

Grainlines

Western North Carolina Quilters Guild

August 20th, 2009

9:30 am

"Collage of Inspiration"

by

Susan Edmonson

Guest Speaker

Susan is an award winning quilt maker who started this journey in 1981 and today continues to wow her audiences with her unique artistry. She has designed quilt patterns and kits for two national stores as well as her own pattern line.

She specializes in folk art, crazy quilted purses and wall quilts, and 'Flower Doodles.' Among her newest creations are fabric collage books and mini quilts. All of her work is lavished with beading and embroidery. She loves working with vintage style fabrics and colors. The patterns she designs have evolved from original pieces inspired from vintage quilt designs and nature that showcase her own, unique style.

She teaches and lectures at local and regional guilds throughout the Southeast. Most recently she has been on the faculty for many Symposiums, Mid-Atlantic Quiltfest and other large events. A number of her creations have been featured in 'Altered Couture' and 'Sew Somerset' publications by Stampington & Co. 'Creative Spirits' was formed in 2005 by Susan and Kristin Steiner. This is a very unique creativity retreat held in Blowing Rock, N.C. called, "Believe in Yourself." Many mixed media and fabric techniques are always featured.

Susan graduated from Queens College in Charlotte, NC with a degree in Art and Design.

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A Big Thank You!!

Karen and I want to thank all of the volunteers who worked so hard to make the Quilt Show such a success. We know a lot of you were there for multiple shifts and it was HOT.

Also our committee chairs did a great job prior to, during, and after the show. And last but not least, a huge thank you to all of the husbands for their help especially during set up and take down.

Bonnie Cunningham and Karen Krupa

MEMBERSHIP

*Additions, Corrections and New Members not listed in the 2009 Guild Directory

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*Please notify membership chairs of any changes or corrections. This is especially important if you are having any problems with email notification or snail mail for newsletters.

Apple Festival



Raffle Quilt



Farm City Day

The Apple Festival is Aug. 28,29, 30 and Farm City Day is Oct. 3rd. We have booths to sell tickets at both occasions.

There are over 100 packets of 10 tickets out to members that have not been returned; therefore, I would like all unsold tickets back by the next Guild Meeting or if you desire, drop them off to Material Things Quilt Shop and I will pick them up. We want to have lots of tickets for the Apple Festival.

Thanks to all of you who have sold your tickets and turned in your stubs. Any questions, call me at 698-4527 - Donna Edwards

July 10, 2009 WNCQG Board Meeting

Cathy Choisser called the meeting to order at 10:05 at the Etowah United Methodist Church.

The focus of the meeting was this year's quilt show and future quilt shows. The quilt show this year was a success! The co-chairs for this year's show, Karen Krupa and Bonnie Cunningham, will give a detailed report to the membership at the guild meeting. Discussion was held regarding future venues for the show with the new building at the WNC Agriculture Center and a building on the campus of Blue Ridge Community College being possible locations. The board discussed the advantage of finding a permanent location for the quilt show. Ann Klimstra and Kay Thomas are going to visit the two sites to determine their availability and suitability and will report back to the board. There was a discussion about moving the date from June to October and the possibility of changing the schedule for the quilt show to even years in order to alternate with the Landrum Quilt Show.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:07.

Respectfully submitted by Judy Stover, Recording Secretary



WNCQG FINANCIAL REPORTS

| PROGRAM ACCOUNT | | |
|------------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Beginning Balance | June 1, 2009 | \$3,043.40 |
| Income | | |
| Workshop deposits | | +385.00 |
| Expenses | | |
| Lecture fee – Linda Cantrell | | -250.00 |
| Ending Balance | June 30, 2009 | \$3,178.40 |
| CDs | | \$44,307.52 |

| OPERATING ACCOUNT | | |
|---|---------------|-------------|
| Operating Account | | |
| Beginning Balance | June 1, 2009 | \$13,120.27 |
| Income | | |
| Quilt show | | 6,706.35 |
| Carolina 1 st account closed | | 100.00 |
| Membership | | 37.50 |
| Interest | | 0.53 |
| | + 6,844.38 | |
| Expenses | | |
| Quilt Show | | 3,811.85 |
| Postage | | 1.17 |
| Safe deposit box | | 50.00 |
| Grainlines | | 45.90 |
| | -3,908.92 | |
| Ending Balance | June 30, 2009 | \$16,055.73 |
| CDs | | \$5,721.54 |

UFO Challenge...



