

# SHENANDOAH VALLEY QUILTERS GUILD NEWSLETTER

## President's Message

Congratulations to everyone for a wonderful quilt show! And very special thanks to Denise Rudolph and Lori Abbott-Herrick for all of their work from planning to dealing with a few last minute curve balls!

Congratulations to all of the ribbon winners and thanks to everyone who helped with all the many tasks it takes to put on such an event. In keeping with the goals of the guild, the show is a great vehicle for community education and outreach both through visitors to the show and vendors.

Onward to lazy days of summer with our July meeting on fabric postcards by Rachel Brown from Rachel's Quilt Patch, our apron themed picnic in August with the installation of new officers.

Nina Jackson

Ladies and gentleman please put on your favorite apron(s) and join us for "Apron Daze" at the picnic shelter in Bridgewater. This is a covered dish with the Guild providing fried chicken. There will be apron judging so you are welcome to bring more than one apron for the different categories (categories will be announced in the August Newsletter and at our July Guild meeting).

We encourage each member to bring pictures of family members wearing aprons. Aprons changed over time just as fashion; it will be fun to see. I am going through family photos and it is bringing back some fond memories!

## CALENDAR

July 16<sup>th</sup> Guild Meeting  
Rachel's Quilt Patch  
"Post Cards with a Scrappy  
Attitude."

August 20<sup>th</sup> Guild Meeting  
Annual Picnic &  
Dish to-Pass  
Oakdale Park  
"Apron Daze"

### July Birthdays

Margie Hockman	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Cerise Haas	4 <sup>th</sup>
Debbie Hendricks	12 <sup>th</sup>
Kathy Christy	12 <sup>th</sup>
Ofilia Seidell	15 <sup>th</sup>
Joyce Aigner	20 <sup>th</sup>
Sandie Hammel	21 <sup>st</sup>
Barbara Smith	24 <sup>th</sup>
Anna Davis	26 <sup>th</sup>
Carolyn Shank	28 <sup>th</sup>

## Secretary Minutes from June 18, 2016 General Meeting

The meeting was called to order by Nina Jackson, president.

There is one visitor today.

A motion was made by Gail Oliver to accept the minutes as printed in the newsletter and seconded by Joyce Aigner. A favorable vote was taken.

Treasurer Carol Foster said the total amount in the treasury is \$11,000. The rent for the space for the quilt show at Turner Ashby has not been paid yet.

Programs: July's program will have Rachel Brown from Rachel's Quilt Patch talking about using scraps. Rachel will lead a class that afternoon on postcards.

The August meeting will be a picnic held at Oakdale Park in Bridgewater. There will be an apron competition.

Ways and Means: there is a raffle today. Cerise is taking up the money and stubs from raffle ticket sales.

There was a discussion about the guild offering corporate memberships to businesses in the area. Jan Hood made a suggestion that a committee be formed to research this.

A motion was made by Bev London that nominations for the following officers be closed. The motion was seconded by Gail Oliver. A favorable vote was taken.

The officers are Sandie Hammel, President, Doreen Roadcap, President-Elect, Jane Crockett, Secretary, Barbara Cline, Program Coordinator #I and Lori Abbott-Herrick, Program Coordinator #II.

A motion was made by Molly Toth to accept the slate as proposed and seconded by Larry Brown. A favorable vote was taken.

The traveling basket went home with Kathy Christy today.

Respectfully submitted by Ann VanNoy, Secretary.

### Editor's Note:

Bonnie Spoon's name as a Golden Thimble Patron of the quilt show was inadvertently left out of the program. Thanks to Bonnie and all our generous patrons!

## Programs

June's program was dedicated to the quilt show preparation in which a variety of activities occurred. One of the activities was coloring the quilt show programs and ballots, in small groups. Several members said they enjoyed the opportunity to work in small groups and get a chance to know each other a little better. Thank you to Denise and Lori A-H for all the countless hours of hard work and organization for a super successful show!!

July's program is "Post Cards with a Scrappy Attitude." This will be an activity program. Rachel Brown from Rachel's Quilt Patch in Staunton will be teaching us the basics of fabric postcards. Rachel says, "When you learn the basics, the possibilities are endless!" If you would like to participate please bring the items on the supply list. It is possible to share machines and irons if you'd like to make arrangements with someone.

Looking ahead to August, we will be having our annual guild picnic at Oakdale Park in Bridgewater. Carry-in details will be printed in the next newsletter. Sandie Hammel, our decorating expert, is in charge of picnic decorations and has named this year's theme "Apron Daze." Stay tuned for details!

