



CABIN BRANCH QUILTERS NEWS IN PIECES

- WOODBRIDGE, VIRGINIA -

January 2019

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

As I write this snow is in the air. Also, I am still taking ornaments off my Christmas tree, my challenge quilt is little more than a sketched-out idea, and of the quilts I plan to put in the show, one is basted and one is still a partially completed top. Feel better about yourself??

I'd like to thank all the board members and committee chairs who worked so hard on our behalf in 2018, with special thanks to those who will be continuing their duties in 2019. There is a lot of work being done behind the scenes at CBQ. At the next meeting look around at all the guild members sitting at tables or standing up to tell you what's going on. They are all volunteers and we wouldn't be able to do anything without them.

January starts CBQ's busy season. Quilt show planning moves into high gear, we will be displaying our challenge quilts and selling tickets for our raffle quilt at the Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival next month, our annual quilt show is in March, and we kick back and sew our brains out at the Spring Retreat in April. Plus, we'll be having guild meetings, workshops, and bees. All in all, winter/spring is a great season for CBQ!

Despite the cold weather, I hope you will join your fellow quilters in some or all of these activities. Winter can be dreary but quilting together with friends (including friends you haven't met yet!) is guaranteed to brighten your day!

Marianne Gravely

VICE PRESIDENTS' LETTER

Happy New Year CBQ Quilters. Hope all had a great and festive holiday season. New Year's is here and so are new workshops and lectures for CBQ members. January's workshop is "Hand Turned Appliqué' Without Tears" presented by Geri Ford of Maryland. Geri makes beautiful appliqué' pieces using a simple and easy technique. There is still room for you if you are interested. Workshop will be at Lake Ridge Baptist Church from 10am to 4pm. Cost is \$35 plus \$6 for the kit. If you are interested in attending the workshop please email me, Dee Canales at everquilting@gmail.com or text me at 954/254-8275.

The CBQ/SHQ Quilt Show is fast approaching, and Rosie Blok and I will be collecting donations for the Emporium. Please email Rosie at blokrose1@yahoo.com or me at the above email if you would like to drop them off at our homes or if you have any questions. If they are small items, able to fit in Rosie's SUV or my sedan you can bring them to the January or February meetings.

Dee Canales and Rosie Blok
CBQ Guild VPs

TREASURER'S REPORT**December 2018**

	Expense	Income
Facility Rental (meeting)	\$100.00	
Monthly Website Payment	\$29.00	
Staples (printing of bylaws)	\$32.82	
Massanetta Springs Sp 19 2nd payment	\$2111.48	
Quilting it Together (party prizes)	\$82.00	
Quilting it Together (donation Benton)	\$29.00	
Membership		\$265.00
Raffle Quilt Sales		\$493.00
Spring 19 Retreat Deposits		\$260.00
Fall 19 Retreat Deposits		\$1320.00
TOTAL	\$2843.30	\$2338.00
ENDING BALANCE	\$28019.91	

QUILTERS WE CARE ABOUT

Please inform me by email at mercedes.alexander@gmail.com of any card needing to be sent.

Thank you,
Mercedes Alexander/Sunshine Lady

HOSPITALITY

Thank you to everyone who contributed and helped with December's meeting/party! A special thanks to my friend Sheri Locke for helping to set up for the party (who is not even a member or quilter)! Also, my thanks and appreciation to Belinda and Pat for all their hard work! Hospitality is a team effort! So, again, thank you!

Now it is a New Year! If you have a birthday in January, please bring a dish or item to the meeting to share. If you don't have a birthday in January, and would like to bring something to share, that would be wonderful too! Hope to see you all there! Evelyn Lester

Thank you all,
Hospitality Committee

**NICU QUILTS**

6 quilts were turned in. 38 quilts were recently delivered to Sentara.

