

SHENANDOAH VALLEY QUILTERS GUILD NEWSLETTER

Notes from the President

Hello, Fellow Quilters,

I am still enjoying the last of my vacation days as I write this. I hated to miss guild and Barbara's workshop, but did enjoy the blue grass festival. We are enjoying camping (well it is a bit hot) and bike riding. I did bring along my quilting to work on, but haven't had a chance to sew.

My new great plan is to make seasonal wall hangings to switch out each month. Yeah, I get lots of great plans, but they don't always get done. Next year I am going to join the PHD Program so I will have some incentive to complete these projects.

I hope the weather breaks in September for our picnic. It sounds like Sandie is planning a very nice event. Low Country Boil will be new to me. It will be a lot of fun, hope you will be there to enjoy good company and food.

In October I will ask everyone to bring their oldest sewing tool. We should have some interesting show and tell items in October. Some stories and family history of the items can be shared.

A big thank you to Debbie for handling the September meeting. We have such a great group, always willing to pitch in and help.

Doreen

CALENDAR

September

6-8 Rockbridge Pieceworkers Quilt Guild, Quilts in the Country quilt show, Th-Sat., at Virginia Horse Center, Anderson Coliseum Messanine Exhibit Room

8 Sat., Last day to see current exhibits at Virginia Quilt Museum

15 Sat., Guild Picnic at Shelter #3, Oakdale Park in Bridgewater, 9:30 a.m.

18 Tues., New exhibits at Virginia Quilt Museum

October

20 Sat., Guild Mtg.

**September meeting will be a picnic at
Oakdale Park in Bridgewater. Please
bring a dish and enjoy the fun.**

9:30 am

September Birthdays

Sharon Culbertson	1st
C. Deborah Timberlake	13th
Lori Schrock	14th
Shelba Bellamy	17th
Larry Brown	17th

September 2018

Shenandoah Valley Quilters Guild
Minutes
August 18, 2018

President-Elect Debbie Jungling called the August meeting of the Shenandoah Valley Quilters Guild (SVQG) to order at 9:30 a.m. There were 3 visitors present Carolyn Van Dyck (new member), Terry Younce (new member) and Joanne Brewster.

It was moved, seconded and carried that the July minutes, as published in the newsletter, be approved.

Reports:

Service - Denise Rudolph – November will be a service meeting with speakers from the local Hospice organizations. All members are urged to bring their service projects to the November meeting.

Newsletter – Vicki Graham - Deadline is Friday, August 24th at noon.

Treasurer – Bev London presented her report.

Virginia Quilt Museum - Josephine Millett – Botanical Quilts are currently on display. Quilts created by the Apple Valley Needle Turners will on display in September. Guild members are encouraged to visit the exhibit to get ideas for the Guild show in July 2019.

Programs – Lori Abbott Herrick – Next month will be the guild picnic at Oakdale Park in Bridgewater. There will be an abbreviated meeting at 9:30am with Show and Tell prior to the picnic. Works in Progress # 1 are due.

Nominating Committee – Sandie volunteered to serve on the committee. Officers and Committee Chairs are needed for 2019. Some of the open positions include President Elect, Treasurer, 2nd Program Coordinator, Ways and Means, and Hospitality.

Many works in progress were exchanged by various guild members at the Swap Meet.

Favorite Sewing Accessories were shared by guild members.

Announcements:

John and Sandie Hammel invited members to join their Stars of the Shenandoah quilting group.

Trudy Van Dyke is writing an article for a fiber magazine on 3-dimensional quilting. She asked members who had something to share on this topic to email her at Vandyket@gmail.com.

Carolyn Purdy presented an article written by Dorothy Williams from the May/June 1990 issue of Patchwork Quilts which featured the Guild for the guild archives.

Rockbridge Pieceworkers Quilt Guild is holding a show on September 6-8, 2018.

Respectfully submitted,
Cerise Haas

September 2018

Service

November will be the month for service!! We will have the Hospice groups come and talk to us. We will also be doing a collection of quilts at that meeting so we can send them home with lots of quilts and patriotic pillow cases.

Fran will be showing us a collection of 17 quilts all made from the one block and used 17 different ways to show what you can create with a little imagination and persistence!! It was fun to see what she had done with the border fabric at the August show and tell.

In the afternoon plan to stay and help us sew. Please plan to attend. This is my favorite time when we showcase SERVICE!!!

Make your goal for this month to start a service project. The leader/ender method that Josephine showed is working quite well for me.

It is so meaningful to know these quilts will go to comfort someone in their time of need.

Sewing for Service!

Denise Rudolph

Service Chair

Sunshine

Please contact me if you are aware that one of our members needs a Thinking of You card. You may e-mail me at dejbowsandskjquilts@hotmail.com or call 540-949-0872.

Thank you,

Sue Jones

Newsletter

The deadline for the October newsletter is Friday, September 21 at noon. If you have anything you would like to include in the newsletter, please contact me at grahamvl@comcast.net or 540-433-9877.

Vicki Graham, Newsletter Chairman

Programs

It's picnic time.... our picnic will be held at **Oakdale Park** in Bridgewater at **Shelter #3**. New members, our annual picnic will replace our normal meeting in the Sunnyside Room. The theme this year is "Low Country" with meet and greet starting at 9:30, short meeting at 10:00, show and tell, something fun (prizes anyone?) and then our buffet. Each member is asked to bring a dish to share, savory or sweet take your pick. Provided will be all tableware, drinks (sweet tea, water and sugar free lemonade), and our Low Country boil. To make you more comfortable bring along your lawn chairs. We have never had our picnic in September so we are hoping for fine weather, but a jacket may be needed. Please plan to join us for a fun SVQG gathering.

Questions please email Sandie at sshammel419@gmail.com.

See you on September 15th,

Sandie Hammel

September 2018

Virginia Quilt Museum

Sept. 8 – Last day to see current exhibits: “Beyond the Valley”, “Small Botanical Sentiments”, “Fly Me to the Moon” and “Treasures From the Vault: New Acquisitions”.

Sept. 10 – 17 – Closed for exhibit changes.

Sept. 18 – New exhibits: “Mountain Mist Quilts – 20th Century Favorites”, “AQSG Basket Quilts”, “Sacred Threads”, “Treasures From the Vault: This is my Name” and “Viva La Difference”.

Board Members:

President	Doreen Roadcap
President-Elect	Debbie Jungling
Secretary	Cerise Haas
Treasurer	Bev London & Larry Brown
Program Coor #1	Lori Abbott-Herrick
Program Coor #2	Cindy Holland
Immed. Past President	Sandie Hammel

Special Duties:

Web Site Manager	
W.I.P. Program	Cerise Haas
SVQG/VQM Liaison	Josephine Millett
2018 Raffle Quilt	Mary Carlton

Committee Chairpersons:

Service	Denise Rudolph
Library	Barbara Cline
Ways & Means	Kathy Christy
Membership	John Hammel
Sunshine	Sue Jones
Hospitality	Oflia Harner
Publicity	Gail Oliver
Newsletter	Vicki Graham

To join the SVQG, send \$25 annual dues and application to PO Box 913 Harrisonburg, VA 22803

PLACE OF MEETING: 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 onto Sunnyside Drive. Proceed straight and turn right onto 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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