

# Lake Quilters' Tidings

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## Programs and Workshops

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### October 25, 2011 — Linda Cantrell

A painter before a quilter, Linda started quilting as a hobby in 1980. Soon she was making pictorial quilts using appliqué of fabrics and embroidery thread as her paints and brushes. Linda's specialty is humorous pictorial applique. Her award-winning quilts have been exhibited nationally, including the **AQS**, **IQAS**, **NQAS**, Quilters Heritage Show, Silver Dollar City Quilt Show, Quilt America!, Dollywood Quilt Show, Indiana Heritage Show, The David and Peter Mancuso Shows. Her works are at Duke University, Southern Highland Craft Guild, and at Winston Salem and Duke Hospitals. Linda spends her time quilting, teaching quilting, or visualizing the next one.

Linda will be teaching a workshop "Fairies and Morning Glories" and the lecture for the Guild Meeting will be "Applique...I did it my way".

### November 22, 2011 — Neva Hart

Neva will be our speaker (No Workshop). She is a local Quilt Appraiser and Historian in Virginia...**AQS** Certified. She is President of the Professional Assn. of Appraisers-Quilted Textiles. She will be doing the program on "How to Value and ADD Value to your Quilts". She will discuss how appraisers place a value on quilts and what today's quilt makers can do to make their work valuable for the future.

### January 24, 2012 — Jill Schetel

Klassy Kitchen is a 3 hour workshop—\$10 plus materials or kits. Kits will be available for all three projects. Kit information will be available at the October Guild meeting. (Class minimum is 10). This workshop will offer three projects: apron, pot holder and/or Tea Towel. All three will be demonstrated. You may choose to do them all or just one or two. Samples of each project will be displayed at our October meeting.

**Sign-up for this workshop begins with the October 25 guild meeting.**

For up-to-date information and photos of Guild happenings... Be sure to visit our website at <http://www.lakequilters.org>

Email additions or questions to [bonnie@lakequilters.org](mailto:bonnie@lakequilters.org)  
Bonnie Bull,  
Webmaster

### NEXT MEETING

November 22, 2011

Board Meeting

October 28, 2011

PLEASE TURN OFF CELL PHONES

## Ripples From Our President

By Linda Quinn



Linda

### OCTOBER, 2011

It is hard to believe it is already October and Christmas is only 2 months away. As you move into the final days of "production mode" for holiday gifts, remember to set aside a special quilt and one or two small handmade door prizes for our quilt show. April will be here before we

know it. Also, Haley Rudeii will have our quilt show quilt raffle tickets available at this month's guild meeting. It should be easy to sell them—that beautiful quilt would look lovely in any home.

The election of officers will occur at our October meeting. The proposed slate is: Dottie Wilson, President and Pat Blice and Kate Holdgreve, VP Programs 2013 (working with Teena Livsey and Sharon Riley, our 2012 VP Programs). Regina Cosgrove, Joyce Noel and Marnie Brush will be continuing as VP Membership, Secretary and Treasurer, respectively, as they move into the second year of their 2 year term.

Kudos to Bette Gove for doing such an awesome job on the guild's 2010 scrapbook. Please check the library for a chance to enjoy this wonderful celebration of 2010. Many thanks for capturing part of our history.

Remember to register for the December luncheon. Teena Livsey and Sharon Reilly will also be accepting registrations for the workshops in early 2012. This may seem early, but we only have one more meeting before January and you don't want to miss out.

One final reminder, the board will be working on the budget at the end of October. Committee chairs, we need your input, so please submit your budget requests to me by the October guild meeting. Thanks!

Enjoy the colors,  
*Linda Quinn*

#### WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

Notice of guild meeting cancellations due to bad weather will be posted on the WSLs website: <http://www.wsls.com>. Click on "Weather"/"Closings". A link to the WSLs web site can be found at the bottom of the HOME page on our web site (<http://www.lakequilters.org>)

For further information or questions, please contact the Guild President or the Program Chairperson (VP). Their contact information is listed in the newsletter under the current officers.

#### New Members

Diane Brown

Chris Cameron

Shirley Curry

Jill Desaulniers

Marion Klimczak

Ps...Don't forget your name tags!

