

THE PIECEMAKERS NEWS

**Peninsula Piecemakers Quilt
Guild**

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2016 in Review

It's been a wonderful year," said Isobel Meekins, PPQG President.

Among the highlights of this year's Guild activities are a most successful Symposium. According to Kitty Tully and Raquelle Hill, event coordinators, the Symposium featured the very best class and networking opportunities for Guild members.

Among the programs this year were:

Linda Hahn from New Jersey. Another successful Fall Festival at Newport News Park featured some beautiful quilts by members and gracious members volunteered for the two-day event, according to Susan Waddles, Coordinator. And closing out the year with a presentation by national certified quilt judge, Beverly Fine.



Pictured here are volunteers Pat McGough, Carolyn Evanoff and Fall Festival Coordinator, Susan Waddles

President's Message

As 2016 rapidly comes to a close and we get ready to usher in 2017, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you fabulous volunteers. Our Guild has thrived for over 25 years thanks to the hard work and dedication of the volunteer efforts of so many. Thank you to every one of you who took the time to volunteer for PPQG in any capacity this year. We appreciate all of you for making our Guild even better than ever!

I wish you all a very happy holiday season, a safe and prosperous New Year, and lots of time to quilt in 2017.

Isobel Meekins

Here ye, hear ye!

All members are reminded that you are to wear your name tag to all meetings, less you be charged a \$.50 fee for not doing so!

We want to know who you are!!

GUILD CHALLENGE WINNER SELECTED



The Guild has voted... and the winner of this year's Challenge, "Borders Galore," is Rhonda Gianturco for her awesome hexies! Her quilt along with all those entered in the Challenge will be on display at Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival in Hampton in February 2017! Congratulations to second and third place winners, Karen Komatz and Yvette Cienski respectively.

Congratulations to all those who stood up to this amazing Challenge and a special thank you to Gretchen Martin and Kendra Palmer for their hard work in organizing the Challenge and Janet Dyer for her service as advisor.

DAY PROGRAM FOR DECEMBER

Get ready for the December meeting – participate in one or do them all – let's have some fun!

* Wear your favorite or not-so-favorite holiday sweater or sweatshirt. Prize for the most creative (picked by the members of the Guild)

Prize – Day Coordinator's pick

* Bring a gift for a child (boy or

girl) – donation to "toy for Tots" – i.e. small quilts (for a baby doll)

* Bring a gift to exchange – dig deep in your creative quilting minds and make something special to exchange – homemade or quilting related – Gift ideas: mug rugs, pin cushions, coasters, ornaments, bookmarks and for those who have Pinterest, there are many ideas – don't

forget to wrap (bring a gift – get a gift). Someone will get a great prize.

Great door prizes and good times with quilting friends to finish up 2016 – along with our regular meeting agenda.

Linda Odell, Day Coordinator
Pat McNabb, Guild Member

UFO CHALLENGE



Congratulations to all who completed even one UFO and super congratulations to those who completed all six.

At the day December meeting we will draw for UFO

prizes. If you are not there we will bring them to the December night meeting.

Thanks to all who participated in the UFO challenge this year. We'll be back in 2018 and it will be great!

Nancy Shrout &
Lois Bates
UFO Queens

WE WANT YOU

We have some openings to fill starting in January. We have a few members that have been trying to fill more than one volunteer position and this is difficult. We are looking for someone new to step up to take the following positions:

Night Chapter Historian: This job is to take pictures at the meetings and of Show and Tell and send them to the web site manager.

Night Chapter Librarian: You manage one of our two libraries by bringing books to each meeting for members to check out each month. You can purchase new library books and

collect overdue fees.

Day Chapter Programs: This is a fun job as you get to work with the day coordinator to bring a variety of programs and speakers to the Guild Meetings. We have a book with information.

Also Open:

Honor Quilt Chair: One or more members to head up our Honor Quilt Program. Involves setting up workshops and coordinating efforts to make and deliver Honor Quilts. PPQG has donated over 1000 quilts since 2007 and we need someone to step up to take over from Sherry.



