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Attached to this email: **QGSC Raffle Quilt** History Need your input

**November articles** are due Nov. 10th

**Next Board Meeting:** Nov. 3rd - 7PM - ZOOM



# QUILTERS GUILD OF THE SOUTHERN CRESCENT

# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE — JANE MCAFEE

It is the season for autumn fun. My husband and I took our 11-year-old grand twins to the Georgia National Fair in Perry. The guys quickly took off to explore the rides, while the gals, Cadence and I, headed to the horse barns.

Later, when we went searching for vendors to find Cadence a gluten free lunch, the VFW looked like a good option. After I placed an order for a burger with no bun, someone came and asked specific questions about her needs. He then cooked for her in a separate area and delivered not one, but two burgers! Thank you VFW!!!

After eating, Cadence was finally ready to head to my happy place to see the Georgia Living Programs. I enjoyed the quilts when Cadence wasn't distracting me with the many art exhibits that caught her interest. We weren't in there as long as I would have liked, but I gathered some ideas for future projects and I did find Joan Willcocks' quilt and one of David Scott's quilts. It was fun to see the work of our guild members represented at this event.

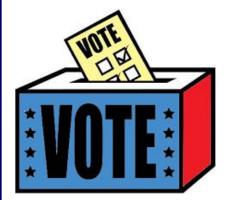
Cadence eventually got me back to the horse arena to watch the draft horse show. We arrived home late full of junk food and with an unanimous agreement to return next year.

It was a good beginning to my autumn fun. Check out this newsletter so you don't miss out on the exciting things going on during these autumn months. You will find information on the election, the wrap-up to our scrappy year, the auction and so much more.

Let me know what you enjoy about autumn! Email me at: ggscquilters@gmail.com.

Happy autumn quilting!

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# **QGSC Officers & Committee Chairs Elections Schedule**

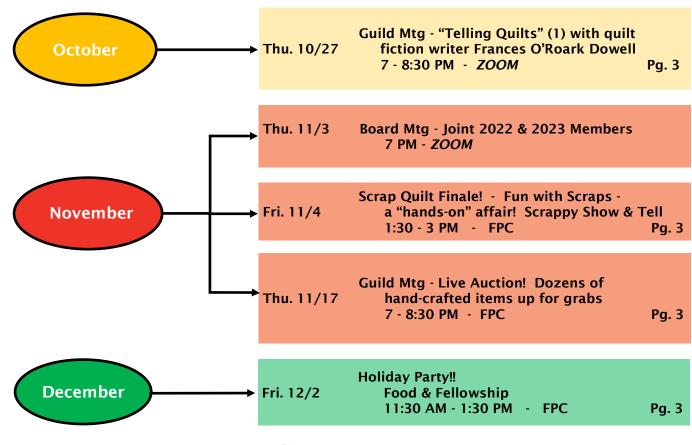
Oct. 15th - Nominations From Members Are Due QGSC Bylaws allow for nominations from the membership. Nominations (including self-nominations) should be emailed

to ggscquilters@gmail.com by Oct. 15. Oct. 20th - On-line Voting Commences Members will receive voting information via email and can vote on-line until the evening meeting on Oct. 27.

Oct. 27th - Voting Results Announced Results of the voting will be announced at the end of the Zoom meeting on Oct. 27.

See Page 4 for list of Nominees for Officers and Committee Chairs







(1) A non-member program fee of \$10.00 will be charged for this program. The non-member program fee will be applied to membership dues if paid at the same program meeting.

"FPC" is Fayette Presbyterian Church.

There is a 30 minute "social hour" prior to the start of the meetings.

This Guild Calendar is for quick reference. We encourage you to go to the pages indicated for more information.

PROGRAMS October 2022

"Telling Quilts"
Frances O'Roark Dowell
Fiction Writer
Thursday, October 27: 7 - 8:30 PM - ZOOM

Frances has combined her love of quilting and her love of telling stories in her new books written for adult readers. She also hosts the popular "Off-Kilter Quilt" podcast, where she talks about her latest quilt projects with friends and fellow quilters around the globe.

www.francesdowell.com



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"Scrap Quilt Finale including Show & Tell" Presented by Scrappers Small Group A "Hands-On" Affair Friday, November 4: 1:30 - 3 PM - FPC

We want to see the gorgeous scrap quilts you have been working on, so bring them for Show & Tell, even if they are not "finished". We are also going to play with some scraps - what could be more fun?



