

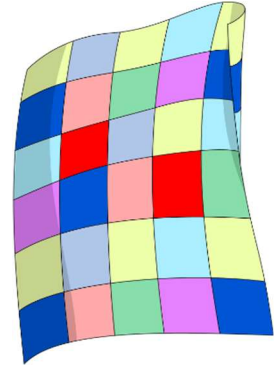


Meeting Date: TBD  
Time: 1:00 and 6:00 pm

Kulynych Family Life Center  
(across from the courthouse)

Courthouse Dr.  
Wilkesboro, NC

**From the President:** These unsettling times have given me a chance to really enjoy the beautiful spring we're having. The shrubs and flowers have seemed more beautiful than in past years. I've even enjoyed watching the trees leaf out. The birds at the feeders are beautiful and entertaining. While I'm enjoying the time at home, a welcome break from the "rat race"; I'm missing our time together. Maybe a meeting will be an option in May.



It is wonderful to have a lot of quilting options. There have been masks to make to help those who have not been able to stay home. We have projects that will help the Ways and Means and Community Service committees. Intraguild has given us several projects. Then there are quilts to be made for the Quilt Show. There is more than enough to keep us occupied. I actually took out a UFO yesterday that had been out of sight way too long. When I opened the box I couldn't believe I had actually combined the fabrics that were in that box!

To those who were very close to Carolyn Broyhill I want to express my condolences. I got to sit next to Carolyn at a retreat and found her to be a very sweet lady. We will miss her and her contributions to our guild. A donation in her memory has been made to the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network. Also during this time of staying at home Debbie Fuller's husband, Robert, passed and Anna Jo Patton lost her brother. Our love and sympathy to both of you.

Please continue to stay safe and healthy at home. Enjoy your family, get some rest, phone someone you haven't talked to in a while, clean the house-or not, and look forward to Show and Tell the next time we meet!

Brenda

**Ways and Means:** I hope you are finding more time to sew, during this Pandemic Stay @ Home Order. It seems like I've been cooking and washing dishes more than anything else. My suggested item(s) to make for May is Sewing Room Goodie...things like pin cushions; fabric bowls, etc. Go online to [allpeoplequilt.com](http://allpeoplequilt.com) for a free pattern for a Sewing Station Caddy. And if you want to make something simple and quick, there is a video on how to make a needle keeper. Thanks for all you are doing for our Boutique!

Here are some needle keepers I made:



Kathy Hamby

**Intraguild:** Whenever our next meeting might be bring your half yard of batik if you would like to participate in the Half Yard, Tear, Pass and Drop. Also, I have paired some of you with a Secret Pal if you have sent me your information. I can still pair up anyone who would like to participate. Just send me an email ([ellen-rhyne@gmail.com](mailto:ellen-rhyne@gmail.com)) and I will pair you up or you can wait until the next meeting. I am working on a date(s) for a retreat. I plan to book one for the fall which will have to be through the week and one in the Spring of 2021.

Ellen

### **APRIL Birthdays**

Madra Prater 4/3  
Nell Holmes 4/7  
Gayle Benton 4/10  
Pauline Carter 4/12  
Nancy Wayne 4/12  
Terri kuneyl 4/13  
Sharon Cellemme 4/15  
Carol Luke 4/17  
Becky Ball 4/19  
Gennie Johnson 4/20  
Myrtle McIntyre 4/21  
Sherrie Royster 4/28  
Linda Henrick 4/30



### **MAY Birthdays**

Megan Gilligan 5/6  
Kathy Hamby 5/7  
Judy Martin 5/15  
Katie Racine 5/16  
Debbie Sebring 5/16  
Lynn Osborne 5/23  
Brenda Willis 5/27  
Jeanne Cook 5/31