Local Workshops: One or more members to set up and coordinate workshops taught by Guild Members. See Gala Damato for more information.

If you are interested in any of these volunteer positions, please contact Isobel Meekins at isobel.meekins@gmail.com or 879-4750.

RAFFLE QUILT WINNER ANNOUNCED

And the winner is Maggie Haley who until November 12th said "I never win anything". A big thank you goes to some PPQG members for making the 2016 Raffle Quilt a big success. The fabric kit including the backing to make the quilt was generously donated by Tricia Lent. The batting for

the quilt was donated by Crystalann Duarte. The top was pieced by the Paper Doll Bee which includes Tricia Lent, Yvette Cienski, Crystalann Duarte, and Gala Damato. The beautiful machine quilting was done by Georgene Huggett at no charge to the Guild. Thanks to Pat McNabb for stepping up as a new member to be

in charge of selling the raffle tickets. Thanks to all the members that bought and sold over 500 raffle tickets. \$1034.00 worth of raffle tickets were sold this year.



SERVICE PROJECTS...

At the December meetings, members will vote on two Service Projects to do next year. The ballot is not finalized but it will include fidget quilts for elderly patients to keep their hands busy. Riverside Hospital has asked for small baby quilts approximately 30 x 36. These would only be given to families in need that do not have a blanket to take their baby home. We could still support CHKD with comfort quilts and fabric hearts for NICU Mothers, too. Riverside asked us to continue the lap quilts for cancer

patients. A member has asked that we support a group that makes sanitary pads for women in impoverished countries. If you will not be at the December meetings and wish to vote on two Service Projects, contact me by email or phone after December 1st. PPQG members did a great job supporting Service Projects in 2016. Thank you all so much for supporting PPQG in spreading your love of quilting throughout our local communities. Gala Damato 872-6823 or gala.damato@gmail.com

Happy December Birthdays

Wishing the following Guild members the happiest of birthdays ever:

Sharon Ahmed
Joanne Paryz
Theresa Baker 12/1
Jackie Hladik 12/4
Deborah Celley 12/7
Rhonda Gianturco 12/7
Juanita Scriptor 12/11
Lorna Lewis 12/12

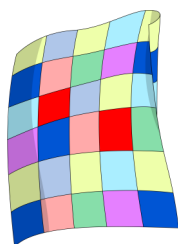
Maryanne Amato 12/14
Brenda Kasnic 12/14
Mary Lanzendorf 12/16
Laura Jennison 12/16
Cathy Hudson 12/18
Penny Weber 12/18
Darlis Richardson 12/19
Rita Crawford 12/23
Lillian Deloney 12/23
Geneva Lovell 12/23
Donna Dooley 12/24
Darlene Massey 12/27
Linda Tyler 12/27



GUILD CONTINUES TO SERVE COMMUNITY

Five lap quilts were turned in at the November meetings and three were made from the large fabric donation from Janet Baker. The five lap quilts were delivered to Riverside Hospital for patients receiving cancer treatment at the Peninsula Cancer Institute. Our total delivered for the year is seventy five. Please bring in any lap quilts you have to the December meetings. I think we can make it to one hundred. December is the last month to have a chance to win a prize by returning a quilt from a kit. Lois Bates, Delores Thomas, Pat McGough and Joyce McKeel all won prizes. We might have double winners in December, too. Most of

the kits were signed out. I do have six quilt tops with backs that need quilted if anyone is interested in



practicing your machine quilting. Five small comfort quilts for babies, forty fabric hearts, two isolette covers and six

bereavement quilts were turned in, also. Three comfort quilts were from the kits. We have given out over 350 fabric hearts to NICUs this year. Thank you for supporting Small Service Projects in the following ways:

Lap quilts approximately 32" x 38" for cancer patients at Riverside Hospital.

