spent these last few months. We will probably need several hours set aside for show and tell!

There will be no Christmas luncheon this year because of the pandemic restrictions. However, we would like to make the December Grainlines a Christmas edition. We ask anyone who has Christmas gifts and projects to share to send the pictures to Kathy Ambrose at kambrose@protonmail.com by November 23, labeled: For the Grainlines.

Be safe, be happy, be optimistic, and hug whomever you can!

Linda Gillette, President

LIBRARY NEWS

There are hundreds of quilting books in our library that will appeal to traditional and art quilters alike. Unfortunately, we cannot access the books at this time as the church is closed. We invite you to suggest books for possible purchase.

Come check us out at our next meeting!

WNC Quilt Guild Board Meeting

October 8, 2020

Due to the restrictions of Covid-19 this was a zoom meeting. Linda Gillette brought the Board meeting to order with the following members present: Lynne Cigal, Bonnie Cunningham, Barbara Dexter-Smith, Linda Gillette, Judy Grobe, Bonnie Hartel, Laura Jones, Bridget O'Malley, Mary Ellen Pacocha and Joanne Shafer. Linda stated that due to restrictions on gatherings the Christmas party is canceled for 2020 and Area 8 will host the event in 2021. Officers for 2021 have agreed to continue in their positions with the following changes: Bridgette O'Malley will co-chair programs for 2021 replacing Diane Bornia. Program chairs for 2022 are pending. The Treasurer for 2021 will be Susan Jahnke with Sheryl Jamerson supporting. It was decided that dues for 2021 will be waived for those paid in 2020. Linda thanked the Scholarship Committee for awarding two scholarships under these strained circumstances. Barbara Dexter-Smith said she will continue in the position (on

the Scholarship Committee) and hopes to award scholarships in 2021. The plan is to have 2 raffle quilts in 2021; one for scholarship and one for the guild with tickets being sold at the Mountain State Fair. The Guild Quilt is for the 2022 Quilt Show. The Board reviewed and accepted the Treasurer's statement. Linda asked for creative ideas for the Grainlines. It was suggested that Show 'n Tell be sent to Kathy Ambrose. Laura Jones suggested utilization of FaceBook for Show 'n Tell and agreed to set it up and be the gatekeeper. Area 5 uses zoom for their monthly program meetings. It was suggested that Holiday Show 'n Tell be sent to Kathy Ambrose by November 22 so it can be in the December Grainlines. The e-mail sent to membership about meetings/workshops showed that those that responded are not ready to meet publicly at this time. No other issues were brought up. The meeting adjourned about 10:45am. Secretary, Bonnie Hartel

Area 5 News

Our November 17th meeting will again be on zoom. We will have our usual 'show and tell' and then talk about plans for Area 5 next year.

Area 5 members will be making quilts for the "Heart of a Hero" project. The small quilts (16 inches square), featuring hearts will be donated to the workers at Transylvania Regional Hospital. See the picture of some sample quilts made by Helen Owen.

Area 5 are having a fabric clearance sale. As we cannot have our sales table at monthly meetings, we set up the sale at the fabric storage area at Jean Jones' house. Thank you to Jean, Helen Owen and Ruth Christos for set up and all the Area 5 members who came to shop and add to their stash! Last year using proceeds from the Area 5 sales table we made donations to Safe, Sharing House and The Haven in Transylvania County.

Area 5 member's work

Pat Clow made a fun, meaningful quilt in honor of October Breast Cancer Awareness.

Carol Daniels has been working on small pillow hugs to give to people.

She has embellished them with perle cotton stitching.

Jean Jones has been busy making quilt tops using her extensive stash.

Other Area 5 members have been making masks, community quilts and Linus quilts.

Barbara Dexter-Smith, Area 5 Rep





Area News

Area 1

Rep: Linda Lou Harris 330-224-7190, lindalouspas@gmail.com

When: 1st Thursday, CANCELLED for Nov.

Where: Trinity Presbyterian at Blythe

Time: 10 am

Agenda:

Area 2/3

Rep: Joanne Shafer - 698-2927

email: joannshafer@live.com

Where: Beginnings

When: the 4th Wednesday, CANCELLED for Nov.

Time: 2 - 4 pm

Agenda: .

Area 5

Rep: Barbara Dexter-Smith 828-884-4184

email: barbaradextersmith@gmail.com

Where: Lutheran Church of the Good Shepard, Brevard,
across from Ingles

When: 3rd Tuesday, November 17, Zoom

Time: 10am

Agenda: Zoom mtg,

Area 8

Rep: Laura Jones 828-242-2298, lrcaprice@yahoo.com

and Nelia Masiques 269-330-1234

Where: Grace Lutheran Church, Hendersonville

When: 4th Thursday, CANCELLED for Nov.

Time: 10 am to 12 noon

Agenda:

Sunshine

Please notify Ruth Eaton of any member or immediate family of a member who needs a card from the guild for illness or bereavement. Her email is rutheaton@morrisbb.net or call 692-5617. No cards were sent in October. Stay healthy and well.



WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA QUILTERS GUILD
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please print clearly

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Home phone _____ Cell Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Birthday _____ Spouse _____

_____ Area number (Select 0 – 1 - 2 - 3 – 5 or 8)

The Guild's newsletter, *Grainlines*, is available on the Guild website. The web address is www.WesternNCQuilters.org. You will be notified by e-mail when each new issue is available. If you don't have Internet access, please contact the membership co-chair, Elizabeth Leff, 201/826-5416, to request that a hard copy be mailed to you.

Annual dues are \$30.00; July 1 and after, dues are \$15.00. Make check payable to WNCQG.

Payment by: Cash _____ or Check # _____

Renewal

New Member

Renewals are due by the December guild luncheon for inclusion in the 2021 Membership Directory.

Check here to opt-out of publication in the Membership Directory.

Return completed application and payment to:

**Elizabeth Leff
591 Kelly Lane
Pisgah Forest, NC 28768**

WNCQG OPERATING ACCOUNT			
Year To Date 10/07/20			
Balance December 31, 2019**			26,038.68
Income			
	Membership Income	1,505.00	
	Program Income	3,175.00	
	Scholarship Income	75.00	
	Interest Income	1.48	
Total Income			4,756.48
Expenses			
	Administration	181.96	
	Area Allotments	200.00	
	Grainlines	37.24	
	Misc.	75.00	
	Insurance	525.00	
	National Quilt Dy Expense	75.00	
	Program Expense	2,085.50	
	Quilt Show Expense	230.41	
	Rent	700.00	
	Scholarship Expense	2,500.00	
	Sunshine	19.55	
	Website - Domain Name	612.50	
	Yearbook	184.49	
Total Expenses			7,426.65
Net Loss		(2,670.17)	
Balance October 7, 2020			23,368.51
Scholarship Fund			
	Beginning Balance	6,019.95	
	Scholarship Income	75.00	
	Scholarship Expenses	2,500.00	
Balance 10-07-20			3,594.95
**	This report is calculated on an accrual basis.		
	It recognizes income and expense when earned or expensed		
	whether or not cleared at the bank.		

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