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# QUILTERS GUILD OF THE SOUTHERN CRESCENT

Friday, Oct. 12th | 10am - 6pm | Saturday, Oct. 13th | 10am - 5pm



## IMPORTANT

### NOTE TO CONTRIBUTORS:

November articles are due by November 10th via email to our new email address:

[qgscquilters@gmail.com](mailto:qgscquilters@gmail.com)

Please remember Wanda edits and publishes the newsletter - She is not responsible for writing the content!

### Important Dates

Oct	12-13	QUILT SHOW
	25	7:00pm Night Meeting
Nov	1	7:00pm Board Meeting
	2	9:30am Morning Stitch Along
	2	1:30pm Daytime Meeting
	15	7:00pm Night Meeting
	22	Happy Thanksgiving

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR MAGNOLIA ART SALE BOOTH

**Sue Tryon**

Our board has approved our non-profit booth entry into the Magnolia Arts Festival on Saturday, October 20 and Sunday, October 21 at David Field in Peachtree City.

We will be selling tickets for the Opportunity Quilt which will be on display.

### NEWS FLASH:

Your help is GREATLY NEEDED for this event, especially SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21 FROM 11 am TO 5 pm.

Sue Tryon cannot do this alone! Please, contact her for any shift on Sunday afternoon at DRAKE FIELD BY THE Peachtree City Library and thanks.

## PRESIDENT'S LETTER

SARAH SWAB &amp; EVIE TOMLINSON, CO-PRESIDENTS

October is here, but unfortunately the cooler weather hasn't arrived yet; I think it is waiting for A Stitch In Time Quilt Show. Please make time to go and see the show. The dates are October 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> at Evergreen Church in Peachtree City. Over 100 quilts have been entered, including my collage quilt "Bear." This will be my first show entry. More volunteers are still needed. The ribbons that will be awarded are amazing.

At October's evening meeting the UFO Harvest paperwork is due. This will be a year long with a goal of tracking quilt completions. I turned in my list of 10. Many members have much longer lists than mine, but I have only been quilting for 5 years. Judy Damont is in charge of this program.

**Announcing a guild Round Robin!** I am planning to lead a round robin beginning in November with first blocks due at January's night meeting. I am hoping to get a list of people interested in participating at November's evening meeting.

I believe there will be 6 people in each group. The groups will be randomly chosen. Each participant will be responsible for completing their round and getting it to me. Each person will have 2 months to make their round. Each participant should include fabric that they wish to be used on their quilt, and very basic guidelines regarding size or color. The rounds will be due at guild night meetings at odd numbered months.

I won't be at October's meeting, but will provide the information to my co-president Evie in time for our next meeting.

Next year's programs are firming up with "Home Grown" as the theme.

The quilt retreat for 2019 will be April 11-14, 2019. Deposits are being accepted now.

Have a wonderful month, and see you in November. Sarah

**QGSC BOARD MEETING MINUTES—OCTOBER 4, 2018**

The meeting was called to order by Evie Tomlinson at 7:00 pm

**Janie McKeough for Tina Wilson**

There were 6 members present: Jane Coleman, Judy Daymont, Wanda Huderski, Janie McKeough, Susan Peryam, Emma Ross, and Evie Tomlinson.

to get new members up to speed on everything the guild has to offer.

**Minutes:** Minutes of last month's meeting were approved as printed in the newsletter.

**Community Service:** There is a need for 36 pillow cases for the Potter's House. Theme - children.

**Treasurer:** MJ Johnson was out of town. Judy Daymont updated expenditures and spoke about expected deposits from future events like the Quilt Show Boutique, Christmas Ornaments, and early membership dues. Year to date actuals are in line with the 2018 projections.

**Refreshments:** No report

**Membership:** A report was given by Janie McKeough. At the last nighttime meeting, there were 40 members, two joined that night, and one guest.

**Facilities:** Daytime is looking for a meeting location for the February 2019 meeting. Discussion offered the following: check with Laura Bosma and Comfort Quilters for ideas, perhaps use Evergreen, or Fayetteville Public Library.

**Library:** No report.

Discussion ensued about resurrecting a new member folder or envelope containing brief list of committees, events, and activities in attempt

**Raffle Quilt:** No report.

**Sunshine & Shadows:** Two sympathy cards were sent out recently. Please remember to keep the committee apprised of any needs for communication on behalf of the Guild.

