



Lake Quilter's News



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President's Message

Hello Quilting Ladies!

I am anxious to see you at our March meeting on March 27! We arrived home from sunny Florida to the still cold Virginia weather. But Spring is not far away, and I look forward to seeing all the blooming flowers, shrubs and trees. I know the changing seasons always inspire me to get busy on new projects. I was a busy seamstress while away and brought back several projects and lots of tropical material for future quilts. I hope you remember to pick up a Virginia Register at the March meeting. They were sent to me in Florida and I carted them all the way back to Virginia. ;) They are good to read and have coupons too. Many thanks go to Cecily Sue and others who took care of so much while I was gone. I trust Joyce and Joyce have made many plans for our April Quilt Show. I know many of you will be available to volunteer during that time. It should be wonderful. I'm looking forward to it!

See you soon!

Mary Hamlin, LQG President

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I said "I don't ever want to be kept alive, dependent on a machine and fluids from a bottle."

He got up, unplugged my Bernina, and poured out all my wine!



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Next board meeting:

Monday April 16th

10.00AM at

Windtree Clubhouse

2018 WORKSHOPS & PROGRAMS

Cecily-Sue Roth & Shannan Maggied, VP Programs

The exciting and educational **2018 Workshops and Programs Calendar** includes many **award-winning and nationally renowned** quilting speakers, workshop leaders, designers and authors who each bring their own inspiring personal stories, patterns and techniques to share with **quilters of all ages and skill levels**. **Check the list below and sign up as soon as possible!**

Mon., Mar. 26, 9 am-3 pm: Suzzie Schuyler – “Halftime Event” Workshop

National speaker, author and workshop leader, **Suzzie Schuyler** from Linthicum Heights, MD, will present an all-day workshop titled, **“Halftime Event,”** based on her book **“Team Spirit.”** This is an **easy quilt to make using two logos of the same team or sport; OR two different fabrics of novelty, seasonal or holiday prints. No Y seams, but with the same results!** This quilt can be made into either a king-sized or 66” x 90” quilt. All skill levels will enjoy this class and students will leave with a lot of the blocks finished. **(\$35/Mem./ \$40/ Non-Mem. Max. of 25 students)**



Purchase of “Team Spirit” book required!!! (Pre-order online through Amazon or Barnes & Noble; or purchase directly from Suzzie at: <https://sew-bee-it-quilters.myshopify.com/collections/allon>. Prices may vary.) Discover a strong lineup of patterns designed specifically for large-scale prints which are sure to score big points with your family and friends. **11 spots left! Tues., Mar. 27, 1-3 pm: Program - “Trunk Show & Lecture:”** Suzzie will present her trunk show, along with additional quilts and projects she has designed since “Team Spirit,” came out.



Mon., Apr. 23, 9 am-3 pm: Paula Golden “Binding Basics” Workshop – THIS WORKSHOP IS FULL!!! Quilt artist and teacher, award-winning national speaker, TV host, author and Jinny Beyer staff member, **Paula Golden**, from Blacksburg, VA, will present a **full-day workshop on “Binding Basics.”**

Tues., Apr. 24, 1-3 pm: “Color – How to Make Your Quilts Sing!” Paula will show many of her quilts and explain how colors interact, the importance of value and how to successfully use many textures of print together. Learn **THREE** easy steps, so you too, will be able to make your quilts sing!

Mon., May 21, 9 am-3 pm: Cecily-Sue Roth: “Simple Steps to Beautiful Rag Quilts” Workshop

Accomplished quilter, designer, teacher, business owner and LQG member, Cecily-Sue will be leading this all-day workshop. **Rag quilts are the latest trend in quilting!** They are a quick and fun way to combine the traditional concepts of patchwork (with a twist) and unusual materials often overlooked for normal quilting, such as denim, flannel or polar fleece. **If you can sew a straight line you can learn how to make one.** **(\$25Mem./ \$30/ Non-Mem. Max of 25 students) 20 spots left! Tues., May 22, 1-3 pm: Marietta Price: “Accessorizing Your Quilts” Trunk Show – Teacher and Owner of Bargain Barn Fabrics in Montvale, VA,** Marietta will excite our creativity and expand our knowledge by showing us **interesting and unique ways to accessorize our quilts** to take them to the next level!

