# LICK SKILLET QUILT GUILD NEWSLETTER

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### A Word From Our President

Dear Guild Members,

Happy holidays to you and yours!

If you're like me, you've had turkey, dressing and lots of family time. Now it's time to get ready for Christmas....decorations, gifts, and cooking. Our lives are so busy and we fill every moment —-we may forget those who have not been so blessed. Please take time out of your life to call someone who has lost a loved one this year. The holidays can be so lonely and stressful.

I hope everyone is looking as forward to our Christmas party as I am! The part will be next Monday same time, same place as our regular meetings. Jinnia has planned lots of fun and food for us. Hope that you can come. Remember to bring your bags filled with gifts for the Calhoun County homeless boys and girls. Also, if you plan to join in on Dirty Santa this year, don't forget to bring a \$10 gift. If your spouse or a guest is coming to the party and plans to play be sure they bring a gift as well.

Last, please check your email for a list of items everyone has signed up to bring to the potluck.

Wishing each of you and your family a holiday and new year of health and happiness.

Yours truly,

Angie

### **Refreshment List**

#### <u>December</u>

No refreshment signup – we are having Pot Luck for our Christmas Party!!!!

\*\*The refreshment sheet is available at the sign in table at each meeting.\*\*





### **December Calendar**

9<sup>th</sup> Guild Christmas Party 21<sup>st</sup> Winter Solstice 24<sup>th</sup> Christmas Eve 25<sup>th</sup> Christmas Day



# <u>December Birthdays</u>

22<sup>nd</sup> Dodie Morgan 29<sup>th</sup> Sheryl Harvey 30<sup>th</sup> Patricia Horn

Birthday's with an asterisk (\*) indicates out of town members. Have we missed your birthday? If so, email <u>molly.steenberg@att.net</u> to update our roster.

We had one visitor in November!

Donna Goodman from Monroe, Louisiana who was visiting Linda Sobers

# **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

We hope to see everyone at our Christmas Party on the 9<sup>th</sup>! We have some really fun things planned!

#### A few things to remember:

If you plan to participate in Dirty Santa, please bring a wrapped \$10 gift for you and anyone who will be attending with you if they plan to play.

At the last meeting most of you signed up for food items to bring. If you haven't signed up or have forgotten, please contact Angie Fortner or Jinnia Flynn.

Don't forget your bags filled with gifts for the homeless children marked as "boy" or "girl".

We will have Show & Tell for the last UFO items completed for the year.

Don't forget to bring your birthday gifts for the three member's who have December birthdays!

#### See you at the Party!!

# *Quilt Show Committee Meeting Dates*

#### All Committees"

June 16<sup>th</sup> January 21<sup>st</sup> April 21<sup>st</sup> August 19<sup>th</sup> July 21<sup>st</sup> September 8th

## **Calendar of Upcoming Guild Events**

December 9<sup>th</sup> – Guild Christmas Party

January 13<sup>th</sup> – 2020 Business Meeting

## **Opportunity Quilt Update**

Our three opportunity quilts are completed! Thanks to Carolyn Davis for donating the backing and to Sheryl Harvey and Angie Fortner for donating their time and talent to guilt them! Also, once again to Brenda Mayfield for heading up the committee to get this project started and completed! We will have photos and tickets ready to begin selling at the January meeting.

The drawing will be held at the Quilt Show in September.

Once again, thanks to those who have worked on this project!

## Upcoming Quilt Show & Expos

#### January

18-20 World Ouilt Show Rosen Plaza Hotel Orlando, FL

If you know of any quilt shows or expos that you think others would like to know about, please let us know!





**Executive Board Elections** 

The 2020 elections were held at the

Executive Board members were reelected to serve for this next year!

November meeting and our 2019

The new term will begin at the

January 2020 meeting.

# Ring the Bells and tell the people christmastime is bere

Days follow days, months follow months, and years follow years for the ordinary mortal. Then there is the end. For the humble, immortal Carpenter named Jesus, centuries follow centuries and more centuries. For Him there is no end nor will there ever be an end.

