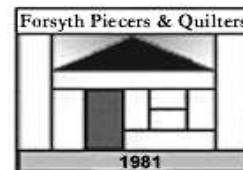


*Forsyth Piecers and Quilters Guild, Inc.*  
**Ps & Qs**  
*Monthly Newsletter*

October 2007



**Next Meeting**

**October 8, 2007 at  
Parkway  
Presbyterian  
On Silas Creek  
Parkway  
6:30 Social  
7:00 Meeting & Program**

**Remember to Bring**

Name Tag  
Show and Tell  
Library Books  
Check Book

**Ps & Qs Deadline**

Please e-mail or US mail  
your items for this  
newsletter by October 12,  
2007. Send the items to  
**Karen Oghalai** at  
[roghalai@yadtel.net](mailto:roghalai@yadtel.net)  
or call her at 940-2219.

**Mark your Calendar**

FP&Q quilt show is  
scheduled for June 13-14,  
2008.

*The Forsyth Piecers and Quilters Guild, Inc. (FPQG) is a non-profit organization governed by Guild Officers and operates under set bylaws. Committee Chair members help to promote quilting within the Guild and the community through local and regional projects and educational programs. The Guild also preserves traditional methodologies and adds to its history by developing and encouraging new fiber art concepts.*

**Molas and Book Sale**

Margaret Varner will be our speaker for the October meeting. She will introduce us to a Panamanian textile art form known as Molas.

Margaret explains: "I became interested in Molas when my daughter worked for a brief time in Panama and brought back several. Since then I have found quite a few more. The techniques used, appliqué and reverse appliqué, should be interesting to quilters as well as seeing the various patterns used and learning some of the history of the people who make them."

Join us for this fascinating program.

In addition, our Librarians are holding a sale of quilting books. If you have extra books you would like to donate, bring them to the meeting. Be sure to bring your check book so you do not miss this opportunity to expand your collection of quilting knowledge. The next clue in the mystery quilt will be available.

## **Guild Sewing Day**

The next Guild Sewing Day is scheduled for Saturday, October 20, 10 am to 4 pm at Parkway Presbyterian Church. Bring your own projects to work on. Come for a little while or spend the day. Everybody is on their own for lunch, so you might want to pack a sandwich. This is a great opportunity to get to know other guild members! For further info, contact Carolyn Bailey at 766-9985 or Peggy Bruton at 794-2889.

## **??? Mystery Quilt ???**

Don't forget to pick up your clue for the mystery quilt at each meeting this autumn. Kits or directions for the Holiday Card Exchange will be available in October or November. Make up your holiday cards for a Show and Swap at our December meeting.

## **Refreshments**

Our thanks in advance for those who have volunteered to bring refreshments for the October meeting: Laura Partridge, Jan Nelson, Ann Harris and Dee Salley.

## **Preemie Quilt Guidelines**

- Hospitals prefer 36" by 36" and the maximum size is 40" by 40".
- Cotton materials are no longer required.
- Guild provides batting and backing fabrics, available at each Guild meeting.

## **October Greeters**

Members with a birthday in October will be greeters at the next meeting: Laura Patridge, Martha Wood Stouky, Nancy Lloyd, Ann Scofield, Linda Jones, Ann Carr, Sara Fly, Karen Oghalai, Denise Patterson and Jane Houser.

## **Greeters Duties**

Arrive by at least 6:30 pm and check-in at the Membership Table.

Help greet new members and visitors. Find a member for them to sit beside and introduce them to each other. Never let a visitor sit all alone.

Help with Show & Tell by holding the quilts and assisting guest speakers as needed.

Return greeter nametag at end of the meeting to the Membership table.

## **Not Your Grandmother's Quilting**

The Carolina Longarm Association Quilt Show will be in Clemmons on September 28-29, 2007. The Association includes members across the Carolinas and meets quarterly at different locations.

This show is conveniently located (for us) at New Hope Presbyterian Church, 2570 Harper Road, Clemmons. Admission is \$3.00 and box lunches are available from the church. Knit One, Smock Too and Quilter's Loft will be among the vendors.

## **FP and QG Bee Information**

by Ann M. Harris, the Bee Keeper

A great way to learn more about quilting and acquire some more friends that share your interest is to attend a Forsyth Piecers and Quilters Bee.

The Forsyth Guild currently has six active bees. A quilt bee is a small group of Guild members that meet at regular times to quilt. Please feel free to visit any of our bees. Please contact the bee leader ahead of time and let her know that you would like to attend. Sometimes our bees have a change of time or meeting place.



We all enjoy sitting, talking and sewing together. This is a wonderful way to get to know your fellow guild members! Should you have an interest in starting a bee or other questions, please contact Ann Harris at 336-499-5617 or [amph82@earthlink.net](mailto:amph82@earthlink.net)

### **1. The Quilting Friends**

Held at the Old Town Recreation Center on Shatalon Rd., Winston-Salem  
Wednesdays 9:30 am to noon. Bee leader Marianna Morgan 924-0178. New members welcome.  
This group works on their own projects and supports the guild projects.

