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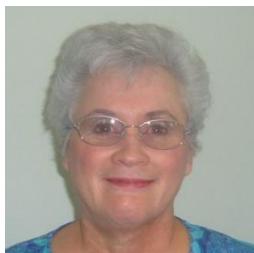
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

I hope you are all staying cool. I haven't been out of the house in days, not that I have been sewing. Have you been to the new Joann's in Gainesville? Nice big store, this is much closer to me then going down to Pleasant Hill.

Our August program with Eileen Sullivan about foundation paper piecing was great. I took the workshop and enjoyed it. I came home and decided that I was going to finish my Iris paper pieced wall hanging project this week... well, guess what happened. I was on a roll and almost got the next section done and then realized that I was using the wrong color fabric in the wrong space. So now I will have to start over again. I am going to finish it for our next meeting.

Georgia Sewing and Quilt Expo in October is fast approaching. Dee told us we need to sign up online for the Ambassador Program so our guild can get our booth for free. To get the time you need, I would suggest you sign up soon. We will be selling our tickets for the Raffle Quilt at the Expo, but still need you all to sell as many tickets as possible. Our goal is to sell \$4,000 worth of tickets, so please get out there and sell, sell, sell.

On another note, I am sure you have noticed that we have not been using our PA system that we purchased. We have come to realize the system needs a particular battery, and we cannot find one. It seems the system does not hold its charge and that's why it doesn't work. We hope to remedy this soon.



See you in September. Keep Cool!

Diana Carrillo

NEXT GUILD MEETING

August 1, 2011

**FELLOWSHIP BEGINS AT
9:30am**

**Meeting begins at
10:00am**

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2011-2012**

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HALL COUNTY QUILT GUILD

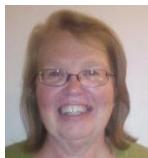
General Meeting Minutes

August 1, 2011

The August first meeting of the Hall County quilters was opened by Diana Carrillo at 10:00 am. There were 4 birthdays that were acknowledged. The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as printed in the newsletter by Chris Reynolds and seconded by Nancy Folsom. The Treasurers report was accepted as printed in the newsletter by Linda O'Donnell and seconded by Frances Brooks. Chris Reynolds introduced our speaker, Eileen Sullivan. We saw her slides and she showed us her quilts. There will be a class this afternoon. After a 15 minute break we had reports.

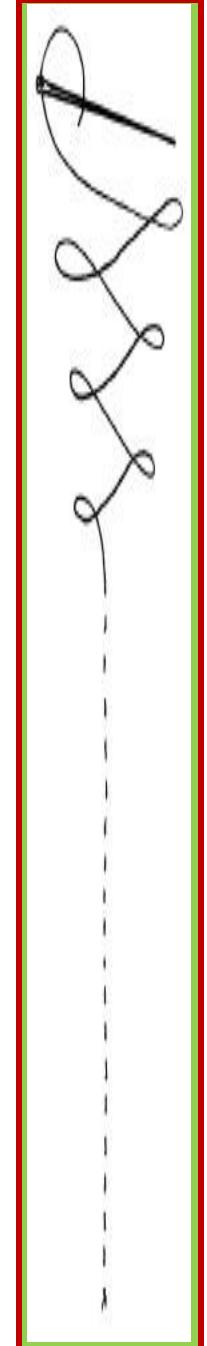
- **Membership** - Sherry said we had 29 present and 1 new member.
- **Sewing Expo** - October 20, 21, 22, - Time to sign up to be Ambassadors. We need people to do this so we can have a free booth for our raffle quilt.
- **Library** - Shirley is selling our books now and can be purchased for .50 cent, \$1.00 or \$2.00.
- **Programs** - Chris thanked us for the quilt of valor blocks she got. She is having twin granddaughters on August 15th and is going to Colorado. Next month's workshop will be **FREE**.
- **Chicken Quilt Show** - Joan gave us a challenge to make any quilt with the fat quarter she gave out. Due November meeting .20x20 and no bigger than 30 x 30. They will hang in the chicken show.
- **Sunshine** - Nancy Folsom requested prayer for her family as a grandson is in hospice care. Pat Anderson also is in need of prayers as her back is giving her a lot of trouble. She is having a MRI today. Shirley cut her foot accidentally with a rotary cutter.
- Lola- asked for willing longarmer for the Quilts of Valor project.
- **Eagle Ranch** - August 15th is project day and they will be working on scrappy churn dash. They have 20 quilts in the tote for Eagle Ranch and 4 to go to long armers. She is also getting fabric organized that was donated to her for us to use. Jelly Roll race will be at the September Project day. They have made up 12 jelly rolls if you do not have one. Drawing will be held for the blocks.