He was an itinerant preacher and teacher. His words were never written by Him on papyrus nor parchment, never chiseled in stone, never engraved in tablets of bronze. Papyrus and parchment turn to dust and are blown away by the wind; stone disintegrates and becomes sand; bronze can wither with time and weather.

His words were written in the hearts of men. They are imperishable as long as men of good will exist on this earth, as long as men and women can lift their eyes and hearts Heavenward believing in the simple truths He taught. May there be Peace on Earth and To All Men Good Will. Ring the Joyous Bells of Hope and Gladness so that all men may look ahead to a better world and a better life. Christmastime is here. ...R.C.

> MERRY BELLS OF CHRISTMAS The decorative water colors on this page, on our December covers, and throughout are by Ted DeGrazia.



# Need Printing?

Did you know we have a monthly contract for printing needs? If you need printing done for anything guild related, i.e., handouts for programs, challenges, mystery quilt steps, etc., please see Molly Steenberg.

Submitted for the newsletter by Carolyn Davis From the 1969 Arizona Highway magazine

## **CLASSIFIED ADS**

#### FOR SALE:

**Vicky Morrison -** White Speedylock 1300DE Differential Feed Serger that is collecting dust. If you need a serger, I am ready to deal! Email Vicky at <u>ovvicky@bellsouth.net</u>

#### **DONATIONS**:

**Karen Canevaro** – <u>Through the month of December</u>, please save all plastic tops from bottles, jars, and aerosol cans, and even snap-on lids. Bring any size or color plastic (no metal). I will collect them and assess whether it is enough. This is for a joint art project, which, I'm designing with my granddaughter.

If you have wanted to buy or sell quilting/crafting related items, please submit your information for the classified ads prior to the first of each month. Send info to Anita Fountain, <u>alfount@yahoo.com</u>

2019 Committee Chairpersons		
Membership	Molly Steenberg	
Hospitality	Joan Hayden/Lynda Newman	
Community Service	Mary Simmons	
Newsletter/Website/PR	Anita Fountain	
Photographer	Valera Johnson	
Historian	Carolyn Davis	
Quilt Show Chair	Kathy Shaw	

### 2020 Quilts by the Lake Quilt

Show Chair - Kathy Shaw Advertising – Jinnia Flynn Admissions – Brenda Mayfield & Jackie Fink Appraisals – Bernice Zaidel Awards/Ribbons – Becky Everett Community Service - Sharon Lamberth/Molly Steenberg Demonstrations - Tippi Healea Door Prizes – Jinnia Flynn & Lynda Gibson Hospitality – Joan Hayden/Lynda Gibson/Judy Huesman Judging – Carolyn Davis Layout - Sandra Jones **Opportunity Quilt – Shannon Howard** Programs & Publicity – Anita Fountain Receiving, Setup/Take-down - Angie Fortner Treasurer – Dodie Morgan Vendors - Tippi Healea/Kathy Shaw White Glove – Sheryl Harvey

#### 2019 Executive Board

President	Angie Fortner
Vice-President	Jinnia Flynn
Secretary	Mary Kirby
Treasurer	Dodie Morgan
Members At Large	Carolyn Davis Brenda Mayfield

#### Lick Skillet Quilt Guild

Our Mission: To promote an appreciation of the art of quilting, to share knowledge about quilts and quilting, and to perform community service projects.

The Guild is a non-profit organization open to anyone interested in quilts or quilting. Monthly meetings are 5:30 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the Oxford Civic Center, 401 McCullars Lane, Oxford, Alabama 36203. Guests are welcome. Annual dues are \$25 for regular members, \$20 for members over 65 and \$15 for members under 18, renewable in January of each year.

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Find us online at <u>www.lickskilletquiltguild.com</u> or <u>www.facebook.com/</u> /<u>#!/groups/455735277826951</u> <u>or</u> email lickskilletquiltguild@yahoo.com

Articles/ads/guild info to the Newsletter are welcome and due no later than the third Monday of each month. Submit with your name and phone number and sent in text files or hard copy by email to Anita Fountain at alfount@yahoo.com.