**QGSC BOARD MEETING MINUTES—OCTOBER 4, 2018 — CONTINUED**

**Night Time Programs:** Judy Daymont was present and offered the following.

**Oct** - So far the participation in the upcoming UFO Challenge is going well. She is very excited about the participation and the awards. Everyone is encouraged to join in on the fun. We will have "Shop In" including Southern Stitches, and The Green Apricot. In addition, a local Chiropractor will be in attendance and will offer advice about keeping ourselves healthy while sewing and quilting.

**Nov** - Sharon Pope is organizing the Night Time Challenge. More info to follow.

**Dec** - Daytime - Question was presented about who will be in charge for the Friday sew ins that traditionally takes place prior to the daytime meetings. The Nominating Committee will be involved and will seek advice from these ladies; Sue Schultz, Annette Forlines, and Laura Bosma.

Discussion was held regarding the ability to use Paypal to pay for classes. It is working well. Once a payment has been made, an invoice will be sent to the participant along with a supply list. Please see MJ Johnson, our treasurer, for the service.

**Monthly Mini:** No report.

**Challenge:** Wanda Huderski volunteered to take photos. Susan Peryam explained the setup, voting and awards process.

**Door Prizes:** The revenue realized from door prizes has been less than \$50 this year. A motion was made to abolish the activity ending November 2018. A plan will be made with Rosemary Griffin to liquidate all inventory at the November meeting. There will be no door prizes at the October meeting since we will have our "Shop In".

**Website:** Wanda Huderski updated the group on the progress for the QGSC website. The site is not "live" yet but she demonstrated the features of the site. Additionally, research will be conducted to search out everywhere that might have our old URL. This will ensure that a search will connect to our new website. Everyone was well pleased. Jane Coleman volunteered to work with Wanda as they review the site and complete last minute touches. The new URL is [www.QGSCquilters.com](http://www.QGSCquilters.com).

**Old Business:** A Stitch in Time Quilt Show. The final prep meeting will be held on 10/05. There are approximately 160 quilts that have been entered for the main showroom. There will be 100+ antique

**Janie McKeough for Tina Wilson**

sewing machines and antique quilts. Additionally, there are 20 quilts that will be hung in the children's area. The show will enlist over 60 volunteers. In addition to local businesses posting the event, we have been published in the Citizen and Newnan newspapers.

The opening ceremony will include brief remarks and welcome from current presidents from the local quilt guilds. Additionally, a ribbon cutting ceremony will take place with Dorothy Smith and Chris DeGroot participating.

Judy Daymont reminded everyone that every effort MUST be made to keep sales of the raffle tickets and boutique items separate.

**New Business:**

The By-laws need updating. The board voted and approved moving the process forward. Revision will be submitted to the Board for vote and final approval.

**Nominating Committee.** It's that time again to begin working on the formation of a Nominating Committee. Requests for participants will be announced at the meetings.

**Speaker System:** Well, it has finally happened! Our old system bit the dust and would not work at the last meeting. Evelyn Tomlinson conducted research and sought technical advice. The following system was presented as a viable option.

- Samson Portable PA Kit with Wireless Lavalier and Handheld. This is a 100W Class-D Amplifier, and supports Bluetooth streaming audio.

A motion was made to approve the purchase of the above unity and unanimous vote resulted. Evie will make the purchase and hopes to have the new system quickly.

**New Business:**

Jane Coleman reports she has over 80 containers so far for the December silent auction. There will be something for everyone!

**Adjournment:**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm

**MONTHLY MINIS**

**Joan Willcocks—Daytime**  
**Sue Tryon—Nighttime**

Many thanks to all who have signed up to make projects for the Monthly Mini.

Remember to bring your dollars to get your chance to take home these beautiful creations by our guild members!

Month	Day	Night
Oct	Judy Balek	Evie Tomlinson
Nov	Susan Peryam	Judy Daymont
Dec	Paula Anderson	Silent Auction

**MEMBERSHIP**

**Gayle Newland**

Our attendance statistics for the last two meetings are as follows:

Meeting	# Members	# Guests
Day, Oct 5	32	4
Evening, Sept 27	38	3

Thank you for coming and being part of the guild.

**Our current membership count is 105.**

**REFRESHMENTS—2018 DAYTIME MEETINGS**

**Wilma Johnson**

Month	Last name begins with...
November	V, W, X, Y
December	Holiday Lunch-All attending bring a dish to share.

**REFRESHMENTS—EVENING MEETINGS**

**Sue Tryon and Judy Mahfood**

Meeting	Last name begins with...
Oct 25	S-V
Nov 15	W-Z
Dec 13	Christmas Dinner; Everyone brings a dish to share.