Small comfort quilts approximately 24" to 36"

for babies in NICU at CHKD and Portsmouth Naval Hospital that get to go home but don't have a good prognosis. Approximately 26-inch square bereavement quilts are needed at CHKD. Please use muted and pastel colors for these quilts that are appropriate for grieving parents.

Fabric hearts for the parents of babies in NICU at CHKD, Portsmouth and Riverside Hospitals. The fabric hearts have been very popular and it is a good way to use left over fabric. The pattern is on the website under Service Projects. You can use cotton or flannel or both.

Gala Damato
gala.damato@gmail.com

Peninsula Piecemaker's Quilt Guild Budget Preparation

Proposed budget for year: 2017

CHAPTER ACCOUNTS		ACTUAL INCOME/EXPENSE 2016	DAY BUDGET 2016	PROPOSED DAY BUDGET 2017
Income:	Block of the Month	814.00	800.00	800.00
	Executive Transfer	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
	Miscellaneous	-	10.00	-
	Monthly Mini	730.00	700.00	700.00
	Programs	-	-	-
	Total Income:	\$ 3,344.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,300.00

Expenses:	Block of the Month	887.68	800.00	800.00
	Door Prizes/B'day Ft Qtrs	126.97	500.00	500.00
	Historian	-	-	-
	Miscellaneous	-	100.00	100.00
	Programs	1,023.44	1,910.00	1,900.00
	Total Expenses:	\$ 2,038.09	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,300.00

CHAPTER ACCOUNTS		ACTUAL INCOME/EX PENSE 2016	NIGHT BUDGET 2016	PROPOSED NIGHT BUDGET 2017
	Block of the Month	485.00	360.00	460.00
	Executive Transfer	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
	Miscellaneous	-	10.00	-
	Monthly Mini	422.00	490.00	490.00
	Programs	130.00	-	-
	Total Income:	\$ 2,837.00	\$ 2,660.00	\$ 2,750.00
	Block of the Month	40.12	360.00	300.00
	Door Prizes/B'day Ft Qtrs	5.00	400.00	450.00
	Historian	-	-	-
	Miscellaneous	8.47	25.00	100.00
	Programs	1,219.66	1,875.00	1,900.00
	Total Expenses:	\$ 1,273.25	\$ 2,660.00	\$ 2,750.00

EXECUTIVE ACCOUNT		ACTUAL INCOME/EXPENSE 2016	EXEC BUDGET 2016	PROPOSED EXEC BUDGET 2017
Exec Income:	Advertising	102.50	250.00	150.00
	Challenge	120.00	120.00	120.00
	Community Service	450.00	400.00	450.00
	Guild Programs/Workshops	1,745.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
	Library-fines/sales	148.00	115.00	150.00
	Local Workshops	374.00	720.00	500.00
	Membership-dues	3,432.50	5,000.00	5,000.00
	Miscellaneous	1,871.26	200.00	100.00
	Mystery	-	100.00	-
	PPQG Honor Quilts	**	**	-
	Quilt Show	**	**	-
	Raffle Quilt	830.00	1,000.00	1,500.00
	Sales	69.00	500.00	300.00
	UFO	50.00	40.00	-
	Total Executive Income	\$ 13,513.26	\$ 10,245.00	\$ 10,070.00

ec Expenses:	Challenge	-	100.00	100.00
	Community Service	13.13	-	25.00
	Facilities	350.00	750.00	750.00
	Guild Programs/Workshops	3,051.90	2,800.00	2,900.00
	Library-books	-	75.00	75.00
	Local Workshops	260.00	500.00	300.00
	Membership	144.34	228.00	142.20
	Miscellaneous	468.62	100.00	100.00
	Mystery	-	25.00	-
	Newsletter/website	157.77	50.00	100.00
	PO Box Rental	130.00	130.00	130.00
	PPQG Honor Quilts	**	**	-
	Quilt Organization Memberships	-	-	-
	Quilt Show/Symposium	**	-	150.00
	Raffle Quilt	41.00	150.00	100.00
	Sales	-	-	50.00
	Storage Unit	-	1,512.00	1,522.80
	Sunshine	-	-	25.00
	UFO	54.87	100.00	-
	Transfer to Day/Night	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
	Total Executive Expense	\$ 16,571.52	\$ 10,245.00	\$ 10,070.00

