



# Tarheel Quilters Guild

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**July 2024**

## MEETING REMINDERS

### TQG Board Meeting

**Monday, July 15th at 6PM**

Barbara Munoz's House

2321 Colgate Drive, Fayetteville

### TQG General Meeting

**Sunday, July 21st at 2PM**

Social Gathering begins at 1:30

Westminster Presbyterian Church

2505 Village Drive, Fayetteville

## Happy Birthday

to our members who were born in July:

**Ann Marie Carr - July 3rd**

**Drusilla Dunham - July 13th**

**Carolyn Edwards - July 16th**

**Gladys Pedrojew - July 19th**

**Judy Connor - July 20th**

**Joyce Boatman - July 22nd**

**Barbara Munoz - July 25th**

## An Afternoon with Linda Hahn

Our Guild meeting program for June was a trunk show and sale with Linda Hahn, owner of [Frog Hollow Designs](http://www.frogholldesigns.com) and 14 time author of quilting books featuring the new york beauty block. Several members of the Guild participated in Linda's workshop Saturday afternoon where there learned about her one pin technique for quick assembly of the new york beauty block to make the Beauty on the Beach quilt (progress shown by Irene Grimes).

Linda, a NY native, works as a quilter, teacher, Janome ambassador, Road to California Quilt Show team member and more. She shared the extensive process of book writing with the Guild including late night writing, enlisting the help of friends for sample, the need for organization of quilts go to photography and publishing. Linda's technique lends itself to a wide variety of quilt designs. Thank you to Linda for tolerating the heat to show and share your work.



## Baby Quilts

This month 21 baby quilts were donated to the NICU. Please continue making quilts in support of this project.

If you are in need of batting or labels, please contact Pam Gahan [xstitcher1@spectrum.net](mailto:xstitcher1@spectrum.net) & Sandy Mathews [smathews@nc.rr.com](mailto:smathews@nc.rr.com)

## Upcoming FQs

The Fat Quarter of the month drawing will continue in 2024. If you're interested in participating, please bring a fat quarter (FQ 18x22") that fits the theme. Drop it in the bag and sign the sheet at the membership table to be entered. If you have questions, please see Charlotte Bradford.

July: star or stripes

August: sports or school

September: leaves

October: orange, brown or tan

November: Christmas/holiday

December: spring colors

## For Sale

Carol Starnes' son is selling carved wooden dual ended seam-ripper/ stiletto tools for \$40. See Carol for wood options and purchase



## Treasurer's Report

Checking Account: \$10,903.41 + Quilt Fest \$8,000.00 + CDs: \$5,019.75 = \$23,923.16.

2 raffle tickets were sold at 4th Friday downtown. So far, \$407 in raffle tickets have been sold. Reimbursement forms are available at Guild meetings or by clicking [here](#).

For questions, please see Amy Allison.

[amy.allison60@gmail.com](mailto:amy.allison60@gmail.com)

## Secret Quilter

The 2nd Half of the year (6months) of Secret Quilter Start this Month July :)

Some Rules or Guidelines:

Please remember your Secret Quilter each Month with a gift. The amount spent each month should be a minimum of \$10-15. Remember handmade especially quilted items are very special and can be inexpensive. You may spend more on a special occasions such as birthdays or Christmas.

Gifts should be brought to the guild meeting and placed at the back of the guild meeting near the kitchen door. Please check each meeting to both collect your gift as well as to make sure your secret quilter has picked up her gift. If she has not picked up her gift, it is your responsibility to get the gift to her, (please do NOT leave unclaimed gifts at the guild meeting). If you do not receive a gift on a regular bases at least every other month, please contact the Chairperson (Brenda Mabry 757-343-4670) so I can contact your secret quilter to make sure all is well. If you will not be at a guild meeting you can also call me or another guild member to bring your gift to the meeting as well as to pick up your gift to bring to you.

The idea is to have FUN and make sure your secret Quilter feels special. Please do not reveal your Secret Quilter as this is part of the fun. Secret Quilters will be revealed at the End of the year the Guild Christmas celebration(December). It is also customary to give a thank you gift to whomever had your name for the year/6months at that time.

