

# CHURN DASH

## News

### Hall County Quilt Guild

### January 2019



## What's Happening

**Jan 7 - Applique Bee**

Jan 21 - Project Day

**Feb 4 - Installation of Officers**

Feb 12-15, 2019 Retreat

Feb 18 - Project Day

**March 4 - Candace Hassan**

Mar 7-9 - Quilt & Sewing Expo

Mar 19 - Project Day

**April 1 - Paula Johnson**

April 15 - Project Day

**May 6 - Tammy Silvers**

May 20 - Project Day

**June 3 - Picnic**

June 17 - Project Day

July 1 Quilt Show

August 5 David Gilleland Victor Quilts

Sept 2 Andi Barney

Oct 7 Krista Moser The Quilted Life

Oct 8 Workshop

Nov 4 Diane Knott Butterfly Threads

Dec 2 Holiday Party

## Happy New Year

In January the applique bee will amaze us with their hand sewing skills. Come and see a trunk show full of applique quilts. This will be a great time to learn from these skilled quilters their secrets and inspirations.

## Severe weather plan

In case of wintery weather please check for school closings. We will cancel our meetings or project day if Hall County schools cancels school. We do this for two reasons; first if the roads are too icy for the buses to drive safe, its too icy for our members to drive, also the church also closes when the school district closes, so we won't have access to the building.



You can listen to WSB TV for school closings, or go to Hallco.com. We will also make every effort to post on HCQG.com and our Facebook page if we cancel meetings.



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Happy Birthday to our January birthday girls:

1/1	Carol Johnson
1/5	Denise Ulrich
1/9	Deborah Landress
1/13	Chris Anderson
1/20	Ronda Rose
1/22	Cathy Ethridge
1/24	Jane Kesler
1/24	Christine Pierson
1/28	Joan Cunningham
1/30	Barbara Coates
1/31	Julie Monroe

Connie Murphy  
Birthday Raffle Chairman

The budget for 2019-2020 has been posted for your review on the HCQG website on the members only page.

**Thank you to those who will be bringing refreshments for our next meeting**

Chris Anderson  
Sally Zook  
Lynn Alfred  
Joyce Pinson  
Connie Murphy  
Jenny Thomas



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Rose King

**Hall County Quilt Guild 40th Anniversary Challenge**

Elements used: Paper Piecing  
Machine Applique  
Machine Piecing and Quilting

The four blue and white Churn Dash blocks in the top row are the symbol of our guild; there is one block for each decade since we began.

The Heart blocks in the top row represent our charity/community projects.

The Flag block in the top row represents our Country.

The Cake and Candle block in the middle represents our anniversary year celebration.

The four blocks in the bottom row represent many of the accessories and supplies we use in quilting.



Gail Thomas

## Hall County Quilt Guild 40th Anniversary Quilt Challenge

Congratulations to Margaret Johnson for winning our guild quilt challenge.



Denise Ulrich



Frances Brooks



Jane Kessler



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Hall County Quilt Guild  
Meeting Minutes  
December 3, 2018

Our December meeting began with a lovely luncheon featuring Lasagna prepared by Jean Edwards. The tables were beautifully decorated and everyone had a good time. **Roxan Brown** presented a check to Chestnut Mountain Presbyterian Church to express our gratitude to the church for hosting our guild.

**Trixie Comfort** asked those who have finished their “Row by Row” quilts to bring them to the February meeting.

**Laura Nagy** told us how grateful the women who received the cancer patient pillows were when she delivered them.

We voted on our favorites of the “40 Year Challenge” which celebrates the 40 years our guild has existed. First place winner was **Margaret Johnson**. Second place was **Rose King**, and in Third place was **Gail Thomas**. It was fun to see all the entries.