If you are a newcomer to CBQ, NICU quilts need to be 30"x40" as they need to fit over the isolettes. They can be slightly larger and any pattern you like. You don't need to do a lot of quilting to keep it soft for their tender skin.

Sherri Quinn & Joan Flaherty
 NICU Co Chairs

FAREWELL BLOCKS

We are collecting farewell blocks for Carol Moonan who is moving to Arizona. Please make a 6 1/2" rail block that you sign. The rail block is made of three 2 1/2" strips, colored strips on the outside and cream or white in the center that you sign. As always, we will have remade blocks for purchase.

This is our last time writing this. Thank you for all your help. Have a wonderful Christmas

Arlene Tolin & Betty Jenkins

Taking over in 2019 are:
Carlene Halsing and Karina Kohler

CBQ GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

December 17, 2018

Attendance: 62 people attended.

President Kathy Schumer called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm and welcomed all to our December meeting.

Show and Tell: 7 members inspired us with their recently completed projects.

A motion was made by Grace Pollack and seconded by Cindy Comeyne to accept the November minutes as written in the newsletter. Motion passed.

New Business: A copy of the by-laws was sent out for review. Senior VP will assume duties if President is unable. Senior is defined as longest in office. The Treasurer will be responsible for storing and providing access to all electronic devices and an inventory. The new board will be in charge of taking inventory in the Woodbridge storage facility. Cindy Comeyne made a motion to accept the by-laws as written with the changes that were highlighted and Grace Pollack seconded. Motion passed.

The 2019 slate of officers:

President – Marianne Gravelly

Vice President - Dee Canales

Vice President - Rosie Blok

Secretary - Vania Root

Treasurer- Peggy Heffernan

Treasurer – Linda Goodwin

Joanne Hawk moved to accept the slate and Mary Walsh seconded. Motion passed.

Executive Board:

VP: Sign up for the Easy Peasy Appliqué Without Tears class which will be held on Monday, Jan 28. The cost is \$35.00, and Geri Ford is the instructor.

Committee Chair announcements:

Quilts of Valor: A Thank You note from Quilts of Valor was read by Kathy. They appreciate our contribution and assistance in helping them distribute over 194,000 quilts to veterans.

Raffle Tickets: The Hampton show is coming up soon. Please consider going and selling tickets. We brought in \$413 at the Gar-Field Craft Show.

Chinn: The next Chinn Bee is Sunday, Jan 6 from 12:00 – 4:30. The February Bee is Sunday, Feb 10. Come and finish projects for the Quilt Show.

Hospitality: Thanks to everyone for bringing food for our Christmas party. Please take stockings from your table.

Membership: Nametag winners were Jane Bruno and Lynn Forcia.

Fall Retreat: See Karen Shaver to pay.

Spring Retreat: Spring Retreat is April 25 – 28. See Marianne Gravelly is interested.

Challenge Quilts: Please sign up tonight if you are considering making a Challenge Quilt. See Jill Sheehan.

Quilt Show:

- Hospitality – Jane Bruno asks volunteers to sign up on available clip boards for breakfast and lunch for Sat and Sun.

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- Quilt Registration- Jeanne Endrikat says the database is ready to start entering quilts. Challenge Quilts should also be entered. If you joined the Guild since the Fall, send Jeanne your info so that you can be entered into the database. Five quilts can be entered by each member. Pictures should be vertical and the correct size. Keep description short. Let people know what pattern was used. More details will be sent via E-news soon. Call Jeanne if you have problems.
- **Silent Auction:** Patti Hutchins is collecting items for Silent Auction. The next organizing party will be Saturday, January 19 at 10:00am at Cyndi Cooke's home in Manassas. Look for details in E-news.
- **Emporium:** Rosie asked for handmade items to be turned in at the January meeting.

NICU: 6 quilts were turned in. 38 quilts were recently delivered to Sentara.

Caring Quilts: 6 quilts were turned in. Sandra Jekell will chair the Caring Quilts assisted by Jill Sheehan.