### Post Cards with a Scrappy Attitude - Supply List

Sewing machine  
Extension cords/plugs  
Iron and small padded board for ironing  
Small cutting mat, ruler and rotary cutter  
Scissors

You need 1/8 - 1/4yd each of the following:

- Fusible web like Heat n Bond lite
- Peltex or similar heavy interfacing
- Ecology Cloth or muslin
- Plastic template measuring 4" x 6"
- Permanent .05 micron pen, black or dark brown
- Thread to match or neutral

Fabric:

Since you are working with a 4" x 6" finished product, you will use small scraps and strips:

- Blues for sky
- Greens and browns for ground
- Medium prints: florals and motifs to "broderie"
- Small scale leftover blocks
- Laces and trims
- Selvages

## Service

We had a great display at the quilt show and with the Eager Beevers right beside us it showed service doesn't stop for anything!!!

We ended up with 64 lap quilts and 3 Samantha Dolls, which have been sent to Augusta Health, Sentara and Blue Ridge Hospice groups. They did not know they were getting quilts and were just delighted. Peggy from Sentara sent me an email and said it was like Christmas!

Thank you so much for your support of this great part of our guild.

Sewing in the AC!  
Denise Rudolph  
Service Chairperson

**Quilting By The River** - Wednesday, August 3rd, 9:30 to 3:00  
At the Merck Shelter in Elkton.

Open invitation for SVQG - Service Bees and all SVQG Members who want to **join in the fun** to gather and sew together in a beautiful river setting.

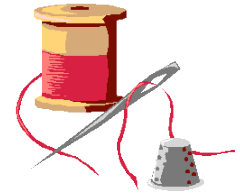
Covered dish picnic. Each person is to bring their own drinks and a dish to share. Table covers, flat ware, plates, napkins, cups provided. Meat dish this year will be Sloppy Joe.

Featuring Missouri Star 5" Tumbler exchange. If you have this template start cutting your scraps into tumblers to share. Don't have this template never fear. Bring your fabric to cut. However, there will be a lot of precut tumblers to get you started..

Cutting and Ironing Stations will be set up for your use.

This is a great event to share new service quilt patterns and ideas. Hint: bring lawn chairs and cushions.

*The Threads That Bind Us*  
*15<sup>th</sup> Biennial Quilt Show*  
*June 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>, 2016*



We made it through the weekend!!! It was definitely a lot of work but I believe we put on quite a show. I will admit back on May 1<sup>st</sup> (the first deadline for entries) when I only had 83 forms I was rather concerned but then I extended the date and begged for more quilts and you all came through and we ended up with 163!

Friday was rather rough with the school double booking the gym. I was stressed. I appreciate how everyone worked together and we made it through this. Thank you so much for your support. One thing – we did find a better way of hanging the quilts thanks to Barbara Cline and Lori Schrock. My husband admitted they really sped up the process. I was amazed that not getting the gym until 12:30 that we had everything up so quickly. Please excuse me if I sounded like a dictator at times. I like organization, schedules and hate to see people standing around!

I believe we have probably broken our record for take down and quilt returns. Everything went very smoothly because we worked together as a team and also the husbands wanted to get home. Thank you to Kathy Christy and her team!

We had 355 paying guests come through on Saturday, which was really great; a little over 100 on Sunday, but then Sunday's are usually slower. We had wonderful publicity – thanks to Gail Oliver for getting all that exposure in the Valley newspapers and businesses.

The food trucks were a great addition, especially ice cream. I did try the pork taco Sunday morning for my lunch and it was quite good. And if you didn't try the mac n' cheese with pork BBQ you really missed something!

I want to thank all the committee chairs for their time and help. Everyone works so hard on our shows and the team effort is great.

We need to go thru all the outstanding bills and hopefully at the July meeting we will be able to provide you with a financial report. I need to get with TA and discuss the adjustment to our bill due to the mess on Friday.

I think when we do anything we can always look back and say I would have done some things differently. Give us your input and willingness to make the changes you think need to be done.

I do believe we have shown the community what we do and how talented everyone is. We definitely had quite the variety. Thank you all for your time and support.

Denise Rudolph

BEST IN SHOW

Mary Carlton  
Kennebec Cranes

Show Theme

1<sup>st</sup> Sandy Maxfield  
Thread Trails  
2<sup>nd</sup> Denise Rudolph  
SVQG Threads  
3<sup>rd</sup> Josephine Millett  
Memories of Quilt Shows

Master Large Pieced

1<sup>st</sup> Lori Hertzler Schrock  
Sea Waves Bargello  
2<sup>nd</sup> Fran Miller  
Triple Play  
3<sup>rd</sup> Cheryl Hawes  
Wildflower Rhapsody

Master Large Applique

1<sup>st</sup> Josephine Millett  
Mexican Fiesta  
2<sup>nd</sup> Josephine Millett  
Reel  
3<sup>rd</sup> Luella Emwiler  
Purple Passion

Master Medium Pieced

1<sup>st</sup> Pauline Messier  
Star in Grey  
2<sup>nd</sup> Cheryl Hawes  
Parasol  
3<sup>rd</sup> Barbara Cline  
Surprise Packages

