

Ashe County Piecemaker's

QUILT GUILD MEETING

JULY 13, 2023

Meeting called to order 1:00

Sew and Tell

Participants were Claudette Jacobs, Sarah Ruth Phipps, Janet Ward and Lynne Hayes.

Great Job!

June and July Birthdays

Joy Campbell, Mary Knapp, Wilma McClure, Cheryl Peterman, Alice Potter, Mary Rogers, Janet Trembly, Diane Upson, Jean Evans, Michele Hayes, Jean Hall Williamson and Betsy Zirolì

Review of activities by VP Mickey McComb

August BOM will be Fall colors with at least one fabric being a leaf print. An example of the block was presented by Sarah Ruth.

August meeting will be the yard sale. You can sign up for a table with Sarah Ruth or Susan Miller upon her return from holiday.

Scissor sharpening will also be available by Lamar South for approximately \$12.

A suggestion box is forthcoming for programs you might be interested in or have a desire to learn something new or refresh something you've done before. If you would like to teach a class, please let Mickey know!

Vicki Duckworth has kits available for the 2024 fundraiser "My North Carolina" quilt.

Please take one and if you applique, your help is needed!

There will be a meeting July 26 at 9:00 held at Generations to put together a committee to help the quilt mother/Queen. Volunteers are needed and encouraged. This is a huge fundraiser for the guild! Please try to stay involved.

President's announcements:

If you need a label for a charity quilt, they are available from Dianne Dallas.

Janet Ward will be presenting a High School level summer camp program at Generations on July 19th and 20th.

Janet will also be looking for volunteers for Frontier Days in September. This is through the historical society for all 4th graders to see and learn about the history of quilting.

The nutritionist at Generations has requested a wall hanging for their dining room, if you would like to participate, a meeting will be held for a committee at Generations on July 26.

Susan Miller has confirmation on a small quilt showing at the Arts Council next September - 2024. Updates as we learn more about this.

Donation baby quilts for Ashe Pregnancy center should be turned in by November to Michele Hayes to be presented at the December meeting.

Mary Rodgers

Addressed the February 2024 National Quilt Show in Raleigh. There will be a meeting to discuss class diversity at Bohemia at 11:00 on July 19. Hopefully valuable information can be learned and shared with other guild members upon the return of those going. Information can be found at Themodernquiltguild.com if you are interested in attending. Rooms are going fast, and the classes will fill quickly as well.

We finished the meeting by learning (I use that loosely) how to make a no sew Scandinavian Star Ornament which will be our decorations on the guild Christmas tree at the Arts Council this year.

A little frustrating, laughs and giggles but fun! It's all about learning new things and techniques with new and old friends. Thank you, Jean, for your patience and efforts!

July 2023 Guild minutes submitted by

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