Respectfully Submitted,

Julie Monroe, Secretary



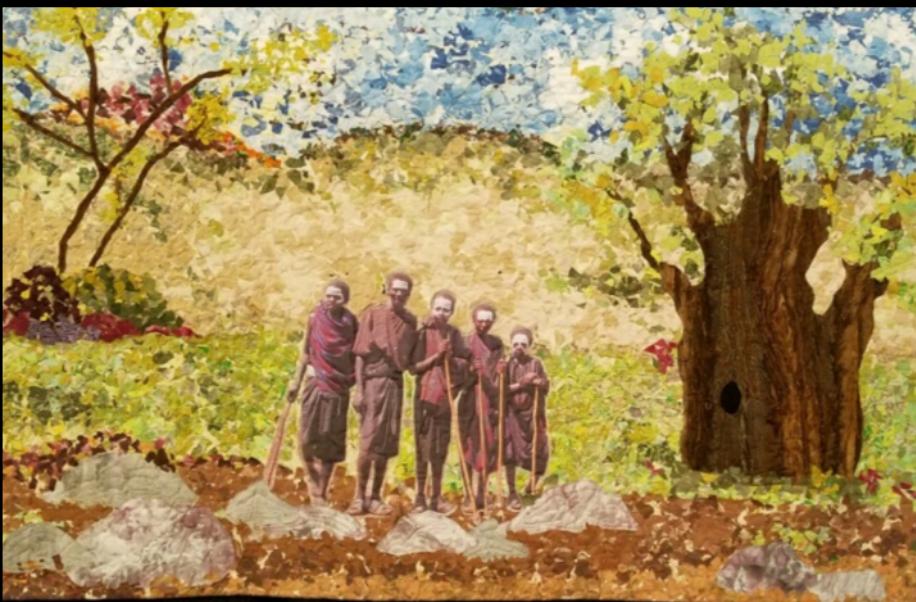
The Treasurer's report has been posted in the members only section of our website.

**Sally Zook**



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*Maasai Boys to Men*  
Penelope Little  
Salem, South Carolina  
United States  
with Linda O'Donnell and Sue LaBo

This confetti-style quilt was made at an annual sisters quilt retreat. While exploring the Serengeti in Tanzania, we encountered these boys. Recently, they had been circumcised and had just survived three months in the wilderness. Our tour guide was Maasai and made it possible for the photos that inspired this quilt.

**Techniques:** Machine quilting—stationary machine, free-motion; machine piecing, fused appliquéd, hand dyeing, photo transfer, professional fabric printing, threadpainting.

**Materials:** 100% cotton hand-dyed fabric, batik, muslin, tulle, African fabric from Kenya, Procion dye

**Design Source:** Original; inspired by personal photos taken by the quilters while on safari in Tanzania

## International Quilt Festival

Congratulations to Linda O'Donnell and Denise Ulrich on having their quilts at the International Quilt Festival.