** These monies are to be used specifically for these activities. They will not be listed as a budgeted item

Peninsula Piecemakers Quilt Guild

November 2016 Treasurers Accounts

Nov 2016

CHAPTER ACCOUNTS	DAY CHAPTER	DAY YTD TOTALS	DAY BUDGET	NIGHT CHAPTER	NIGHT YTD TOTALS	NIGHT BUDGET
Chapter Beginning Balance	\$ 2,860.90	\$ 1,554.99		\$ 2,024.56	\$ 460.81	
Income:						
Block of the Month	114.00	928.00	800.00	-	485.00	360.00
Executive Transfer	-	1,800.00	1,800.00	-	1,800.00	1,800.00
Miscellaneous	-	-	10.00	-	-	10.00
Monthly Mini	58.00	788.00	700.00	57.00	479.00	490.00
Programs	-	-	-	-	130.00	-
Total Income:	\$ 172.00	\$ 3,516.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 57.00	\$ 2,894.00	\$ 2,660.00
Expenses:						
Block of the Month	189.82	1,077.50	800.00	-	40.12	360.00
Door Prizes/B'day Ft Qtrs	-	126.97	500.00	-	5.00	400.00
Historian	-	-	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous	-	-	100.00	-	8.47	25.00
Programs	489.00	1,512.44	1,910.00	571.92	1,791.58	1,875.00
Total Expenses:	\$ 678.82	\$ 2,716.91	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 571.92	\$ 1,845.17	\$ 2,660.00
Chapter Ending Balance	\$ 2,354.08	\$ 2,354.08		\$ 1,509.64	\$ 1,509.64	

EXECUTIVE ACCOUNT	EXEC TOTALS	EXEC YTD TOTALS	EXEC BUDGET
Executive Beginning Balance	\$ 11,564.56	\$ 14,622.82	
Exec Income:			
Advertising	-	102.50	250.00
Challenge	62.00	182.00	120.00
Community Service	-	450.00	400.00
Guild Programs/Workshops	-	1,745.00	1,800.00
Library	-	148.00	115.00
Local Workshops	12.00	386.00	720.00
Membership	1,150.00	4,582.50	5,000.00
Miscellaneous	-	1,871.26	200.00
Mystery	-	-	100.00
PPQG Honor Quilts	-	326.00	**
Quilt Show/Symposium	-	3,995.00	**
Raffle Quilt	204.00	1,034.00	1,000.00
Sales	-	69.00	500.00
UFO	-	50.00	40.00
Total Executive Income	\$ 1,428.00	\$ 14,941.26	\$ 10,245.00
Exec Expense:			
Challenge	-	-	100.00
Community Service	-	13.13	-
Facilities	100.00	450.00	750.00
Guild Programs/Workshops	-	3,051.90	2,800.00
Library	-	-	75.00
Local Workshops	-	260.00	500.00
Membership	10.44	154.78	228.00
Miscellaneous	-	468.62	100.00
Mystery	-	-	25.00
Newsletter/website	-	157.77	50.00
PO Box Rental	-	130.00	130.00
PPQG Honor Quilts	-	493.03	**
Quilt Organization Memberships	-	-	-
Quilt Show/Symposium	-	7,797.46	-
Raffle Quilt	-	41.00	150.00
Sales	-	-	100.00
Storage Unit	1,522.80	1,522.80	1,512.00
Sunshine	-	9.40	25.00
UFO	-	54.87	100.00
Transfer to Day/Night	-	3,600.00	3,600.00
Total Executive Expense	\$ 1,633.24	\$ 18,204.76	\$ 10,245.00
Executive Ending Balance	\$ 11,359.32	\$ 11,359.32	

**As of 15 November 2016, \$5,000.00 belongs to Show/Symposium and \$84.27 belongs to PPQG Honor Quilts, of the \$11,359.32 in the Executive Account. These monies are to be used specifically for these activities.
Respectfully submitted by Rhonda Gianturco, Executive Treasurer.