NO MEETING IN JUNE due to Vacation Bible School at Trinity Ecumenical Parish



Mon., July 23, 9 am-3 pm: Shannon Shirley: “Bottles and Blooms” Workshop

Award-winning quilter, author, national speaker, fiber artist, teacher and traveling exhibit curator from **“Once in a Rabbit Moon”** in Woodbridge, VA. Shannon will present a full-day workshop called, **“Bottles and Blooms,”** where students will learn to **create embroidered vintage blue-green bottles with the illusion of sower stems, add three-dimensional daffodils,** and then choose whether to have a hand or machine-quilted background, or maybe even a piece of a vintage cutter quilt. **(\$35Mem./ \$40/ Non-Mem./ \$35 kit fee: Max of 24 students).**

Tues., July 24, 1-3 pm: “Eclectic Mix Trunk Show” - Shannon will show examples of all the styles of quilts she makes which include: **art and traditional quilts, quilts inspired by children’s artwork, and quilts which incorporate vintage needlework.** There is sure to be something to interest everyone!

Mon., Aug. 27, 9 am-3pm: Cathy Bogan – “Jelly Roll Race” Workshop

The self-taught quilter, teacher, and owner of **Stitch Party Studio** in Madison, NC, has taught all levels and ages of quilters at various quilt shops, guilds, summer programs, and retreats in NC, SC and VA since 1998, including seven years at Rockingham Community College in Wentworth, NC. Cathy likes to make things fun, and her full-day **“Jelly Roll Race”** workshop will be filled with **FUN and wonderful prizes!** **All it takes is one jelly roll to make the 50” x 64” quilt top.** You can bring a jelly roll of your own or purchase one that Cathy brings from her shop. For the confident beginner through advanced quilter, this is a quick, fun way to make a quilt top in a day. **(\$30Mem./ \$35/ Non-Mem.: Max of 20 students).**

Tues., Aug. 28, 1-3 pm: “Trunk Show” – Cathy will present a varied collection of her beautiful quilts.

REMINDER!!! Mark your calendars now and sign up as soon as possible during Regular Meetings, or by contacting the 2018 LQG Program Directors, Shannan Maggied (ssmaggied@yahoo.com or Cecily-Sue Roth (cs.roth@hotmail.com . Cash, checks and credit cards accepted. Space is limited, so payment must be received to secure your place.

LOG WORKSHOP GUIDELINES 2018

IQG Workshops are educational and fun opportunities for small groups of quilters (generally between 15-25) to obtain valued instruction from guest Presenters and learn new patterns, techniques, shortcuts and design elements, as well as develop deeper threads of friendship with other Guild members. For your information, please refer to the following Workshop Guidelines:

- **Three or more months prior** to the Workshop, signups will begin at the regular monthly meeting.
- **Two months prior** to the Workshop, if it is not filled, signups will be offered to other guilds and the general public at an additional fee.
- **One month prior** to the Workshop, if not filled, it will be cancelled and payments returned.
- Only people who have **signed up AND paid** can attend the Workshop. **You are not considered signed up until your payment is received.**
- When the Workshop is filled, a "Waiting List" sign-up sheet will be made available. If someone drops out, the next person on the Waiting List will be called. **(If you need to cancel, please DO NOT find a replacement unless there is no one waiting.)**
- Once you have signed up for a Workshop and you find you are unable to attend, **you WILL NOT receive a refund unless your spot is filled.**

Please contact [Shannan Maggied](#) or [Cecily-Sue Roth](#) as soon as you know you cannot attend a Workshop you have **signed up and paid for**. If applicable, they will contact the next person on the waiting list. If there is no one on the waiting list, you may find your own replacement and give Shannan or Cecily-Sue your replacement's name and contact information.

Membership News

Membership Update

Please welcome **Ann Hoar** to the Guild. She recently moved here from Stafford, VA and has already volunteered to head up the Hospitality Committee. Her contact information is opposite. Four more ladies have renewed their memberships as well, and the information opposite will bring you up-to-date. We are up to **143** members so far this year.

Sue Whitney

Question of the Month:

Does anyone know a Husqvarna serviceman?

Let Sue Whitney know if you do. Thanks

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“Our Quilts, Our Passion”

2018 QUILT SHOW

APRIL 6-7, 2018

IT'S ALMOST TIME!

It is less than **four weeks** until our quilt show!! Wow!! Hardly seems possible. Be sure to finish up those quilts you are putting in the show.

Instructions for turning in your quilts:

We want to thank you ladies for the 166 entries in our quilt show.

Now let's make sure we get them finished with a 4" sleeve and a label on the back.

ALL entries MUST be brought to the CHURCH on **Thursday, April 5 between 9:30 AM and 10:00 AM.**

PLEASE use the church office entrance door as to not interfere with structural set up.

Those setting up bee displays, use this door also.

“Be sure to go over your quilts and remove any pins that might have been left in them.”

Volunteer, volunteer!!

- * Please sign up as a volunteer at the **March meeting**, we have plenty of spots open for you to help make the show run smoothly - See **Alice Vreeland** if you haven't signed up.
- * We have a number of volunteer prizes to be given out at our **April meeting**, but you must help to be able to get your name in the drawings, - I know we can count on your help.