Reginia Cosgrove,  
Membership Chair

#### Volunteer Clean-Up Schedule

#### Thank you to Hospitality Co-Chairs

*Jennifer Jones*

*Carole McRae*

#### October Reminder

*Stitches in Time Bee*

#### November Reminder

*Shady Ladies Bee*

### ANNUAL HOLIDAY LUNCHEON

Our holiday luncheon will be held at the Waterfront Country Club on Tuesday, December 13. Please bring your challenge quilts at 11:00 for display and voting. Lunch will be served at 12:00, followed by an exchange of handmade ornaments and awarding prizes to the challenge winners. Please mark your lunch menu choice on the enclosed **insert** (attachment) and bring it with **\$15.00** (payable to Lake Quilters Guild or LQG) to the October or November guild meeting. You may also send your menu choice and check to:

Carole MacRae

**Menu choice and payment must be received by November 22nd.**

### Reminders

**3D Challenge:** It is the end of October. We need to get our Challenge done so we can start our Christmas gifts, etc. Some of you have already done your holiday sewing, which makes you too organized for me! The last minute seems to really get me going! Is the last minute what inspires you to finish your challenge? To all of you "goddesses of the last minute", look at your calendar and finish your 3D challenge before the morning of December 13th. I am looking forward to the luncheon to see all your entries.

Have some great days sewing,

Katherine Lewis

### Guidelines for Workshops

Workshops are special opportunities for a small group of people (usually only 20) to have instruction from a guest teacher. Please follow these guidelines when signing up for a workshop:

- Sign-up will begin at 12:30 at the Guild meeting in the month announced for the workshop sign-up. Only people who have signed-up AND paid can attend the workshop. You are not considered "signed-up" until you pay your money!
- If you are unable to attend the guild meeting at which the sign-up occurs, have a friend sign you up and pay your money. We will **NOT** be taking phone sign-ups before this time...Please don't ask us to break this rule.
- Once the workshop is filled, a waiting list will be formed. If someone drops out of the class, the next person on the waiting list will be called. Please do not by-pass the waiting list by selling your spot to a friend. It is not fair to those who have been put on the waiting list.
- Once you are on the list, and find you will be unable to attend, you will not get a refund unless someone is found to take your place. Please call **Ruth Ann Assaid(992-6445)** or **Eloise Vass(721-4007)** as soon as you know you can't come and the next person on the waiting list will be called. If there is no one on the waiting list, you may then find your own replacement.

**Charity Bee Happenings**

**COMING FEBRUARY 28, 2012!!!  
THE PILLOW PAL BEAUTY PAGEANT**

In response to a request from the Franklin Health and Rehabilitation Center for Pillow Pals and the ongoing need for Pillow Pals in the Franklin County and Bedford County Hospital Emergency Rooms, the Guild is sponsoring a Pillow Pal Beauty Pageant. Won't you join the fun and enter the contest? Your finished pillow pal should make her/his debut at our February 28, 2012 Charity Workshop Program. Prizes will be awarded! All the participating Pillow Pals will be honored in a display at our 2012 Quilt Show — and following the show the Pillow Pals will go to their new community service "homes".

There will be two categories for the "competition".

- (1) **THE YOUTHFUL BEAUTIES**— These are the Pals for the Emergency Rooms. They should be cute and cuddly with no trims or embellishments that could detach and be a choking hazard..
- (2) **THE MATURE LOVELIES**— These are destined for nursing patients at Franklin Health and Rehab. Imagination can go wild with these lovelies. Buttons, beads, fashionable lace and fur will add to their style!

To aid you in your production, Sandra Ferguson has reworked the Pillow Pal pattern and instructions. Copies are available at the Charity Table and on the Guild web page. Please use your own fabrics/supplies rather than the kits. Let's save those for the routine Pillow Pal donations.

**Things to See and Do, Places to Go**

**Things to See:**

**Drunkards Path Quilt Block** at The Artisan Center, 224 Franklin St. in Rocky Mount

**Things to Do:**

Contact Valerie Van Dyke of Savoy-Lee Winery (Huddleston, VA) - 540.297.9275 or

[valerie@savoy-lee.com](mailto:valerie@savoy-lee.com)

