

# Lake Quilter's News



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## President's Message

Happy August, you creative and talented ladies! I hope you enjoyed the "mix-up" at the tables in July. Sue Whitney did a wonderful job helping us to get to know a few new people by sitting with our Birthday group! The get-to-know-you questions were clever also. I was amazed to learn one Guild member has 30 sewing machines!

The workshop on Monday and trunk show on Tuesday were great too. Shannon Shirley was a patient and easy-going teacher. I was excited to know that she will be on the same Royal Caribbean cruise that I'm taking in September, teaching the same Bottles and Blooms class plus one other. Since I didn't finish my project, I called the sponsor of the classes and have signed up to finish it on the cruise on sea days. Ladies, this is a great idea for Bee friends to cruise and sew together. Dawn Olmstead, at [www.quiltandcruise.com](http://www.quiltandcruise.com) sponsors these trips frequently. You can also reach her at [dawnolm611@gmail.com](mailto:dawnolm611@gmail.com) Check it out!

Our August workshop will be Jelly-Roll Race. It should be fun. Are you working on your Challenge quilt? I need to get going on mine. I have several projects awaiting me!!!

The Booker T. Washington National Monument has requested that a quilter be at their festival on Saturday, September 15 to demonstrate quilting. They have period costumes to use and just need to know your size. If you are willing to do this for part of the day, the times are 10:00 – 4:00. Please call Betsy Haynes or Debra Weir at the Booker T. Washington Monument. The number is **540-721-2094**. Our Guild has participated in this in the past.

See you soon and keep quilting!

Mary Hamlin, President

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Next board meeting:  
Thursday September 6th  
10am  
At Windtree Clubhouse



"I said I'd be 5 minutes.  
Quit asking me every  
half hour."

**LQG 2018 WORKSHOPS & PROGRAMS**  
*Cecily-Sue Roth & Shannan Maggied, Co-VPs Programs*

**EXCITING NEWS!!!** Ann Hoar has graciously volunteered to be one of the Co-VPs of Programs for 2019! Ann is a fairly new LQG member who enthusiastically jumped right in and volunteered to fill in as our Hospitality Chair and has become a warm and friendly Greeter at our Reg. Meetings. She is smart, outgoing and energetic, and she needs a partner to join her by next month as planning for 2019's Programs is already underway.

This is a fun and rewarding **two-person position** that has continuously been improved upon and automated over the past few years. Shannan and Cecily-Sue will hold your hands and guide you through the process. You won't be overloaded with work, AND you will have the opportunity to make many new friends as you support LQG in this position. **If you want our Guild to be able to continue to book top-notch instructors, provide fun and educational programs, and help our members learn and grow, then WENEED YOU!!!** Contact one of us today to get started.

**INTERESTING OBSERVATIONS:** There were a couple of Workshops earlier this year that, unfortunately, did not fill up. However, those who did attend were extremely enthusiastic about what they learned and gave glowing reviews on their Workshop Feedback Sheets. When those instructors presented their Programs at the Regular Meeting, members were wildly excited and gave raving reviews to us. We can't count the number of times we've heard the lament: *"If I would have only known how good this Instructor was, I would have signed up for their workshop! They are awesome! Can we have them back again?!"* Well Ladies, don't let this happen to you!

**PLAN FOR 2019:** We only have two workshops left in 2018. August is already full, and October only has a few spots left. Don't be left out! **Plan to break out of your comfort zone, broaden your horizons, and try something new in 2019! Sign up early and often for the LQG Workshops, or find yourself snoozing and losing.**

Sign up during Regular Meetings or by contacting *Shannan Maggied* [ssmaggied@yahoo.com](mailto:ssmaggied@yahoo.com) (540)-314-1916 or *Cecily-Sue Roth* [cs.roth@hotmail.com](mailto:cs.roth@hotmail.com) (443)-994-9844. **PAYMENT by Cash, Check or CC MUST BE RECEIVED to secure your place!!!**

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**Mon., Aug. 27, 9 am-3pm: Cathy Bogan - "Jelly Roll Race" Workshop – THIS CLASS IS FULL!!! Thank you, Ladies!**

**Tues., Aug. 28, 1-3 pm: "Trunk Show" –** Cathy, will present an exciting variety of the beautiful quilts she has made and enthusiastically teaches others to make. Find out more about Cathy and her shop at: [www.stitchpartystudio.com](http://www.stitchpartystudio.com) or take a road trip down to her shop in Madison, NC (on the way to Greensboro). It's only 1.5 hrs. away!