Raffle Tickets :- Be sure to turn in your raffle tickets and money.

February Sew - In Report

Thanks to all the ladies who stitched, clipped, turned, stuffed and stitched closed 158 adorable bears last month. That is not all...we now have 97 of an estimated 220 Christmas stockings ready for Step to fill for their pre-school youngsters early next December. We have found homes for a large stash of donated minkie fabric. Marnie's donated fabric is fast disappearing into quilts and now placemats for Good Neighbors' new home. Quilters certainly know how to feather a nest!

Some of you have taken on fidget quilts and I love the idea that you are taking them to private homes, churches, and nursing homes all around our Bedford and Franklin Counties. We have special needs children who use fidget quilts in church and other public gatherings, as well as neighbors who are being cared for in their homes by family. Thank you so much for thinking of them. For those of you who make bears during one of your bee meetings, we have plenty of Polyfil for stuffing. Ask at any guild meeting before you start stuffing. We have two 10 pound boxes (plus a couple of bags) of Polyfil. Just remember that once you open the Polyfil box, the stuffing creeps out slowly and is difficult to stuff back in. Oh, and it makes a sighing sound that can be very spooky if you sew late into the night or are up by yourself sewing before sunrise. Fair warning.

Betty Huffman

Lake Quilters' Guild Treasure's Report

February 28th 2018

Beginning Balance \$12,098.16

INCOME

Dues 50.00

Workshops 81.56

Interest 47

Ads 30.00

Total Income \$ 162.03



EXPENSES

Postage 29.25

Program 80.16

Show Sign 9.82

Printing

Total Expenses \$ 119.23

New Balance \$ 12,140.96



Submitted by *Joyce Noell*



Weather Cancellations



The cancellation policy for LQG meetings is: If either Bedford or Franklin County Schools are canceled then the LQG meeting is canceled. In addition, notice of guild meeting cancellations due to bad weather will be posted on the WDBJ7 website: <http://www.wdbj7.com>. Click on [Weather/Closings](#). A link to this website can be found at the bottom of the Homepage of our website. For further information or questions, please contact the LQG president or the VP of Programs. Their contact information is on page one of this newsletter.

Do you know a member in need of a Get Well, Sympathy or Thinking of You card?

If so, please contact Bonnie Zinck , Sunshine chairman at bgzinck@aol.com

For up-to-date information and photos of guild happenings...Be sure to visit our website at

<http://www.lakequilters.org>

Email additions and questions to Bonnie Bull, Webmaster bonnie@lakequilters.org

Please contact Jackie Hodgson at hodgson.jackie@gmail.com or call **585-766-7577** if your email address changes to ensure email delivery of your monthly newsletter and LQG blasts.

LAKE QUILTERS GUILD BOARD MEETING

MARCH 19 2018

PRESENT: President Mary Hamlin, VP Membership Sue Whitney, VP Programs Cecily Sue Roth, VP Programs Shannan Maggied, Treasurer Joyce Noell, Newsletter Editor Jackie Hodgson

The meeting was called to order by Mary at 10:10

QUILT SHOW – April 6 and 7, 2018 (Joyce)

- ◇ Quilt Show budget of \$1,600 was approved
- ◇ Three advertising signs will be posted at Westlake Corners
- ◇ 166 items have been submitted to show
- ◇ Raffle quilt has brought in \$1,734 so far
- ◇ Ballots and programs have been printed
- ◇ \$400 = church rent; \$100 to youth Quilt Show workers; \$100 = church mission program
- ◇ Katherine Lewis is handling the door prizes

PROGRAMS (Cecily Sue and Shannan)

- ◇ Send out e-blast for March meeting attendance builder
- ◇ April meeting has huge waiting list – will contact teacher to increase class size
- ◇ Turkey Swap scheduled for November in place of Silent Auction
- ◇ Need volunteers to shadow VP's to be in place for next year
- ◇ March 2019 teacher Candace Hassen will teach a beginner's class which makes four blocks at once
- ◇ Will consider taking and posting videos of workshops given by members – Cecily Sue will contact Bonnie Bull

TREASURER (Joyce)

- ◇ Healthy budget
- ◇ \$285 donation received from sale of quilt bags – table will be set up at each meeting

MEMBERSHIP (Sue)

- ◇ 143 members to date
- ◇ Bee leaders have to be paid-up members
- ◇ Paid advertisers are Alpine, Dawn Saunders, Boone's Country Store, Cathy Fandel and the General Store. Quilting Essentials has not renewed. Sew Simple will be contacted
- ◇ New members to the Guild will receive a Guild pin in their welcome packet
- ◇ Asked if Hospitality Committee could welcome new members and visitors at the door

