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QUILTERS GUILD OF THE SOUTHERN CRESCENT

THINGS THAT SHOULD BE ON YOUR 'FRONT BURNER'

OUR NEXT PROGRAMS!!

Thurs, May 23 at 7:00pm
"A Little Something Extra" with
Joan Willcocks

Joan has dazzled us for years with her quilts that have that "certain something". Now, she will share different ways to take our quilts from good to great. Joan is a treasure trove of ideas and never disappears.

Fri, June 7 at 1:30 pm at HTCC
Room #101
Technique Demo Derby—QGSC
members

Holy Trinity Catholic Church at 1:30 pm for a Technique Demo Derby! We will rotate around, viewing demonstrations of four different techniques. So glad we don't have to choose just one fantastic fabrication!

IMPORTANT

NOTE TO CONTRIBUTORS:

June articles are due by June 7th via email to this email address:

qgscquilters@gmail.com

NOTE: If your article is not received by then the newsletter will be published without it.

IMPORTANT

Upcoming Dates

May	23	7:00pm—Night Meeting
June	6	7:00pm—Board Meeting
	7	1:30pm —Daytime Meeting
	27	7:00pm—Night Meeting

Georgia Celebrates Quilts®

June 6, 7, 8, 2019
Cobb County Civic Center
Marietta, GA

See page 11 of newsletter for additional info

QGSC 2019 Challenge Quilt

Theme: "Say It Without Words"

- The first viewing and voting on the Challenge Quilts will take place at the July daytime meeting on July 12th.
- The Challenge Quilt Committee must have your entry **on or before July 12**.
- See page ## for submission instructions. There will be an email sent with the form to accompany your entry.
- No quilt submitted after July 12th will be considered for voting.



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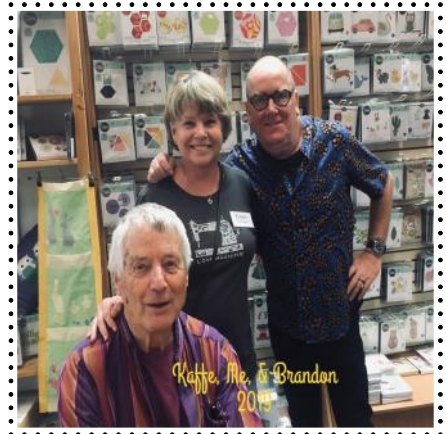
PRESIDENT'S LETTER

EVIE TOMLINSON & WANDA HUDERSKI, CO-PRESIDENTS

May flowers have arrived and soon many of you will be attending a graduation ceremony. It may be graduation from Kindergarten, High School, or College. Maybe it is just completing a quilt class that you have had on your bucket list!

So there are pros and cons when your daughter tells you her husband is taking a great job in England. (and yes the grandkids went with them). So I did what any self-respecting Grammie would do and researched quilt classes that I might be interested in attending while visiting them in England.

Kaffe Fassett and Brandon Mobley were teaching a colour theory class just 7 miles from my daughter's new home. No, I did not spell colour wrong! That is the correct spelling in England. My class with Kaffe and Brandon was fabulous. Everyone in the shop wore a shirt made from his fabric line. Lady Sew and Sew is the largest quilt shop in the UK. Good job kids for living close to this shop!



Kaffe said that his fabrics play well with others. Brandon enjoyed showing how their fabrics work great for clothing too. They both have a fabulous eye for colour. I learned to step out of my comfort zone and try a fabric that may not be my favorite but sings when grouped with others. Now I just need to make time to finish my quilt so I can share with you.

Evie

QGSC BOARD MEETING MINUTES – MAY 2, 2019

Sarah Swab

There was no board meeting held for the month of May 2019

HERE'S WHAT YOU MISSED IF YOU WERE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE 7TH ANNUAL QGSC RETREAT 4/11-14

Sharon Pope

WOW! I can hardly believe we've wrapped up our 7th Annual QGSC Retreat already! What a wonderful weekend we enjoyed! We had 26 in attendance; 7 attending for the first time! In addition to our personal projects, we had the opportunity for 3 new projects being presented & a mini challenge project. We had lots of laughter, made new connections & revisited friends while learning, sharing, trying out new projects & being absolutely inspired by all the creativity!!!