We ended our meeting with Show and Tell and the Birthday Raffle drawing. Side note-Tuesday Morning has been selling sewing stuff including jelly rolls.



Respectfully Submitted,

Roxan Brown



MEMBERSHIP:

We had thirty members present at our August meeting. A returning member, Nova Vann, joined us for the first time in a few years – welcome back Nova! We have a new member this month, Pat Childs of Buford. Thanks for joining us Pat; we're glad you're here! Pat and Nova have been added to the directory, so check for updates.



Sherry Kaas-Chairperson



Treasurer Report

6/30-7/31/11

Ida Schwind

Beginning balance 6/30/11 \$4,965.40

Income

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|---------------------|------------------------|
| Raffle Quilt Sales | \$168.00 |
| Programs | \$132.50 |
| Book Sales | \$72.55 |
| Total Income | <u>\$373.05</u> |
| Balance | \$5,338.45 |



Expenses

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|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| Judy Wangemann CK1215 | \$68.39 | Challenge Fabric |
| Terry Powers CK 1216 | \$22.50 | 3 Eagle Ranch Quilts |
| Judy Wangemann CK 1217 | \$15.00 | 2 Eagle Ranch Quilts |
| Total Expenses | <u>\$105.89</u> | |

**Closing Balance on
7/31/11 \$5,232.56**



DAY TIME QUILTING BEE

Meets the second and fourth Wednesday of the month, 1:00- 4:00pm, we take turns meeting at each other's houses. We are a group of 6 to 12 quilters. We bring our own work, usually hand work. We have worked on the Raffle Quilt the last couple of years. New members are always welcome, come join us. For more information call **Joan Cunningham** at 770-532-2674 for location.

EVENING QUILTING BEE

We are working on quilts that use 7" and 3" squares. We welcome anyone to join us. Bring any project you may be working on. We meet the second Tuesday of the month from 6pm-8 or 8:30pm. Come in the right side door of the church building of Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1234 Riverside Drive, Gainesville. Call me if you have questions
Judy Wangemann 770-534-5861

PROGRAMS

September 12th

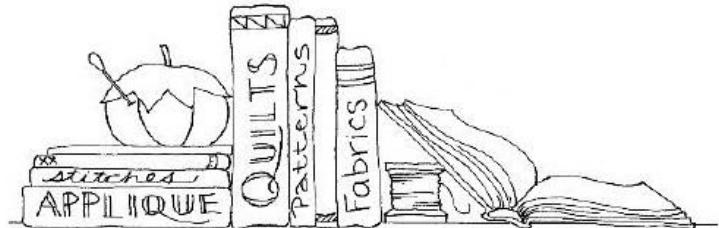
program will be by **Deb Henderson**. Her topic will be 7 ways to kick your quilt up a notch. The workshop will be a mystery. You will need to bring a basic sewing supplies and a sewing machine also a fat quarter. I will be doing an interesting and free demo.

Thanks to all who made *Quilts of Valor* blocks for me.



Thanks,

Chris Reynolds
Vice President/Program Chairperson



HALL COUNTY QUILT GUILD FALL CHALLENGE

If you would like to do this challenge, see Joan Garland at the next guild meeting for the fabric and a copy of the rules.

Use at least ½ of the Fat Quarter (FQ) you received. It must be used on the front of the quilt, not the backing. Other colors used must be some of the colors that are in the FQ you received.

1. Size: no smaller than 20" x 20", no larger than 30" x 30"
2. Any quilt medium is acceptable, pieced, paper pieced or appliquéd, use of embellishments is also acceptable.
3. Any design is acceptable.
4. All entries must contain 3 layers and must be quilted by hand or machine and have a binding.
5. Must be a member of Hall County Quilt Guild.

Due date: November 7, 2011 at the regular guild meeting.

Winners will be determined by viewer's choice. First, second and third place.

All entries will be hung and shown at the next Chicken quilt show/Gainesville Chicken Festival.



Ladies first I want to thank you all for the squares for Eagle Ranch quilts. I received about 60 of the 9 patch but only 30 of the pinwheel. I know it was a short month because our meeting was late in July so please bring your blocks next month. Some ladies told me they forgot and that is ok, I forget too. If I get 30 more pinwheel blocks with what I have then that will make 4 quilts. If you have trouble with the point coming together in the center, open the seam to make 2 halves, then put them together, no bump in the middle. Congratulations to Denise Martin winner of the drawing.



