

LICK SKILLET QUILT GUILD NEWSLETTER

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October 2019



October Calendar

14th Guild Meeting
14th Columbus Day
31st Halloween

Quilt Show Committee Meeting Dates

Steering Committee Only - November 18th
All Committees”
January 21st April 21st June 16th
July 21st August 19th September 8th

October Birthdays

1st Roberta Allen
9th Becky Everett
11th Sandra Jones
26th Jinnia Flynn

Birthdays with an asterisk (*) indicates out of town members. Have we missed your birthday? If so, email molly.steenberg@att.net to update our roster.

Refreshment List

October

Joan Hayden
Lynda Gibson
Babbette Harman
Sarah Whatley

November

Whitney Fink
Angie Dempsey
Linda Sobers
Pat Horn
Valera Johnson

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

A Word From Our President

Happy Fall, Yall!

Just in time for fall, our community service leaders gathered the lap quilts and delivered them Saturday to Diversicare Nursing Home in Oxford. I'm always so proud of the work these ladies perform and their generous spirit. Please check out the Facebook page and here in the newsletter for photos. Our next community service project will be our annual Christmas bags filled with goodies and gifts for the homeless children of Calhoun County.

I hope that you are actively planning your quilts for our quilt show next September. Our craft is not one that can be accomplished in a weekend (regardless of the books that say differently –quilt in a day, right!). We will share plans for the Guild challenge at our October meeting. I hope to have a list of the categories for everyone to review soon.

Our program in October is tips and tools - I can always use ideas for my upcoming projects.

This weather surely doesn't feel Octobery! I sure do hope it gets cool enough for some chili soon. Until then ---

May your bobbin always be full!

Yours truly,

Angie



We were delighted to have these guests at our September meeting!

Janet Huey
and
Mary Ruth Evans

Five Little Pumpkins

Five little pumpkins sitting on a gate.
The 1st one said, "Oh my it's getting late!"
The 2nd one said, "There are witches in the air!"
The 3rd one said, "But we don't care!"
The 4th one said, "I'm ready for some fun!"
The 5th one said, "Let's run and run and run!"

The Whoooooosh. went the wind and out went the light.
And the 5 little pumpkins rolled out of sight!



October Program – Tips N Tools

Our October program will be a little different and a whole lot of fun and maybe some interesting ideas! We would like for each member to bring their favorite (or least favorite) sewing tool to share with the group. You may have a tool or tip that no other quilters have seen or heard of before. If you bring your least favorite tool, another quilter may be able to share some information on it that can change your attitude about it! (Not that quilter's have attitudes!) We can't wait to see what shows up at the meeting!

Community Service Update

We have completed our community service project for DiversiCare Nursing Home. Five members met on Saturday, September 28th, to stitch on a couple of final labels and then we delivered the quilts to the nursing home. There were 59 quilts completed. The quilts were all clearly labeled, as coming from the LSQG and room is available on the label for the resident's name. Everyone who saw the quilts was so very excited and looking forward to using them.

Thanks to everyone who was able to help with this project!



Our last project for 2019 will be the Christmas bags for the homeless children. We don't know at this time how many we will need. Obviously, that number fluctuates so we hope to have an idea soon. We will begin working on this project very soon. For those new members who haven't been here in the past, we will be making zippered bags for both boys and girls. Members are asked to take at least one bag to fill. A list of things that are always a hit will be mentioned in the next newsletter!

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.

Calendar of Upcoming Guild Events

October 19th – Sew Day, Bynum Community Center, 9am – 2pm

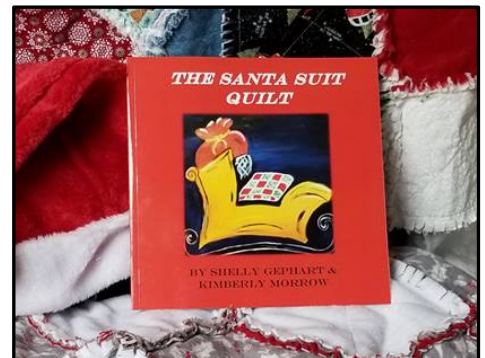
November 2nd – Ribbon Embroidery Class

November 12th – “The Santa Suit Quilt” Program

December 9th – Guild Christmas Party

November Program

Be sure to highlight the guild meeting on your November calendar. We will be having a very unique program from Shelly Gephart and Kim Morrow, of Hoschton, GA, co-writers of the children's book, “The Santa Suit Quilt”. What does Mrs. Claus do with all of the suits that Santa has ruined while delivering toys for over 400 years? As quilters themselves, Shelly and Kim created this magical story you'll want to give with a quilt handmade by “Mrs. Claus and the Elves”. They will talk about making the quilt and will have their books for sale at the meeting. Go to their FaceBook page and check out the fun these two ladies have had with this book!



