



The Piecemakers News

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President's Message

I hope you have been enjoying our outdoor & Zoom meetings. Barbara Linde has been working hard on getting things up & running.

Rhonda's second session of her "Make-It-Your-Own Ohio Star Quilt Project." (**See more information on the PPQG website under Events.**) It looks like we have a great group to work on this new project!

Please consider taking a position on your Board this year if you are called by someone on the Nominating Committee. Thank you!

See you at our next outside get together!!

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Service Projects by Gala Damato

Thank you to all members that continue to support Service Projects. You can drop off items at the drive through meeting in April.

A delivery will be made soon to CHKD and Riverside. We will continue to support Riverside and CHKD with baby quilts and fabric hearts for their NICUs. See the website for more details of PPQG Service Projects.



Joan Kelly at 757-833-3921 kellyjl@cox.net
Gala Damato at 757-872-6823 gala.damato@gmail.com to have items picked up.

UFO

Thank you to all who came to the March drive through meeting and shopped at the sale of Pat Brazzale's fabrics. Your generosity raised \$561 for Honor Quilts. She was a big supporter of Honor Quilts and I know her family will be pleased. There is still some more fabric left and I will have it available at the April drive through meeting. Once again, donations will be accepted for PPQG Honor Quilts.



Lois Bates, 898-4640 - valobo@aol.com
Nancy Shrout, 898-4174 - bandnshrout@verizon.net

New Exhibit Virginia Quilt Museum

Photo is "Look Beyond" by Patricia Caldwell

"No Boundaries" breaks through the conventions on what art quilts can be.

Other information: <https://ppqg.org/outside-showsevents>



Inclement Weather
Day and Night Chapters will follow
Newport News School closures.

Officers 2020—2021

President	Vacant		
Vice President	Vacant		
Executive Secretary	Vacant		
Executive Treasurer	Vacant		
Day Coordinator	Rita Crawford	757-766-1895	lovetoquiltinva@gmail.com
Day Chapter Secretary	Vicki Marsh	757-877-6182	vpricemarsh@verizon.net
Day Chapter Treasurer	Vacant		
Night Chapter Coordinator	Marilyn Rivera	757-810-0769	mademarilyn2@gmail.com
Night Chapter Secretary	Vacant		
Night Chapter Treasurer	Vacant		

Officer positions with Vacant beside them need to be filled soon for voting on before June 1, 2021 arrives.

Volunteers 2020-2021

Membership	Debbie Moore	874-4323
Web	Linda Odell	869-6314
Newsletter	Linda Odell	869-6314
	Lisa Hartman	810-8157
Workshops	Cathy/Mark Fowler	833-6035
Circulation	Debbie Moore	874-4323
E-Tree	Linda Odell	869-6314
	Lisa Hartman	810-8157
Property Mgmt.	Shonda Berry	660-3584
Challenge 2021	Vacant	
Sunshine	Sandy Barnes	234-2928
Fall Festival	Lisa Hartman	810-8157
	Trina Murray	880-9209
Service Projects	Joan Kelly	833-3921
	Candy Byrd	232-6495
2021 Raffle Quilt	Vacant	
2022 Raffle Quilt	Debbie Cross	
Honor Quilts	Trina Murray	880-9209
	Lisa Hartman	810-8157

Day Chapter

Monthly Minis	Amy Mazich	867-7667
	Kathy De Carlo	875-2931
Block of the Month	Pat McGough	877-3818
	Marilyn Rivera	810-0769
Hospitality	Pat Sappenfield	224-0247
Programs	Vacant	
Parliamentarian	Monica Brogan	869-5716
Historian	Vacant	
Librarian	Lisa Hartman	810-8157

Night Chapter

Monthly Minis	Joy Duke	838-1043
	Nancy Garnett	838-1716
Greeter	Denise Vassar	
Block of the Month	Vacant	
Hospitality	Goldie Fields	766-8503
Programs	Vacant	
Parliamentarian	Debbie Martin	214-1876
Historian	Karen Carr	288-8244
Librarian	Lisa Hartman	810-8157



**Help your Guild be the greatest.
Get a partner and share the duties.
Contact your Guild President, Jeanne
Surber, if you would like to serve.**

Sunshine Quilt Corner, LLC
www.SunshineQuiltCorner.com

10-5 Monday through Thursday
10-8 Friday, 9-4 Saturdays
757-596-7397



Happy spring! It snuck in on March 20 this year, but has ushered in another season of renewal as we see the crocuses and daffodils poke their heads out and warmer weather joins us. Now that spring is here, it's a great time to do some spring cleaning on your machine. Sunshine Quilt Corner services all brands in-house with Bernina-certified technicians. What kinds of "new" things come to mind for our quilting and sewing friends?

Thanks to our great customers and staff, Sunshine Quilt Corner was recognized as a 2021 Bernina Excellence Dealer. There are a number of evaluation criteria used for this distinction, but it set an awesome standard for our first year in business. Thank you!

Any UFOs lurking out there? After filling our "My Bernina" classes, instructional classes, meetings, clubs and other activities in the classroom, we added a good number of sew days which provide a great opportunity to finish up the projects and spend some socially distanced time with fellow quilters and sewing enthusiasts. We're still operating with a reduced capacity, but are putting plans in place so that wait listed folks will have first dibs on following events so that everyone who wants to come can reduce the worldwide UFO population.