If you have a pattern in mind and need some fabric to complete it give Carol a call and she can pull some fabric to help you. Mrs. Doris Neely donated some fabric for Eagle Ranch quilts. It is at Carol's house. Darlene, Sandy and I have been helping her go through the boxes to sort and arrange the fabric so it will be easily accessible. Thank you, Darlene and Sandy for your help.

Thank you, Julie for taking our Project Day quilt to put it together, she did great job laying it out at project day. We have lots of fun and learn from each other on Project Day. Oh Yes! Be sure to put September Project Day on your calendar for the Jelly Roll race. If you need a Jelly Roll please let me or Carol know so we can cut you one.



Carol was contacted on short notice by Eagle Ranch for a quilt to present to Jeff Foxworthy for doing a fund raiser. I had this quilt on the machine so I donated it and made a special label for it, in appreciation to him from Eagle Ranch for doing the fund raiser.

Betty Heathman & Carol Johnson-- Co-Chairperson

Cooler weather is finally coming our way
I hope all our September ladies are enjoying the cooler weather (I hope)

Joan Garland 3
Betty Heathman 11

Delia Perkins 15
Pat Anderson 20

Christine Reynolds 24

Are you a free motion quilter? If so I have just what you need to finish up those quilt tops. A Dot to Dot design pattern book with lots of quilt designs, Machinger's Quilt gloves, just what you need to hold your top on your table top while quilting, Golden Threads quilt paper, Supreme Slider, so your fabric won't slide all over. Chaco chalk liner and a Scissor holder.

The raffle tickets for the big raffle are \$1.00 each.

If you are celebrating your birthday in September, please bring a gift for the raffle table.

Don't forget to ask for your BIRTHDAY sticker
So we can all wish you a

"HAPPY BIRTHDAY"



Hall County Quilt Guild – Meeting location: Chestnut Mountain Presbyterian Church, 4733 Winder Highway, 9:30am, 1st Monday of Month. Editor: Glenda Holcomb, 1753 Wynfield Lane, Auburn, GA 30011. Contact number 770-277-4360 email: HTeam1023@yahoo.com

Deadline for newsletter articles is September 14, 2011

"For the latest Show N Tell photos plus photos of Eileen Sullivan's quilts, go to "

<http://communitywebshots.com/user/hallcountyquiltguild>



Jelly Roll Race example made by:
Lydia Conner



Eagle Ranch quilt donated by:
Joan Garland

ART ON THE SQUARE

September 17, 2011
10 A. M. till 5 P. M.

This will be our fourth year to have a booth to sell Raffle Tickets, at Art On The Square. This event takes place on the square in downtown Gainesville. Art On The Square is sponsored by The Art League, The City of Gainesville, and the merchants located on the square. This event is a lot of fun, and should not be missed. You may purchase art by local artists, stain glass, pottery, jewelry, unique bird houses...and more! Plus, there are interesting shops on the square along with fun places for lunch.

Hall County Quilt Guild will have a space under one of the large tents. It is the ideal place to display our Raffle Quilt, and sell lots of tickets, as well as highlighting our quilts for Eagle Ranch children. You will have an opportunity to sign up for working in the booth, at the September meeting.

Volunteers are asked to bring their own chair, since the Guild has chosen to control costs by not reserving a table and chairs, this year. I will bring an extra chair for use in the booth, in case you forget to bring your own. A cooler will be available for your use if you choose to bring your lunch and a drink.

Please reserve Saturday, September 17th, to help sell Raffle Tickets, thus supporting the Eagle Ranch project and other Guild programs.

Thanks,

Jean Leslie, Chair

Raffle Ticket

sales are under way. I hope you have sold all your tickets and ready for more tickets. I have several envelopes left with names and your tickets. Remember our club is only as strong as you make it. So ladies lets all do our part in building our club stronger and pitching in. Please again check your calendar for the October Quilting Expo. The dates are October 20-22, and help setting up on that Thursday the 19th. We need volunteers for 4 hrs increments to work in sells tickets in our booth. And in return for a free space and booth, the club members have to volunteer to help in CLASS ROOM ASSISTANT, GREETER, TICKET SCANNER, INFO DESK ASSISTANT, and DISPLAY SET A UP/TEAR-DOWN, STUDIO ORGANIZER, WHITE GLOVE GALLERY MONITOR, and SEWING MACHINE CHECK ASSISTANT AND BOOTH HELP. I will have a signup sheet for the hours you would like to volunteer for. Volunteers need to fill out a form, this is how you fill out and send in. Go to the web site of www.Sewingexpo.com then click on the Georgia Quilt Show this takes you to another page where you look for EXHIBIT (this is located on the left side towards the bottom). Look for form to volunteer and click on this icon, fill this form out and submit... So girls sell, sell and volunteer.

