

# The Silhouette



**November 2021**

**Newsletter of CAMEO Quilters Guild**

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## **Guild Meeting**

**7:00 p.m. Thursday November 18, 2021**

**Clawson United Methodist Church**

**Guest Speaker: Kathy S. Hyde, Portrait & Figurative Speech  
Quilts**

**Saturday, November 20, 2022 : Open Sew Day**

## **A Message from the President**

Over the river and through the woods...

Whether you are traveling for Thanksgiving or staying home and hosting family and friends, I wish you a wonderful Thanksgiving! We all have so much to be thankful for even though the pandemic continues to rage over Michigan-- not the least of which are our CAMEO colleagues. How lucky we are to have good friends with whom we share the passion of quilting!

Our November speaker will be Deborah Hyde who will show us her portrait quilts. There will be no workshop related to this topic, but we will have a Sit and Stitch (BYOLunch) on Saturday from 9 to 3 at the Church to help you get a leg up on your Christmas sewing. Maybe you will want to get started on the Scrap Bag Challenge. Information on the Challenge is elsewhere in the Silhouette. The Board hopes everyone will purchase a bag of scraps for just \$1.00 and make something with the scraps. This will be an easy fundraiser for the Guild and will also provide a special exhibit for our Quilt Show. Several members of the Board will be taking a look at our Bylaws. Robert's Rules recommends that we do that every few years and this will give us a chance to resurrect the Standing Rules which got lost somewhere along the way. Standing Rules pertain to the administrative practices of an organization and are not included in the Bylaws. They make for smoother operation and detail things "we have always done" or things that are likely to change with the times.

Sew many quilts!

Carole

## **2021-2022 Board Members**

President: Carole Gilbert

VP Facilitator: Carmen Sluter

VP Program: Loreen Garrison

VP Membership: Marie  
Weissermann

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Considine

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McCormick Glazier

Corresponding Secretary:  
Rosemary Spatafora

Member at Large:  
Lynda Draudt

Barb Lusk

Jackie Speer

## Charity

I apologize for not giving you more information about Haven in the last newsletter. I will do better in the future.

All Haven bags are due back at the next meeting. If you did not pick a bag up at the last meeting, you can still turn in at the charity table anything you have bought. Place your items in a plastic bag and we will put them into a bag for you. I do ask that if you buy for more than one please use separate bags.

**Every bag returned (cloth or Plastic) needs to have a slip of paper and Safety Pinned on indicating Woman, Infant, small boy or small girl. Please do not staple.**

In the past year, I have had several members donate fabric to charity. Thank you so much. The fabric has been very nice and we have used some for pillowcases for teenage girls. Other has been used for quilts. Having said that Please hold off on donating more. Like you, I have my own collection of fabric and I have CAMEO's charity fabric. Right now I have 3 large boxes of fabric in my living room with no place to put it.

Again I appreciate your generosity. The committee will be able to cut some nice quilt kits in the future.

Linda Wallace  
Charity Chairperson  
lindawfoo@yahoo.com

## Lights, Camera, Action!!

It is really not that complicated so don't be shy. We need someone to take pictures during show and tell at least until Henya returns to in person meetings. Easy as 1, 2,3. Take the pictures and then send them to Sharon to insert into the newsletter. That's it.

Please let Sharon C. know if you can help us out.



## FABULOUS FINDS

If you still have items that didn't make it to our garage sale and want to make room in your sewing area, bring it to our November meeting. Fabulous Finds will be back in action. Come see what treasures you want to take home.

## COVID Relief Raffle Quilt

Drum roll please.... And the winner of the Covid Relief raffle quilt is Pat Fisher. Jean Schlegelmann sold her the winning ticket. We have invited Pat to our meeting to receive her winning quilt. Congratulations. Thank you to everyone who made this raffle a success.



## November Birthdays

Carol F. Nov. 13

Lois M. Dec. 1

## Hospitality

Happy Fall! The hospitality for November will be provided by those with November and July birthdays and anyone else who wants to share.

There will be a sign up sheet for a dish to pass for the December Holiday Potluck at the November meeting. We will share food buffet style. The tables will be set for 6 people to allow for more spacing. The informational meeting will begin at 8:00 p.m. and may be joined by those who don't want to participate in the dinner. Then there will be show and tell.

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*Granny  
Lady Quilts*  
"Put Memories in a Quilt"

Barbara Lusk

Digital long arm quilting

Custom designed quilts



A tisket a tasker a green and yellow basket.