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**Tues., Sept. 25, 1-3 pm: LQG Instructors - "Christmas in September" (8 Round-Robin Learning Stations)**

You don't want to miss this fast-paced, learning-intensive meeting! Come and be inspired with creative and easy projects you can make for babies, kids & adults for the upcoming holiday season! Members will rotate through eight different learning stations during our Regular Meeting time and receive quick "How To" instructions and details at each station. Printed Instructions and patterns will be given for each project shown, PLUS six additional BONUS patterns! **YOU MUST ATTEND TO RECEIVE THE PATTERNS**

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**Mon., Oct. 22, 9 am-3pm: Joyce Hughes - "Basic Thread Painting" Workshop – Only 3 spots left!**

From Warwick, PA, Joyce is a self-taught and award-winning quilter, designer, fiber artist and national speaker specializing in Thread Painting and Free-Motion Quilting. **Joyce** will present a full-day workshop where participants will **"Learn the Basics of Raw Edge Applique, Dimension Thread Painting and Embellishment."** All levels of quilters will enjoy this workshop. Check out Joyce's amazing work on her website at: [www.joycehughesoriginals.com](http://www.joycehughesoriginals.com)

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**Tues., Oct. 23, 1-3 pm: "My Journey into Quilting" Program**

Joyce will present an open and inspiring talk about how she started quilting and her transformation into Thread Painting and how she uses Panels as Art Quilts

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**Tues., Nov. 13, 1-3 pm: – Program TBD**

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**Tues., Dec. 4 – Holiday Luncheon**

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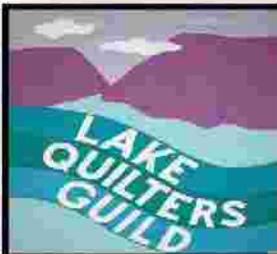
Supply lists for each Workshop will be given out at the sign-up table during the monthly Regular Meetings; OR you can print them from the "Programs" section on the Guild's website two months in advance of the Workshop at: <http://lakequilters.org/programs/programs.html>

## 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 Update

All who attended the Birthday Mixer at our last meeting had a blast! Many got to meet new members and also had a chance to chat with those of us who have been around awhile – new friendships!

As we found out at the Mixer, several of our members share a birthday and there are two matches in this list. Here's your chance to brighten their day during the coming month:

8/22	Cindy Clark	9/12	Helen Duffany	9/18	Diana Van Hise
8/27	Becky Linkous	9/13	Arlene Blackburn	9/21	Carolyn Salley
8/28	Chris Martin	9/13	Nancee Costello	9/22	Linda Brown
8/29	Cathy Fandel	9/15	Linda Quinn	9/25	Joyce Noell
8/29	Marge Weismantel	9/16	Carol MacMullan	9/28	BJensen
9/08	Mary Stuart Link	9/17	Klysta Armstrong		

Sue Whitney Membership VP 540.297-7267 [whit2inva@gmail.com](mailto:whit2inva@gmail.com)

Please be sure to let me know of any changes in your contact information.

## Lake Quilters' Guild Treasure's Report

July 31st 2018

Beginning Balance \$14,215.08

### INCOME

Workshop 144.15

Interest .61

Total Income \$144.76

### EXPENSES

Total Expenses \$0

Ending Balance \$14,359.84



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Ladies, please check out the wonderful website done by Bonnie Bull at [www.lakequilters.org](http://www.lakequilters.org) You can see information about any program you missed or review ones you attended. I love looking at the great pictures of all the beautiful quilts. Bonnie does a wonderful job and I'm so grateful to her!