Aug.
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Guidelines

- ◆ List ten UFO's you want to finish and tick off the progress to date, (see charts in any past newsletters for reward points)
- ◆ Make as much progress on the featured number of the month
- ◆ Report your progress to Jean Jones and collect a well deserved "success" prize*
- ◆ If you complete a project, enter the ***Grand Prize Drawing!***
- ◆ Challenge will end with the Grand Prize Drawing at the November Guild meeting
- ◆ Be sure to register for each finished project
- ◆ Your presence in November not necessary to win, *but* you must register each finished UFO.

Each meeting, we will draw a new number. Work on that numbered project all during the month. Start at any point at anytime. No real pressure or guilt, just a little gentle motivation?

**Lagniappe* = Pick up your personal pair of UFO antennae at the next guild meeting and wear them in your sewing room to inspire you as you work on your project.

PREVIEW OF 2009 WORKSHOPS

All 2009 workshops are 9:00 am to 3:00 pm at Etowah United Methodist Church, Brickyard Road, Etowah, NC. All workshop fees are \$35 and do not include lunch, except the March workshop, which is \$100 and includes a catered lunch for the two days.
Call: Ann Jacoby 884-8447 or Jean Hart 884-8428 for more information. If you cancel your registration for a workshop by phone to one of the Program Chairs at least 14 days before the workshop is held, your registration fee will be refunded; otherwise, you forfeit the workshop fee.

September 18 - Dee Dee Triplett - "Merry, Your Material Muse," all; (deadline to cancel is Sept. 4th)
November 20 - Gerry O'Neill - "Hawaiian Wreath," all; (deadline to cancel is Nov. 6th)

Workshop Registration is not complete until fees are received
 Supply list will be provided after registration.

Please make checks payable to WNCQG Workshops,
include workshop date with:

Your Name _____

Your Phone : _____

Your Address: _____

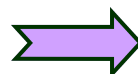
Email: _____

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Workshops listed by date/title: _____

Give Form to or Mail to:

Ann Jacoby,
 1521 Campbell Dr.
 Pisgah Forest NC, 28768



2009 Calendar of Events

June 25-Aug. 22: Cary, NC - "ART QUILTS TRANSITIONS", The Professional Art Quilters Alliance, Page-Walker Arts & History Center, 119 Ambassador Loop, www.townofcary.org, or www.artquiltersouth.org.

Aug. 7-9: Asheville, NC, Asheville Quilt Guild offers quilt show, "Carolina Blues," at the North Carolina Arboretum, information: <http://www.ashevillequiltguild.org/show.html>. At the same time and in conjunction with the AQG show, The Rotary Club of Asheville is pleased to be holding our first annual (hopefully) Rotary Quilt Show to help raise funds for the many projects our Club is undertaking. The \$5 admission fee, (\$1 of this fee will go to the AQG in thanks for their invaluable support in staging this event). Location: there will be a shuttle to the Biltmore Square Mall in conjunction with the Guild's show at the Arboretum. In addition to ten vendors, we will have displays of the Waynesville Shady Ladies 2009 Challenge quilts and a sampling of what's new in art fiber from the Fiber Arts Alliance.

Aug. 22: Cary, NC - "33rd Annual Lazy Daze of Art Festival", 9-5, downtown Cary.

Sept. 4-5, 2009 - Monticello, KY, Quilt Show of The Little Mountains; 9am-6pm Friday, 9am-5pm Saturday; Aspire Center, 225 Hwy.1275 N, Monticello, KY; Admission: \$3, Children under 12 free. For more information: Quilt Shop, 102 N. Main St., Monticello, KY 42633, phone: 606/340-0015; email-acguffey@ctsbroadband.com or <http://www.contentedheartquilts.com>

Sept. 25 & 26: Lincolnton, NC - "Quilted Treasures" show by Piecemakers Q G; 10 am to 5 pm; \$4 admission, First Baptist Church, 201 robin Rd. (321 bypass across from Bryan Center, merchant mall, demos, door prizes, raffle quilt, community service display.

