



# High Point Quilt Guild Newsletter

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ALL OF OUR MEETINGS AND SEWING DAYS ARE CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE BECAUSE OF COVID-19.

## From our President, Janet Wells:

Hello Quilters!

We are so blessed. My first thought this morning was how grateful I am for the lower temps! As I set out to walk the dog this morning it was 48 degrees. That felt like heaven to me! I'm also grateful for the home deliveries! I've certainly become the lazy shopper. If free shipping is offered, I'm all in!

Once again, we will not be gathering for an October meeting. JUMC has canceled all events at their facilities. Please watch for an announcement regarding future meetings though. We are looking at having a November meeting. As soon as I have confirmation, I'll send out information about the guidelines we will follow.

Happy thoughts,  
Happy stitches,  
Janet

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## Officers, Chairs and Committee Reports:

### Secretary and Historian, Diantha Dann –

No meeting due to COVID-19.

**Treasurer, Sherri Fields** – Treasurer's report sent separately.

**Programs and Raffle Quilt, Mary Beth Pazdernik** – No report.

### Fall Retreat and Facebook, Sherri Fields –

#### THE 2021 FALL QUILT RETREAT

Mark your calendars for October 21- for our annual Drop Everything and Just Quilt retreat. Details will follow soon.

Sherri

### Charity Quilts, Angie Peele –

This month was a better month for charity quilts. I delivered seven quilts to Hayworth Center with assistance from Marti Smith, Gail Lawson, Cindi Sullivan and myself. Thank you to Gail, Marti and Cindi for the quilts.

Also I took two completed quilts to Pineapple Fabrics for Brenner's Children Hospital. Marsha Ellison, Diantha Dan, and Marybeth have been helping them get quilts completed also. Pineapple is still asking for blocks. If you could do a few, I know they would be appreciated.

Also, congratulations to Susan Pierce, who is now heading up the Pineapple Peeps program and their Facebook page.

Angie

### **Block of the Month, Susan Peirce –**

#### **SUMMER FUN MYSTERY QUILT CHALLENGE**

There were two drawings, one for completed quilts and the other for participation. Winners were:

#### **Completed Quilts**

1st Place - Mary Beth Pazdernik

2nd Place - Sherri Fields

#### **Participation**

1st Place - Diantha Dann

2nd Place - Angie Peele

Susan

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### **COVID-19 Activities –**

#### **What are guild members doing during Phase 2.5?**

Sue Bino completed this last month.



Juddaca Heater wrote:

I completed my son & new daughter-in-law's double wedding ring quilt (105"x106") and it was displayed this way at the rehearsal dinner we hosted on 9/11/20. It was at the historic train depot in Southern Pines. So although a bit quilty-shameless, it looked pretty "correct" quietly displayed in the corner. FYI: it was in the contract that there could be NO GLASS BOTTLES on the property

because, "People like to get drunk & throw them at passing trains.". We managed to stay fairly civilized! Anyway, my 25 year-old son (insert smart aleck!) gave me grief a while back that I probably wouldn't finish it (they knew there was a quilt, but nothing about it) in time for their wedding and it would be another year before they'd get it. I was so annoyed that I lied and said, "Yes, it'll probably be a whole year before I finish it!" He continued to tease me the week before the wedding about my Late Quilting. So obviously, part of the display was to shut him down!



My mom started this quilt for my Uncle Bill two years ago as a Quilt of Valor. A Greensboro shop was hosting it as a mystery BOM. After they made all the blocks, the directions were very vague on how to put it all together and my mom hates doing quilt math. So when we found out he'd decided "to heck w/ COVID" and was coming to the wedding on Saturday from Indiana to Pinehurst, I jumped into extreme quilt mania on Wednesday and pieced the blocks, quilted, bound, and labeled it by Thursday night. We left for the wedding on Friday! WHY do I put quilt stress on myself?!? He turned 80 last week so it was good!



Marsha Ellison wrote:

Hi - Just a few quilts that I have been working on lately. Janice Wise Brown Hoover, Lori Reiffer and I have been doing Stack and Whack. It has been so much fun.



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**Attachments – None.**

Respectfully submitted,

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