

Piecemakers Quilt Guild



MEETING INFORMATION - REMEMBER YOUR NAMETAGS!!!

Next Meeting:

April 4, 2018 - Lincoln County Senior Center - Room 319
- Social Time - 9:30am - Meeting - 10am

March 2018
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Please no perfumed products!!

Minutes for March 7, 2018

Leader Sandy Bruce opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. Karen Keys led members in a prayer. Jean Miller made a motion to accept minutes of previous meeting; seconded by Karen Keys; all approved.

Membership: Paula reported 13 members present. Linda Kiley and Betty Fulford returned and renewed their memberships.

Treasurer: Chris Carlin reported a beginning balance, deposits, checks written, and an ending balance.

Sunshine: Jean Miller reported she sent get well cards to Linda Yaggie and Margaret Hamilton's husband. Birthday cards haven't been sent yet for March, but we wished Mike Futrell a "happy birthday" for his March 9th birthday. Sandy asked for a volunteer to take over Sunshine since Jean is only temporary. Please let Sandy or Jean of any suggestions on get well, thinking of you, miss you, etc. cards to be sent

Quilts on Wheel: Fran Love volunteered to be chairman of QOW. Fran displayed many quilts for Show & Tell that she made from her home stash. She is excited about the beauty of colors which she hopes to bring to QOW.

201 Guild Officers

Co-Leader	Sandy Bruce	704-658-8582
Co-Leader	Linda Darr	704-992-2871
Secretary:	Paula Spann	704-735-3486
Treasurer	Chris Carlin	704-732-8766
Newsletter:	Sandy Bruce	704-799-2005

NEW BUSINESS

Sandy thanked Shari Richards for her extraordinary "Spring" punch and buffet of treats.

Sandy read the thank you from the Humane Society of York County, S.C. for the donation made in memory of Dorothy Nathansohn.

If anyone would like to volunteer to make coffee for the meetings, please let Sandy know.

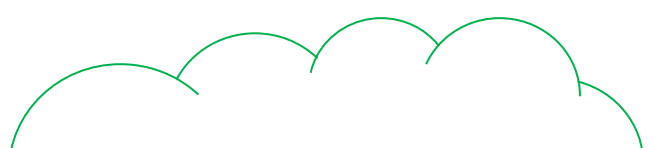
A great recipe for a spray starch: 1-1/4 cup cheap vodka, 1-1/4 cup liquid starch, and 64 oz. distilled water. Margaret shared that fabric then irons very easily, but is not stiff. More starch can be added. Wait a bit after spraying before ironing.

Karen Keys will be April's greeter and bring refreshments.

Sandy gave a very informative program on the Pineapple Ruler by Creative Grid and offered to do a half-day workshop if there is an interest

Respectfully submitted

Paula Spann,
Secretary





Quilts on Wheels

Fran has volunteered to head up Quilts on Wheels for 2018. Please help her by coming to QOW and working on our charity quilts – lots of different types of jobs even if you don't want to bring your sewing machine. The two short cabinets and the taller cabinet have been arranged very well and hopefully they will remain that way – so be helpful to Fran and help to keep them organized so everyone can locate and return any items. Sure makes life easier when you know exactly which cabinet to go to for hat you want. Any quilts in progress that you want to take home to work on must be checked out with Fran. She keeps a list so that we know where any quit in progress might be. Of course, any member is always encouraged to work on charity quilts at home and bring them in – just a reminder that members who cannot attend QOW are strongly encouraged to complete at least 2 quilts each year.

Pat Knoechel Coming to Mooresville

Mooresville Centerpiece Quilt Guild is happy to announce that Pat Knoechel (Eleanor Burns' sister) will return 2for a special program celebrating the 40th Anniversary of Quilt in a Day. Please mark the date – April 30th, 2018 – that's the last Monday in April for her wonderful program. It will start at 10am but it's a good idea to come early to get a good seat and to get a parking space. The parking lot is a town lot and we never know what might be happening in the Citizens Center that will clog up the spaces.