Guild Board Members and Volunteers 2016-2017

Board Members 2016-2017

President	Isobel Meekins	874-4750
Vice President	Gala Damato	872-6823
Exec. Secretary	Norma Sims	596-0548
Exec. Treasurer	Rhonda Gianturco	833-1677
Night Coordinator	Sandra Combs	865-8091
Night Treasurer	Alison Twilley	846-5016
Night Secretary	Lynn Watkins	870-1275
Day Coordinato	Linda Odell	879-6314
Day Treasurer	Joy Insley	868-6355
Day Secretary	Vicki Price Marsh	877-6182



Membership	Debbie Moore	874-4323
	Cathy Fowler	833-6035
Newsletter	Jenny Ballou	879-4152
Circulation	Debbie Moore	874-4323
Property Management	Allison Twilley	846-5016
Sunshine	Sandy Barnes	833-8233
Service Projects	Gala Damato	872-6832
Quilts of Honor	Sherry Behun	850-2222
Challenge 2017	Jenny Ballou	879-4152
Webmistress	Linda Odell	869-6314
Workshops	Open	
E-Tree	Linda Odell	869-6314
Winter Mystery	Helen Heyes	874-2034
	Carol Nourse	827-8620
Fall Festival Chair	Susan Waddles	886-0728
2017 Raffle Quilt	Rhonda Gianturco	833-1677
	Yvette Cienki	234-0232

Day Chapter

Monthly Minis	Susan Virden	277-9443
Block of the Month	Mona Hendrickson	353-0991
	Tricia Lent	341-9539
	Loy Holt	564-0980
Hospitality	Pat Sappenfield	224-0427
Programs	Open	
Parliamentarian	Pat Winters	877-8824
Historian	Georgene Huggett 8	68-9785
Librarian	Claire Arsenaault	(804) 978-3154

Night Chapter

Monthly Minis	Joy Duke	838-1043
	Nancy Garrett	838-1716
Greeter	Sandy Barnes	833-8233
Hospitality	Goldie Fields	766-8503
Parliamentarian	Pat Winters	877-8824
Librarian	Jenny Ballou	879-4152
Historian	Linda Odell	869-6314
Programs	Gail Lockhart	356-0830
Block of the Month	Denise Vasser	599-6285

Unless otherwise noted, area code is (757)

PPQG DAY CHAPTER MINUTES FOR NOVEMBER 11, 2016

The Day Chapter meeting for November 11, 2016 was called to order at 10:00 AM by President Isobel Meekins. There were 78 guild members in attendance. We had 2 guests: Pat Webb and Doris Gritton.

MINUTES: Pat Sappenfield made a motion to approve the October minutes; seconded by Susan Virden. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Carol Pittman made a motion to accept the October Treasurer's report; seconded by Janet Dyer. Motion carried

PRESIDENT'S ANNOUNCEMENTS:

President Isobel Meekins recognized and thanked all veterans and active duty military for their service. She mentioned that an Honor Quilt coordinator was still needed for this very important position. She announced that Jenny Ballou has volunteered to do the newsletter for the coming year and that Jenny had also volunteered to lead the committee for the challenge quilt. Isobel indicated that we would also need a property manager for the coming year. November Birthdays were announced and fat quarters presented.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Susan Virden presented the monthly minis. There were three donations: a Wall Hanging donated by Tricia Lent and won by Sandy Jenkins; a book "Stars" donated by Nan Losee, who was a contributor to the book, the book was won by Pat Webb; and a wall hanging donated by Joanne Foudriat and was won by Joanne Paryz.

Membership: Kathy Fowler announced that the membership forms for next year are available and she is accepting memberships starting today and must be paid by January 31, 2017.