### \*\* QGSC Annual LIVE Auction \*\* Thursday, November 17: 7 - 8:30 PM - FPC

What can compare with the thrill of a live auction? Well, how about bidding on a hand-made treasure or personally curated basket of goodies? And then there is the fun of out-bidding your quilting buddies!

For more information about donating items and transportation, if needed, see article on Pg. 5.



# \*\* Guild Holiday Party \*\* Friday, December 2: 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Please plan to join us for good food and fellowship. This is a great way to wrap up the past year and learn about what's in store for the next.

We will serve a catered box lunch. [\$10 donation is recommended]. If you can bring your Yo-Yo Tree for use as table décor, please contact Jane McAfee. See Pg. 9 for her contact info.



October 2022 2023 PLANNING

PROPOSED 2023 Officers & Committee Chairs		
President*	Judy Daymont	
Community Service	Jennifer Clay (lead), Sara Swab, Wilma Johnson	
Holiday Party	TBD later in year	
Auction	Not to be filled at this time	
President Elect*	Laura Wheater	
Nominating	TBD in July	
Challenge	Evie Tomlinson	
Monthly Mini	Tina Wilson	
Show-N-Tell	Laura Bosma (Day); Sue & Abbie Klinker (Night)	
Audit	TBD later in year	
Secretary*	Paula Preti	
Historian	Jean Shealy & Judy Balek	
Librarian	Jean Shealy & Sue Klinker	
Treasurer*	Brandi Shockley	
Raffle Quilt	Not to be filled at this time	
Retreat	Sharon Pope, Laura Wheater, Sue Tryon	
VP Membership*	Martha Walker	
Sunshine/Shadows	Gloria Filippelli	
Refreshments	Wilma Johnson (Day)	
<b>VP Communications*</b>	Phyllis Coppolino	
Webmaster	Danna Freeney	
Newsletter	Jane McAfee	
Social Media	Candy Shively, Laura Bosma	
VP Programs*	Susan Peryam	
Daytime	Deb Sweeney	
Evening	Karen Shellnut	
2024 Planning	Karen Shellnut & Susan Wright	
Facilities	Sylvia Bolton, Jorie Statura	
* Member of the Executive Committee		

#### Elections of 2023 Officers & **Committee Chairs**

- Nominations from membership will be taken through October 15. Send email to
  - qqscquilters@qmail.com
- By October 20, members will receive link in email to vote on-line through October 27.
- Results of the voting will be announced at the end of the October 27 night meeting, which is on Zoom.

If you have questions, or do not receive the link to vote by October 21, please email qgscquilters@gmail.com



To all those who have agreed to serve in 2023!!

# Anniversary

2023 Program Planning

#### Register for QuiltCon Today!

If you register before 11/30, entry is free for MQG members. Non-members: \$15 for one day pass; \$40 for four day pass.

https:// modernquilters.configio.com/ login

#### 25TH ANNIVERSARY PLANNING COMMITTEE

Susan Peryam

Mark your calendar for the following:

#### QuiltCon 2023, Atlanta - Thu-Fri, Feb. 23-26, 2023

- This is the Modern Quilt Guild's [MQG] annual show. It is HUGE, with workshops, vendors, and quilt competitions.
- Our Board has designated Thu. Feb. 23 as "QGSC Day at QuiltCon". Carpooling, dinner and more are in the planning stage.
- Its not too late to book a room at the Westin Peachtree for Thurs. Feb 23. Other members will be spending the night:

https://book.passkey.com/event/50320706/owner/324/home

#### 25th Anniversary Luncheon Celebration - Sat. Apr. 29

♦ Catered lunch, nostalgia, new & old friends

#### **AUCTION 2022**

Joan Willcocks

#### LIVE Auction Thursday, November 17 - 7 PM - FPC

The Auction is right around the corner!

I hope you are working on your hand-crafted items or constructing your unique, curated gift bundle for this event. Our starting price for each item will be \$20, but they are worth so much more!

Are you uncertain as to what to make or assemble? Perhaps reviewing the items shown below will give you some ideas. Or you might consider:

- Wearables & accessories
- Knitted, crocheted, etc. items
- Tote bags, purses (can't have too many)
- Kitchen accessories, aprons
- Holiday ornaments & décor
- Wall hangings, bulletin boards
- Homemade doll clothes
- Complete kits (including patterns & fabric)
- The list is endless!



Sylvia Bolton made a fabulous, festive wall hanging for us. Just imagine it decorating your home for the Holidays!

