



High Point Quilt Guild Newsletter

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Please join us the second Thursday of every month at 6:30pm at Northwood Community Center, 2409 Ambassador Ct, High Point, NC 27265. This site is on the corner of Eastchester and Ambassador, very near to the old Dragonfly Quilt Shop. Our meetings are virtual (online through an email invite) in November, January, February and March. They are in-person at the above address in April, May, June, July, August, September, October and December. To receive an invite to a virtual meeting, please call or email an officer in the guild before the next meeting.

From our President, Wendy:

I just received a message that the Quiltfolk have opened the Guild Locator. We are one of the guilds listed for North Carolina and it transports to our website very nicely.

Now that fall is sneaking upon us, it's time to open elections for the First Vice President and Treasurer. If you are interested, please let me know at the September meeting. Nominations will be announced in October and the election will be in November.

We have an opportunity to promote our guild and fiber arts at the 18th Annual Village Fair at Mendenhall Homeplace. It is held at the Mendenhall Homeplace in Jamestown on September 17 from 10:00 to 4:00 pm. It is across the street from City Lake Park. Since our new raffle quilt is not quite ready, I thought we could display some quilts and do hand craft demos. If you are interested let me know at the meeting.

See you at the meeting.

Wendy

Vice President, Kelly:

Would you like to sell some of the fabric you won't use? Would you like to get rid of notions or are you cleaning up your sewing space? Have a guild meeting yard sale! You can purchase a table for \$10 (payable to the guild) and set up your items at any of the in-person meetings. Make sure to bring enough change for those paying cash. Let me know in what month you would like to reserve a table and have your sale.

Please note that the last names of our members have been removed from the newsletter according to our vote at the last meeting. If you need to contact me about the newsletter or a person in our guild concerning an announcement in the newsletter, please use your membership handbook and emailed membership guide.

Please consider checking out one of the guild quilt shows that are listed at the bottom of the newsletter. These can be fun Saturday getaways with a quilt friend, may inspire you to try a different or new technique, and are a great way to support guilds across our beautiful state.

Kelly

Officers, Chairs and Committee Reports:

Secretary, Diantha –

High Point Quilt Guild
Meeting Minutes
8/11/2022

President Wendy called the meeting to order at 6:35 pm welcoming 20 members and 3 guests. August birthday wishes were given.

Treasurer's Report - The Treasurer's report was emailed to the membership on 8/5/2022. President Wendy gave the report. Beginning balance \$14,843.20, income \$1,759.00, expenses \$25.00, outstanding check \$25:00, ending balance 16,587.20. A motion by Kelly, seconded by Alicia, to approve the July 2022 Treasurer's Report was submitted. All in favor.

July 14, 2022 Meeting Minutes - Diantha - A motion by Angie, seconded by Nancy, to approve the July 14, 2022 minutes was submitted. All in favor.

Fall Retreat, October 20-23, 2022 Haw River State Park. The final payment for the retreat is due. If anyone is interested in participating, Sherri needs your registration form and payment ASAP. Questions? Please contact Sherri.

Charity Quilts - Angie - Five quilts will be delivered this week to the Hayworth Cancer Center. Angie also has kits and batting available. The quilts donated are so appreciated by those receiving cancer treatments. Please consider making a quilt for the program.

Membership - Karen introduced and welcomed our visitors. Karen also had two older quilts and asked if anyone was interested in them. One was a log cabin and one was a yo-yo quilt. Please see her after the meeting if interested.

Raffle Quilt - Janet updated the membership on the progress of our new raffle quilt, "American Beauty". She stated it should be ready to go to the quilter in late fall.

Stir Crazy Basket Raffle - Erica was the winner. Congratulations, Erica.