Just a reminder to sell those tickets and sign up for the Georgia Expo. We need your help. If anyone knows of any events we can take our raffle quilt to sell tickets, please let me know to see if we can get something set up.

Dee-Co-President and Raffle Ticket Coordinator

GREETINGS:

We are pleased and excited to be able to bring The Georgia Quilt Show back to the Gwinnett Center, October 20 -22, 2011.

The complete catalog will be on line on July 28th. The catalog will be mailed upon request by filling out the form on the web site, www.sewingexpo.com or calling 1-800-699-6309.

There is a link to the Ambassador Program on our website, www.sewingexpo.com. If a member or non member would like to take part in our Ambassador program the web form can be completed and will come to me. Additionally, there is also a link to read about the bus trips if you would like to take advantage of that program. I am looking forward to working with you and your guild in 2011. Please do not hesitate to let me know if you have any questions. My toll free number is below.

If your information or your newsletter editor has changed, please let me know that information when you acknowledge receipt of this e-mail and attachment. As in the past, I would appreciate being included on your newsletter distribution list. My mailing address is below.

Thank you.

Terri Sheetz

Ambassador Coordinator

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Georgia Quilt Show returns to Gwinnett Center in Duluth, October 20-22, 2011 with exciting additions to the classrooms and exhibit hall. An extensive display of competition and faculty quilts will add color and inspiration to the Exhibit Hall. In addition, The Alliance for American Quilts will hang a display of 118 small auction quilts and 12 exceptional pieces representing Quilters Save Our Stories (Q.S.O.S.). Over 300 quilts will be at the center of **Georgia Quilt Show!** Quilts entered into competition will be juried in early September and judging will occur at Georgia Quilt Show 2011 where NQA certified judges will award a \$1,000 Prize for Best of Show. First, Second and Third place awards in each of three categories: Bed Quilt, Large Wall Quilt and Small Wall Quilt, will share \$4,500 in cash prizes. Ribbons for Honorable Mention and Judges' Choice will round out the recognitions.

Georgia Quilt Show will feature classes and workshops with leading quilt educators, offering the latest in techniques and creativity. Included in this year's faculty are:

Pat Barry - Racine, WI Carol Holsopple - Cape Coral, FL
Lisa Bongean - Menasha, WI Mary Huey - Willoughby, OH
Kari Carr - Fergus Falls, MN Debby Kratovil - Fairfax, VA
Regina Carter - Jackson, GA Cindy Losekamp - Cedar Grove, IN
Colleen Casey - Marietta, GA Debbie Maddy - Graham, TX
Teri Chandler - Coeur d'Alene, ID Kim Montagnese - Amherst, OH
Susan Clark - Cedar Falls, IA Marty Moon - Culpeper, VA
June Colburn - Largo, FL Karen Pharr - Luttrell, TN
Molly Elkind - Alpharetta, GA Mavis Rosbach - Jesup, GA
Dusty Farrell - Cambridge Springs, PA Nancy Sapin - Franklin, NC
Mary Fons - Chicago, IL Barbara Soumar - Vero Beach, FL
Paula Golden - Blacksburg, VA Connie Spurlock - Coeur d'Alene, ID
Karen Grof - Safety Harbor, FL Holice Turnbow - Sturbridge, MA
Lynda Hall - Apopka, FL Nelly Vileikis - Aurora, OH
Joan Hardy - Cornelia, GA Barbara H. Handler - Knoxville, TN
Gayle Wallace - Taylor, LA

To be added to our mailing list, please visit: www.georgiaquiltshow.com

Registration and class information will be posted to our website July 28, 2011.

Exhibit Hall Hours are Thursday & Friday: 10am-6pm; Saturday: 10am - 5:30pm.

General Admission is \$10. Classes can be purchased separately at the door. Reduced class fees and FREE General Admission tickets are available in advance with the purchase of Value Packages.

Call 1-800-699-6309 for a FREE 28-page brochure, with all event, class and registration information. For information on volunteer opportunities and the Ambassador Rewards program, call 1-888-400-7414.

Hall County Quilt Guild

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Next Meeting

September 12, 2011

**Chestnut Mountain Presbyterian
Church
4733 Winder Highway**

Remember To Bring:

Name Tag

Refreshments – Food....Food....

Eagle Ranch Quilts

Friendship to Share

Birthday Gift

\$\$\$\$\$ for Raffle Tickets

Block for Eagle Ranch