Here are a few suggestions for Secret Quilter items: Fabric, thread, needles, patterns books/magazines, buttons, zippers, scissors, pincushions, pins, quilt shop gift certificates, movie tickets, chocolate/candy, candles, a quilt block each month to challenges your secret quilter to make a quilt. stationery, baskets, flowers, jewelry or collectibles. Refer to your secret quilters information sheet, it will give you ideas of things they like, favor color, type of machine they own, and many other items.

Have Fun :)

If you have any questions, please see Brenda

[b1mabry@gmail.com](mailto:b1mabry@gmail.com).

## Tarheel Quilters Guild General Membership Meeting

Sunday June 24, 2024

- President, Barbara Munoz, opened the June, 2024 meeting at stated time and welcomed all to the meeting. She presented Ms. Linda Hahn, who was the designer and owner of "Frog Hollow Designs". She presented numerous designs she has developed using the EQ Electric Design Program. She focused on Crown of Thorns, New York Beauty Block and how her business developed to present period. One of her favorite designs became her signature" Frog Hollow Designs, which become her company name. Those who attended the Saturday class presented samples of their adventure with Linda.
- Birthday cards were passed out, as were door prizes.
- The Treasurer presented the Financial Report: May Balance \$10,581.41 CD \$500.00, Expenses for May \$712.00, Income \$461.00 (Includes Raffle Quilt Proceeds)
- We now have the flyer of our raffle quilt and raffle quilt tickets.
- A list of Quilt Shows was given. Splash of Color in Concord is closest time frame, some members are going and invited anyone interested to contact them to ride.
- The challenge chair requests that the square passed out is to be used in the July Challenge. The November challenge quilt theme is VA quilts and all quilts will be retained for delivery to VA Hospital in 2025.
- Stunning UFOs were shown.
- Update on Anne Francis (broken wrist) condition reports improvement.
- Details of upcoming workshops given. AnnMarie Carr will take up payments in July (in Debbie's absence), for Aby Dolinger workshop August 24th (\$40). Sona Molder will host an applique workshop October 23th (\$20). Debbie Henry will host a Landscape Quilt technique March 1, 2025 - maximum 12 enrollment.
- Colleen Heacock won the FQ's and Carmen Chavis won the Block of the month.
- Show & Tell revealed beautiful work of many of our members. Colleen showed her Hemingway Pouch she completed. The pattern can be found on the internet.
- 45 placemats have been turned in so far. Batting is still available.
- Pam Gahan introduced the Presidents' Challenge to be displayed at our Quilt Show in 2025. Each entry must contain at least one Friendship Star block.

Submitted by Ann Jackson, Secretary

### Mark your calendar:

- [Michelle Wilkie: Eyes Wide Open Quilt Show at PAAL \(Petersburg, VA\) June 14-Aug 3rd.](#)
- [Smoky Mountain Quilt Show \(Knoxville, TN\) June 21 & 22nd](#)
- Tarheel Quilters Guild Festival of Quilts (FCA Sportsplex, Fayetteville) June 13-14, 2025!





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### Board:

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- 1VP – Debbie Pedersen
- 2VP – Nancy Moore
- Treasurer – Amy Allison
- Secretary – Ann Jackson

### Committee Chairs:

- Newsletter and Parliamentarian – Ashley Ledford
- Membership – Jackie Parker
- VA Quilts – Lori Cruz
- Baby Quilts – Pam Gahan and Sandy Mathews
- Challenges – Linda DeGraw

### Committee Chairs Continued:

- BOM – Judy Connor
- UFOs – Debbie Thomas
- Sew Days – Pam Gahan
- Secret Quilter – Brenda Mabry
- Sunshine and Fat Quarters – Charlotte Bradford
- Door Prizes – Debra Eberline
- Placemats for Meals on Wheels – Charlene Ray
- Christmas Stockings for NICU – Marlene Brudvig
- \*\*Raffle Quilt – (vacant)