**QGSC ANNUAL GUILD CHALLENGES 2018**

Sharon Pope

The 2018 Challenge Quilt Extravaganza will be due at November 15, 2018 Meeting,

To commemorate our QGSC 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, your Challenge for 2018 is to:

1. Choose a month of the year that will be represented in your quilt. Any month...based on a holiday, your birthday, your vacation month, etc...you choose. This will determine the general color and/or theme, it is up to you how you interpret it. IE: October birthday, I could choose a pink birthstone or opal as a starting point -or- I could make it about Halloween or those colors!
2. Your quilt must have 20 of something in it. IE: 20 blocks, 20 prairie points, 20 squares, 20 triangles, 20 buttons or other embellishments...express your creativity!
3. Your Challenge Quilt can be any size or shape, or wearable, but understand that if it is larger than can be displayed on the panels, it will be folded in quarters.
4. Your quilt must be completed = quilted, bound, and have a label. The label should indicate the month you're representing, and what you have included 20 of.

.....and GO!  
 Sharon Pope

**PROGRAMS**

**DAYTIME 2018 — PROGRAMS**

Sue Schultz, Laura Bosma, Annette Forlines, Mary Ann Thom, Dana Wild

		Daytime Meetings and Workshops
Nov 2	Meeting	<p>Up-Cycle an Awesome Gift -</p> <p>Join Laura Bosma and Friends for some fun information about up-cycling felted wool sweaters. This is a Make 'n Take—think MIT-TENS. If you are making mittens for someone other than your self, trace their hand four fingers together, thumb out.</p> <p>Supplies will be provided.</p> <p>If you have a wool sweater you want to use for this project, send an email to Laura so she can send you washing and drying instructions for the felting process. Laura's email is: <a href="mailto:lbosma@bellsouthnet">lbosma@bellsouthnet</a>.</p>



**PROGRAMS****DAYTIME 2018 — PROGRAMS — CONTINUED**

Sue Schultz, Laura Bosma, Annette Forlines, Mary Ann Thom, Dana Wild

		Daytime Meetings and Workshops
Dec 7	<b>Christmas Luncheon Meeting</b>	12:30pm - 3:30pm Peachtree City Library Floy Farr Room  No early Stitch-in. Please arrive 15-30 minutes early to place your dish.  Reminder: Overflow parking is right next door at the children's playground. Use the walkover bridge for easy access to the library's lower level entrance to Floy Farr Room

**NIGHTTIME 2018 — PROGRAMS**

Judy Daymont and Eileen Reed

		Nighttime Meetings and Workshops
Oct 25, Thu 7:00pm	<b>Meeting/Program "Shop In"</b>	Evening meeting Thu. Oct. 25 Night Meeting 7pm, please join us for an informative program and great shopping experience. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• **UFO Harvest Sheets ** turned in</li> <li>• Dr. Chris Andreone, Chiropractor, will help us avoid the aches and pains that can come with quilting. Consider comfortable clothes if you wish to practice.</li> <li>• Dana Bruhe from Southern Stitches is closing her store and will bring heavily discounted fabric for sale. Angela Gubler of The Green Apricot will have an array of her best quilting tools and a brief demo of a unique binding tech-</li> </ul>
Nov 15, Thu 7:00pm	<b>Meeting/Program</b>	<b>Challenge Quilt Extravaganza</b>
Dec 13, Thu 7:00pm	<b>Meeting/Program</b>	<b>Silent Auction and Christmas Party</b>

**DAYTIME PROGRAMS—2019 TENTATIVE PROGRAMS FOR 1ST QUARTER**

**Emma Ross, Candace Shively, Susan Hawkins and Mayra Diaz**

Your QGSC 2019 daytime programs committee is excited to announce the tentative schedule for the coming year. Here is what you can look forward to (subject to change).

**NOTE the workshop** in early February.

**Sign ups for the February workshop will be available at meetings in Oct., Nov. and December 2018.**

**Reserve your space NOW.**

- Jan 4**            Community Service
- Feb 1**            Sulky: Thread Jazz for Quilting and Embellishing. Presentation by Sulky rep Nancy Sapin
- \*\*Feb 2**        **Workshop: Thread Sketching, Free Motion Basics** with Sulky rep Nancy Sapin
- Mar 1**            Incorporating Felted wool into Your Quilt Creations. Presented by Laura Bosma

**SULKY EDUCATOR - NANCY SAPIN****FEBRUARY 2019 PROGRAM**

Nancy Sapin comes from a family of creative sewers, a grandmother who was a seamstress and a mother who made all of her Barbie doll clothes, then later, all of Nancy's. While Nancy learned to sew when she was very young, she really began sewing in earnest when she was in her early 20's. After having 3 children, sewing and crafts took a back seat to owning and operating an electronic assembly business. She employed and taught women, both in groups and individually, the art of hand winding and assembling electronic coils and transformers. During this period of time, she honed her skills of teaching, precision, patience, scheduling, and dedication toward quality and creativity.