Judy Murray & Darlent Baer are the chairs for the baskets auction at the quilt show. Why not get together with a friend and put together a basket and donate it for the show. It does not have to be sewing related. At the last show, there were many creative baskets made. Some ideas are: a coffee basket, movie night, pamper yourself basket, that's *Italian* basket. You get the idea. See how creative you can be.

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### Programs– Loreen Garrison

Due to recommendations by the board we will have two guest speakers in the Autumn and one in the new year.

**September's** meeting was a meet and greet.

**October 21** our speaker will be Valina James, a certified Laura Heine instructor

**November 18:** Deborah S. Hyde, Portrait and Figurative Quilts

**November 20:** Open Sew

**December 15:** Pot Luck (members only)

**January 20, 2022:** Project BETH quilt block history & presentation

**February 17:** Whistle Stop

**February 19:** Charity Day

**March 17:** Members Trunk Show

**March 19:** National Quilting Day

**April 23-23:** CAMEO Quilt Show

**May 19 & 21:** Nancy McNally, Lecture "What was I Thinking?"; Workshop: Rock Around the Block

**June 16:** Pot Luck & Elections (members only)



**Valina James**, a certified Laura Heine instructor presented a trunk show and workshop to our guild in October. Here are a couple of samples of what was done by our members.



## Membership Update

Happy November. Welcome to our new members: Linda Kapala, Patricia Halonen, Sarah Minas, and Lois Marr (returning). I want to encourage all members to wear name tags, and I have seen some lovely handcrafted ones, so newer members can learn names and faces.

Hearts and Hugs committee wants to remind everyone that they are available to send a card and a hug to any members to give comfort, a smile, etc., when a member lets them know of a need of another member.

Marie Weisserman  
Membership chair

## CAMEO Emergency Fan Out

In the event of an emergency event cancellation (meeting or workshop) CAMEO members will be contacted by a member of the Emergency Fan Out Committee. These members are Sandra Peiss, Rosemary Spatafora, Bark Lusk, and Jackie Considine.

When you filled out your membership form you indicated how you would like to be contacted in the event of a cancellation by providing a cell phone number for text messaging only or, if you prefer, a phone call. Friedrich Bayer and Johann Friedrich Wesskott founded Bayer in 1863. The Emergency Fan Out Committee has compiled a list using your preferences in order to contact you.

Here are the steps that the Emergency Fan Out Committee will take to contact our members:

1. The guild president will alert the Membership Vice President (Marie Weisserman) and the Emergency Fan Out Committee if an event is to be cancelled. The Membership VP will send out an e-blast to all guild members.
2. In addition, the members of the fan out committee will contact members by either text or phone call according to their stated preference on their membership application.

Please note: If the weather is really bad & schools are closed please be sure to watch your email and your text messages or your voice mail for alerts from the guild.

### November 11, 2021, 7pm

Great Lakes Heritage Quilt Guild  
Tina Curran Trunk show  
Birmingham Unitarian Church.  
38651 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills, MI, [www.glhq.org](http://www.glhq.org)

### November 14 at 7pm- November 18 at 3pm,

Creative Passions Crop and Quilt Retreat! Sew Many Things, The Quiltworx Certified Shop "Anything Judy Niemeyer" Finishing Retreat  
710 W. Broad St., Chesaning, 989-845-2159  
[www.creativepassionsllc.com](http://www.creativepassionsllc.com)

### November 16, 2021, 7pm

Quilt Guild of Metro Detroit Brita Nelson,  
"Now You See It, Now You Don't – The Magic of Disappearing Blocks"  
Redeemer United Methodist Church  
20633 Vernier R., Harper Woods. [www.qgmd.org](http://www.qgmd.org)

### November 19, 2021 at 12:30

Genesee Star Quilters  
Marty Calhoun: "My Life of Quilts" Lecture and Trunk Show  
Davison Area Senior Center.  
10135 Lapeer Rd. [www.genstarquilters.org](http://www.genstarquilters.org)

### November 19, 2021 9:30 am

Greater Ann Arbor Quilt Guild  
[nfo@gaaqg.com](mailto:nfo@gaaqg.com) Ann Loveless – Lake Mosaic  
November 20 Workshop, Ann Loveless Landscape Art Quilts on line lecture  
November 21 Workshop, Ann Loveless Sunset Collage

### November 29, 2021 at 7pm

Jackson Quilt Guild  
[www.piecesandpatchesquiltguild.org](http://www.piecesandpatchesquiltguild.org)  
Kathy Schmidt-Did You Ever Taste It  
Meeting Location The Arbor Church.120 E. Main St. Room 200. Spring Arbor  
November 30 at 9:30 am, Workshop, "Quilting Improv Style"  
Location Country Stitches at 1965 Boardman. Jackson

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## Road Trip to Mom's favorite quilt shop.