### **2. BEEfriended**

Held at member homes, each member takes a turn at hosting, on the fourth Monday of each month, 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm. Bee leader Suzette Brown, 277-8890 day, 723-6184 evening. New members welcome.  
This group works on their own projects and supports the guild projects.

### **3. BEEtweens**

Held at the Quilting Corner, 6332 Cephis Dr, Clemmons, 766-6208  
First and third Tuesday of each month 1:00 to 4:30 pm. Bee leader Ann M. Harris,  
499-5617. New members welcome.  
This group works on their own projects and supports the guild projects.

### **4. Pablo BEEcassos**

Held at Little Creek Recreation Center on 610 Foxcroft Dr. on the fourth Tuesday of each month 9:30 am to noon. Bee leader Gail McNeil, 721-9150. This group will be changing bee leaders every six months so please call Ellen for updates. New members welcome.  
This group focus is non-traditional quilting techniques, group challenges and supports guild projects.

### **5. Miss Bee Haven**

Held at member homes, each member takes a turn at hosting. This bee is currently full and unable to take new members at this time. Bee leader Leanne Marshall, 922-4298.  
This group works on their own projects and supports the guild projects.

### **6. Last Thursday's Bee**

Held at Sew Original on Robinhood Rd., Winston-Salem on the last Thursday of the month at 6:00 pm. Bee Leader Becki Bostick, 788-2530. New members welcome.  
This group works on their own projects and supports the guild projects.

### Website of the Month

Many of us hope to pass on our love of quilting to children or grandchildren. A Quilting for Children website has ideas, techniques and resources for working with children in making quilts. See [www.thecraftstudio.com/qwc](http://www.thecraftstudio.com/qwc) for information to help you teach children about quilting.

### Valerie Hall

Guild members regret the recent passing of Valerie Hall. Donations may be sent to: Charles F. Stone Library, 309 W Main Street, Pilot Mountain, NC 27041. The Guild has sent a donation in her memory.

## **Quilting Pleasures June 13-14, 2008 South Fork Community Center**

The quilt show committee met and chose the name "Quilting Pleasures" for the June 2008 show. We thought this pretty much said it all. Thanks to Betty Jane Honeycutt for the idea. We are considering several options for names for the beautiful raffle quilt and will make a decision at our next meeting.

The judges have been chosen and we are fortunate to have Jane Hall and Kathy Sullivan, both of whom are from Raleigh. They are certified and very qualified not only to decide on the winners, but to give positive and constructive feedback to all of us.

We have a group of dedicated volunteers working very hard to produce an outstanding show. Keep reading the newsletter for continuing opportunities to be involved. And, of course, keep making beautiful quilts.

The next committee meeting will be October 15 at 7:00 at South Fork Community Center.

Happy Quilting,  
Ava Troxler, Show Chair, phone 768-0588  
[avatroxler@hotmail.com](mailto:avatroxler@hotmail.com)

### Sunshine

Our condolences go to Linda Jones on the loss of her mother. Congratulations to Birgit Gundzend on the birth of a baby boy. Appropriate cards have been sent on behalf of the Guild.

Please continue to inform Martha Linnell, our Sunshine chairperson, of new sunshine needs. She may be reached at 922-5160 or at [rlinnell@triad.rr.com](mailto:rlinnell@triad.rr.com).

# CALENDAR

**Please mention this newsletter  
when you call for class registration.**

**9/24** SHOW: Dixie Classic Fair. Turn in quilts for judging and display. See [www.dcfair.com](http://www.dcfair.com) for entry information.

**9/27-30** SHOW: Quilt Fair 2007, Ashe County Piecemakers Quilt Guild, West Jefferson, NC, Call 336-982-4566 or e-mail [ashbaugh@skybest.com](mailto:ashbaugh@skybest.com).

**9/27 – 29** SHOPPING Heart of Carolina Stash Dash, 8 Triangle area shops, Contact [ncstashedash@yahoo.com](mailto:ncstashedash@yahoo.com)

**9/28-29** SHOW: "Not Your Grandmother' Quilting," Carolina Longarm Association Quilt Show, New Hope Presbyterian Church, Clemmons, \$3.00.

**9/28-29** MEETING: North Carolina Quilters, Asheboro NC.

**10/4** CLASS: Wool Christmas Ornaments, KNIT ONE SMOCK TOO, Winston-Salem, Call: 765-9099.

**10/7** CLASS: Tumbling Blocks, KNIT ONE SMOCK TOO, Winston-Salem, Call: 765-9099.

**10/9** CLASS: Beginning Applique, 2 sessions, KNIT ONE SMOCK TOO, Winston-Salem, Call: 765-9099.

**10/10** CLASS: Beginner 9 Patch, 4 weeks, KNIT ONE SMOCK TOO, Winston-Salem, Call: 765-9099.

**10/12-14** SHOW: Foothills Quilter's Guild, "Quilts ...Are you Covered?," Cleveland County Arts Center, downtown Shelby NC, contact [www.foothillsquiltersguild.org](http://www.foothillsquiltersguild.org).