Isobel Meekins announced for the day coordinator Linda Odell that the December Program would include the following for those who would like to

participate: 1. Wear your favorite or not so favorite holiday sweater or sweatshirt. There will be a prize for the most creative (voted by the members) and a prize (awarded by the Day Coordinator). 2. Bring a new, unwrapped toy or doll quilt to be donated to the Toys for Tots Marine program. 3. Bring a gift to exchange. Handmade and gift wrapped. (ex. Mug rugs, coasters, pin cushions). Use your imagination. Someone will get a great prize.

Jenny Ballou announced the 2017 Challenge. Vice President Gala Damato announced that we would need a workshops coordinator for next year as well as a program coordinator. She mentioned that we still had a few quilt kits left from the donated fabric and that 70 quilts had already been delivered Bereavement quilts of approximately 26" square were greatly needed and should be made in muted colors. We will be voting on the service projects for next year at the December meeting.

Mona Hendrickson announced that the block of the month for next month would be Hearth and Home and thanked everyone for the great participation. We are selling all kits in spite of the needed increase in the cost.

Nancy Shrout and Lois Bates announced the last UFO completions for the year and 14 quilters presented their completed projects. Prizes for the UFO participants would be presented at the December Day meeting.

Door prizes were drawn and presented.

Raffle Quilt: Pat McNabb announced that the Raffle Quilt (quilted by Georgene Huggett) would be drawn today and that tickets were still available. At the end of the meeting, the winning ticket was drawn and Maggie Haley was the lucky winner. She was not present but is a member.

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PPQG Night Chapter Minutes for November 8, 2016

Sandra Combs, Night Coordinator, called the Night Chapter meeting for November 8, 2016 to order at 7:00p.m. She welcomed all members and visitors. We had 2 guests among us which became New Members tonight! Welcome!

BUSINESS

Attendance: There were 56 members in attendance at the meeting.

Minutes: Jeanne Surber made a motion to approve the October minutes. Deloris Stancill seconded the motion. **The minutes were approved by a unanimous vote.**

Treasurer's Report: Barbara Linde made a motion to approve the treasurer's report in the October newsletter. Lorraine Meadows seconded. The Treasurer's report was approved by a unanimous vote.

President's Report: Gala Damato stood in for Isobel as she was working at a voting location. She thanked Jenny Ballou for stepping up and taking over the responsibility of the Guild Newsletter as Editor. We are still in need of an Honor Quilts chair. Anyone who is interested in taking Sherry's place should contact Sherry or one of the Guild Board members. Gala then took a moment to recognize all the Veterans and families within the Guild.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monthly Mini: Joy Duke announced that there were two Monthly Minis this month. A small tote bag filled with goodies which she made and a basket of fat quarters made by Denise Vassar. She also announced that they need someone to sign up for January's Monthly Mini. Pat Armstrong won and chose the basket of fat quarters and Jeanne Surber won the Tote bag. The Guild made \$57.00!

UFO's: Tonight was the last night for UFO's. The UFO Queens will be taking a break and coming back in the Fall of 2017. Start getting your current UFO's ready! Prizes will be given out at the December Day Chapter meeting and brought to the Night Chapter meeting.

2016 Raffle Quilt: Pat McNabb reminded everyone that there are still tickets left for the Raffle Quilt. They are \$2/ticket. We are close to selling 500 tickets! There will be prizes for the most tickets sold. The drawing will be held on November 12.

Service Projects: Gala Damato reminded us all of our service projects and to date 70 quilts have been delivered to Riverside and she still has some kits if anyone would like to make some more.

Block of the Month: Joan Kelly won the blocks this month.

Membership: Debbie Moore announced that the new membership form will be in the November Newsletter and that membership dues need to be paid by January 30th.

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Day Program Minutes continued from Page 8

Program for the meeting was presented by Beverly Fine. She is a Certified Quilt Judge and explained the process of judging at quilt shows. She invited questions and answered and provided many tips on entering quilts in various quilt shows.