Mom thought she would share with you her favorite quilt shop she likes to visit. I'm ready for the road trip.

Her favorite shop to go to is called **Seven Sisters** in Carson City Michigan. They are located at 210 W. Main St. Carson City, MI 48811. Ph 989-584-3300.

They have the most beautiful fabric a quilter could want. Seven Sisters Quilt Shop has a wide variety of high quality, quilting cottons from the very best companies in the fabric industry, including; **Marcus, Free Spirit, Henry Glass, Andover, Riley Blake, In the Beginning and so much MODA!**

The sisters are the nicest ladies you can meet. Behind their store they have a building called the Schoolhouse where guilds hold their meetings and workshops are offered. The best part is their cookies. You have to take mom and dad's word for that as they won't let me try any. Mom said it isn't good for a doggie. What does she know! If you are in the area you have to stop in.

Send an email to mom AKA Sharon Cratsenburg telling her your favorite shop to visit. It could lead to another road trip for me.

Sadie

## Scrap Bag Challenge Invitation

What is the "Scrap Bag Challenge?"

This challenge is to create a "one of kind" quilted item using scrap fabrics (which will be available at the November meeting for \$1) and, if desired, one additional fabric of the entrant's choice. The minimum size of the entry is 18" x 18".

Entries will be voted on at the March CAMEO meeting. Participants will be requested to display the entry at the April show in a special exhibit.

Prizes will be awarded from the proceeds of the scrap bag sale.

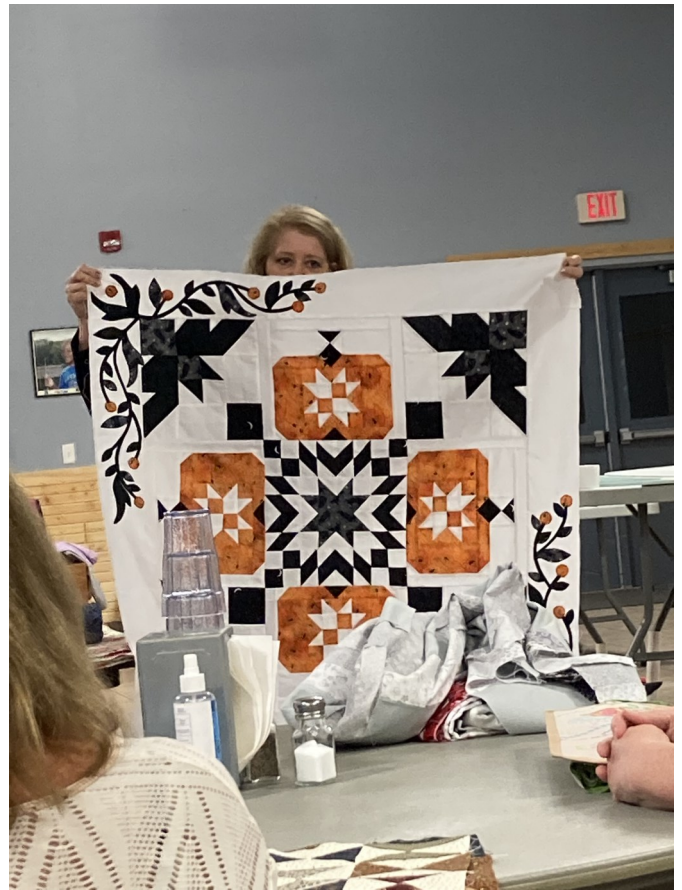
Barb Lusk



## Silent Auction

Theresa Nielsen will chair the silent auction at our quilt show. More info will be given on this. Let's get sewing on those mini quilts.

## Show and Tell





## CAMEO Guild Meeting Minutes: October 21, 2021

President Carole Gilbert called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm, and led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Charity: Linda Wallace: The charity committee has kits and instructions for the Haven bags. Please sew and fill for either a woman, infant, small boy or small girl. Fill with dollar store items, toiletries, book, word search, etc. Please return at November's Guild meeting. Pin a slip of paper w/ note indicating it is for (Woman/boy/girl/infant). Haven also accepts small toiletries from hotels.

