

Carolina Pine Needle Quilters

Newsletter

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President's Letter

Happy May to Everyone -
Hard to believe we are in May already. It seems like just yesterday we were in March. Some days, it seems eons ago that we were in March!!

We hope this newsletter finds everyone well, as well as with your families.

The Shelter in Place order sure has kept us all home and that seems to be a good thing because the numbers are coming down and we are almost done with the quarantine period.

At this writing, we believe our next Monthly Meeting will be held on June 9. As mentioned in the email dated 4/25/20, we hope you all check your email accounts on a regular basis for any updates.

Hopefully, you have been able to work on something other than masks. We know all of you have helped in one way or another; at least we found a way to help those on the front lines by using our God Given Talents of sewing. Job well done!!

We are sending this newsletter out from your entire Board as a reminder that we have all been thinking of each of you, and hoping you are staying well. We all look forward to seeing you in June. Keep your fingers crossed that this date works out, and that the numbers of cases, and those lost, continue to lessen.

All the best,

Your CPNQGuild Board



CPNQG Highlighted Member Shelia Covington

This month I am pleased to introduce someone with a ready smile, Shelia Covington.



Name: Shelia Covington

City of Residence: Shelia currently lives in Jacksonville, NC.

Family Dynamics (husband, children):

Shelia and hubby have been married for 28 ½ years and they have one son.

Occupation: Transition Advisor with MCCS on Camp Lejeune MCB.

What brought you to Onslow County? The USMC brought Shelia and her family here, in 2007, from Okinawa, Japan.

How long have you been a member of CPNQG?
10 years

How long have you been sewing? I have been crafting and quilting for 40 years.

What made you take up quilting? I made my first quilt at nine years old (for my brother); I cut squares out of old clothes, and he still has the quilt to this day! After making my first quilt at nine years old, I did not pick quilting back up until we moved to NC. I jumped in with both feet and have not looked back.

What is your favorite form of quilting It might be easier to say what I don't like: not a fan of applique, hand embroidery or hand sewing – AT ALL!



Taken any great seminars from national instructors?

I have taken all the Guild sponsored classes, and some at Quilt Festivals.

Other Hobbies: Machine Embroidery, camping and riding my motorcycle.

What would Guild members be surprised to know about you?

- I work several jobs to include working with wastewater. I am a Grade 2 Licensed Operator.



MAY

Fran Butler 2nd Missy Pierce 17th
Tori Smith 26th Cyndi Bruzgulis 31st

From Connie Farland: Studio 180 class rescheduled!

This quilt uses the V block tool and the Tucker Trimmer! It is designed by the same girls who did Tumbling Triangles! Super easy pattern that looks sooooo complicated.

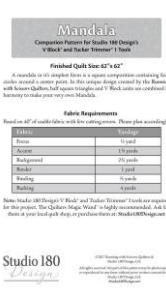
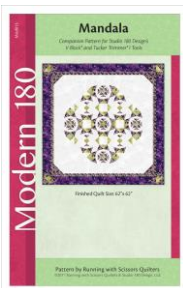
Sponsored by: **CRYSTAL COAST MODERN QUILT GUILD**

Class date: **Saturday, September 12th,
9 am -3 pm**

Fee: \$40

Location: First Presbyterian Church, 1604 Arendell St, Morehead City

POC: Julie Mylander (President), (252) 571-1781



Guild Sew Day

There will be no Sew Day for the month of May.

Membership

Please remember to make the membership committee aware of changes to personal information such as changes in address, phone number or e-mail so the roster is up to date.

Jane Burger-janeburger3@gmail.com or
Cyndi Bruzgulis-wilm1961@yahoo.com

Newsletter

Please remember the newsletter will be posted to our website as well as being e-mailed out to our members. This will assure everyone will be able to read it.

If you would like to add something to the newsletter, please email Denise Thompson at mdthompson0688@gmail.com.

Website

Beth Dalton manages our website if you have any questions you can contact her at www.carolinapineneedlequiltersguild.webs.com.

DO YOU NEED BATTING?

Do you need batting for your Child Advocacy quilt? If so, please let Mary Kay Smith know at jmsmith96@charter.net. Please state what size you need, being sure to add the extra around edges. Mary Kay will be happy to get the batting to you.

Sewing Machine Repair/Service

Do you properly maintain your sewing machine, or do you have multiple machines that need to be oiled, cleaned or fixed? A certified technician for several different brands is now available to work on your machines. Many parts in stock to limit your wait time. Contact Sheila at 910-467-3586 for more info.



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We offer classes on an as needed basis - you need help - give us a call. We have scheduled classes on a somewhat regular basis that are announced in our newsletter and on our Facebook page.

We give a 10% guild discount on any purchase with guild card every day. We have specials that are announced in our newsletter and on Facebook and you will get the better of the discounts always!

Lots of military wives' patterns, local designers and Quilt In A Day Certified Instructor are on site. There is a Hand Quilting group that meets on Thursdays from 4 until 7. This is a free site and sew - bring any kind of handwork - anything, accomplished is just that, accomplished, and fellowship might help make the task quicker and less painful.

CPNQG Monthly Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, April 14, 2020
Centerview Baptist Church, Jacksonville, NC, 7:00 pm

No minutes due to canceled meeting.