Bernina has some April specials involving sergers. As we write this, Bill and Teresa are in Aurora, IL at Bernina headquarters learning all kinds of really neat features about these machines. It's rumored that Bill has even sewn a cuffed sleeve using a couple different cover-stitches. If Bill can do it, sew can you! We'll have some 30-second demos at the store so you can see for yourself how easy the L890 is to use. Stop by and give it a try!

Sylvain Bergeron, a Bernina educator, did a great webinar about needles a short while ago.



Spoiler alert: There is no perfect thread for every project. But...here are a ton great pointers: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=35Q2IkhiqD8&t=11s>

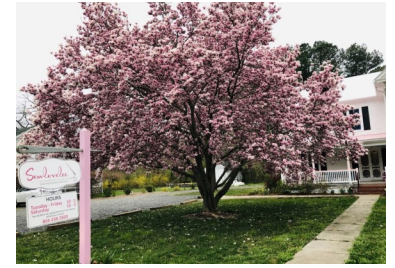
Check out David Sirota's Website to see comments from some of our Guild Members.
<https://www.quiltmavendave.com/testimonials>



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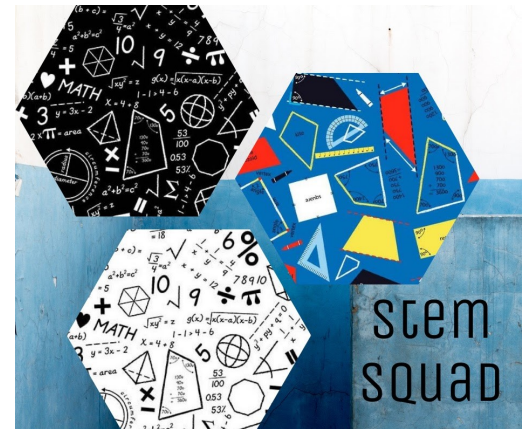
This month we'll be pushing ourselves to learn new skills, use new colors, combine fabric patterns, and do more than we thought we could. To help inspire you, we are giving away Imagination Bags. The contents of each are unique.



Available in store only with purchase.



Inspiring a Trek across the country, these prints are moving out fast! Grab some before they are gone



Joyous Applique Designs is now offering appointments in my home for you to shop for Applique patterns, Valdani perle cotton and bamboo felt. Call 757-838-1043 for a time to shop or visit my website www.JoyousAppliqueDesigns.com.

Prefer contactless pickup, please call to place your order and let me know when you would like to have porch pickup or delivery to your vehicle.



Editor's Note

Piecemaker News

The Piecemaker News is published monthly. Please send news items, articles, inquiries and advertisements to the ppqgetree@gmail.com.

Please note "PPQG Newsletter" in the subject line when submitting emails. The May 2021 newsletter articles are due on or before April 22 - articles submitted after the due date will be published in the next issue of the Newsletter.

Advertising rates (payable in advance) are:

- ⇒ **Full page \$50**
- ⇒ **Half page \$25**
- ⇒ **Quarter page \$15**
- ⇒ **Business card \$5**
- ⇒ **Personal Classified \$2.50**
- ⇒ **Members may advertise free.**



CHALLENGE

Find the pink ppqg somewhere in this Newsletter and send me an email where you found it. Your name will be entered into a drawing for a prize. Don't share! It's like finding the golden Easter Egg. Deadline is April 6 by noon



Proposed Budget - 2021 Treasurer's Accounts

	CHAPTER ACCOUNTS	DAY BUDGET	NIGHT BUDGET
Income:	Block of the Month	900.00	600.00
	Executive Transfer	1,800.00	1,800.00
	Miscellaneous	-	-
	Monthly Mini	600.00	550.00
	Programs	-	-
	Total Income:	\$ 3,300.00	\$ 2,950.00
Expenses:	Block of the Month	600.00	250.00
	Door Prizes/B'day Ft Qtrs	300.00	300.00
	Historian	-	-
	Miscellaneous	100.00	100.00
	Programs	2,300.00	2,300.00
	Total Expenses:	\$ 3,300.00	\$ 2,950.00

Executive Income

EXECUTIVE ACCOUNT	EXEC BUDGET
Advertising	100.00
Challenge	150.00
Community Service	450.00
Guild Programs/Workshops	1,200.00
Library-fines/sales	100.00
Local Workshops	1,413.00
Membership-dues	6,000.00
Miscellaneous	100.00
PPQG Honor Quilts	
Quilt Show/Symposium	
Raffle Quilt	1,500.00
Sales	300.00
Transfer from CD	
UFO	200.00
Total Executive Income	\$ 11,513.00

Executive Expenses

Challenge	150.00
Community Service	25.00
Equipment	100.00
Facilities	500.00
Guild Programs/Workshops	2,500.00
Insurance	
Library-books	
Local Workshops	549.00
Membership/Circulation	100.00
Miscellaneous	1,700.00
PO Box Rental	154.00
PPQG Honor Quilts	
Quilt Show/Symposium	
Raffle Quilt	100.00
Sales	50.00
Square Fees	
Storage Unit	1,610.00
Sunshine	25.00
Transfer to Day/Night	3,600.00
Transfer to CD	
UFO	200.00
Website	150.00
Total Executive Expense	\$ 11,513.00

** These monies are to be used specifically for these activities. They will not be listed as a budgeted item. Honor quilt records are kept separately. Quilt Show/Symposium records are kept separately.

\$7,262.43 belongs to Quilt Show/Symposium

\$1,018.18 belongs to PPQG Honor Quilts