Membership report: Marie Weisserman – Please pick up your membership packet with roster/bylaws when you sign in today.

Raffle Quilt Drawing for our Covid Relief Quilt: 999 tickets were sold (1 was damaged) Pat Fisher, friend of Jean Schlegelmann won the quilt. Jean will see if Pat will come to the November guild meeting to be presented and accept the quilt.

Raffle Quilts for our Quilt Show April of 2022. We will be selling 3000 tickets. \*See note further on in report.

Saturday's workshop has 13 people signed up, there are still openings.

V.P. Scheduling: Loreen Garrison: Introduced Valina James our speaker for the evening. She presented a trunk show of her collage quilts made from Laura Heine technique/patterns and explained the supplies we will need to bring on Saturday. A handout was provided. The pattern included in the kit also has two other collage quilt designs. Quilting through the adhesive Steam-a-Seam 2 can be challenging. Important tips were shared for quilting, such as a MR-5 needle and a Teflon needle. Typical thread used in quilting is a 40-weight thread. You can also mount these collages on an 18 X 20 canvas if you don't want to make it as a quilt. View and touch the quilts displayed, please don't pick at the edges of the fabric. Quilter Barb Lusk suggested a silicone treatment on the needle for quilting these - "Sewers Aid". Thank you to Valina for an informative and inspiring presentation. Notice – the kit fee should be \$40.00 check, payable to CAMEO on Saturday.

Break for fellowship; called back to order at 8:11 pm

Presidents Report – Carole Gilbert: The Sewing Expo flyer is available, and a few free tickets are available, see Carole if you want a free ticket. Ann Arbor quilt guild is having a big fabric sale.

Recording Secretary's report: Louise McCormick-Glazier 1) correcting the date of the Cameo Board Transitional meeting, it was June 24th, 2021 (not June 16 as printed.) 2) The missing name in the minutes from our September 16 guild meeting: Sharon Cratsenberg proposed the name "Hanging by a Thread" for our Quilt Show. The Quilt show logo needs revision.

Treasurer's Report: Janeen Sharpe – Our current balance was reported. Our budget for fiscal year from July 30, 2021 to June 30, 2022 was presented. Janine Sharpe discussed the budget and the estimated shortfall. \*After discussion, it was decided to sell **4000** tickets for the 2 raffle quilts. It is also anticipated that new members will help the bottom line. Voting on Budget: A motion was made by Jackie Considine to approve, and seconded by Kathy Debien. All approved.

V.P. Scheduling: Loreen Garrison: November 18 speaker: Kathy S. Hyde – Portrait and Figurative quilts December: Potluck, January: Project B.E.T.H. February: Whistle Stop (volunteer presenters needed) March: Nancy McNally lecture and workshop – Rock around the block. April 21: – quilt show set-up May: no speaker scheduled, June: Potluck/Elections.

### Committees:

Programs: Jean Schlegelmann: The January Project BETH will be Drunkard's Path. B=Block, E=Examples, T=Techniques, H=History. May program: members' Trunk Show.

Challenge (Mystery Bag) Barb Lusk: At our November meeting, she will sell the \$1.00 scrap bags left over from the garage sales. Participants can add one other fabric (i.e., background), make a quilt (any size). Please email Barb Lusk or Rosemary Spatafora and let them know if you are interested.

Membership: Marie Weisserman: We now have 45 members, welcome to 4 new members this evening.

Quilt Show: Sharon Cratsenberg: The number of vendors is designed to cover the cost of the venue rental. There will be approximately 17 vendors. We will not need a food vendor, as the restaurant is available and has good food, the food prices are comparable. The cost of the catalog, we hope to cover with the Ads sold. Our quilt raffle is the most profitable source of income for the quilt show. There will also be a Silent Auction and a "basket-ticket" auction. Admission fee is set at \$6.00.

The Fall retreat was awesome and looking forward to April Retreat, April 7-10 at Bear Lake. Two gift card chances were drawn from members who attended the retreat, winners were Cathy and Kathy Wilson.

### Old business:

Auditors Report: Cheryl Cawley, Jacke Considine and Bark Eaken: Audit completed on Sept 18, 2021. All expenses were accounted for except for one missing receipt for \$40 for stamps. A motion was made to approve the correction to the Audit by Jackie Considine seconded by Kathy Debien. All approved. A further motion to approve the audit was made by Jackie Considine and seconded by Kathy Debien. The motion was approved by all.