Respectfully submitted,
Diane Johnson

MEMBERSHIP

Time to **RENEW** your **CBQ Membership** for 2019 !

The 2019 Membership Renewal continues through February 2019. If we do not receive your membership renewal form by the end of February, or you do not renew by the February 25th meeting, your name will be removed from the roster and from accessing the members-only portion of the CBQ website. We know you don't want to miss out on workshops, exciting announcements, or important information.

The membership form can be found on our website cabinbranchquilters.org or at the membership table during the monthly meetings. To access the form from the website click on "Quick Info", then "Join Us", under the heading *Already a Member*, click on Membership Renewal form. Print out and please fill out the information and attach payment (cash or check). Make checks payable to CBQ. Renewal fees are \$25 for regular membership; \$20 for those 65 and older; and \$30 for family membership. All family members must live in the same household. You can give this to the membership committee at the meetings or mail form and check payment (made out to CBQ) to: Diane Hannon, 13279 Amblewood Dr, Manassas, VA 20112. If you are mailing the form in and you want your membership card mailed to you please include a stamped, self addressed envelope. Otherwise, you can pick up your card at a monthly meeting.

Please remember to sign in at the monthly meetings at the table set up across from the membership table and make sure to wear your CBQ name badge or CBQ shirt with your name on it because you may just win a prize by entering the name tag raffle!!

Diane Hannon and Terri Klancer
Co-Chairs, Membership



**CARING
QUILTS**

Correction: Nov - 3 quilts turned in.
Dec - 8 quilts turned in.
2018 Total Caring Quilts turn in - 158

Warmest regards,
Sharmie Williams

EVENT CALENDAR – 2019

Jan 6 – Sun	Chinn Bee	Chinn Library	Noon – 4:30 pm
Jan 27 - Mon	Workshop: How To Needle Turn Without Tears, Teacher Geri Ford	Lake Ridge Baptist Church	10:00 am – 4:00 pm
Jan 27 – Mon	Membership Meeting	Lake Ridge Baptist Church	7:00 pm
Jan 29, Tues	Quilts of Valor	Serendipity Quilt Studio	10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Feb 10, Sun	Chinn Bee	Chinn Library	Noon – 4:30 pm
Feb 21, Thurs	Queders	Wegman's	11:30 am
Mar 2, Sat	Chinn Bee	Chinn Library	10:00 am – 4:30 pm
Feb 28 – Mar 3	MAQF – 30 th Anniversary	Convention Center, Hampton, VA	
Mar 21, Thurs	Queders	Wegman's	11:30 am
Mar 29-30, Fri / Sat	Star Quilters Guild Quilt Show https://starquilters.org/2019-show/	Roanoke, VA Berglund Center Exhibit Hall	Fri – 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, Sat – 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Mar 29 - Fri	CBQ/SHQ Quilt Show Set-up	PWC Fair Grounds, Manassas	
Mar 30-31 – Sat / Sun	CBQ/SHQ Quilt Show	PWC Fair Grounds, Manassas	Sat – 10:00 am to 5:00 pm, Sun – 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Monthly meetings are held on the fourth Monday of the Month at the Lake Ridge Baptist Church, located at 12450 Clipper Drive, Woodridge, VA. Meetings are cancelled when Prince William County Schools are closed due to weather conditions. Gathering starts at 6:30 pm and the meeting starts at 7:00 pm.



Sun, February 10, Noon - 4:30 pm
 Sat, March 2, 10:00 am – 4:30 pm

WEEKDAY BEES:

2nd Monday of Each Month at 7 PM, a roving Bee, contact Sherry Bushee, 703-670-7235
 Wednesday mornings, 9:30AM – Noon, contact Gwen Phillips, 703-670-3836
 Thursday Morning, a roving Bee, 9:30 – 11:30 AM., contact Grace Pollack, 703-494-7906 or
 Inge Price, 703-494-3634

QUILT SHOW - HOSPITALITY

Please sign up at the January guild meeting to bring items for the 2019 CBQ - Stone House Quilt Show Hospitality Room. We will need items for Saturday and Sunday breakfast and lunch. Volunteers and vendors always appreciate the wonderful food you bring.