Mary



### 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 Linda Walters , Sunshine chairman at [lindaw@shentel.net](mailto:lindaw@shentel.net)

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

[http:// www.lakequilters.org](http://www.lakequilters.org)

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

Please contact Jackie Hodgson at [hodgson.jackie@gmail.com](mailto:hodgson.jackie@gmail.com) if your email address changes to ensure email delivery of your monthly newsletter and LQG blasts.

## LQG BOARD MINUTES

AUGUST 13, 2018

Present: Sandra Ferguson, Mary Hamlin, Jackie Hodgson, Shannan Maggied (joined the meeting remotely), Joyce Noell, Cecily-Sue Roth, Linda Walters, Sue Whitney.

Meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m.

### MEMBERSHIP

Sue contacted about 40 members who have not renewed. Over 25% were very happy to hear from the guild and glad to be remembered. The mixer by birthdays at July's guild meeting was a success.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** See newsletter

Joyce needs a decision on choices for charity contributions so that she can write checks before December 31, 2018. Sue recalled that many members did not know about the charities listed on last year's ballot. Mary will see that information about each charity is listed on the ballot to be distributed to membership this year.

**Concern #1:** A review of records is not an audit. We have had reviews of records for the past several years but not an audit. The LQG books need to be audited. Several suggestions for auditors were made. Cost should be around \$250.

**Concern #2:** Joyce read a letter dated 1/31/12 from IRS concerning the LQG tax status. The board also reviewed documents from board members' meetings with CPA, Eric Faber and Tax Attorney, Ted E. Troland. After reviewing these documents, a lengthy discussion of the guild tax status followed.

The board decided to proceed as follows:

A meeting was set up with Mr. Faber to discuss compiling a list of the pros and cons of changing tax status. This list will be distributed to all members for perusal before any action is taken by the guild membership.

**NEXT BOARD MEETING** is Thursday, September 6 at 10:00 a.m. at Windtree Clubhouse.

Submitted by Linda Walters

### JO-ANN Discount Card

Like me, many of you are probably proud owners of the JO-ANN discount card, & some of you may already have discovered that sadly, these cards are **no longer accepted** at JO-ANN stores. I discovered this when I tried to use mine in Charlottesville last week & on speaking with the Store Manager there, it seems that there is no other discount in the pipeline to replace it. She did suggest that if enough people commented on the JO-ANN website or wrote letters to the company, it may have some effect but with a large corporation like JO-ANN, I seriously doubt it. My recommendation— **always go armed with coupons when you shop at JO-ANN.**



Jackie Hodgson

## 2018 CHALLENGE



**Have you taken a drive to look at barn quilts?**

**Did you find one you liked?**

**Did you take a picture of it?**

**Did you write down the address?**

**Do you know the name of the block?**

**If you did, you are well on your way to joining the challenge celebration at our annual luncheon. If not, there is still lots of time.**

**Congratulations to Janet Fogel who won the monthly participation drawing. A special thanks to Threads Run Thru It in Rustburg (Lynchburg); The Quiltery in Fairfield; Quilting Essentials in Salem and Batiks Etc./ Sew What Fabrics in Wytheville for providing items. The support of our “brick and mortar” quilt shops is appreciated so much.**

**It’s been raining so it’s a great time to take the next step in the challenge and begin putting your project together.**

**Any member of the River Queen Bee can answer any questions you may have or email [suefredwilson@icloud.com](mailto:suefredwilson@icloud.com)**



*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 [hodgson.jackie@gmail.com](mailto:hodgson.jackie@gmail.com) Include a picture too.*





# Buzzing of the Bees



**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). Contact [Dale Stellhorn](#)

**Material Girls Bee** (various locations) - Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 9:30-3 PM. Call [Kate Holdgreve](#) . 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 **JANUARY** 2017. (Full at this time).