2020 Quilt Show Information

Quilt Show Status Report:

- **Quilt Show General Committee (all Committee Chairs) met on September 16th to begin work on the quilt show. An update will be given to all members at the October meeting.**
- **The next meeting will be held November 18th at 4:00 p.m. for the Quilt Show Steering Committee only.**
- **Additionally, the holidays are almost upon us...and life is sure to get super hectic! Time has a way of moving rather quickly after that...so, if you have begun your "planning" for what quilts you'll be making/entering in the Quilt Show...do it soon. Machine quilters are busy getting Christmas quilts finished...and in the Sprint, it will be ideal timing for getting show quilts into the various long-arm machines. So, get that top (or 5 or 6?) done before February so you get queued up for the quilting to proceed.**

Kathy Seaman Shaw

Upcoming Quilt Show & Expos

October

3-13 Georgia National Fair
401 Larry Walker Parkway
Perry, GA

11 2019 Fanfare Quilt Show
Von Braun Civic Center
700 Monroe Street
Huntsville, AL

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



Picking Mrs. Bobbins out of a crowd has always been really easy.



Lick Skillet Quilt Guild
2020 "Quilts by the Lake Quilt Show"

September 18th & 19th

Executive Board Elections

November is election month and that means our executive board elections will be held. In October, Angie Fortner will appoint a nominating committee chairperson who will form a committee to seek persons for the 2020 executive board. This committee will hold elections in November and any new officers will take over at the end of the year. If you are interested in seeking a position or would like to nominate someone, please talk to the chairperson.

Opportunity Quilt Update

We will be giving away three opportunity quilts! The two larger quilts are ready to be quilted and the doll quilt should be ready before this month's meeting. We need commitments from some of you who have quilting machines and are willing to quilt them. The thread will be purchased by the guild. We will have the tickets ready to begin selling at the January meeting. The drawing will be held at the Quilt Show in September. Thanks again to those who have worked on this project!

Brenda Mayfield

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Hello Ladies,

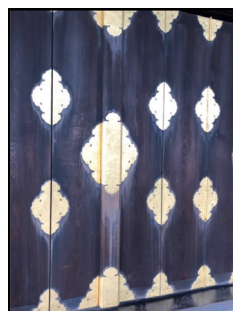
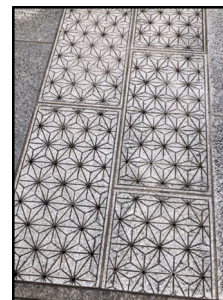
I am writing to express our deepest thanks for your recent donation to All Saints Center of Concern food pantry. Generous gifts from donors like you provide the moral support needed to continue our mission. With your faithful contribution you've demonstrated your deep commitment to our work of feeding the hungry, providing clothing, and prescription assistance to those in need.

Your support plays a key role in our success in. There is no way to fully express our gratitude for your donation. We are continually inspired by the dedication and generosity of donors like you who answer the call to give. We look forward to a continuing partnership with you.

Sincerely,

 Beverly L. Hill, Director
 All Saints Interfaith Center of Concern

Quilt Inspiration – You never know where your inspiration for a quilt just may come from! On Mary Simmons' trip to Japan, she found it on manhole covers, walls and street signs. On your travels, if you notice something that may be interesting, email it and we will share it with the members! The artist is you can find some interesting things! Enjoy!



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 ovvicky@bellsouth.net

DONATIONS:

Karen Canevaro - Please save all plastic tops from bottles, jars, and aerosol cans, and even snap-on lids. Bring any size or color as long as it is plastic (no metal). I will collect them at the next three guild meetings and then 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, alfount@yahoo.com

2019 Executive Board

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

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

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 www.lickskilletquiltguild.com or www.facebook.com/#!/groups/455735277826951 or 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.

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