Thank you,
Jane Bruno and Leah Brodgon

SPRING QUILT RETREAT, MASSANETTA SPRINGS, VA APRIL 25 - 28, 2019

If you still owe money please bring a check to the January meeting (email me if you are unsure!). April will be here before you know it, so please email me your roommate request and any special requests for your room.

Marianne

FALL QUILT RETREAT, MASSANETTA SPRINGS, VA NOVEMBER 1 – 3, 2019

The Fall Retreat for 2019 has been scheduled!! Please consider joining in a fun-filled weekend of sewing, shopping, socializing and laughter. There will also be challenges WITH PRIZES! The retreat is scheduled for Nov 1-3, 2019 (Friday – Sunday) at the Massanetta Springs Camp and Conference Center in Harrisonburg, VA. The cost is \$205 (double occupancy room) or \$245 (single occupancy room) per person which includes: 2 nights lodging, 5 meals, sewing room rental, and party favors! If you would like to join in the fun, please email Karen Shaver (shaver_karen@hotmail.com) with the following information: name, email address, occupancy (single or double), roommate and/or suitemate preferences, and any special needs (dietary or accessibility concerns). Then bring a deposit of at least \$50 to the next guild meeting and turn in to Karen Shaver. Checks should be made payable to CBQ. If you don't plan on attending the next guild meeting, please email Karen Shaver to make arrangements to mail the payment. Payment in full must be made by June 28th. Cancellations made before 5/1/19 may be eligible for refund. If there is a cancellation after this date, the participant is responsible for finding a replacement or forfeiting the amount paid.

Thank you!!
Karen Shaver

QUILTS OF VALOR

Join us Tuesday *29 January 2019* at Serendipity Quilt Studio 10am.-2pm. We will be sewing blocks that have been made into kits. Please bring a sewing machine, neutral thread, and scissors. If you would like to participate but not sew, you could iron and help with getting the boxes ready to mail. You may even want to just stop by and check out all the fun. If you have any questions you can contact me.

Carlene Halsing
571-269-5073
quiltercarlene@gmail.com

QUILT SHOW SILENT ACTION

Donations needed for the Silent Auction to be held at the March Quilt Show. Any sewing related items are gladly accepted. Contact either Patti Hutchins (703) 357-7329 or Joanne Hawk (703) 987-5894 to arrange for pick up (for very large items) or bring your donations to the next Guild Membership Meeting and we'll be glad to take your donations.

Remember this is one of the few fund raisers the Guild has, so hit your stashes! Maybe you have an old sewing machine (whether it works or not), or some notions that you don't use often or that you have duplicates of, perhaps you've some UFO (unfinished objects) that need a new home?

Thanks to everyone for donating.

Patti Hutchins
Joanne Hawk

BLOCK EXCHANGE

For the month of January we will have new blocks to pick up, so come find me!

Terry Mannion

QUILT SHOW DOOR PRIZES

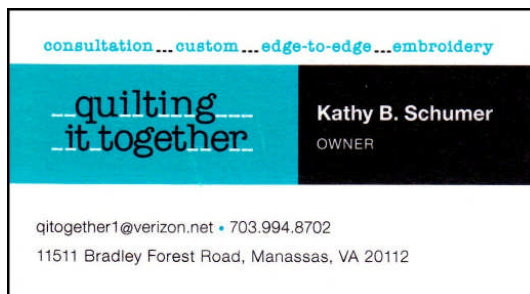
The following items are needed for Door Prizes at the quilt show. Please bring any donations to the Guild meeting on Jan 28th. Arlene will be collecting items. She will be near the row of windows as usual.