OTHER

- ◇ Project of the Month – suggested it be a beginner class
- ◇ 30+ quilts donated by our members for Houston hurricane victims
- ◇ Add Open Discussion/Questions at end of each Guild meeting

Next meeting April 16th @ 10.00 o'clock @ Windtree

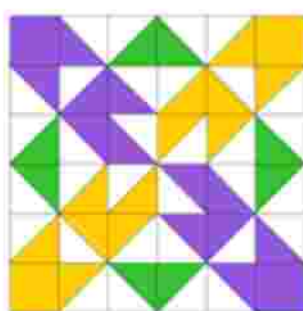
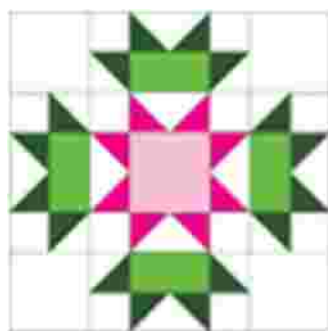
2018 Challenge News from River Queen Bee



Our challenge is off to an exciting start. The February winner of the monthly drawing was Connie Simmons. The prize was sponsored by *The General Store*, Scruggs, Westlake; *Threads Run Thru It*, 40 Exchange Drive, Rustburg, and the *River Queen Bee*. We have been most fortunate to have area shops contribute to our challenge and wish to extend a special thank you to them. Remember that shopping in brick and mortar shops keeps them open for us.

In addition to the information in the registration package, we are compiling a list of "barn" quilts from our guild members. If you have a "barn" quilt and would like it included in the supplemental list, please email the location address to suefredwilson@icloud.com for inclusion. Or sign up on the supplemental information list at the guild meeting.

If you have any questions about this years challenge please contact Sue Wilson at :-
suefredwilson@icloud.com





Buzzing of the Bees



Bag Ladies Bee (Moneta area) - meets the 1st and 2nd Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. to ??? at [Mary Ann Spangler's \(540.297.1335\)](#). Bring lunch. Will continue to work on charity items for children. Making bears, wheelchair bags, and lap quilts for charity. Membership is open. Will display in **APRIL**.

Friendship Bee (Hardy) – meets 1st & 3rd Monday, 10:00 a.m. Call [Betty Huffman](#) for meeting location. Will display in **AUGUST**. (Full at this time)

Kept in Stitches Bee meets 1st Thursday at the SML Association meeting room (lower level behind Old Oak Café—Rt. 616 at Westlake) 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Members work on individual projects as well as charity quilts. Call [Marilyn Doble](#) or [Linda Burke](#) Bring lunch. Will display in **SEPTEMBER** . (New members WELCOME).

Let It Bee meets 1st Thursday, 10 a.m. , Bethlehem Methodist Church (across from Moneta Library) Will display in **NOVEMBER** (Full at this time).

Material Girls Bee (various locations) - Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 9:30-3 PM. Call Kate Holdgreve. [\(540.890.2027\)](#) Traditional quilters learning new and varied techniques. (Full at this time). Displays in **JULY**.

River Queen Bee (Goodview) meets at the Moneta Library the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 12:30 pm. For questions please call either [Sharon Cullen](#) or [Linda Pote](#). Will display in JANUNARY. (Full at this time).

Sew Happy Bee (Rocky Mount) Meets at Living Waters Assembly of God Church 2nd Tuesday of the month from 12 to 4 PM. Accepting new members. Contact [Shannan Maggied](#) Will display in **OCTOBER**.

Shady Ladies Bee (Various locations) meets 2nd Thursday of each month from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm or longer. They will rotate meeting sites from home to home. Contact [Linda Spencer](#). Will display in **MARCH**. (Full at this time).

Southside Bee (Union Hall) meets 2nd Thursday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Bring lunch. Call [Irene Capps](#). Working on scrappy charity quilts. Will display in **MAY**.

***IF YOU WISH TO BECOME A MEMBER OF A BEE or IF YOU HAVE ANY UPDATES/CHANGES FOR THE ABOVE BEES, EMAIL MARLYN CURNOW-
marlynquilts2@gmail.com***

Please let us know if you will be displaying on the same date as last year. We appreciate your efforts to share your beautiful work with all of us.

The March display is by the **Shady Ladies Bee**. Remember you need to set up and put away & everyone can help with this.

BEE LEADERS Please send a current list of your members and the person to contact. (Name, phone number & email) to.....
marlynquilts2@gmail.com Thanks, Marilyn



If you have an interesting project that your Bee has been involved in and would like it to be included in the Newsletter, please send it in a 'WORD' document, no later than 5th of the month that you would like it to appear, to marlynquilts2@gmail.com Include a picture too.



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