Sending out a huge thank you to Laura Wheater, Sue Tryon & Susan Brinson for their contributions to making this a memorable weekend! Without their tireless efforts we could not fulfill our commitment to our Retreaters for activities that will educate & inspire! The activities we plan for the Retreat are all "Optional", yet give you an opportunity to try something new & different with instruction provided. Appreciate you & your willingness ladies!

This year marked our 5th Annual Mystery Project for Retreat! The Mystery is designed to give everyone an opportunity to try something new with step-by-step instruction provided. Even if you are not participating in the Mystery at the Retreat, you can pick up the "clues" so you can create the project at your own pace at a later date. Thank you all who participated in another wonderful Mystery Quilt project that was fun to do & exciting to see come to life! We had wonderful participation in the Bargello Sew-A-Long project and hope to see all your finished tops soon!



Mystery - 2019 #5



Our Mini Challenge Project this year was wonderfully received! We didn't give out any "clues" until Friday at Retreat, then announced we would use scraps from our Quilter's sandbox (or your own fabrics) & some prepared batting & backing rectangles, to create a very usable Snap Close Bag! We shared ideas on QAYG (quilt as you go), to create a main bag that was ready for final construction when the top was done, or you could opt for more quilting as you desired. What fun to watch the ideas come to life! We revealed our creations on Saturday night & marveled at the talent in our midst! Thank you everyone for the overwhelming response requesting to do this type of Challenge again! The playing field was definitely level for everyone with only a hint & minimal info ahead of time!



Challenge - 2nd Annual QAYG Snap Close Bag

HERE'S WHAT YOU MISSED IF YOU WERE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE 7TH ANNUAL QGSC RETREAT 4/11-14

Sharon Pope

Thank you to everyone who attended our 7th Annual Retreat!!! You, yes YOU, make it the wonderfully memorable weekend that we look forward to each year! Stay tuned for info on #8 for 2020 coming soon!

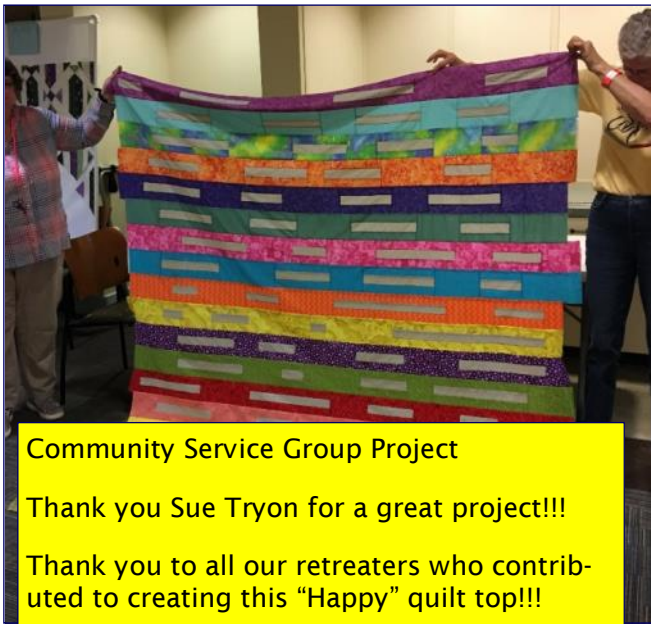
FABULOUS FINISHES !!!



Jane McAfee



Rosemary Griffin



Community Service Group Project
 Thank you Sue Tryon for a great project!!!
 Thank you to all our retreaters who contributed to creating this "Happy" quilt top!!!



Susan Brinson demonstrated a 6 Fat Quarter Jacket! Oh so FUN!!!! We'll all be wearing them soon! Thank you Susan!

HERE'S WHAT YOU MISSED IF YOU WERE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE 7TH ANNUAL QGSC RETREAT 4/11-14

MORE FABULOUS FINISHES !!!

Sharon Pope



Judy Mahfood



Joan Willcocks combined the Mystery Block with the Snap Close Bag Challenge!



Rosemary Griffin



Bargello Sew-A-Long with Laura Wheeler

MONTHLY MINI

Tina Wilson

Beginning in July, Monthly Minis will be due a month ahead to promote sales via email, Facebook, and our newsletter.