Oct 1 - 3: Maggie Valley, NC - "Timeless Treasures" Location: Maggie Valley Town Hall/Community, Center Socco Road, (US 19) Maggie Valley, NC; by High Country Quilters. 10am-4pm, free admission. Contact: Kay Ross, 828-926-4427

Oct 9-11: Shelby, NC - "In Stitches" Quilt Show, Foothills Quilters Guild: Cleveland County Arts Council, 111 S. Washington St., Shelby, NC 28150. Fri & Sat 10-5, Sun 1-4; Admission: \$3.00; 100+ quilts, Raffle Quilt, Vendors, Boutique, Door Prizes; Featuring "God Bless America" Touring Quilt Exhibit. Contact info: www.foothillsquiltersguild.org

Nov. 6-7: Asheville, NC - "At Home with Carolina Quilts", Randolph Quilters Guild Quilt Show; Central Carolina Community Church, 1128 N. Fayetteville St.

Quilt Shops and Services in Our Area

A Stitch In Time

32 Macon Center Dr. (new!)
Franklin, NC 28734
828 / 524-3330
<http://www.astitchintimenc.com>

Asheville Cotton Co.

1378 Hendersonville Rd. Suite B
Harris Teeter Shopping Ctr.
Asheville, NC 28803
828 / 277- 4100

Country Peddler Quilt Shop

3 Town Sq
Burnsville, NC 28714
(828) 682-7810

Deb's Cats 'N' Quilts

106 W. Palmer St.
Franklin, NC
828 / 349-8912

Hummingbird Longarm

Quilting Service-Peggy
McCaffrey and Patty Leitch
1072 Kentwood Lane
Pisgah Forest, NC
828 / 884-7139
hummingbird2@citcom.net

Inman Quilt Cottage

25 S. Main St.
Inman, SC
864 / 472-0888

Marti's Patchwork Cottage

206 Sutton
Black Mountain, NC
828 / 669-9005

Material Things Quilt Shop

2021 Asheville Hwy.
Hendersonville, NC
828 / 698-5556
www.materialthingsquiltshop.com

My Quilt Shoppe

142 Joel Wright Drive
Hendersonville, NC 28792
828 / 692-8870
www.MyQuiltShoppe.com

Waechter's Fine Fabrics - new locale

9-D Reed Street
Asheville, NC
274-3146

www.waechters.com

NC Mountain State Fair
Sept 11-20 2009

How the West Was Fun!

That's the theme for the 16th North Carolina Mountain State Fair being held September 11- 20, at the "WNC Ag Center" on Highway 280, across from the Asheville Airport. The Quilts will be displayed in the new climate controlled large metal building that is still under construction known as the Expo Building. This is also where the quilts will be turned in. There are 13 categories in the "Quilting" section and quilted table runners, pillows, sweatshirts and more under "Crafts." This is a judged event with monetary and ribbon awards. The entry form requires the social security number to allow the state to show where the money went. If you just want the ribbon and not the money you may omit the social security number.

Entry forms must be received by August 31 and can be downloaded from www.mountainfair.org
The plan this year is to fully display each quilt hanging up and out of reach.

Quilt turn-in is Sept 7 and 8, 9 am - 7 pm at the new Expo Building, large metal building in the back. You can enter the fairgrounds at Gate 5. Pick-up is Sept 21, 9 am - 7 pm. If you are interested in helping with turn-in, judging, hanging or pick-up, please contact Bonnie Hartel. Remember you can enter as many categories as you wish.

Any questions, contact Bonnie Hartel at: 891-3816 or tuckaway08@bellsouth.net

President's Message

What a great quilt show! Thanks to Bonnie Cunningham, Karen Krupa, and all the committee chairs for the hours spent planning this event and insuring it's success. We were concerned that we weren't going to make money with the additional expenses and the state of the economy, but these ladies pulled it off and we were able to generate a profit. We couldn't have done it without all the volunteers from the guild and the husbands that were recruited to help with setup. The quilts that were entered were beautiful; thanks to those members who entered their quilts. Everyone needs to begin thinking about the quilt they are going to enter in the 2010 quilt show. We would love to see more quilts in the show. I'm proud to be a member of this guild!

