

# SHENANDOAH VALLEY QUILTERS GUILD NEWSLETTER

## Notes from the President

Happy New Year Everyone!

As I write this, I am finishing up the wrapping and mailing of presents for the Christmas Holiday. I love the holidays, but I am looking forward to the New Year and completing many projects.

We begin our year with the Auction, always a fun event. I scored a quilt top and other goodies last year, it is a super fun way to build your stash and come upon some UFOs which when "new to you" can be super exciting! Please take some time and go thru your sewing area, perhaps your unwanted project or supplies can be someone's treasure!

Cindy has a great line up of speakers for this year, including World Renowned Quilter Pat Sloan in June! And we will have our very own "Show" at the Virginia Quilt Museum which we are so very fortunate to have here in our own backyard. That show begins in June, but be sure to bring your selection for the show to the March meeting when we will host Paula Golden from the Virginia Quilt Museum. Size is limited, no bed size quilts, please!

We are continuing the Projects Half Done (PhD) program. I especially love this as I am completing some projects which have been languishing for years in boxes in the sewing room.

I look forward to another fun year sewing and learning with all of you!

Debbie Jungling  
President

**January Auction. Please bring something to auction and plan on having a good time.**

### CALENDAR

#### January

19 Sat., Guild Mtg.,  
Auction

#### February

19 Museum opens with new exhibits

#### January Birthdays

<b>Marcia Hill</b>	<b>4th</b>
<b>Marcia Vehrs</b>	<b>4th</b>
<b>Jane Crockett</b>	<b>9th</b>
<b>Carol Sloan</b>	<b>9th</b>
<b>Lou Emswiler</b>	<b>23rd</b>
<b>Sue Jones</b>	<b>23rd</b>
<b>Loretta Ehle</b>	<b>25th</b>
<b>Diane Baker</b>	<b>29th</b>

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Dear friends,

All good things must come to an end. Writing this note is one of my last duties as Guild President.

As a newer member of the Guild, when I took on the position of President-Elect and then President, this gave me such a wonderful opportunity to get to know the members. This was the best part of being in this position. Never have I been involved with such a great and caring group.

When I joined the Guild, I was hoping to learn more about quilting. I did not realize the extent of community work done with gifts of quilts, pillowcases and mastectomy pillows. It is amazing.

I will continue to grow with my quilting skills and service with this group.

I know our new President, Debbie Jungling, will be great. Can hardly wait for the new year to begin.

Doreen, Immed. Past President

## **Shenandoah Valley Quilters Guild Minutes December 15, 2018**

President Doreen Roadcap called the December meeting of the Shenandoah Valley Quilters Guild (SVQG) to order. There were no visitors present.

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

Reports:

Virginia Quilt Museum - Josephine Millett – The Virginia Quilt Museum agreed to take possession of the remaining guild library books not purchased by members. Dec 15<sup>th</sup> is the last day the museum is open to the public for the year. Paula Golden will be attending the March guild meeting to select quilts for the Guild's display.

Treasurer – There was no treasurer's report. Doreen accepted any payments for books purchased from the guild library.

Library – The books will be moved from Jane's garage after Christmas.

Programs – Cindy Holland – Jane Hicks from Staunton will be doing a program and trunk show in February.

Membership – John Hammel – January begins the new membership year and dues are due at that time.

Ways and Means – Sue Jones – The January meeting is the guild's annual auction. Volunteers are needed as runners and to record bids and collect monies. Auction items are tax deductible since the guild is a non-profit organization.

Announcements:

A motion was made and passed that the guild issue a maximum of 10 free guild memberships to residents of Sunnyside each year.

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A suggestion was made that the guild purchase a projector for programs use.

Mary Judge expressed appreciation for the hospice quilts. She had a friend that personally benefited from one.

Fran is offering a selection of several afternoons in January from 1:00pm – 4:00pm at her home for cutting parties. The days will be Jan 7, Jan 11, Jan 15 and Jan 18.

Linda Puhl is teaching a machine quilting class at The Quiltery on Feb 4th and Feb 5<sup>th</sup>.

The President's blocks were presented to Doreen. They were each made with fabrics from Doreen's own stash.

The meeting concluded with the installation of Debbie Jungling as the new guild President, followed by show and tell.

Respectfully submitted,  
Cerise Haas

## **Membership**

If you are still looking for a special gift for that special someone, I suggest a membership to SVQG. That is how I got started with the Guild, when my sister Kathy gifted me a membership. Before that, I couldn't even spell "quilt" much less make one. Well, at least now I can spell quilt and have even dabbled a bit in making one or two. I'm so thankful to Kathy for getting me started and I'm sure you know someone who needs a shove.

New membership year is coming up. Also, after the 2019 January Guild meeting, you will no longer receive the newsletter if your dues are not current.

The Membership year runs from January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019. The dues are \$25 for the year. An application form is printed in this newsletter, or, you can go to our website, [www.svqg.org](http://www.svqg.org), and print out your copy. Mail it in or bring to Guild meeting.

Do it today before you forget.

I hope you have a Merry Christmas and look forward to seeing all of you at the auction on January 19th. Bring your no longer wanted treasurers and pick up a few "new" ones. This is a major fund raiser for our Guild plus it is a lot of fun.

John Hammel, Membership Chair

## **Sunshine**

Information from Sunshine for the guild year 2018: 86 birthday cards and 24 Thinking of You cards, all with fabric blocks, sent to members. Barbara Paulson will be taking over in 2019. Her contact information is: 540-249-5668 and e-mail, [Quoketaug@aol.com](mailto:Quoketaug@aol.com) As you know, all members get birthday cards. We count on you to let us know when one of our members is ill, hospitalized or suffers a loss. We are always happy to send a card when you have a celebration--just let us know.