ANNUAL SILENT AUCTION AT DECEMBER MEETING

Gayle Newland

The silent auction is busy collecting all the great items you have ready for December. We now have a sign at the meetings to give you a place to put your donations. Look for it on a table at the back of the room. Thanks again for all your help.

Thank you for all your donations.



MONTH	DAY	NIGHT
May	Laura Bosma	Laura Bosma
June	Eileen Reid	Ron Kelly
July	Gloria Filippelli	Sue Klinker
August	Therisa Burk	Rosemary Griffin
September	Joan Willcocks	Sharon Pope
October	Wilma Johnson	Judy Mahfood
November	Paula Anderson	Myla Chapman

2020 RAFFLE QUILT – A GROUP PROJECT

Jennifer Woods and Susan Peryam

*Women's Suffrage Centennial Anniversary Quilt,
1920 - 2020*

Jennifer Woods and Susan Peryam are leading the group project to create the 2020 Raffle Quilt commemorating the centennial anniversary of women's right to vote in the United States.



Jennifer and Susan will layout the top and announce a sewing date to occur later in the summer.

Learn more about the quilt at <http://grandmotherschoice.blogspot.com/2012/09/1-grandmothers-choice.html>

LIBRARY

Jean Shealy

Sisterhood of the traveling books

Our Library was given a group of Quilt fictional books. You are welcome to grab one and enjoy it for as long as you need.

When you are finished write your name and date in the front of the book. Then bring it back and share how you enjoyed the book at Show and Tell. Then offer it to someone else in the quilt, or give it back to the library. We hope you will enjoy this fun book trade.

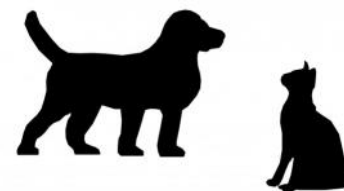
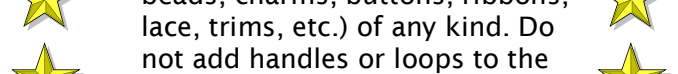
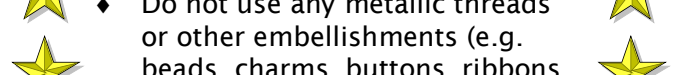
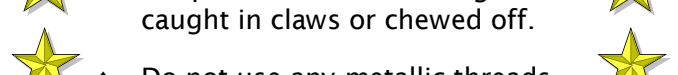
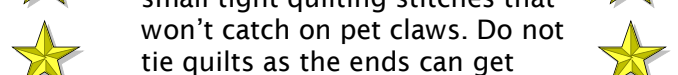
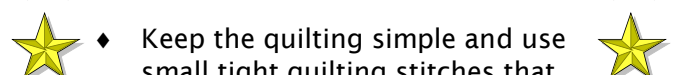
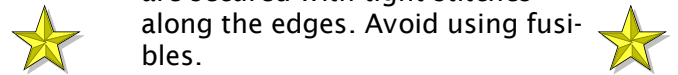
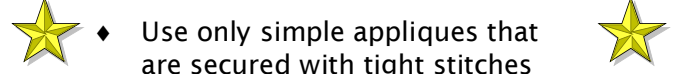
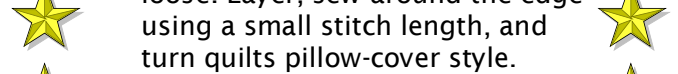
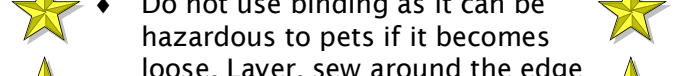
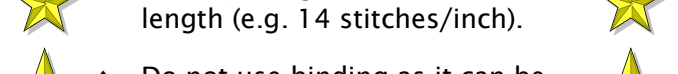
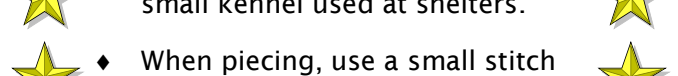
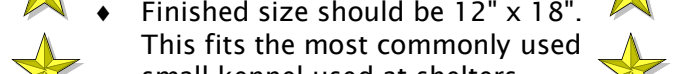
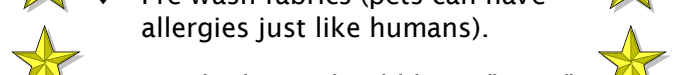
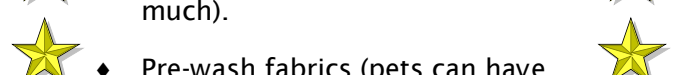
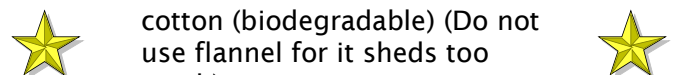
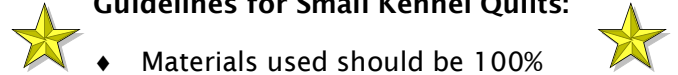
Here are the titles:

