

CALVERT COUNTY QUILT GUILD
June 2020 NEWSLETTER

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Meetings: The guild meetings (second Tuesday of the month) start at 7 pm and are held at Harriet Elizabeth Brown Community Center (HEBCC), 901 Dares Beach Road, Room 113, Prince Frederick. The room will be available at 6:00 pm if you want to come early to stitch and chat!

Meeting Cancellation Policy: If Calvert County Public Schools are closed or have an early dismissal due to weather conditions, the guild meeting is cancelled.

Next Guild Meeting: TBD
Next Board Meeting: June 2, 7:00 pm via Zoom
July Newsletter Deadline: June 20

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President's Message

I miss seeing all of you. I hope you continue to stay safe at home. The executive board met through Zoom and it was great seeing them. I wish it could have been with all of you.

At that meeting we continued to make plans for our guild.

- Our first meeting will be the Sweet Sixteen social that was planned for June.
- The "Trip to the Hardware Store" guild challenge that was planned for April will also be presented at the first meeting provided Debra Huebner is available to lead the challenge and judging.
- Members have been asked to contact Debbie Lenhart with programs they can present. At this time it's difficult to contract with outside presenters when we don't have a firm date to resume meeting.
- Members with community service items should contact JoMarie about how to pass them to her.
- The raffle quilt is finished but tickets have not been ordered. Due to the postponement and cancellation of events where we sell tickets, the raffle date may be extended until 2021.
- The nominating committee has been unable to find members to run for president or secretary. Please reconsider and contact Jayne Roxy or Nikki Huffstutler. Laurel and I have agreed to continue in our current positions until volunteers are found or our first in person meeting.
- Membership dues are paid in July. Please send a check for $30 to Calvert Quilt Guild, P.O. Box 153, Prince Frederick, MD 20678.

The executive board will continue to meet via Zoom. If you have an item you'd like us to discuss, please contact a board member. If you'd like to join us, please contact me so I can send you a meeting invitation. Our contact information is on the last page of this newsletter.

Happy quilting!
Marlene

Upcoming Programs

No meetings scheduled due to Governor Hogan's Safer At Home order, Phase 1, which includes school and community center closures and restrictions on group gatherings to keep our members safe. In the meantime, we can look at different ways to keep in touch electronically, and use quilting to get through this difficult time.



June Birthdays

June	Wurtz	June 2
Melanie	Dumas	June 10
Susan	Blanton	June 19
Pat	Blackford	June 24
Nikki	Huffstutler	June 25

Enjoy your special day ladies!

Of Special Note



Auditing of our Books

Per our bylaws, our financial records need to be audited prior to the July meeting. We need two volunteers to perform this task. Please contact our treasurer, **Debbie Deboodt**, if you can help.

Community Service

JoMarie Coster is looking for people to quilt tops that have been given to her for community service. If you can help, please contact JoMarie.

A QUILTER'S PRAYER

God grant me the serenity to accept
The things I cannot change,
The fabric stash
To make a quilt to help me cope,
A quilt to give
To comfort those I love in times of
Hurt, fear and uncertainty
And the courage
To keep on quilting when life itself seems
Held together by a single thread of hope.

Bonnie K. Hunter, 2014

Upcoming Regional and Quilting Events



Our first in a series of online quilt festivals

OLQF will be around the clock from start to finish no matter what your time zone. For our first ever Online Quilt Festival, virtual show-goers will be able to view two quilt galleries, shop the vendors online and the "piece de resistance", take virtual interactive workshops from the comfort of home. Whether it be your desktop computer, tablet, laptop or smart phone you can enjoy a great festival no matter where you are! Join us for #OLQF **June 25-29, 2020** right here on Quiltfest.com! Registration begins on May 29. Stay tuned for more details!

https://www.quiltfest.com/upcoming-shows-and-events/online-quilt-festival/

May 2020 Show and Tell –Quarantine Style



Jan McB. - No. 10 of a 12 month set



Jan McB. - No. 11 of a 12 month set



Jan McB. - And finally, No. 12 finished!



Jan McB. - This is the QOV I made for my husband who was a paratrooper in the 101st and 82nd airborne during the Vietnam war. It will be an anniversary gift next month. He is my Hero.



Jan McB. -Finished this for Sue White`s daughter.-Sue had started it. It will be given to our Safe Harbor project.



Joan S. - This is a wall hanging for a face quilt challenge. I didn't want to do a person's face, so I did some cartoon characters that I liked. Techniques used were fusible, satin stitch for the outlines, bias binding tape for the circle.



Betty T. - Six bags for Community Service!



Betty T. – Beautiful Blues!



Betty T. – Majesty Lemoyne Star quilt using Deb Tucker rulers.



Betty T. – Another beautiful quilt.



Karla S. - Lavender sachets, moth chasers, and soft scrubbers for AMG boutique.



Anita K. - 47 zippered bags completed for charity and boutique.



Anita K. - Side view of bags. Lots of fabric variety!



Anita K. - Sample of completed zipper bag.



Karla S. - "Princess Pinkie" quilt for Safe Harbor with a matching pillowcase. Pieced, appliqued, hand quilted around appliques by Karla S. Machine quilted by JoMarie C.



Karla S. - Backing fabric was inspiration for "Princess Pinkie". Fabric from Shirley. Two color binding. Learned something new!



Nikki H. - Samples of my masks. I have made over 100 for friends, neighbors, and relatives



Nikki H. - Five additional bags for Safe Harbor.



Nikki H. - Pillowcases for Safe Harbor and Project Linus.



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Susan B. – Another baseball quilt from scraps from lasts month's quilt for Safe Harbor.



Susan B. - Wine bottle table runners for AMG boutique.