Website Question of Redaction - Wendy informed everyone that the Board discussed the question of deleting personal information out of the minutes on the website. This can not be done because the minutes are a formal record of the Guild. A second option was to redact or blacken out the information, which would be very labor intense and unnecessary. We don't have any more information in our minutes than you could find on any website by typing in a name, therefore, the Board has decide to go forward and not include personal information such as last names, birthdates and addresses in our minutes or newsletters. Only first names will be used in the minutes and

newsletter going forward. She also informed the membership that the Membership List is only sent to current members.

A vote was taken and all were in agreement.

By Laws "Article XI" Amendment - President Wendy - There was also discussion regarding a change in Article XI - Contracts, Checks, and Drafts. This change will allow the Treasurer to process checks up to \$500.00, signed only by the Treasurer. Any check over \$500.00 must bear the signature of both the Treasurer and President. Previously this limit was \$300.00. A vote was taken and all were in favor.

Nominations for Officers for 2023 - There are 3 openings for the November election of officers. 1st. Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. Please consider one of the offices.

There will also be several Committee Chairs and Co-Chairs available for the upcoming year. Please consider one of these openings as well when they become available. The HPQG Member Handbook has a description of the duties of the Officers, Committee Chairs and Co-Chairs which can be found on the Guild's website www.highpointquiltguild.com or feel free to contact one of the Board members.

Program - Susan presented an excellent program on Batting. Loft thickness, needle punch, bonded, fusible and scrim, what these terms mean and how to use each type. Drapability, resilience, washability and more were covered. Samples, with the information for each sample, were provided by Quilter's Dream and Hobbs for everyone. Warm and Natural also sent samples but they were not delivered in time for the meeting. These will be available at the September meeting. Pineapple Fabrics in Archdale, NC also provided an in-store only, 10%-off coupon for everyone. Susan will email the membership the information that she presented on batting to the membership. Thank you to Susan for an excellent program, and thanks also to Pineapple Fabrics, Quilters Dream, Hobbs and Warm and Natural.

September 8, 2022 Program - Director Randy Shipwatch, Northwood Community Center - Randy will speak about how the Center provides for those in need. This includes a Clothes Closet, Food Pantry and Community Meals. He will also give a tour of both facilities. This could be another charity in which members would be interested in participating.

Show and Tell - Quilting, knitting and crafts, oh my! Thank you all for sharing the beautiful things you created.

President Wendy adjourned the meeting at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Diantha

Treasurer, Sherri – Treasurer's report sent separately.

Programs – Susan –

The program for September is the folks from the church speaking about their charity program. If time permits, Janet has a quilting-related movie to show.

The program for October is An Evening with Marti Mitchell.

The program for November is a Zoom program with the Stash Bandit Diane Harris.

The program for December is our Christmas Party Pot Luck with fun and games for everyone. Members are asked to bring a dish to share.

Susan

Charity Quilts, Angie –

I delivered seven quilts to Hayworth Center in the month of August. Thanks to Joann and Elizabeth for helping me deliver them.

I still have kits and batting if anyone is interested in making a charity quilt, or if you need batting for a charity quilt that you are making out of your own stash.

Also, if you are in need of simple quick patterns, let me know and I can email you several.

Thanks for your help!

Angie

Upcoming Shows –

Sandhills Quilt Guild

Friday, September 23, 2022 10 AM - Saturday 24, 5 PM

\$8.00

Historic Fair Barn

200 Beulah Hill Road South, Pinehurst, North Carolina, 28374

Quilting in the Pines bi-annual quilt show featuring 140+ quilts, boutique, silent auction, vendors, raffle baskets and raffle quilt and more

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**Asheville Quilt Guild**

Friday, September 30, 2022 9 AM - Sunday, October 2, 2022 4:30 PM

\$10.00

WNC Ag Center, Davis Event Center

761 Boylston Highway, Fletcher, North Carolina, 28732

Over 300 quilts from around the country, Over \$10,000 in Prize Money, over 20 Vendors, Demonstrations, Gift Shop, Silent Auction and more

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Durham Orange Quilt Guild

Friday, October 21, 2022 9 AM - Sunday 23, 3 PM

\$7.00