- Quilt By Association
- The Aloha Quilt
- The True Love Quilting Club
- The Sugar Camp Quilt
- Twelve Golden Treads
- The Master Quilter
- The Runaway Quilt
- The Quilter's Holiday
- The Quilter's Legacy
- Round Robin
- The Quilter's Apprentice
- Quilt As Desired
- The Union Quilters
- Hidden in Plain View



COMMUNITY SERVICE

Guidelines for Small Kennel Quilts:



2019 PROGRAMS — DAYTIME MEETINGS

Emma Ross, Candace Shively and Mayra Diaz

Our theme for Daytime Programs 2019: *SPLENDID FABRICATIONS!*

For more information or to sign up for workshops, contact a committee member:
Emma Ross, Candy Shively or Mayra Diaz

Fri July 12, 1:30 pm at HTCC Room #102**

(*Note DATE change due to holiday)

Daytime Challenge 2019

Fri Aug 2, 1:30 pm PTC Library

Join your fellow guild members for a *morning of sewing before our regular meeting time.*

Fri Sept 6, 1:30 pm at HTCC

Pulling It All Together: Building Fabric Combinations Using Modern Quilt Fabrics

With Beth Louche of Stash Fabrics, online fabric store in Alpharetta, GA

See how unique fabric bundles and a clever design wall can help you plan your next *SPLENDID FABRICATION*. Enjoy shopping time for high quality, *different* fabrics from Stash Fabrics.

Fri Oct 4, 1:30 pm at HTCC

Playing With Fabric—With Ellen Lindner

From perfect points, to messy raw edges, Ellen Lindner has done it all. Follow along on Ellen's creative journey as you view beautiful quilts and hear inspiring stories to spark your own *SPLENDID* artistic adventures.



Sat Oct 5, 9:30-4:00 PTC Library

WORKSHOP: Floral Improv—With Ellen Lindner

Spark your *SPLENDID* creativity to improvise a dynamic composition of flowers you make without a pattern. Then learn a clever way of facing your piece with *NO* hand sewing! Sign up required (begins late spring). Workshop fee \$40. Materials list.

Fri Nov 1, 1:30 pm *SHARP!* at HTCC

Sewing Room Progressive Tour (STARTS at HTC and moves throughout PTC area by car-pool!) - With four QGSC members

Learn the key elements of an efficient and organized sewing space and incorporate them into your *SPLENDID FABRICATIONS* space, whether a nook, a closet, or an entire room.

The December meeting is a combined meeting

Dec 12, Thu @ 7:00pm

**Silent Auction, Christmas Party and Raffle
Quilt Drawing**

Fayette Presbyterian Church

IMPORTANT

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EARLIER than usual!!**

NOTE TO CONTRIBUTORS:

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DAYTIME PROGRAMS

2019 PROGRAMS — NIGHTTIME MEETINGS

“Home Grown – Reap What You Sew”

*If you want to sign up for a workshop or for more information contact:
Judy Daymont – judydaymont@gmail.com*

Jun 27, Thu @ 7:00pm Birthday Party with Games & Prizes

Let's celebrate another great quilting year with fun and games...and cake, of course!



Jul 25, Thu @ 7:00pm Day & Night Quilt Challenge – Along with a Sit & Sew Supper (Pot Luck)

You'll only need to make one Challenge Quilt in 2019! Your entry will be displayed & voted upon at both the Day & Night July meetings, with prizes awarded at the Night meeting. Bring some hand work to enjoy while viewing these gorgeous quilts.

Aug 22, Thu @ 7:00pm From Traditional to Contemporary: “Releasing the Artist in All of Us” by Eileen Sullivan

Eileen's presentation is certain to speak to all types of quilters and inspire us to venture into new quilting territory. She was among the first to present foundation piecing as a way to create art quilts. Her “When Grandmother's Lily Garden Blooms” is in the permanent collection in Paducah.

