

# Tarheel Quilters Guild

Promoting and Perpetuating the Art of Quilting since 1981

## September 2023

#### MEETING REMINDERS TQG Board Meeting Monday, September 11 at 6PM Barbara Munoz's House 2321 Colgate Dr, Fayetteville TQG General Meeting Sunday, September 17th at 2PM Social Gathering begins at 1:30 Westminster Presbyterian Church 2505 Village Drive, Fayetteville

# Happy Birthday

# Happy Birthday to our members who were born in September:

Anita Locklear - Sept 3rd Rhonda Gooding - Sept 7th Dina Peterson - Sept 10th Louise Cox - Sept 11th Cindy Reckler - Sept 14th Lynn Cline - Sept 15th Luann Myers - Sept 15th Debbie Huss - Sept 30th

> Mark Your Calendars! 2023 Meeting Dates

BOARD MEETINGS September 11, 2023 October 9, 2023 November 13, 2023 December 11, 2023

GUILD MEETINGS September 17, 2023 October 15, 2023 November 19, 2023 December 17, 2023

# September Program

The program for September will be given by Annette Ornelas from Southwind Designs. Please join us!

#### Last Call for Our September 16th Workshop!

National teacher Annette Ornelas will teach a workshop on September 16 at Westminster Presbyterian (where Guild meets.) The cost for this workshop is \$40 for members, \$50 for non-members.

See Naomi Bonilla to reserve your spot and pay (workshops are cash/check only at this time). The pattern will be Pumpkin Stack (pattern cost is approximately \$9). Annette's pattern company is <u>Southwind Designs</u>.

## **Fat Quarter**

The fat quarter of the month for September:

## FALL

When you bring your fat quarter, sign in sheet and drop it in the bag.

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### **Baby Quilts**

In August we delivered 11 boys, 9 girls and 2 sets of twin boys. We are currently in need of BOY quilts! If you are in need of batting or labels, please contact Pam or Donna (or see them at the next meeting!) Pam Gahan <u>xstitcher1@spectrum.net</u> & Donna Lazar <u>donnalazar4@gmail.com</u>

## **Treasurer's Report**

Checking balance \$2,938.04 CD total \$18,164.09 Total balance \$21,102.13 Reimbursement forms are available at Guild meetings or by clicking <u>here</u>. For questions, please see Rhonda Gooding rhondagooding415@yahoo.com

## Membership

There were 41 people at our August 20th meeting. We currently have 88 members on our 2023 roster.

Please remember to wear your nametags! Questions? Cindy Clifton cclif610@gmail.com

## **VA Quilts**

We currently have 91 quilts on hand for the year. Please remember, VA quilts do not have to all be red, white and blue. For questions, please see

Judy Connor julcon47@gmail.com

### Upcoming FQs

To aid in shopping or stash hunting, here are the upcoming fat quarters of the month for the remainder of the year: October: orange November: Christmas / holiday December: any color

# **2nd VP Report**

Continue to work on your UFOs! Only 4 more months until our drawing! Debby Grice totolyozd@aol.com

# **Challenge Update**

The next challenge, Stars and/or Stripes, is the VA quilt challenge. Entries are due at our November meeting.

Rules are as follows: Make a VA quilt – it must feature either stars or stripes or stars and stripes. It cannot resemble a flag and must meet standard requirements for a VA quilt (VA quilts should be forty-five (45) inches in each direction. The VA lap quilts need to be long enough to cover the patient's legs in a wheelchair but not so long as to interfere with moving in the wheelchair. They must be hand or machine quilted (not tied) at intervals of no greater than 4".) The quilter's name on label should be covered with painter's tape or filled in after the challenge prizes are awarded. Questions? See Pat Poulson

## **Seeking New Board**

It's time to start considering new board members for the 2024 year. Many of the current board members have served two years and will be cycling off. If you have an interest in a board position, please see Baraba Munoz for additional information or ask any current board member.

Voting will take place at our November meeting with installation occurring at our December meeting.

Please help our Guild continue to thrive!

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#### For Sale By Quilter

Member Ann Jackson has a NEW AccuCutter 10" Crazy Quilt Block Die for sale.

It includes 10 shapes and can cut 6 layers of fabric on the Go Big cutter with dog-eared corners.

Retails for \$100 - asking \$50.

Please contact Ann for details.

ajackson155@nc.rr.com

Member Pam Gahan has a Sew-Exit machine table for sale. It's 20" x 40" and stands 29" tall.

There is a 18" x 8" cut out for your sewing machine.

She is asking \$50.

Please call or email for details.