**Websites to Visit:**

<http://www.vaquiltmuseum.org>

<http://www.rockymountarts.org> website of The Grainery Art Gallery and Studios

<http://www.vcq.org/celebration/2012/index.php>



**Treasurer's Report**

|                          |                  |
|--------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Balance (8/31/11)</b> | <b>\$3974.27</b> |
| <b>Income</b>            |                  |
| Xmas Lunch               | 225.00           |
| Workshop                 | 205.00           |
| Dues                     | 40.00            |
| Guild Merchandise        | 10.00            |
| <b>Total Income</b>      | <b>\$480.00</b>  |
| <b>Expenses</b>          |                  |
| Administration           | 191.99           |
| Newsletter               | 22.05            |
| Hospitality              | 8.00             |
| Programs                 | 386.00           |
| Membership               | 15.75            |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>    | <b>\$623.79</b>  |
| <b>Balance (9/30/11)</b> | <b>\$3830.48</b> |

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**Rose-Marie's Sewing Studio  
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Rose-Marie's Quilting Cottage is looking forward to helping you get your unfinished quilts finished so you can have a start toward your Christmas Presents. What nicer gift could you give, but a quilt made by you. Remember, finished is beautiful.



**Quilting at the Winery**

We have been invited to display quilted items at the Savoy-Lee Winery (Huddleston, VA) in their wine tasting room during the month of December. They have offered us a venue to sell some quilts as holiday gifts. They have also expressed an interest in possibly having a few of our members come out one weekend and do a little demonstration for attendees. If you would like more information or would like to participate, please contact:

Valerie Van Dyke, General Manager  
Savoy-Lee Winery  
540-297-9275  
Valerie@savoy-lee.com

**Kept in Stitches Bee**  
AKA the Post-Surgery Bee

Get well wishes go to these four "in stitches" bee members:

Marilyn Doble—foot surgery  
Alma Carter—surgery

Same surgery on the same day by the same surgeon—this is one tight-knit bee!

Sue Palmer  
Melba Smith

Now you can recover together, go to therapy together  
And **QUILT** together!

**Quilt Stories**

**Wednesday, October 26 at 9:30 am**  
**2nd Helpings-Shop-Gallery-Café**  
**1502 Williamson Rd., Roanoke**

**Reservations: 540-344-0931 or [mharv@infionline.net](mailto:mharv@infionline.net)**

How can one incorporate the story of her life into a quilt? Paula Golden brings her "share quilts" as well as quilts from her vast collection. Paula will explain how quilts reflect the history of our country. From simple stitching to painting on fabrics, there are many ways to express the joys and sorrows in our lives.



**Cathy Fandel**

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*Do you have news or ads?*

*Have you taken a class, visited a website, exhibit, shop or show that you would like to share with your guild members? Contact:*

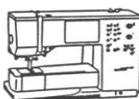
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For MEMBERS you know who need a bit of cheer, please contact our Sunshine Chair, Madeline Demchak.  
**([madal687@yahoo.com](mailto:madal687@yahoo.com))**



## Block of the Month 2011 Row by Row Mystery Quilt

Dottie Wilson, Chairperson

I hope the time off has given you the opportunity to finish the rows and not be too frustrated. We're getting close to completing our Seminole Sampler project. This month we'll decide in what order we want to put our rows together and get measurements for borders. I'll also have a couple of projects for the left-over scraps of our rows.

In October, we will be finishing the quilt; borders, binding, accent strips and backing. November will be show-and-tell month for us. I'm looking forward to hearing all about how the quilt went together. You ladies have come up with some great suggestions as we've come through the year. Thanks.

**Attention!** I messed up the directions for putting together row 10. It should be sewn together **light, dark, medium**. The instructions read **light, medium, dark**, but the diagram shows **light, dark, medium**. If you already have sewn it together, leave it and put it together as is. You'll have your own unique row!

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## LIBRARY CORNER



Whoop — Hoo

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The library has added a number of new books.

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Anne Ochs

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## NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

I WILL BE SENDING SEVERAL ATTACHMENTS

WITH THIS NEWSLETTER:

PILLOW PAL INSTRUCTIONS

HOLIDAY LUNCHEON MENU SIGN-UP

JANUARY 2012 WORKSHOP INFO & SIGN-UP

**OCTOBER FEATURED BEE**

**Stitches in Time**

Stitches in Time is an applique bee that meets on the second Tuesday at 10. Bring your own lunch.

Their project this year is Hearts and Flowers blocks by Kathy Delaney.

For more information, call Kinza Pickelsimer at 540-798-5295.