Aug 23, Fri 10:00am – 4:00pm “How Does Your Garden Grow” Eileen Sullivan Workshop

\$40 class fee due with sign up. The thrust of the workshop is to develop unique, individual floral gardens from the numerous blocks given in handouts. Class work will complete several blocks then move on to composition, ‘sew-able’ arrangements, variations and preplanning an entire project. Check out website:

www.thedesignersworkshop.com

Sep 26, Thu @7:00pm “Horrible Happenings at the Winery” Murder Mystery Theatre

Just when you thought it was safe to go on another retreat with the Twisted Threadz Quilt Guild.....! Join us for a night of intrigue, double entendre and light refreshment. Please let Judy or Eileen know if you would like to take a part in the play; it is easy & great fun.

Oct 24, Thu @ 7:00pm Surprise, Surprise, Surprise!

You guessed it – this program is still under construction!

**** UFO Harvest sheets are due back by the
October meeting! ****

Nov 21, Thu @ 7:00pm UFO Finale – “Reap What You Sew”

This is your opportunity to pat yourself on the back for all the UFO's you completed this year. Whether it was zero (well, you at least thought about it!) or 100 (don't you just hate those overachievers!) you are a WINNER!!

Dec 12, Thu @ 7:00pm Silent Auction, Christmas Party and Raffle Quilt Drawing

NIGHTTIME PROGRAMS

UFO HARVEST 2019 UPDATE

Judy Daymont

Thirty one (31) members have signed up for the UFO Harvest. Congratulations to y'all!!



We hope to see your completed projects at Show 'N' Tell throughout the year. You will also have the opportunity to show (again) a couple of your favorites at the November meeting.

MEMBERSHIP

Gayle Newland

We had a small group at the night meeting on April 25th. Twenty-one members attended and there were no guests.

On May 3rd, at the daytime meeting, we had 35 members attend and 4 guests. We also had two of the guests join the guild. The guild is looking great and getting lots of new members.

QGSC 2019 RAFFLE QUILT

Gretchen Caola and Leah Simpson

We have tickets for sale and are always looking for venues at which to sell them!



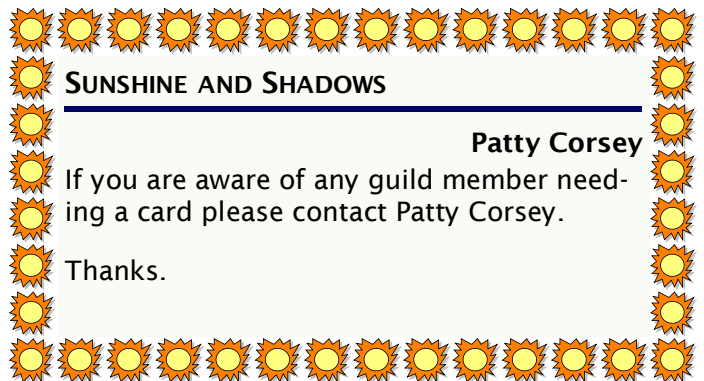
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UFO HARVEST: 2018-2019

- 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.

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



SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

Patty Corsey

If you are aware of any guild member needing a card please contact Patty Corsey.

Thanks.

2019 QGSC CHALLENGE QUILT

MJ Johnson, Claudia Singleton, Evie Tomlinson and Wanda Huderski

2019 Challenge Theme: "Say It Without Words"

- A short popular saying or proverb, usually of unknown and ancient origin, that expresses effectively some commonplace truth or useful thought.

Here are a few examples:

1. A stitch in time saves nine
2. A penny saved is a penny earned
3. If you snooze, you loose

The Internet has many sources for ideas here are two:

<https://www.fluentu.com/blog/english/useful-english-proverbs/>

<https://www.myenglishteacher.eu/blog/famous-proverbs-and-common-sayings/>

Guidelines:

- Decide on the saying you want to interpret
- Max size is total of 100" around the edge. (example 25 X 25)
- Can be any shape
- You cannot use any words to convey your message.
- Express yourself with your favorite color and shape—make it traditional or contemporary, modern or abstract. Expand your creativity. Your favorite color should visually be the focal point of the quilt. Piece it, appliqué it, embellish it—just make it your own!
- Only one entry per person
- Please have a label with your name on the back.
- **Submit your challenge in a pillow case that has your name on it please.**

Voting will occur at each of the July guild meetings.

