



Carolina Pine Quilters

Meeting at
Trinity United Methodist Church
2724 Whiskey Road, Aiken

August 12, 2024
7 pm



carolinapinequilters.org

Program News

Annamarie Gorensek

August Program – Garage Sale. Start cleaning out that sewing room!

September Program – Quilt challenge display and voting. Vote with dollar bills. Money collected will go to offset the cost of the quilt show.



The way a quilter would cut a cake:



Chat with the President

Tony Gardner

Do you have a quilting buddy? I learned to quilt from my sister and quilting has remained a strong link between us. We have enjoyed shopping, going to quilt shows, classes, and retreats together. We encourage each other when projects get difficult. We excite each other about new products and fabric finds. Frequently we make the same quilt, each with our own fabric choice.

If you are lucky enough to share your hobby with a likeminded friend, it will enhance your enjoyment manyfold.

A lot is happening in the next few months. August will be our garage sale which promises to be fun, as quilt shopping always is. We have our quilt show coming up with our challenge quilts to be voted on at our September meeting. We have placemats to make for November. And then, suddenly, it will be Christmas! I hope you are planning on participating in all these fun activities. Also, I encourage everyone to thank the people who work tirelessly to plan all these events. It takes a lot to make all these things come together and it is often a frustrating task.

I would like to thank everyone for their generous donations to our efforts to make hygiene bags for the homeless. Your response to my appeal was heartwarming.

Be kind.

Tony

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

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2024 Quilt Show and Museum Sales

Donna Holman

Quilt Show

The 2024 quilt show will run from Tuesday, October 22 - Friday, November 15. This year's theme/challenge will be "In My Garden." This can include floral quilts, floral fabric, birds, bugs, gnomes, etc. Use your imagination. Any quilt can be entered in the show, not just those that apply to our theme. Challenge quilts are specific to when we bring them to the guild meeting and vote for the best one. Our website, carolinapinequilters.org, has been updated with this year's information, registration form and category listing. Deadline for registration is September 13.

Look for volunteer signup sheets at the upcoming guild meetings. We need volunteers for quilt take in, October 13 & 14; scribing on the day of judging TBD; hanging quilts, October 19, and quilt take down November 16. We need everyone's help to pull off another great show!

Museum Store

I will be meeting with the head of the museum store to get specifics about what they would like us to make for them besides all the beautiful Christmas ornaments that were made plus other items that have already been donated. Stay tuned for more information.

Treasurer's Report

Michele Deschenes

Beginning Balance:	\$ 4140.29
Income:	\$ 89.00
Expenses:	\$ 1095.00
Ending Balance:	\$ 3134.29

August Birthdays

08/03 Laura Slizewski
08/14 Kathy Matthews
08/25 Gerry Milhoulides

Early September Birthdays

09/06 Connie Bright
09/07 Mary Kaplan
09/07 Dorothy Rawie
09/09 Pate Randall
09/10 Mary Rommich



QUILTERS OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Registration for the 2024 Pieceable Retreat, October 24-27 at Myrtle Beach, is now open. If you're a member, you should have received an email with all the details. If you're not a member, check out quiltersofsc.org for all the information. Quilters of SC is open to anyone in any state. It's a great way to meet up with friends and take classes or bring your own project at a beautiful oceanfront location. Register early to get the class you want. There are plenty of wonderful classes to choose from.

New Member

Kathy Rachick

Welcome!

Next Month's Meeting – September 9, 2024