Bring your donations (and your credit card, check or cash) to the night meeting on November 17th.

If you need a ride to the auction, please let us know at ggscquilters@gmail.com. If you can't make it to the auction, but are donating



Terrific Tool Tote, made by Judy Balek, measures 11"x9"x7" when closed. It is a great way to organize everything to take to retreat, the next class or Sew-In!





...And don't forget about these gorgeous guilt-inspired stained glass windows. They will be auctioned off individually, so you have three chances to take one home! Donated by Jane Coleman

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Jennifer Clay

On September 15th, I delivered 9 quilts and 60 pillowcases to Christian City. They were extremely grateful and the items will be much appreciated. Thank you to all who contributed.

We hope to donate 160 placemats to Fayette Meals on Wheels. However, we only received 80 by the October 7th deadline. Let's see if we can get another 80 made by Friday, November 4th. That will still allow us to deliver them before Thanksgiving. Placemats should finish 12" x 18".

#### **Going forward**

Please make every effort to complete your Community Service quilt. If you have a top that you are unable to make into a finished quilt, please prepare the backing & binding and contact Jennifer for a quilting referral. Robbin Manter has volunteered to guide and supervise members who wish to finish their quilt on her longarm at her house. We also have a few members with longarm machines who have generously offered to do some guilting for us.

Type of Quilt	Organization	Size Range	Team Leader
Baby Quilts	Pregnancy Resource Center	Width: 30" - 45" Length: 40" - 55"	Jennifer Clay
Throws for Children, Youths & Adults	Christian City	Width: 45" - 60" Length: 65" - 75"	Jennifer Clay
Patriotic Quilts for Veterans	Quilts of Valor	Width: 55" - 72" Length: 65" - 90"	Sarah Swab
Throws & Pillowcases for Youths 10 & Up	Bloom Closet	Width: 45" - 60" Length: 65" - 75"	Robbin Manter

#### Show & Tell

# Laura Bosma, Sue & Abbie Klinker

Remember that Community Service and Auction items are welcome at Show & Tell. Please bring your Scrappy projects (finished or not) to the Nov. 4th meeting.

We will not have Show & Tell at the Holiday Party, so we hope you will have your Christmas gifts ready to show before then.

#### **REFRESHMENTS - DAY MEETING**

#### Wilma Johnson

We hope you will bring PRE-PACKAGED snacks to share at the Day Meeting in the month that corresponds to your last name's initial.

Day Meeting	Last Name Begins With:
November	W, X, Y, Z

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

Martha Walker

Our Directory is posted in the Members Only section of the website. If you have trouble accessing the website, please contact Danna Freeney. Her contact information is on Pg. 9.

Please wear your name tag - it helps new members (and some of us old ones) get to know you better!

Meeting Attendance			
Meeting	Members & Guests	2022 Average	
September Night	23	31	
October Day	36	34	
Membership			
Total Membership		100	

#### MONTHLY MINI

Tina Wilson

"Thank You" to all those who have agreed to make and donate an item for our Monthly Mini drawing!

# 2022 Monthly Mini

MONTHLY MINI	DAY MEETING	NIGHT MEETING
January	Angela LaVigna	Stephanie Hauke
February	Susan Peryam	Jane Coleman
March	Jane McAfee	Angela LaVigna
April	Priscilla Hettema	Rosemary Griffin
May	Mayra Diaz	Sylvia Bolton
June	Tina Wilson	Judy Daymont
July	Jan Tober	Sue Klinker
August	Laura Bosma	Abbie Klinker
September	Addie Towery	Sarah Swab
October	Joan Willcocks	Laura Bosma
November	Wilma Johnson	Joan Willcocks
December	Deb Sweeney	N/A





#### And the Winner Is:

Jorie Stachura took home the delightful Mini Pumpkin Sprite from the October day meeting.

#### RETREAT 2023

#### **Sharon Pope**

#### **OPEN SEW-IN & SCRAPPERS SMALL GROUP**

**Judy Daymont** 



Mark your calendars: the dates for the 2023 Retreat are March 30 -April 2!

More information to come.

Friday, November 4, from 9 AM - 1 PM is our last Small Group & Sew-In of the year. We meet in the Fayette Presbyterian Fellowship Hall and all are welcome. Cutting table and iron are set up for your convenience, as well as some limited extension cords.

Bring your lunch or plan to eat out, but make sure to come back for our Day meeting featuring our Scrap Finale & Scrappy Show & Tell!