## Mark Your Calendars

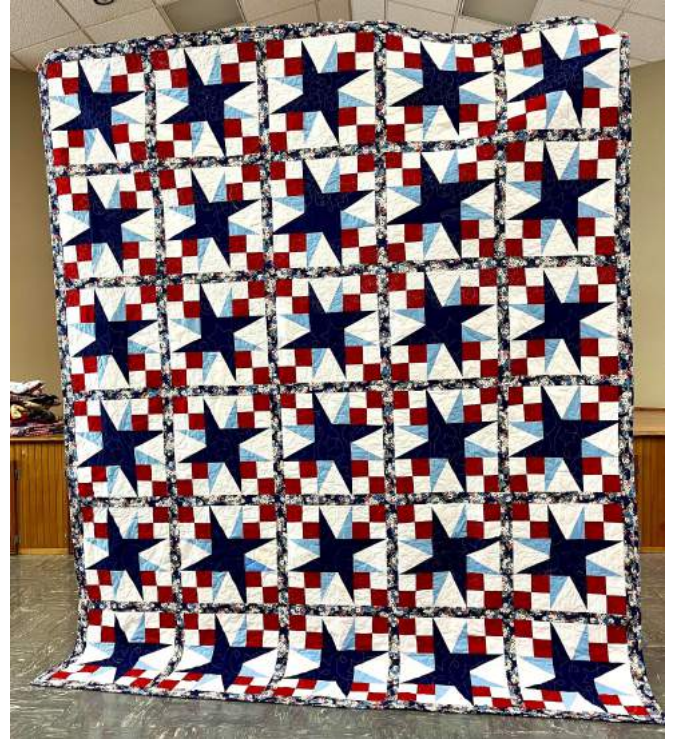
2024 General Membership Meetings  
are as follows:

July 21st	October 20th
August 18th	November 17th
September 15th	December 15th

(reminder, board meeting are held the Monday prior to the general membership meeting)

**Raffle Ticket are on sale now! See Amy Allison to pick up tickets to sell. Tickets are \$2 each - the drawing will be held December 15th.**

## 2024 Raffle Quilt



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## Workshop Look Ahead

-[Aby Dolinger](#) will teach Ribbon Star and Chain on August 24th. The cost is \$40

-Sana Moulder will teach an applique workshop on October 12th starting at 10am. This will include several machine applique techniques to make a fall wall hanging.

At this time, all three workshops are open for member sign up. Please see Debbie Pedersen (1st VP) [dpedersen2@nc.rr.com](mailto:dpedersen2@nc.rr.com) for details/questions/payment.



## Sew Days

The next Sew Day is **Saturday, July 13th (location to be announced)**. Please come join us. Sew Days will be held once a month - here are the suggested dates (with location to be announced). September 14th, October 5th, November 9th and December 14th. (dates may change based on availability of meeting place and weather)

If anyone has suggestions of where to meet or other proposed dates, please contact Pam Gahan ([xstitcher1@spectrum.net](mailto:xstitcher1@spectrum.net)).

## 2024 Challenges

**Chair: Linda DeGraw**

This year there will be three challenges (April, July and November).

Prizes will be \$50, \$40 and \$30.

Only one entry per quilter.

### July - The State Fair!

This quilt is your vision of the State Fair. Your quilt may be as large as 55" x 55" or as small as 18"x18". Everyone will be given fat quarter you must use a piece of in your quilt. You may use collage, transitional blocks, paper piecing, applique or other techniques you wish to show us. Quilter's name on label should be covered with painter's tape or filled in after the challenge prizes are awarded.

Clarification provided at the May meeting: a panel can be used.

The required fabric is Kaufman 21618-319 "ColorWheel" by Wishwell in honeysuckle.

### ATTENTION LONGARM ENTHUSIAST 2-DAY LONGARM EVENT

September 13 & 14 HandiQuilter 2-Day Event  
Time: 9AM - 4PM Price: \$150



Join us for this 2-day HandiQuilter Longarm and Pro-Stitcher computerized quilting event. We will showcase both the machine and Pro-Stitcher with tips, tricks, and techniques. Learn from one of HandiQuilter's National Educators during this event. There will be class time, demonstrations, Q&A and hands on experience. Lunch will be provided. Space is limited so sign up today.