Cathy Choisser

LOST QUILT

This is an email that was posted on KarolinaK-wilters, June 26, 2009 - worth passing along to help find the owner....

On Sunday, June 21st, one of my neighbors found a quilt on the westbound lane of Hwy 64 near Tarboro, NC. She says the quilt was wrapped in one of those plastic blanket packages. The quilt appears to be newly made, in wonderful condition. She says it is hand and machine quilting. There is no label attached and she cannot find a signature. She wants to return it to its owner, as she is a needle worker, and says she would be sick if she lost one of her works.

Please pass this email around and if anyone knows anything, call Alison Boyette 252-813-1594) or email me at mom4matkat@gmail.com

WNCQG 2010 CHALLENGE

Our guild will celebrate National Quilt Day on March 20, 2010 with a display of challenge quilts at the Blue Ridge Mall in Hendersonville. Viewer's Choice awards will be given. You are invited to make a quilt using our theme:

YUM! It's All About Food

Your quilt may be any shape but must have a perimeter of 96" or more. It must use at least half of our red challenge fabric. In addition, your quilt must have food as a theme. Some ideas: growing it, harvesting it, buying it, cooking it, eating it, celebrating with it. Feel free to think outside the box.

Fat quarters will be available at each of the guild meetings starting in August. If you need larger pieces, the challenge fabric may be purchased at Material Things Quilt Shop.

Questions? Contact Ellen Anderson ellen130@mchsi.com or 692-2078 or Barbara Ruff ruffb2@bellsouth.net or 693-8668.

Garden of Quilts

Ribbon Winners for: Best of Show, "Baltimore Album," Marian Cosgrove; Best Hand Quilting, "Pinwheels in the Roses," Brenta Poole; Best Machine Quilting, "Baby Jane Sampler," Norene Goard; Best Embellishment, "Antique Flowers," Betty Cabe; Judge's Choice, "Best Friends," Jo Gilman; and Viewer's Choice, "Birds of a Feather Flock Together," Marjorie Eberle and Cynthia Eberle.

Lost and Found: Found at tear down for the Quilt Show one large teal insulated mug with lid. If this is yours contact Bonnie Cunningham.

Wrap Up Meeting for the Quilt Show: The final wrap up meeting for the Quilt Show will be on Monday July 27th at 2pm at Material Things.

This is a change of date.

Please have your committee chair reports completed and your chair books to be turned in. If you will not be at the meeting please drop the above items at Material Things or give to Karen Krupa or Bonnie Cunningham prior to the meeting.

WNCQ Guild Meeting Minutes July 16, 2009

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 by President Cathy Choisser at the Trinity Presbyterian Church.

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes for the June meeting as published in *Grainlines*.

New Business

Quilt Show - The decision has been made by the board to hold the quilt show on even years in order to avoid conflict with the Landrum, SC show. That means we will be hosting another show in 2010. Kay Thomas as already agreed to chair the show. A committee, consisting of Ann Klimstra, Kay Thomas and Bonnie Hartel, has been formed to check out venues. We are looking for a place that will be a permanent location. Also, if possible, we are looking to move the date to October.

Nominating Committee - Cathy Choisser asked for volunteers for the committee. No one came forth, so she will be contacting the representatives of the areas to see if we can get a committee together. Three persons are needed. If you feel you can help out on this committee, please contact Cathy.

Symposium - Although nothing has been decided, there is a possibility we will host the symposium in either 2013 or 2015.

Raffle Quilt - Members were reminded to turned in their raffle tickets to Donna Edwards.

Quilt Show - Karen Krupa and Bonnie Cunningham chaired an extremely successful show this year. Kudos to both of them. To date, profits are \$3654.00. A full financial report will be printed in the *Grainlines*. All chairpersons were recognized and thanked for their hard work. The final meeting for the quilt show committee will be held on July 27, 2009 at 2:00 at Material Things.

UFO Challenge - Jean Jones - Number 7 was selected for this month's UFO.

Programs - Jean Hart reiterated the upcoming programs. August program will be Susan Edmonson - "My Work is Me" and September will be Dee Dee Triplett - "Collage of Inspiration".