Items needed for Door Prizes:

- Gently used Books
- Books/patterns
- Fabric fat quarters
- Fabric to cut
- Spools of thread (unused)
- Notions
- Quilt related items

Bring to Arlene, at the guild meeting.

Gwen



QUEADERS

Queaders ended the year with a road trip to Fairfax. Brunch and book discussion was enjoyed at First Watch along with a shopping stop at Quilters Studio.



2019 will be the year of Biographies/Memoirs. the list of hostesses/months is as follows:

Feb 21 – Ginny Rippe
 Mar 21 – Donna Bruner
 Apr 18 – Dianne Werner
 May 16 – Karina Kohler
 Jun 20 – Ellen Guillen
 Jul 18 – Sherri Quinn
 Aug 22 – Sherry Bushee
 Sep 19 – Vania Root
 Oct 17 – Evelyn Lester
 Nov 21 – Leah Brogdon
 Dec 19 – Susan Jacobs and brunch at First Watch Restaurant

If you are new to CBQ or are looking to join a grouping share a love of reading and quilting, join us the 3rd Thursday of each month.

See you in 2019
 Happy Reading
Carlene

QUILT SHOW REGISTRATION

As you know, the database is open and receiving quilt show quilts. The photo renaming and resizing are so important. If you need help with your photos, I will be at the SHQ Friday morning bee for the next couple of weeks or at the next guild meeting with my camera. Just let me know you need a photo taken or help entering your quilt. Please follow the registration guidelines and quilt show dates below.

REGISTERING YOUR QUILTS

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Jan. 31, 2019 -Paper Registration/Photo Deadline for Display Quilts
Feb. 2, 2019 -Online Registration Closes for ALL Quilts, including Challenge Quilts
Feb. 11- -SHQ Turn in Challenge Quilts
Feb.25,2019 -CBQ Turn in Display Quilts and Challenge Quilts
March 11, 2019 -SHQ Turn in Display Quilts
March 20, 2019 -Pinning Party
March 29, 2019 -Quilt Show Setup
March 30 & 31, 2019 -Quilt Show
March 31, 2019 -Pick up Quilts

You may enter 5 quilts in addition to your Challenge Quilts.

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WHAT YOU NEED TO DO BEFORE REGISTERING YOUR QUILT ON-LINE:

1. **Take a photo 600 KB-1.5 MB.** All photos must be in 'jpg' or 'jpeg' file format.
2. **Name** your photo: Use your: **Last name, First Initial, name of quilt** (10-15 letters, truncate if necessary), and **quilt size** (width x length). **Do not use punctuation or spaces.** EX: DoeJBloomingNinepatch34x45.jpg
3. **Know what category your quilt is in.**
4. **Measure your quilt (round the measurement to a whole number). Width (Left to Right for top of quilt) _____ Length (Top to Bottom) _____**

ON-LINE REGISTRATION GUIDELINES:

1. Go to the web site: <http://stonehousequilters.org/quiltentry>
2. The **ID** is your guild initial, last 4 numbers of your phone and your initials. For example, S1234AD (the letters are capitalized) and the **Password** is **Quilt2019#** (Note the phone number will be the number you supplied for the guild roster. 3. To enter a quilt, click on the **Quilt Entry** to the right of your information and then the plus sign +.
4. Fill in the required information for each entry and choose your photo.
5. Be sure you type in the description directly; DO NOT cut and paste the description. Make it concise.
6. Review your submission and make sure you have attached the correct photo with the correct naming and size. Hit **Add**.
7. If you need to edit an entry, use the pencil icon next to the quilt name. Be sure to save and confirm it. When adding a photo, choose it, save it and then confirm it.
8. Finally, **log out** by going to the person icon at the top right of the web page and logging out.

If you are having trouble doing this, don't hesitate to contact me: Jeanne.endrikat@verizon.net or 703-361-3695

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