

June 2017



President
Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer

Joyce Cantrell
Colleen Eskridge
Joanna Roberts
Pat Miller

Mountain Laurel Quilt Guild

Special points of interest:

Note from President	page 1
Birthdays for the month	Page 2
Financial Statement	page 2
Donation Quilts	page 3
Workshop	page 3
Minutes of last meetings	page 4
Pictures	page 5/7



Tea Time June 1st

Note from the President

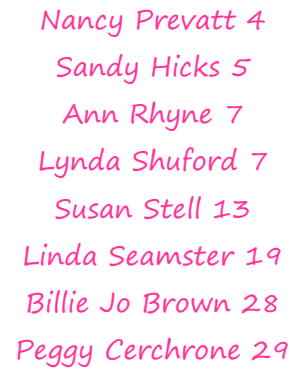
Hello to all,

June is almost here and we are ready for another quilt guild meeting. The meeting June 1, 2017 will take place at Laurel Fork Baptist Church. The time is 11:30 for our luncheon. Don't forget we are having finger food. The new president Pat Miller, vice president Patty Blanton, secretary Susan Stell, and treasury Chris Zimmer will be installed at this meeting.

I would like to thank you for electing me for your president the last two years. It has been a joy. We have accomplished a lot, the books were audited, bylaws redone, a lot of quilts given out, membership increased, newsletter having a lot of pictures and the new roster made. THANKS To ALL WHO MADE THIS HAPPEN.

See you Thursday.

Joyce



2016 Financial Summary

Donation Quilts

Donation Quilts Given 2016

Hope Pregnancy Center - 35
Dept. of Social Services - 15, also 7 dolls
Mountain Care Facilities - 15
Glenbridge - 12
Home Delivered Meals - 12
Blowing Rock Extended Care - 6
Blowing Rock Fire Dept. - 1
Individual/per Amy Stewart - 1

Suggested measurements for donation quilts are: 54"x 60" for lap quilts; 42"x 48" for children quilts; and 40"x 40" for baby quilts.
Call Lois at 828-264-4651 when you need fleece backing.



June Workshop

The June workshop will be held the third Thursday, June 15th, from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm. We will be working on the fabric "wreaths." You will need to bring 3 different coordinating fabrics - at least 3/5 yard of each. Also bring your machine with a size 14 needle since we will be sewing through some heavy pella. You will need threads to match fabric. The cost is \$10 and you will be provided with the pattern, pella, and plastic template. We will meet at the regular place at the Senior Center. Be sure to bring a lunch, and come enjoy sewing together. Any questions? Call Susan at 263-8399.



Ladies,

I will be giving a talk at the June luncheon about the history of the American quilt. I will be showing some historical quilts from the past, and would love to have you bring any family heirloom quilts you have. We would love to hear the stories behind your quilts. The quilts you are working on today will be family heirlooms of the future. What a wonderful way to pass down memories!

Pictures from May Workshop



May 4, 2017 Mountain Laurel Quilt Guild Meeting Minutes

Joyce called the meeting to order at 1:00pm

Visitors were welcomed and birthdays recognized.

The minutes and Treasurer's report were voted on and approved.

Dues are due in June.

An audit committee will review our finances with Pat.

A change has been recommended by the nominating committee for 2017/2018 year. The following list is the new slate of officers to be sworn in at the June luncheon meeting. Pat for President. Patty for Vice President. Sue Stell for Secretary. Chris for treasurer. The installation luncheon will be held at Laurel Fork Baptist Church and Susan will give a talk and trunk show on the history of the American Quilt. Members are encouraged to bring old quilts they have and share the quilt's story.

June's 3rd Thursday workshop of a 3D wreath will cost \$10. Fabric requirements will be forthcoming.

Show and Tell included:

4 completed pillow tops from last workshop were shown by members.

Marge displayed a sports themed donation top.

Susan Payne brought three donation quilts to show. Some used Rose's fabric.

Elmira shared a quilt she made for a friend's grand baby.

Pat shared 2 donation quilts made with Rose's fabric.

Sue Stell displayed a cat donation quilt made from Rose's fabric stash.

Georgie brought a bag to show as well as an Aho wall hanging she made for herself after completing a matching block for a community quilt.

LeAnn showed 4 of Dianne's donation quilts.

Sheri displayed Jill Sanders quilt that she long arm quilted and Lexi's first full sized quilt that she will be long arm quilting.

In August, she will teach a jelly roll quilt technique and she displayed examples of her work.

Lois showed a 2009 workshop twisted log cabin block mat that she completed and a floral quilt that took her 5 days to piece and 4 days to quilt.

Colleen shared the Paducah quilt book with her winning quilting displayed inside.

It was noted that Gayle received credit for a quilt she did not display last month.

The June meeting will start a new block of the month stitch along.

Members were encouraged to take a jelly roll put together that morning from donated fabrics to make a donation quilt. Quilts made from these jelly rolls for donation will be displayed at our December luncheon and prizes will be awarded for them at that time. 54x60 is the size needed please.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:35. The donation workshop was then resumed.

Respectfully submitted by Joanna Roberts, Secretary.



