

Piecemakers Quilt Guild



MEETING INFORMATION - REMEMBER YOUR NAMETAGS!!!

Next Meeting:

January 3, 2018 - Lincoln County Senior Center - Room 319
- Social Time - 9:30am - Meeting - 10am

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Please no perfumed products!!

Minutes for December 6, 2017

Since this was our Christmas luncheon/party, it was decided to eliminate the business meeting portion. Instead we played games and enjoyed a great luncheon.

Respectfully submitted

*Paula Spann,
Secretary*

Greeter for
January is
Sandy Bruce

201 Guild Officers

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

Membership Renewal Time

It's that time again – 2018 will be here before you know it so ----- dues are still a bargain at \$15.00 and need to be paid **no later than the January meeting so that the new directory can be printed** and given out to all members. Forms are available at the Christmas Party (lavender this year). Please save me phone calls and get your renewal in soon!!!!
Questions, etc.?? Please call me.

Sandy – 704-658-8582



Quilts on Wheels

QOW will return on January 17, 2018. Let's start the new year with a better turnout than in previous years. We always have something for everyone to do, whether it is working on quilt tops, sandwiching quilts, trimming them up to be ready for attaching binding, quilting and attaching the bindings. Finishing off the binding on the back side is great for those who wish to do handwork instead of sewing on the machine. Labels also are necessary and will be hand stitched.

We have 2 sewing machines available if a member doesn't want to bring theirs. Plus we also have our wonderful AccuQuilt fabric cutter to work on cutting pieces for a quilt top.

Leader Lines

There will be an announcement at the January meeting (and a vote?) for the co-leader for 2018. The program is going to be a surprise!!

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.

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Upcoming Guild Events 2018

January 3	Guild Meeting – 10am
January 10	Magnolia Stitchers – 10am
January 17	Quilts on Wheels – 9am
January 31	Board Meeting – 9:30am

Refreshment List 2018

January 3	Sandy Bruce
February 7	Chris Carlin
March 7	Shari Richard
April 4	Karen Keys
May 2	Naomi Jolly
June 6	Paula Spann
July 4	Summer Picnic
August 1	Jean Miller
September 5	Sandy Bruce
October 3	_____
November 7	_____
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As you can see from the above lists, we have a few openings for Greeter and Refreshments. Please consider volunteering for one of these openings. Call or Text Sandy (704-658-8582) or email her (ladyinpurple135@hotmail.com)



January

Doris Phillips	20
Fran Love	21

The Traveling Quilter

January 26 – 27, 2018 – The Quilting and Needle Art Extravaganza. Location: Statesville Civic Center, 300 South Center Street, **Statesville, NC 28677.** **Admission:** \$6.00. Free parking. Relaxed shopping with all your favorite shops! Save Time and Gas! No Traffic Headaches! Unlike a shop hop, this is a “Shop Stroll”. Take your time, walking up and down the aisles, have some lunch, maybe a sweet snack, buy some fabric, look at books, plan a new project, maybe even buy a sewing machine. Do all this without leaving the building. Even the smallest purchase will let your local shops know that quilters need and appreciate them. This show continues to attract quilters and knitters from all over Piedmont NC. Join us for a day of shopping in lovely downtown Statesville. This is small town America at its best. Shop, eat, plan, and create all in the same place. After all the cooking, baking, cleaning, packing, wrapping, stacking, mailing, and scurrying of the holidays, treat yourself to a relaxing day. Reward yourself with a new quilting or knitting project. Leave the show ready to hibernate in your sewing room or curl up in your favorite knitting chair with a new project.

Do you have some stories you'd like to share? How about some travels to quilt shops, on your way to somewhere and stopped at a great quilt shop, funny happenings on your travels, or pictures, etc. you just like. The newsletter is the place to share them. Find some quilt-related cartoons? Send them to Sandy. Write your stories down and give them, email them, send them to Sandy – this is the Piecemakers newsletter and it would be great to start hearing about member experiences, etc.