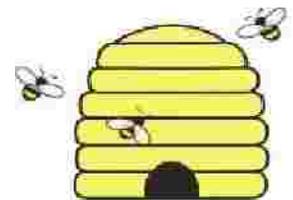
**Shady Ladies Bee** (Various locations) meets 2nd Thursday of each month from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm or longer. They will rotate meeting sites from home to home. Contact [Linda Spencer](#). Will display in **MARCH**. (Full at this time).

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

**IF YOU HAVE ANY UPDATES/ CHANGES FOR THE ABOVE contacts email Kate Holdgreve [kdholdgreve@gmail.com](mailto:kdholdgreve@gmail.com)**

*We appreciate your efforts to share your beautiful work with all of us.*

## News from the Beehive.....



I have been approached by a mother-daughter duo who are interested in an evening bee in the Huddleston area. Ginger Brothers who works during the day would love to be a part of a bee, but it needs to be in the evening or perhaps even a weekend. If there is any interest out there, please either let me know or Jan Emerick-Brothers. Also, if any bee has room, Jan may be interested in a daytime bee. It seems as though a lot of our bees have full membership, maybe it's time to see if there is interest in starting additional bees. Please fill out our survey at the next guild meeting.

Enjoy this month's exhibit by the [Friendship Bee](#)

## Friendship Bee

Christmas Luncheon at Waterfront Country Club was the birthplace of the Friendship Bee. Eight "non-bee" members met around a table and discussed how people came together to form a bee. Some were formed by neighbors, others by a certain type of quilting or needlework.

By March of 2009, three of us (with no bee in our neighborhood) met for lunch at Gloria Thar's very handicap accessible house. One was a hand quilter and recovering from gastric by-pass, the accomplished knitter/novice quilter was recovering from knee surgery, and the one with over 50 years of quilting/needlework was facing foot surgery and weeks on crutches.

Over lunch we chose the name Friendship. Until Gloria moved to South Carolina the bee met once a month at her house. We added only as many members as her great room would hold. Since her move, we've had a calendar making session at the end of each year and signed up for meetings in each members' house.

We meet the first and third Mondays. Some meetings are "shop hops", quilt shows, or art exhibitions. We attend retreats in the fall and spring. Our Friendship Bee has become "sisters" that we have chosen. We all love new tools and new fabric. One new member even showed us what to do with the many phone books that clog our mailboxes...and thus we sew merrily along our individual ways together, always stopping for lunch.

Submitted by Betty Huffman

## Charity Report

### The Traveling Quilt

Every charity quilt goes to a nursing home, women's shelter, CASA, Hospice, Social Services foster care or the Perinatal Center. Quilts destined for CASA and domestic violence shelters are placed within a coordinating pillowcase. Two bright black/white and red quilts that were perfect for CASA or shelters had no real match so they were in my car until I could find them each pillowcase fabric. Mission accomplished: fabric found and placed with quilts, ready for the sewing machine.

Just before supper Wednesday, a call came from a friend who completed her third chemo treatment earlier and was now experiencing a reaction. She was told to get to Roanoke where an oncologist would be "on call". Tossing my yoga gear into the trunk, I picked up my friend and her husband (poor night vision) and started out. She was freezing as well as itching while we were almost drowning in heat and humidity. From the back seat, her husband asked which fleeced-lined quilt could she use. Charity quilt to the rescue. Just before dawn, my friend was released from the warmth of heated blankets to the warmth of one of our charity quilts. She is getting a red fleece chemo cap instead of a pillowcase.

Submitted by Betty Huffman

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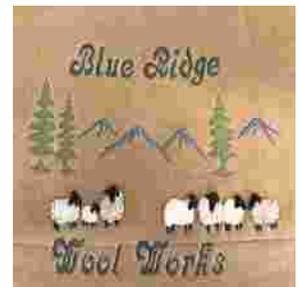


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