**10/19-21** SHOW AND CLASSES: "Quilting in the Piedmont", Downtown Greensboro Marriott, call 336-545-5558.

**10/19-21** SHOW: "Galaxy of Color," Hearts & Hands/ECA, Sanford, NC. Contact [wolffglen@alltel.net](mailto:wolffglen@alltel.net) or call 919-258-9136.

**10/19-21** SHOW: "Carolina Dreamin'," Salisbury-Rowan Quilter's Guild. See [shelley28146@peoplepc.com](mailto:shelley28146@peoplepc.com) or 704-279-9513.

**11/1-4** SHOW: International Quilt Festival, Houston TX.

**11/2-3** SHOW: "Sail into Quilting," Lake Norman Quilters, Mooresville. See [www.bluemoonriver.com/LNQ.html](http://www.bluemoonriver.com/LNQ.html) or call 704-664-5043.

**11/9-11** SHOW: "A Stitch in Time," Asheboro. Contact [randquiltguild@rtmc.net](mailto:randquiltguild@rtmc.net).

**11/10** CLASS: Conservation & Care of Old Textiles, Davidson County Community College, Call 336-249-8186.

**Second Mondays, monthly** BEE: KNIT ONE SMOCK TOO, Winston-Salem, Call: 765-9099.

## New Members and e-mail Changes

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Pat Lysell  
new e-mail: [patlysell@windstream.net](mailto:patlysell@windstream.net)

Please update any street address or e-mail changes with Carolyn Bailey, at 766-9985.  
Your newsletter delivery depends on it! Contact Carolyn at: [cba215@triad.rr.com](mailto:cba215@triad.rr.com).

## Show and Tell

The following artists who are members of our Guild shared their creations at the September meeting:

**Anne Carty:** Bear's paw

**Tomoe Miname:** Rainbow quilt, log cabin and a basket of dolls

**Rowena Gilstrap:** T-shirt quilt

**Pat Lysell:** pink and mint green baby quilt

**Toni Morgan:** custom quilted

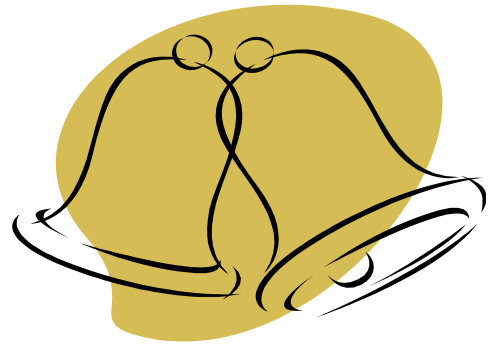
**Bonnie McElroy:** Stars fell on Georgia

**Suzy Milburn:** All stars

**Natalie Johanson:** Go Apps!

**Mary Lou Moore:** He cooks, I Quilt Windmill design

**Julie White:** Court House Steps



**Coming in November:**

## Workshop and Program

Annette Ornelas, from Fayetteville, NC, will be our featured guest in November, both at our regular meeting and at our fall workshop. Annette has invented a technique variously called "Dimensional curved piecing" or "Peeled-back Patchwork." Her book, *PEELED-BACK Patchwork*, was published by AQS in 2004.

For our program on Monday, Nov. 12, Annette will present a lecture on the technique. She says it "will transport you into another quilting dimension. I bring numerous quilts and samples so everyone can see how it actually works."

The following Saturday, Nov. 17, Annette will present a six-hour workshop teaching Peeled-back Patchwork. Students will produce a Tulip Bells table runner, which can be completed entirely in the class if the student's fabric is pre-cut. For more information on Annette, her book, and her workshops, go to [www.southwindquilts.com](http://www.southwindquilts.com).

The cost of the workshop is \$35. To register, send a check made out to Forsyth Piecers & Quilters (with "Workshop" on the memo line) to P. O. Box 15334, Winston-Salem, NC 27113. You can also register at the October meeting. Carolyn Bailey will have information.

## No Computer At Home?

Free computer use can be found at 17 recreation centers throughout the county. Each recreation center has 6-10 computers available for use. Just fill out a form at the recreation center and you may use a free computer for as many hours as you like and may print off any reasonable amount of pages through their printers for free! E-mail addresses are available. Computers may be unavailable if there is a class or program going on in the room where the computers are located. Some recreation centers are open as late as 9pm. Free computer use can also be found at the 10 county libraries. There is a 1 hour session limit at all libraries except at the central library where there is a 2 hour time limit. Up to 3 hours per day of use is permitted at the libraries. The first 5 printed pages are free, more pages are 15 cents each. A library card and personal identification number is needed.

November is "**Bring a Friend**" month. Each member is encouraged to invite a friend. Non-quilters are most welcome. We hope this interesting meeting will develop new quilters and new members.

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