434-242-3623 or xstitcher1@spectrum.net





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#### Check out the new Fall Classes

Machine Applique Workshop - Sept 30 Edge-to-Edge Quilting on the Luminaire XP3 Oct 6

#### ScanNCut Classes – Sept 15 & Oct 20

In the Hoop Whimsical Advent Calendar 3 sessions Oct 13, Oct 27 and Nov 10 Free Standing Lace Classes Nov 3, Nov 17 Embroidery Cards - Nov 24 Christmas Stockings – Dec 1

Sign up at www.randyssewingcenter.com

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#### General Meeting Minutes (August 20, 2023)

- The meeting was brought to order at 2 pm by Guild President Barbara Munoz.
- Treasurer Rhonda reported that the guild has \$3,203.50 + \$18,163.03 = \$21,366.53
- 1VP Naomi shared upcoming workshop with Annette Ornelas on September 16, 2023. Cost is \$40 for members, \$50 for non-members, plus \$9 for the pumpkin pattern. It's not too late to sign up!
- We had a great free workshop on July 29 @ Spring Lake library. There were 13 sewers that made a 6 fat quarter bag with 2 teachers – Nancy and Marguerite. Participants showed their finished bags.
- 2VP Debby was unable to have the workshop on August 19 it will be rescheduled.
- UFOs Karen T had one UFO ticket today.
- Secretary Amy had no correspondence from the post office box.
- Baby Quilts Pam reported giving 20 quilts to the NICU in July; there were 8 girls and 11 boys! We need some more boy quilts please.
- VA quilts Judy reported that she had 73 quilts + 18 quilts turned in today makes 91 quilts!
- Membership had 41 in attendance today.
- Sunshine Charlotte gave out birthday cards.
- BOM There were 7 blocks Pam G won!
- Fat Quarters 15 fat quarters went to Pam G! She was very lucky today!
- Door Prizes Debra gave out 8 bags.
- President Barbara reminded guild members that Sabrina T is still taking donations for the migrant worker's group in Dunn. They need fabric, notions, thread, etc. Barbara also stated that the guild gets a nominating committee together in Sept/Oct as we vote for new board members in Nov. The new guild year starts in Dec with the installation of the board. One can serve on a board office for two consecutive years. If you are interested, please contact the board members.
- Rhonda talked about the guild being in the October CityView magazine as they feature Arts Council member groups. We are invited to have a booth at the Food, Wine, and Art event on Thursday, October 12 at the Botanical Gardens from 6-9 pm. There is an entry fee of \$35/\$45 to attend.
- The guild had items donated and winners were selected randomly through a number generator. Carmen C won the Go Baby!, Jane D won the serger, and Ann J won the steamer.
- Program Amy Allison talked about what it takes to host a Quilt Show. There was a handout with information to take home. Besides talking about committees, guild members Irene G, Sana M, and Pat P participated in answering questions and letting guild members know about their experiences with hosting a quilt show. Hosting a show is a lot of work, and it can be a lot of fun! Pat spoke about inspiring others as the main reason for having a show. At least 75% of the members present showed interest and volunteered for some committees! Stay tuned as we get a venue and date set. Thank you to all who asked questions and to those who had the answers! Thank you to Nancy and Ann F for sharing their lovely ribbons as examples for making ribbons.
- Show and Tell lovely quilts that could be entered in the Hearts and Hands show in October!
- Meeting was adjourned at 3:40 pm.

Minutes submitted by Amy Allison

# August Show N Tell & Finished UFOs



**Donations Needed:** Sabrina Thompson is still taking donations for the migrant worker's sewing group in Dunn. They need fabric, notions, thread, etc, as well as any machines in working order. Contact Sabrina at 910-422-9962 to arrange pickup. Thanks!

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#### **Tarheel Quilters Guild - Block of the Month September 2023**



This makes a 12" block, and is Easy Easy Easy! You could do it smaller or larger with ease also!

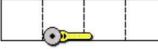
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You might want to check the <u>Marcus Bros site</u>, for plaids similar to these that they have recently released! (Theirs have sparkles...awesome!)

#### \*\* Preparing the Pieces and Sewing the Block \*\*

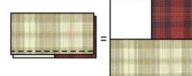
Mark and cut each of the "ribbon" colored strips into one 3-1/2" square, and one 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" rectangle of each...



Mark and cut the background colored strip into four 3- 1/2" squares...



Sew each of the back ground colored squares right sides together to a ribbon colored square, using a SCANT 1/4" seam. Press seam allowances towards the darker fabrics. You will have four of these units...



Now sew a ribbon rectangle to the appropriate 2-square unit, again right sides together and using a SCANT 1/4" seam. Press seam allowances towards the rectangles...



Then sew the four quadrants together as shown at left! Alternate pressing directions with each addition to keep your seams nice and flat! See? Wasn't that an easy one??!!

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**Traditional Block** 

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#### This month's colorway is quilter's choice - have fun!