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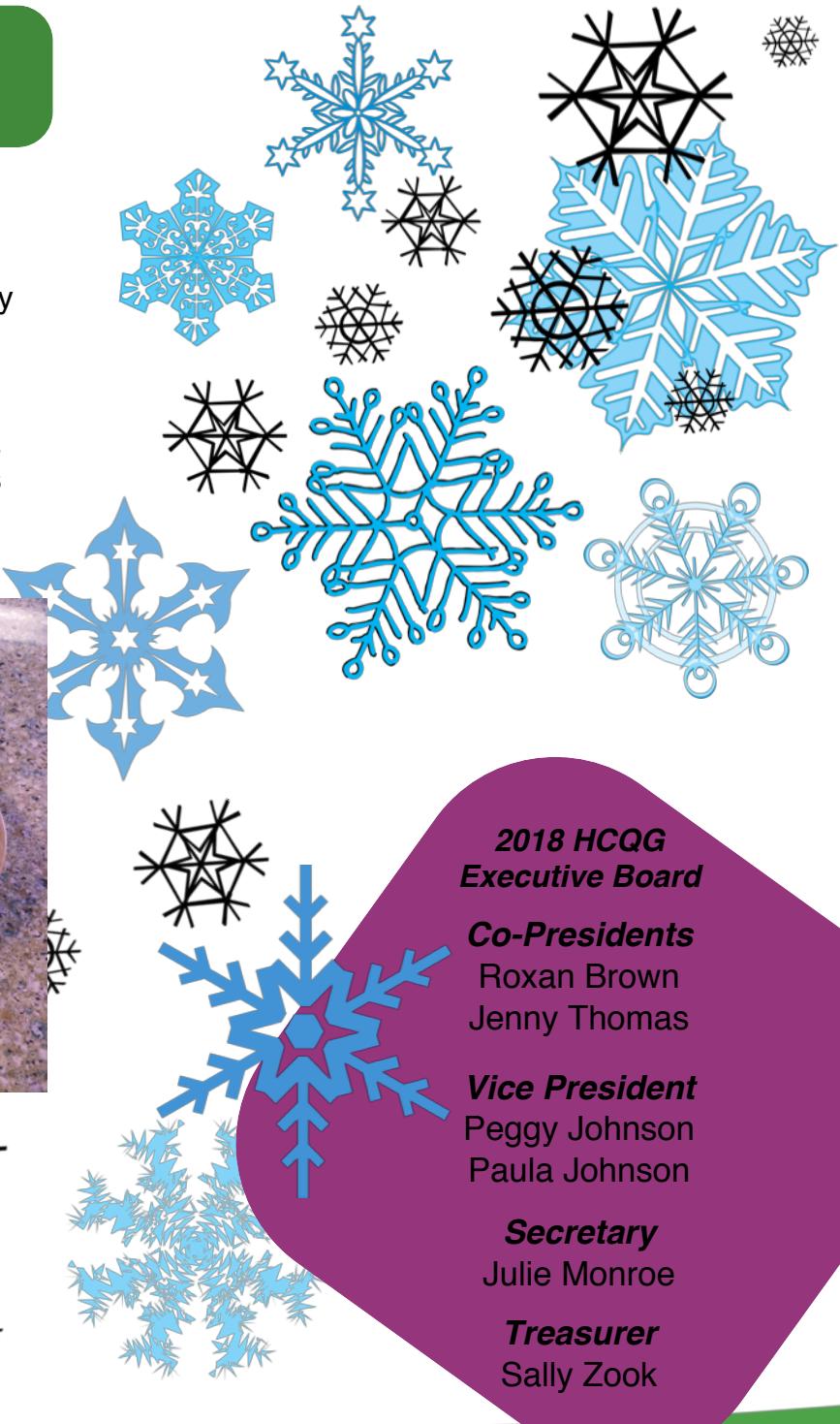


## Door Prize Raffle

The door Prize for January is

a batik jelly roll of 20 strips 6"x42" donated by Sheri Hooper

and a custom made magnetic pin holder donated by me, made by my husband, Larry. Total retail value of \$65.00 (\$40 for the strips and \$25 for the pin holder).



### ***2018 HCQG Executive Board***

#### ***Co-Presidents***

Roxan Brown  
Jenny Thomas

#### ***Vice President***

Peggy Johnson  
Paula Johnson

#### ***Secretary***

Julie Monroe

#### ***Treasurer***

Sally Zook

**HCQG meetings** are on the **FIRST** Monday of each month

unless that day is a holiday (then the meeting is the second Monday of the month)

Social Hour is at 9:30 a.m. and the meeting starts at 10:00

**Project Day** is held **THIRD** Monday of each month at the church at 10:00 a.m.

bring anything you are working on as well as a dish to share (or just bring your own lunch if that works better for you).



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### **Are you new to the Hall County Quilters Guild?**

Check out our website at [HCQG.org](http://HCQG.org) for valuable information like how to make a name badge, our policies and procedures, how to make a quilt for Eagle Ranch and even photos of quilts that our members have made.