Meeting dates for voting:

Day: Friday, July 12 AND

Night: Thursday, July 25

- The Challenge Quilt Committee will collect all the quilts on or before July 12. No quilt submitted after July 12th will be considered for voting.
- All quilts will be on display at each meeting
- Voting will occur at each meeting. Those attending get a vote regardless of if they attend both meetings.

Voting criteria and ribbons to be awarded:

- At each meeting, Members will get a sheet with numbers and lines. They are to fill in what they think the axiom is for each quilt.
- There will also be a space to list the member's favorite.
- All votes will be tabulated after the night time voting and the three quilts with the most correct answers each win a ribbon.
- Three additional ribbons will be awarded based on voting for Members Favorite.



Please submit your challenge at one of the June meetings if possible. This will make the set up process go more smoothly at the July 12 unveiling meeting.
Thanks.

REFRESHMENTS—2019 DAYTIME MEETINGS**Wilma Johnson**

Month	Last name begins with...
May	J, K, L
June	M, N, O
July	P, Q, R
August	Sew-in for community service, bring your lunch
September	S, T, U
October	V, W, X, Y
November	Sewing room tour
December	Holiday Lunch-All attending bring a dish to share.

The December meetings will be combined into one evening meeting that will be held on Thursday, December 12th.

REFRESHMENTS—2019 NIGHT MEETINGS**Sue Tryon**

Please, bring a snack to share. Snacks may be sweet...or NOT! Savory is excellent.

Variety is good and prepared at home is delightful, but beggars won't be choosers.

If you have questions, ask Sue Tryon.

Month	Last name begins with...
May	T—Z
June	Party - Refreshments provided
July	A—H
August	I—M
September	N—S
October	T—Z
November	A—H
December	Holiday Dinner -All attending bring

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**Georgia Celebrates Quilts®**

June 6, 7, 8, 2019

Cobb County Civic Center

Marietta, GA

<https://ecqg.com/quilt-show/>

The **East Cobb Quilters' Guild** will present the 17th Biennial Quilt Show and Market, Georgia's largest juried and judged Quilt Show, with over 325 quilts from by artists all around Georgia. Beautiful handmade ribbons and \$4,000 in cash prizes will be awarded by nationally-certified judges.

To complete the show experience, visitors can shop with dozens of the best quilt vendors from near and far; they can buy quilts, quilted treasures, and postcards handmade by Guild members; they can buy raffle tickets and pins; and they can see all the student Block Party entries on display.

QGSC 2019 OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Co-Presidents:

Evie Tomlinson and Wanda Huderski

Daytime Meeting Facilitator:

Rosemary Griffin and Evie Tomlinson
Back up facilitator: Laura Bosma

Secretary:

Sarah Swab

Treasurer:

MJ Johnson

Membership:

Membership Helpers:

Day: Claudia Singleton
Night: Stephanie Hauke

2020 Raffle Quilt Designer(s):

Jennifer Woods and Susan Peryam

2019 Raffle Quilt Sales:

Gretchen Caola and Leah Simpson

Challenge Quilt Day and Night Combined:

MJ Johnson, Wanda Huderski, Evie Tomlinson and Claudia Singleton

Community Service:

Sue Schultz and Barbara Moyle

Facilities

Day: Rosemary Griffin
Night: Sharon Pope

Librarian:

Jean Shealy & Susan Klinker

Monthly Mini :

Day and Night: Tina Wilson

Programs:

Day 2019: Emma Ross, Candy Shively and Mayra Diaz

Night 2019: Volunteers needed to assist Judy Daymont

Day 2020: Emma Ross, Robbin Manter, Joanne Gorrell and Candy Shively

Night 2020: Evie Tomlinson, Wanda Huderski, MJ Johnson, Claudia Singleton

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:

Pattie Corsey

Website:

Wanda Huderski

Silent Auction 2019 at the joint

December Meeting: Gayle Newland

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

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

Any changes to regular meeting locations are noted on the web page calendar, Facebook and reminder email.

OUR MAILING ADDRESS IS:

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