After running her own business for 17 years, when the company for whom she was assembling electronic parts moved their operation offshore, she closed her business and moved to Asheville, NC, where she began a college education. Here, Nancy learned when she tutored fellow students while taking the same class, that you learn more yourself when you teach others. Nancy joined a Nationwide Business Leadership Club, Phi Beta Lambda and served as their Western Region Vice President in her senior year, while winning many State and National competitions. She received numerous awards, including Business Student of the Year, and graduated with highest honors.

Nancy has now come back full circle to sewing. She moved to Franklin, NC, after meeting and marrying her husband, David, in 2004. In 2006, she began sewing Sulky samples for use at Sulky Sew Exciting Seminars, Certification Trainings and in Consumer and Trade show booths. Nancy has been a National Freelance Educator and designer for Sulky of America since 2007.



She has presented numerous Sew Exciting Seminars, Quilt Guild presentations & Sit & Sew classes. She co-taught Sulky Teacher Certification Trainings, taught and lectured at various national AQS, ASE & OSQE events besides conducting countless Freelance teaching events. Her designs have been published in numerous Sulky books: "Sew, Craft, Quilt & Embroider Confidently with Sulky Stabilizers" (#900-B19), "Fun with Sulky Blendables and Solid Color Cotton Threads" (#900-B21), and Sulky's newest Book "Embellish your Life with Sulky" (#900-B22).

Nancy's positive "can do" attitude allows her to accomplish the goals she sets before herself and brings fun and enthusiasm into the classroom.

**PROGRAMS EVENING 2019—CONTINUED**

Judy Daymont

**2019 Night Time Programs****“Home Grown – Reap What You Sew”**

*If you want to sign up for a workshop or for more information contact:  
Judy Daymont*

*Here is what is schedule for the first 3 months of 2019. The full list of programs will be released in the next newsletter.*

**Jan 24, Thu @ 7:00pm****“Risk Takers and Flip Flops: An Art Quilter’s Story” with QGSC member Candy Shively**

Join Candy as she shares her journey as an art quilter. Lots of eye candy (quilts) and interesting insights into quilts as “art”.

**Feb 28, Thu @ 7:00pm****“Georgia Quilts” with Anita Weinraub**

Anita edited Georgia Quilts which compiles the work of the Georgia Quilt Project, the most authoritative survey of quilts and quiltmakers every undertaken in the State. Sure to be a fascinating view into our quilting heritage!

**Mar 28, Thu @ 7:00pm****Life Beyond Strip Piecing, or “I Lead Two Lives” with Marti Michell**

You’ve seen Marti on TV and at quilt shows, but now is your chance to meet her up close and personal! Check out website: [www.frommarti.com](http://www.frommarti.com)

**Mar 29, Fri 10:00am– 4:00pm****“Pineapple Smoothie” Workshop**

Have you been putting off making a pineapple quilt because it looks too hard? Now is your chance to learn Marti’s method for fast and easy pineapples with no wasted fabric. \$40 class fee due with sign up. Use your own fabric for this 3 color quilt – make a little, make a lot. You can purchase Marti’s pineapple ruler from her.



## PROGRAMS EVENING 2019 — CONTINUED

## QUILTERS GUILD OF THE SOUTHERN CRESCENT

## UFO HARVEST: 2018-2019

- The Goal of the UFO Harvest is for members to reap the benefits of completing their UnFinished Objects.
  - UnFinished Object (“UFO”) is a quilting project, of any type, that is Under Construction (“UC”) or Ready to Quilt (“RQ”) as of Oct. 1, 2018 and is listed on this sheet.
  - “Completed” means that the project has progressed to being Ready to Quilt (“RQ”) or Finished (“F”) by the October 2019 meeting.
  - The Harvest will culminate in some fun (maybe silly) awards and prizes. No “quilt police” are involved and members are on the honor system. **All we ask is that you give us a copy of your sheet(s) by the October 24, 2018 meeting and then your completed sheet(s) by the October 2019 meeting.** You can copy, scan, photo, text, email your sheet(s) – or bring in and we will photograph for you.
- Status Definitions:
    - ◇ “UC” or Under Construction means that you have a design or pattern, have assembled your fabrics and have at least begun to cut or stitch your project.
    - ◇ “RQ” or Ready to Quilt – means that the quilt top is complete and ready for quilting, including the backing and batting.
    - ◇ “F” or Finished – means that your project is quilted, bound (if needed) and ready to use or display.
  - While not required, we do look forward to seeing your UFO quilts in Show and Tell throughout the year!
  - For more information or to send your sheet: judydaymont@gmail.com or 678.516.4533 (cell).
- The form referenced above is part of the UFO Harvest attachment to this newsletter.**