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It's been a pleasure being your Sunshine chair the past 6 years!

Sue Jones

## **Ways and Means**

ANNUAL GUILD AUCTION, January 19, 2019

The auction is less than one month away! What better way to decompress after the holidays than to go to your sewing room sanctuary and select quilting items that you bought but never used or gently used items that have a lot of life left. Suggestions of items to donate are: fabric, fat quarter bundles, quilt tops, miscellaneous finished blocks, notions, sewing machines, irons, ironing boards, others. Please, no magazines.

The auction has been a big fundraiser in the past. It's fun and members can be very competitive in their bidding. You may use check, cash and credit cards.

We'll be calling on volunteers to help with set up and clean up. Please help if you can.

Merry Christmas!! See you next month!

Sue Jones, Bonnie Spoon, Ways & Means

## **Programs**

### **February**

You'll want to attend February's meeting when Jane Hicks tells us about "Designing Contemporary Art Quilts". And, of course to view a showing of her beautiful and very colorful quilts. Jane says she "started designing 45 years ago making Barbie clothes". Her first quilt was in the 1970's and she began designing her own quilts in 2003. She has come a long way with her work since she began! Take a look at her website: <http://hicksart.com/Q/Quilts.htm>

Jane and her work were featured in an Artist Portfolio in the 2018 summer issue of the Art Quilting Studio, a national magazine. Jane is a Juried Member of the Artisans Center of Virginia. She exhibits her work, as well as sells individual quilts.

### **March**

Paula Golden will visit us at our March meeting for a program on the history of the Virginia Quilt Museum and curating an exhibit. Her presentation will showcase quilts from the museum's collection. Paula and Josephine Millett will talk to us about Shenandoah Valley Quilters Guild's very own exhibit at the Virginia Quilt Museum set for the summer of 2019.

Be sure to bring the quilt you are most proud of to be reviewed for the exhibition.

Bonnie Spoon will give a workshop following the March meeting. "Cathedral Window"

I have heard that Bonnie has made the most beautiful Cathedral Window quilt. And, we are fortunate to have her share her technique with us! In the workshop we will make a pillow sized project. Please plan to join us!

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## Cathedral Window Workshop with Bonnie Spoon

March 16, 2019 1:00 – 4:00 PM

Questions: Email Cindy Holland at [horses\\_1958@yahoo.com](mailto:horses_1958@yahoo.com)

Complete this form and mail, with payment to Cindy Holland, 766 Frog Pond Rd Staunton VA 24401

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: Member \$25 \_\_\_\_\_ Non-member \$35 \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to SVQC. Only a paid registration reserves your place in this workshop. Paid workshops are transferable to another member but are not refundable unless the class is cancelled.

Non-members are welcome to join the Shenandoah Valley Quilters Guild to register as a member.

### **Newsletter**

The deadline for the February newsletter is Friday, January 25 at noon. If you have anything you would like to include in the newsletter, please contact me at [grahamvl@comcast.net](mailto:grahamvl@comcast.net) or 540-433-9877.

Vicki Graham, Newsletter Chairman

### **Virginia Quilt Museum**

This is just a reminder to all the Quilt Guild members that the Shenandoah Valley Quilt Guild will have their quilts displayed beginning in July thru December 2019 in the Virginia Quilt Museum.

We will be making the selection of the quilts at our March guild meeting.

I am sure you will want to have your quilting skills viewed by the visitors at the Museum and will want to participate in this event, so please look thru your quilts and make a selection for this exhibit and bring them to the March meeting.

Just another reminder, the ceiling is lower than normal in the basement of the Museum so BIG bed quilts will not be suitable for the exhibit.

Josephine Millett.

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**YEAR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**  
**January 1, 2019 – December 31, 2019**

( ) Renewal Membership      ( ) New Membership

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_ Check Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cash: \_\_\_\_\_

This form should be completed in its entirety and returned with your check for **\$25.00**  
**(which includes your newsletter by e-mail) to:**

The Shenandoah Valley Quilters Guild  
c/o Membership Chair  
P. O. Box 913  
Harrisonburg, VA 22803

**Note: If you wish to have your membership card and receipt mailed to you, please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your application and check.**

**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_ **BIRTHDAY:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
*Please print name as you want it on Membership card and Badge      Month    Day*

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_      **EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code)

**WHY JOIN?**

Auction in January	Well known speakers & Classes
Picnic in August	Christmas Party in December
Newsletter published 12 times a year	Membership Directory
Personalized Name Badges	SVQG Website
Service projects for a variety of worthy causes	<b>“SHOW &amp; TELL”</b>
Fun projects, raffles, challenges, retreats, door prizes, refreshments, <b>and</b>	

A place to meet and greet old friends, make new friends, to relax and get away from  
everyday problems, to share in the fellowship of good company

**Shenandoah Valley Quilters Guild Has It All!**

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**Board Members:**

President	Debbie Jungling
President-Elect	
Secretary	Cerise Haas?
Treasurer	Nina Jackson
Program Coor #1	Cindy Holland
Program Coor #2	
Immed. Past President	Doreen Roadcap

**Special Duties:**

Web Site Manager	
W.I.P. Program	Cerise Haas
SVQG/VQM Liaison	Josephine Millett

**Committee Chairpersons:**

Service	Denise Rudolph
Ways & Means	Sue Jones and Bonnie Spoon
Membership	John Hammel
Sunshine	Barbara Paulson
Hospitality	
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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