**Charity Bee Workshop News**

This workshop at Smith Mountain Lake Quilting will again be held on the 4th Wednesday of each month. We will be resuming this activity on October 26th at 12 noon. Karen Arends will be introducing our new project at this get-together. We are looking forward to seeing any and all who can participate. We will have a sign up sheet at the September meeting, but you can come whether or not you have been to the meeting to sign up.

**To join an existing bee or start a new one, contact:**

**Gloria Thar...gloriathar@yahoo.com or**

**Hallie Ruedi...721-2595**



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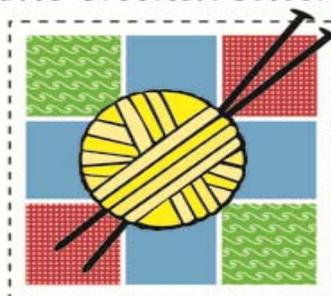
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## Buzzing from the Bees by Hallie & Gloria

**Bag Ladies Bee** (Moneta area) - meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 10:00 am to ??? at Mary Ann Spangler's (297-1335). Bring lunch. Will continue to work on charity items for children. Also, now using completed Friendship Squares to create other items. Working on poor man's crazy quilts (also know as orphan's square). Addressing/sharing thoughts regarding color schemes and appliqué and embellishment techniques. Will display in January 2011 **(Full at this time.)**

**Blue water Bee** (Moneta) - meets 1st Tuesday, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm, at Smith Mountain Lake Quilting Shop; Contact Marnie Brush (719-7845). Members will demonstrate different techniques or projects each month. We will be making a new charity quilt for donation to Social Services. **(Full at this time.)**

**Buzzin' Bees** (Boones Mill) - meets 1st Thursday 9:00 am to ??? at Velma Meador's home. Bring lunch.

**Friendship Bee** (Hardy) - meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday, 10:00 am to 3 pm. Call Gloria Thar for meeting location. Bring lunch. Bring anything you've started or want to start; there will be help for new quilters. Will display in July 2011. **(New members Welcome).**

**Hardy Bee** (Moneta) - meets 4th Tuesday, 9:00 am to noon, at Dot Jackson's home. Working on "row by row" quilts and continuing making charity projects. The group prepared and delivered a quilt to local veteran Bob Vandelinde for Veteran's Day. Will display in April 2011. **(Full at this time.)**

**Kept in Stitches Bee** (Hillcrest Heights) - meets 1st and 3rd Thursday, 10:00 am to 3:00 pm, at Alma Carter's home. Main focus for 2011 will be charity project, cotton theory, civil war quilt and UFO's. Will display in September 2011. **(Full at this time.)**

**Material Girls Bee** (various towns)- meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 9:30 am to 2:30 pm. Call Marcia Wright or Kate Holdgreve. Bring lunch. Making quilts for each member. Will display in August 2011. **(Full at this time.)**

**River Queen Bee** (Goodview) - meets 3rd Tuesday, 12:30 pm. Call Linda Pote or Sharon Cullen for meeting location. Working on UFO's, charity items for hospitals and battered women shelters, and a new round robin quilt. Will display in June 2011 **(New Members welcome.)**

**Sassy Stitchers Bee** (Roanoke) - Meets 3rd Tuesday 10:00 am to 3:00 pm at St. John Lutheran Church. Contact Joyce Noell for information. Will display in May 2011. **(Always open to new members.)**

**Shady Ladies Bee** (Various locations) - Meets 1st Monday from 10 am until Noon Call Hallie Ruedi for meeting location. Working on two round robin (row-by-row) charity quilts. This year's plan is to have a member demonstrate a different project/technique each month. Will display in November 2011. **(Full at this time.)**

**Southside Bee** (Union Hall) - meets 2nd Thursday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Bring lunch. Call Irene Capps. Will display in March 2011. **(Full at this time.)**

**Stitches In Time** (Goodview) - Appliqué Bee 2nd Thursday, 10:00 am. Bring lunch. Call Kinza Pickelsimer Project: Hearts and Flowers blocks by Kathy Delaney. Will display in October 2011..

**Sunshine Bee** (White House Corner/Huddleston) - meets 1st Thursday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, at Cindy Clark's home. Bring lunch. **(Full at this time.)**

**IF YOU WISH TO BECOME A MEMBER OF A BEE or IF YOU HAVE ANY UPDATES/CHANGES FOR THE ABOVE BEES, CALL HALLIE RUEDI (721-2595) OR GLORIA THAR (890-7916) BEFORE THE 3RD OF EACH MONTH.**

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