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by

Vicki Price Marsh



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Programs: Gail Lockhart announced the December program will be a Pot Luck and you can rent a table for \$5.00 to sell your handmade items.

Honor Quilts: Sherry Behun reiterated that we are still looking for a person to take her place as Chair. If anyone is interested please contact Sherry or one of the Guild Board Members.

Challenge 2017: Jenny Ballou announced that she will be coordinating the Challenge for 2017. It is called "Not Your Grandmother's Quilt". More details will be in the Newsletter. Sign up now for \$2.00 and the deadline is September 2017.

Birthdays: November birthdays were recognized with their choice of a fat quarter.

Sunshine: Sandy Barnes reminded everyone that if you know of someone who need encouragement or a card to let her know and she will send a card. She also announced that there will be a Quilt Show at Temple Baptist Church on November 12th and 13th.

Program: Gail Lockhart called Quilto numbers and we all had a good time placing buttons, dropping buttons, calling out Bingo instead of Quilto! There were 16 lucky people who 16 prizes.

Door prizes were given out by Sandra Combs.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lynn Watkins, Night Secretary





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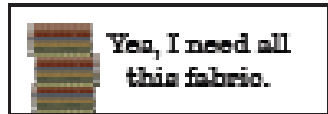
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Cheryl See is coming as our National Speaker in March 2017. She is a former member of PPQG and her Mother Jackie Gaskins is a current member. Cheryl is the author of two books and the winner of several awards for hand workmanship. She is often referred to as the "Hexpert". Sign ups for her workshops will begin in December. Look for more information on the PPQG web site soon or visit Cheryl's Web site at www.cseesquilts.com.
Friday 10 March 2017 from 1 to 4 "English Paper Piecing" Cost is \$25.00.
Saturday 11 March 2017 from 9 to 3:30 "Hexie Daisy" Cost is \$40.00.
Monday 13 March 2017 from 9 to 1:30 "Jewel Box " Cost is \$25.00.
All workshops will be at Grafton Christian Church. If you have any questions, contact Gala Damato.



THE PENINSULA PIECEMAKERS QUILT GUILD

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

JANUARY 2017-January 16, 2018

Dues: \$25 per year for adult members; \$15 per year for junior members (ages 12-18 years of age). Membership is from January 1, 2017 through January 15, 2018. **Dues must be paid by January 31, 2017.**

To register by mail – send your completed application, a check (payable to PPQG) and a self-addressed stamped envelope (so that your cards may be mailed to you) to Debbie Moore, 44 Magna Carta Dr. Newport News, VA 23608.

If you prefer to pick up your cards at the next meeting, please indicate if you will attend the
day_____ or night_____ meeting

FILL IN YOUR NAME

Name_____

RENEWALS PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING ONLY IF THERE ARE CHANGES

—PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY—

Street Address_____

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E-Mail Address_____

Meeting usually attended: Day_____ Night_____

Birthday (month & day) _____ Occupation(optional)_____

Your Quilt Skill Level:

Beginner_____ Intermediate_____ Advanced_____ Professional_____

_____ Check here if you are willing to help the guild and will allow us to contact you regarding
volunteer opportunities (board or committee member, shows, festivals, projects, etc.)

Paid by: Cash _____ Check # _____ Date _____

New Member _____ Renewal _____ Membership Number _____

Paid a Meeting Day _____ Night _____ Mailed in _____

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Let's really have some fun
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There's no reason why we
can't blow Mid Atlantic out
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The rules are simple. Just
choose a pattern, technique or
even fabrics that wouldn't
have appeared in your
Grandma's quilt and go for
it! Were there
embellishments in her quilts.?
Were the patterns Modern by
today's standards? Maybe
you'll take reproduction and
Civil War Reproductions and
make a Modern quilt. The
possibilities are endless—
The goal is to show your
stuff! We only have one
requirement (rule) ... that it
not be bigger than a twin size
quilt. The specifics are on the
flyers that you will be given
when you sign up. And
second, that you have fun!
Oh yes, and we're so sure
most of you will sign up that
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