**2019 7TH ANNUAL RETREAT—THURS, APRIL 11, 10:00AM THROUGH SUN, APRIL 14TH, 4:00PM**

Retreat Committee: Sharon Pope, Laura Wheeler and Sue Tryon

Are you ready for another QGSC Retreat Weekend? How does 4 days & 3 nights of sewing, learning, sharing & being inspired sound??? Oh, and how about not having to cook or any home chores to steal your focus? As our returning retreaters tell us year after year, they are ready to sign-up before the current one ends!

Hope you will join us once again at Charlie Elliott Wildlife Center, in Mansfield, GA...only 1 hour away!

Our Retreat Agenda will include:

- another Mystery Quilt - #5,
- a fun Scrap project,
- our Annual Community Service Quilt project,
- and by popular demand, another Mini-Challenge.

These are all voluntary participation projects, so you will have the weekend for any you may want to try, or have all weekend to work on your personal projects. If you have a tip or trick you would like to demo, we would love to have you share that with us!

We have eliminated the door prize & grab bag exchanges. In their place, we will have a Secret Sister exchange for anyone who wants to participate. Once you are registered with your deposit paid, you will receive a preference sheet to fill out and return. These will be randomly issued to retreaters who want to “play along”, without a name attached. You will then purchase an item, or items, up to a value of \$35, and bring gift wrapped to the retreat. We will exchange these throughout the weekend rather than having door prize drawings.

The Registration Form for the retreat is attached with this Newsletter if you want to have it filled out and bring along to the October 25<sup>th</sup> nighttime meeting.

## QGSC 2018 OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS

**Co-Presidents:** Sarah Swab and Evie Tomlinson

**Daytime Meeting Facilitator:** Jean Shealy  
 Back up facilitator: Laura Bosma

**Secretary:** Tina Wilson

**Treasurer:** MJ Johnson

**Membership:** Gayle Newland

Membership Helpers:  
 Day: Claudia Singleton  
 Night: Jane McKeough

**2019 Raffle Quilt Designers:** Gretchen Caola  
 and Leah Simpson

**Raffle Quilt Sales:** Bonnie Weber

**Challenge Quilt Day:** Laura Wheeler

**Challenge Quilt Night:** Sharon Pope

**Community Service:** Sue Schultz and  
 Barbara Moyle

### Facilities

Day: Jean Shealy  
 Night: Sharon Pope & Sarah Swab

**Librarian:** Jean Shealy & Susan Klinker

### Monthly Mini

Day: Joan Willcox  
 Night: Sue Tryon

### Day Meeting Location:

Holy Trinity Catholic Church  
 (subject to change)  
 101 Walt Banks Road  
 Peachtree City, Georgia 30269

*Meeting Day:* 1st Friday of each month  
*Meeting Time:* 1:30pm

### Programs

Day 2018: Annette Forlines, Sue Schultz, Laura  
 Bosma, Mary Ann Thom, and Dana Wild

Night 2018: Eileen Reid and Judy Daymont  
 (includes show and tell)

Day 2019: Emma Ross, Candace Shively, Susan  
 Hawkins and Mayra Diaz

Night 2019: **Volunteers needed to assist  
 Judy Daymont**

Night 2020: Evie Tomlinson, Wanda Huderski,  
 Jane McKeough, MJ Johnson and Bonnie  
 Weber

**Door Prizes:** Rosemary Griffin

**Newsletter:** Wanda Huderski

### Refreshments

Day: Wilma Johnson  
 Night: Judy Mahfood and Sue Tryon

**Retreat:** Sharon Pope, Laura Wheeler  
 and Sue Tryon

**Show & Tell Ribbons:** Tina Wilson

**Sunshine & Shadows:** Gretchen Caola

**Website:** Wanda Huderski

**Silent Auction 2018:** Jane Coleman

### Evening Meeting Location:

Fayette Presbyterian Church  
 791 Highway 92  
 Fayetteville, Georgia 30214

*Meeting Day:* 4th Thursday of each month  
 unless otherwise announced.  
*Meeting Time:* 7:00pm

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