Block of the Season - Pam Lyda presented the new block, "Broken Sugar Bowl", continuing in the "Rosie the Riveter" theme. The winner of the "Corn & Beans" blocks was Susan Hudspeth.

Challenge Quilt 2010 - Co-chairs Barbara Ruff and Ellen Anderson announced the theme for next year's challenge quilt, "Yum! It's All About Food", which will be held on March 20, 2010 at the mall. The fabric will be a reddish color with the appropriate name "Chili". Fat quarters will be available at next month's meeting. Ellen gave us a brief history of how National Quilt Day came into being.

After Show & Tell, the guest speaker Martine House gave a wonderful talk and displayed many of her works, the most awesome being her boxes which held her handmade beaded necklaces. Each one was more special than the other.

Respectfully submitted by Judy Stover, Recording Secretary

Area News

Area 1

Area Rep: Diane Paddock 272-5932
Marian Gowan 891-7180
When: 1st Thursday: August 6th
Where: Trinity Presbyterian Church on Blythe
Time: 11:00 a.m. (note time change)
Agenda: Please make two blocks for the next swap on August 6.

Area 3

Area Rep: Joanne Shafer 698-2927
When: 3rd Wednesday: August 19th
Where: Pine Park
Time: 10 AM
Agenda: Joanne Shafer will present shopping bag project. We need to decide on meeting location - be expecting a call from Joanne for your opinion. Bring your finished BOM blocks to show

Area 4

Area Rep: Marti Cummins 669-9005
When: Every Friday
Where: Marti's Patchwork Cottage
Time: 7 PM 'til...

Area 5

Area Reps: Peggy McCaffrey 884-7139
Franca Tartar 891-8189
When: changed to 3RD TUESDAY: August 18th
Where: Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd
Time: 9:15 AM
Agenda: August agenda to be announced at July meeting. Volunteers will be needed for the Festival of Trees installation @ Nov. 30 or Dec. 1 at Silvermont, to benefit Transylvania Children's Center.

Area 8

Reps: Hardy Chandler 693-7455
& Kathleen Lambert 551-5334
When: 4th Thursday
Where: Etowah United Methodist Church
Time: 9:30 am
Agenda: July 23 - Camp Bob/Hope Quilts and Pillowcases Due
August 27 - Round Robin

Area 9

Area Rep: Ann Klimstra 693-6764
When: 1st Wednesday evening: August 5th
Where: Henderson Co. Ext. Office in Jackson Park
Time: 6 - 9 PM
Agenda: Bring a project to work on. Feel free to bring you "dinner". For more information call Ann Klimstra at 674-0686.

Block of the Season

Celebrating Rosie the Riveter: "Broken Sugar Bowl" (sugar rationing)



Visit this website for detailed directions:
<http://www.quilterscache.com>
and scroll down in the A-F list to the "Broken Sugar Bowl" block.

Block = 12½" unfinished, do not square up
Two Fabrics and Rotary Cutting =

Color #1 = Accent color: one 2½" x 15" +
one 4⅞" x 9¾"

Color #2 = Light Complement to or lighter
than accent: one 2½" x 15" +
one 4⅞" x 9¾" + one 4½" x 9"

Assembly: Cut Color #2: 4½" x 9" strip into
two 4½" squares.

Mark and cut Color #1 and Color #2:
4⅞" x 9¾" strips into two 4⅞" squares. Cut
these squares on diagonal to make four
triangles with each color. Sew one triangle of
each color, right sides together, along
diagonal, using scant ¼" seam, press to dark
and square up = four HST units.

Sew right sides together of each color of
the 2½" x 15" strips along 15" edge, press to
dark, cut into 2½" units to make six two-patch
units, with these make three four-patch units.

Assemble nine units to match block
shown above. Make as many blocks as you
wish.



Sunshine Report

Please help me stay in touch with our
members who may need cards: Joanne Shafer at
698-2927 or joannshafer@live.com

Cards to: family of Jane Klein - 7/18/09
Dee Patterson - passing of mother
Joan Booker - passing of husband
Kay Francis - passing of sister-in-law
Mary Turner - shoulder surgery



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