



Carolina Pine Quilters

Meeting at
Trinity United Methodist Church
2724 Whiskey Road, Aiken

July 10, 2023
7 pm



carolinapinequilters.org

Program News

July Program – Christmas in July!
Come enjoy some treats and make a no-sew ornament. Kits provided.

August Program – A presentation/demonstration from one of our own guild members!

September Program – September we will have our challenge reveal. We will be voting with dollar bills. All proceeds will go to defray the cost of the quilt show. We will be awarding first, second, and third place prizes, so keep working on those projects.

October Program -- In October we will again be hosting Lee Monroe from May Chappell. She will be presenting her Lecture "Tips of the Trade." Lee has a wealth of sewing tips and her lectures and classes are full of useful information. On Tuesday, October 10th, she will be teaching a workshop. We will make one block of the Serendipity Quilt. This, like the Pizza Girls workshop, is a skill building class. More information in the August Newsletter. Supply lists will be available at sign up which begins in August.

Chat with the President

Barb Saporito

Happy 4th of July!

Picnic season has arrived, along with celebrations and fireworks. Before you purchase those loud fireworks, think of your pets or your neighbors' pets. Fireworks and pets don't mix.

Our Yard sale at our June guild meeting was very successful. Our guild made over \$100, which means many of us went home with less than what we came with. We will again have a "Free" table at our July 10 guild meeting.

Merry Christmas in July! We will be making a no-sew ornament at our guild meeting. Kits will be provided. For the guild members not needing another Christmas ornament, we will have Donna H. offer them to the museum. As an extra treat, please bring Christmas cookies!!

The program for our Aug 14 guild meeting will be a presentation/demonstration from one of our own guild members! Who??? Attend and see!!

See you in July.

Barb

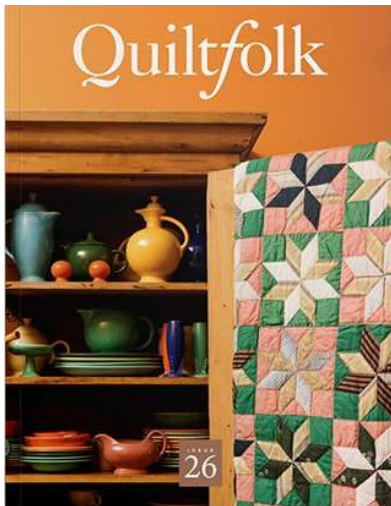
**Sit & Sew at
Dunagan's
4th Thursday of the
month at 1 pm!**

Board Members

President – Barb Saporito
Vice President – Annmarie Gorenssek
Secretary – Margot Salzman
Treasurer – Michele Deschenes
Newsletter Editor – Karen Erickson

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Community Outreach – Connie Bright
Comfort Quilts – Doris Leidheiser & Diane Miller
Hospitality – Janet Savage
Membership – Linda McCloskey
Quilt Show – Donna Holman
Webmaster – Adela Dziekanowski



Because Carolina Pine Quilters is listed on their website, **Quiltfolk magazine** sends us products for door prizes and a custom coupon code offering 15% off any order. The current code is GUILD26 at <https://www.quiltfolk.com/>.

Treasurer's Report

Michele Deschenes

Beginning Balance:	\$4392.99
Income:	\$ 35.00
Expenses:	\$ 177.94
Ending Balance:	\$4250.05

Circle Challenge 2023 *"Circles All Around Us"*

Our challenge this year is very simple - create a project that features circular or curved designs. No size requirement. You just have to finish the project between now and the September guild meeting. Voting will be by \$1 bills like we've done previously. Money raised will be donated to our quilt show fund. Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd!

July Birthdays

07/05 June Yarborough
07/07 Michele Deschenes
07/16 Janice Fraker

Early August

(none)



2023 Quilt Show and Museum Sales

Donna Holman

1. This year's quilt show will be held October 31 - November 17. This year's theme is "*Circles All Around Us*" so think about circles in your pattern, fabric, etc. This year's registration form and category listing is on the website. There will be copies at the guild meeting for those who don't have the capability to print.
2. Continue to work on those items for the museum store. I plan to deliver more items after the July meeting so let's think summer for your next batch of items. Thanks for all your help in trying to get our quilt show in the black!

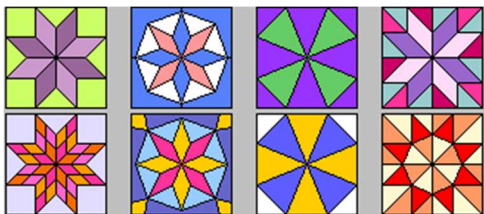
Welcome New Members

CPQ welcomes the following new members to our guild:

Rebecca Barrington works at Dunagan's and enjoys getting to know other guild members at our Sit & Sew sessions.

She, and husband Craig, moved to Aiken 2 1/2 years ago from Richland, WA. Rebecca has been quilting for over 30 years and especially enjoys free-motion quilting.

Cathie Valentine was introduced to quilting by a friend about 4 years ago. She, and husband Lanny, have two children and 3 grandchildren with another one on the way. That could mean a lot of quilting in her future!



QUILTERS OF SOUTH CAROLINA

2023 Pieceable Retreat information is posted on the QSC website www.quiltersofsc.org Registration is now open!! You can go online now to view pictures of what classes will be available along with descriptions, etc. The retreat dates are: registration Thursday, October 19th at 5pm- 6pm. Classes begin on Friday at 9am with the final class on Sunday. Retreat ends at Noon on Sunday, October 22nd. There are 1/2 day, one day, two day or full weekend classes. Who wouldn't want to spend October at the beach!

Did you also know QSC is opening the Fall Pieceable retreat to non-residents of SC? If you have a friend or family member that has been wanting to attend the retreat, but wasn't a member of a state guild, they can now attend for a small additional fee. Included in their payment is a one-year membership in QSC. Be sure to let your friends and family know. Young quilters 17 and over can also attend. The convention center we use has an age limit also on youth in a booked room. For more information contact Darlene at cmanager@quiltersofsc.org

QSC Pieceable Retreat Raffle Basket

Who wouldn't like a chance to win a beautiful raffle basket while at retreat? I won one last year and was over the moon with all the items I received. I'm putting together a raffle basket (or two) depending on how much is donated. The theme for the basket is "I'm not fat -- my quarters are!" I'll be collecting fat quarters, fat quarter patterns, items to cut fat quarters, etc. I'll also be throwing in some fun "diet" items or just good chocolate in keeping with the theme. Bring your items to the guild meetings now through October. Thanks so much!

Donna H.

Next Month's Meeting – August 14, 2023