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## Placemats for Meals on Wheels

Orphaned block? Placemat! Want to try a new technique without a large commitment? Placemat! Got scraps? Placemat! Are you usually a topper but want to try quilting on your domestic machine? Placement! Placemats are a wonderful way to utilize freebie table finds, try something new and show your creativity without a large time or materials commitment. Placemats can be any size/shape (around 12" by 16") and will be donated to Meals on Wheels for the holiday season.

Need some help? Here are two great tutorials:

<https://www.pinsandneedles.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/Meals-on-Wheels-Placemat-Pattern.pdf>

<https://nightowlquilting.blogspot.com/2013/02/fat-quarter-place-mat-tutorial.html>



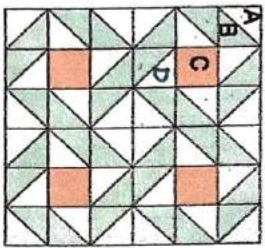
# Tarheel Quilters Guild - Block of the Month

## Serial Bee Sampler

Block of the Week Sew Along  
#SewdibeeSampler

Maureen Cackwell

### #19 CIRCLE OF FRIENDS



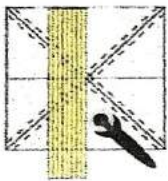
#### Material List

- (4) 5- $\frac{1}{4}$ " squares fabric A
- (4) 5- $\frac{1}{4}$ " squares fabric B
- (4) 2- $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares fabric C

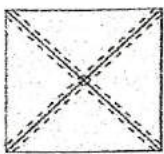
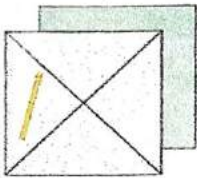
Read through all instructions before beginning. Remove selvages. Sew pieces right sides together and use a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam throughout unless otherwise stated.

#### Half-Square Triangles

1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the 5- $\frac{1}{4}$ " fabric A squares. Draw another diagonal between the remaining corners.

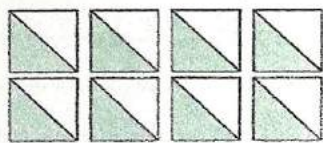
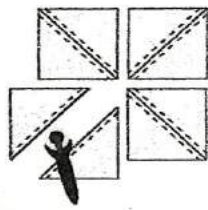


2. Place a marked fabric A square right sides together with a 5- $\frac{1}{4}$ " fabric B square. Sew a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam on each side of the drawn line. In the same manner, stitch on each side of the remaining diagonal line.



3. Align the short end of a ruler with the straight edge of the squares and the long side centered at the intersection of the diagonal lines. Cut the square in half, but leave the cut pieces in place. Without disturbing the shape of the original square, cut the square in half again in the same manner, dividing it into quarters.

4. Cut the square quarter-sections apart on the drawn lines. Open and press. Makes 8 half-square triangle (HST) units. Make a total of 32 HST units.



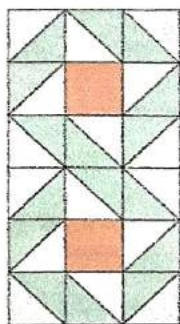
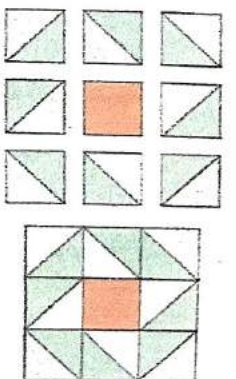
#### Block Assembly

1. Referring to the Block Assembly Diagram, and noting placement and orientation, sew 8 HST units and (1) 2- $\frac{1}{2}$ " fabric C square into 3 rows of 3 HSTs/square each. Join the rows to make one section. Make 4 sections.

2. Sew the sections into 2 rows of 2 sections each. Join the rows to make the block. Note that this block finishes out to 12" square and doesn't require a frame.

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Block Assembly Diagram

#### Material list for square below:

- Blue (2) 5  $\frac{3}{4}$ " sq. fabric A
- Red (4) 5  $\frac{3}{4}$ " sq. fabric B
- Blue (4) 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " sq. fabric C
- White (2) 5  $\frac{3}{4}$ " sq. fabric D

Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of fabric B. Place a marked fabric B right sides together with fabric A and D. Sew as in step 2 and continue.