Master Med Applique

1<sup>st</sup> Josephine Millett  
50 State Flowers  
2<sup>nd</sup> Denise Rudolph  
Kylie's Stained Glass Peacock  
2<sup>nd</sup> Pauline Messier  
Fall Fantasy  
3<sup>rd</sup> Pauline Messier  
Old Times

Master Small Pieced

1<sup>st</sup> Cheryl Hawes  
Glorius  
2<sup>nd</sup> Barbara Cline  
Grandmother's Delight  
3<sup>rd</sup> Cheryl Hawes  
Heritage

Master Small Applique

1<sup>st</sup> Lori Hertzler Schrock  
Toni Whitney's Liberty  
2<sup>nd</sup> Josephine Millett  
Autumn Garden  
3<sup>rd</sup> Denise Rudolph  
All Gussied Up

Open Division Modern

1<sup>st</sup> Lori Hertzler Schrock  
The Necessary  
2<sup>nd</sup> Gail Oliver  
Ombre  
3<sup>rd</sup> Kathy Christy  
Check it Out

Other Techniques

1<sup>st</sup> Molly Toth  
Busy Blue Birds  
2<sup>nd</sup> Luella Emwiler  
Serenity  
3<sup>rd</sup> Lori Hertzler Schrock  
Twilight

Home Décor

1<sup>st</sup> John Hammel  
Table Topper  
2<sup>nd</sup> Cheryl Hawes  
Tumbling Blocks Runner  
3<sup>rd</sup> Lori Hertzler Schrock  
Koi

First Quilt

1<sup>st</sup> Gail Oliver  
Licorice Allsorts  
2<sup>nd</sup> Morgan Brown  
Doll Baby Quilt  
3<sup>rd</sup> Ofilia Seidell  
President Challenge

Garments/Bags

1<sup>st</sup> Cheryl Hawes  
Quilters Palette Tote  
2<sup>nd</sup> Lori Hertzler Schrock  
Seahorse Tote  
3<sup>rd</sup> Carolyn Purdy Jewel  
Tone Batik Jacket

Artisan Art/Innovative

1<sup>st</sup> Michelle Perkins  
Color Play  
2<sup>nd</sup> Michelle Perkins  
Hildebrandt's Starling  
3<sup>rd</sup> Vicki Graham  
Points to 3

Artisan Applique

1<sup>st</sup> Jan Hood  
Grandmother's Flower Garden  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jan Hood  
From the Field  
3<sup>rd</sup> Jan Hood  
Floral Elegance

Artisan Small Pieced

1<sup>st</sup> Cindy Holland  
Mexican Star  
2<sup>nd</sup> Elizabeth Adams  
My Traveling Twisted Heart  
3<sup>rd</sup> Elizabeth Adams  
Fractured Flowers

Artisan Medium Pieced

1<sup>st</sup> Sue McDonald  
Three Dimensional Prairie  
Points  
2<sup>nd</sup> Larry Brown  
Lily's Dimples Rainbow Strata  
3<sup>rd</sup> Carol Ervin  
Christmas Packages

Artisan Large Pieced

1<sup>st</sup> Mary Carlton  
Kennebec Cranes  
2<sup>nd</sup> Doreen Roadcap  
Pineapple Pattern  
3<sup>rd</sup> Bev London  
Cathedral Star

<b>Board Members:</b> President President-Elect Secretary Treasurer Program Coor #1 Program Coor #2 Immed. Past President  <b>Special Duties:</b>  2016 Raffle Quilt Web Site Manager 2016 Quilt Show  PhD Program SVQG/VQM Liaison	Nina Jackson Sandie Hammel Ann VanNoy Carol Foster Lori Schrock Barbara Cline Molly Toth  Jan Hood Tom Jackson Denise Rudolph & Lori Abbott-Herrick Cerise Haas Josephine Millett	<b>Committee Chairpersons:</b>  Service Library Ways & Means Membership Sunshine Hospitality  Publicity Newsletter  Denise Rudolph Vicki Graham Cerise Haas John Hammel Sue Jones Ofilia Seidell & Celia Mitchell Gail Oliver Lori Abbott-Herrick
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**TO JOIN THE SVQG**  
SEND \$20 annual dues and application to:  
SVQG Membership  
PO Box 913                      Harrisonburg, VA 22803

**PLACE OF MEETING:** The Sunnyside Room, Sunnyside Presbyterian Retirement Community, Harrisonburg, VA.  
**DATE OF MEETING:** Third Saturday of each month unless otherwise notified  
**TIME OF MEETING:** 9:30 AM

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-81 take Exit 247 towards Elkton (Route 33 East). Turn right on Route 687, Massanetta Springs Road. Proceed south for 0.8 miles and turn left on to Sunnyside Drive. Proceed straight and turn right on Glenside Drive. Turn right at the first parking lot and the Sunnyside Room is on your right. **PARKING** is available in front and below the building and on the street. **Please do not park in the numbered spaces.**

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