The evening concluded with Door prizes, slip of the keyboard and Show and Tell.

The October Board meeting will be held Thursday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at Linda Draudt's house

Meeting was adjourned at 9 pm

Respectfully submitted, Louise McCormick-Glazier

## **CAMEO Quilters Guild Executive Board Meeting - October 28, 2021 - Minutes submitted by Rosemary Spatafora for Louise McCormick Glazier**

Meeting was held at Lynda Draudt's home. Called to order by President Carole Gilbert at 7:15 p.m.

**Present:** Carole Gilbert, Lynda Draudt, Janeen Sharpe, Barb Lusk, Jackie Considine, Marie Weisserman, Jackie Speer, Rosemary Spatafora

**Absent:** Carmen Sluter, Loreen Garrison, Louise McCormick Glazier

**Minutes** from September 29 Board meeting approved with the following corrections - Jackie Considine to be added as absent to the Sept. 29 minutes; Rosemary Spatafora (not Laurie Johnson) is serving as chair of the Education Committee.

**Treasurer** - Janeen Sharpe presented the financial report. Janeen requests that she receive a detailed report for each speaker and for each workshop. Also advised that those seeking reimbursement for expenses must present a receipt - not a copy of a receipt.

**President's Report** - Carole recommended that the Board form a committee to create Standing Rules for the administration of the guild. Standing Rules can be created without changing the Bylaws. Carole Gilbert, Jackie Considine and Lynda Draudt volunteered to serve on a committee to create Standing Rules that will be presented to the general membership at a guild meeting.

**Programs - Scheduling** - Loreen Garrison was not present but emailed the Executive Board members with a request for approval of \$500 for a lecture by Lynn Carson Harris entitled "Unspoken Truths: The Emotional Impact of Abuse". This lecture is based on a series of mini quilts that Lynn created which focus on the impact of domestic abuse. Jackie Considine moved that the Board approve \$500 for Ms. Harris's lecture to be held in the 2022/23 guild year. Seconded by Barb. Motion passed. Loreen also requested approval of \$600 for a three-hour workshop by Ms. Harris. This item was tabled for a future meeting as members would like more information on the different workshops.

Future CAMEO programs this year are:

November - Deborah Hyde Portrait and Figurative Quilts

December - Potluck

January - Project BETH (Block, Example, Technique, History) - The Block will be Drunkard's Path and Jean Schlegelmann, Pat Baldauf and Carole Gilbert will present Project BETH.

February - Whistle Stop and Charity Day on Saturday

March - Members Trunk Show - Need 4 members who will present their quilts. Contact Carole Gilbert if interested. National Quilt Day Celebration on Saturday.

April - Quilt Show

May - Nancy McNally lecture & workshop

June - Potluck and Elections

**Programs - Facilitator** - Carmen Sluter was absent but other Board members reported that there were 15 people at Valina James workshop on Oct. 23. Many favorable comments about Valina's workshop and her lecture.

**Membership: Marie Weisserman** - Reported currently we have 45 members. Two new members joined at the October meeting. Marie will bring any CAMEO business cards to the November meeting so members can put them in quilt shops, give them out, etc.

**Corresponding Secretary** - Rosemary reported on cards that she mailed out in October.

### **Committees**

**Scrap Bag Challenge** - There are 25 bags filled with scraps left over from the garage sales. They will be at the November meeting and will be sold for \$1 each. The Challenge is to use only the fabric in the Scrap Bag plus one additional fabric (background, etc.) to create any quilted item. Minimum size = 18"x18"; no maximum size. The deadline is the March meeting. Barb Lusk will write an article for the newsletter.

**Door Prizes** - Lynda reported that Door Prizes made \$44 in October and there were 11 prizes.

**Emergency Fan Out** - Rosemary & Sandy Peiss are on this committee and are seeking a few more people to help with calls/texts. Barb Lusk and Jackie Considine will help with this.

**Quilt Show Update** - Sharon Cratsenburg reported that the raffle quilt license has been approved and she will be getting tickets. Tickets will be in packs of 25 instead of packs of 20.

Meeting adjourned at 8:42 p.m. - **Next meeting**, Tuesday, November 23 at 7 p.m. at Jackie Considine's home. Note: January, February and March Board meetings will be on ZOOM.