Correct Email for Linda Yaggie

New email – yaggie321@windstream.com

Returning Member

Betty Fulford B/D – March 20
201 Beau Drive 704-931-4477
Stanley, NC 28164

Email – cortezfulford@yahoo.com

Magnolia Stitchers

We are a small but lively group that has interest in hand applique, hand piecing, hand embroidery hand quilting and English paper piecing (called EPP for short). If you are interested in any of these areas please come and join us – or just come to see what is happening. Visitors are always welcome as well as new members. Just let me know if you want to learn any one of these fun handwork ideas and we can provide handouts and lot and lots of hep to get you started. And if you already love to do handwork, we would love to have you join us. Just all me. We meet the second Wednesday of each month in Room #319 at 10am. Please bring your lunch or you can quickly run out and purchase something to bring back.

Sandy Bruce
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Upcoming Guild Events

2018

March 21	Quilts on Wheels – 9am
April 4	Guild Meeting – 10am
April 11	Magnolia Stitchers – 10am
April 18	Quilts on Wheels
May 2	Guild Meeting – 10am
May 9	Magnolia Stitchers
May 16	Quilts on Wheels
May 30	Board Meeting – 9:30am



March

Mike Futrell	9
Linda Yaggie	13
Cathy Loughlin	13
Betty Fulford	20
Linda Kiley	27

Refreshment List

2018

April 4	Karen Keys
May 2	Naomi Jolly
June 6	Paula Spann
July 11	Summer Picnic
August 1	Jean Miller
September 5	Sandy Bruce
October 3	Chris Blankenship
November 7	Karan Erwin
December 5	Christmas Party

April

Karen Keys	2
Margaret Hamilton	11

Greeter List

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The Traveling

Quilter

March 20 – 24, 2018 – A Mountain Quiltfest.

Location: LeConte Center at Pigeon Forge - **Pigeon Forge, TN** 37863. **Hours:** All Days – 7:30am to 6pm. **Admission** – free. Quilt show, quilting classes with instruction by master quilters, marketplace vendors with the latest materials and supplies.

March 23 – 24, 2018 – Carolina Fiber & Fest – tradition with a new twist.

Location: Kerr Scott Building, NC State Fairgrounds, 1025 Blue Ridge Road, **Raleigh, NC**. **Hours:** Friday – 9am to 6pm; Saturday – 9am to 6pm. **Free Admission.** Carolinafiberfest.org



May 4 – 5, 2018 – Sunny Days and Starry Nights Quilt Show.

Presented by the Salisbury Rowan Quilters' Guild. **Hours:** 10am to 5:30pm Friday and Saturday 10am to 4pm. **Location:** First Baptist Ministry Center, 223 N. Fulton Street, **Salisbury, NC** 28144. Professionally judged, 200+ traditional and modern quilts. Dozens of vendors, demonstrations, boutique, door prizes and a Tea Room.

May 18 – 19, 2018 – Quilt Show

presented by the Floyd Quilt Guild. **Location:** Floyd Event Center, 188 Ecovillage Trail, **Floyd, VA.** **Admission:** \$6.00. **Hours:** Daily 9am to 4pm.

May 31 – June 1 – 3, 2018 – Delectable

Asheville -hosted by the Asheville Quilt Guild and the NC Quilt Symposium 2018. **Location:** University of North Carolina **Asheville**

June 2 – 3, 2018 – Blue Ridge Fiber Fest.

Location: Alleghany County Fairgrounds, **Sparta, NC** Fiber vendors, food trucks, workshops and demonstrations, wool

processing tools and equipment, and other fiber vendors.

October 12 – 13, 2018 – Quilts of the Valley - Seasonal Inspirations.

Presented by the Catawba Valley Quilters' Guild. **Location:** Hickory Metro Convention Center, 1960 13th Avenue Drive S.E., **Hickory, NC.** **Hours:** Friday and Saturday – 9am to 5pm. **Admission:** \$5.00. Free Parking.

November 2 – 3, 2018 – Winston Salem Quilts.

Presented by the Forsyth Piecers and Quilters. **Hours:** 11/2 – 9am to 5pm and 11/3 9am to 4pm. **Location:** Gateway YWCA, 1300 Main Street, **Winston Salem, NC** 27127. **Admission:** \$5.00 for 1 day; \$7 for two days.

