



Annapolis Quilt Guild, Inc.

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October 2024

President's Corner

"Hippity Hoppity Shop Hop"

Whew! I don't know about the rest of you, but I am exhausted!! In spite of that, I LOVED the Shop Hop!!!

I will say that I am glad it is over for a year so I can stay home and get some work done!! I hope you all took the time to grab a friend or friends and checked out some of the offerings!

Sue and I corralled Rick, Sue's husband, the most patient man on the planet, to be our chauffeur, and as long as we kept him fed, he was a trooper! Jo Barnes joined us on some trips as well.

We managed to finish our Region, and realized we are spoiled here, as we have access to some really terrific shops; Crabby Quilter, Bear's Paw, Material Girls, Artistic Artifacts, Domesticity, Serendipity, Spring Water Designs, and Tomorrow's Treasures are terrific. We agreed our best new find was almost to Ocean City, called Vintage Pink & Green. Loved it.

Our foray into PA took us to Wooden Bridge Dry Goods shop, and they were deemed the friendliest – so enthusiastic were those happy Mennonite ladies; they had great prices for fabrics- more traditional fabrics, but lots of solids.

The biggest surprise was standing in Burkholder's and hearing a woman say she was from York, PA (10 miles away) and had never heard of Burkholder's!!! I told her people come from EUROPE and CANADA to visit that store and couldn't believe she had never heard of it.

All of the shop owners we talked to said they had wonderful participation and would be definitely joining it again next year. We talked about concentrating on another area next year – maybe Virginia - perhaps doing

an overnight here and there. It's so fun to see what is out there!

Then, I hear that one of our esteemed members tossed her dear aging mother into the back of her RV and went "on the road", and they got to all 96!!!! Priscilla O'Dell gets the prize – let us know what you win!!!! ...and you can write the column next year!



Priscilla O'Dell and her Mom "Doin' the Circuit" and Winning the Prize!!!!

Sue and Rick Cochrane, "our trusty driver"



Have a great Halloween everyone, and get ready for the time change. Stay safe, and start working on your Challenge quilts!!

- Polly Schatz



Open Bees

The Fabric Hogs meet on the third Monday of the month at the Edgewater Police Station.

This Bee is open to AQG and NON-Guild members. Open sewing time from 1-5 pm, a break for dinner, then refreshments and social time from 7-9 pm. Work on your own projects; bee service group projects to be announced. For more info contact Jane Mullenix at 410-693-3777 or msavon7777@aol.com.



The Material Girls Bee meetings are "sit and sew", so please bring a project. **The next meeting is 10/21 at Severna Park library from 12-4 pm.** For more information call Helen Hamerstrom at 410-647-1720 or email helenh@interyacht.com.

The Quilt Book Study Group emphasizes learning new techniques. **The next meeting is a "sit and sew" on 10/1 at Severna Park library from 12-4 pm.** For more information call Helen Hamerstrom at 410-647-1720 or email helenh@interyacht.com.

The Longarm Bee usually meets on the second Monday of the month at Severna Park library at **1 pm. The next meeting is 10/14.** If you have any questions, contact: June at jkbronfen@gmail.com or Kate at kgollsneid@yahoo.com



Membership News

We have 4 new members, making a total of 252 members for this new year.

Lydia Sparks lydiabsparks@gmail.com
Linda O'Boyle lindaandjoe.oboyle@gmail.com
Mary Jean Meyer maryjean.skippy@gmail.com
Debbie Herr Cornwell herr5371@gmail.com

Membership renewals for 2024-2025 year are now being accepted online. The link is on the website, but also below:

<https://annapolisquiltguild.org/become-a-member/>

- Barb Cencich, Jennifer Young, Debbie Stanford, Loretta Turner, Dee Arneson, and Stella Clyne, Membership Co-Chairs

[New Member Lunch, Oct. 12, 1-4pm](#)

Look for the invitation in your email.

October Workshop and Meetings

Monday, October 7th - Workshop: Jane Hauprich, "Beginning Your Journey With Free Motion Quilting", 10am-3pm, in-person.

Monday, October 7th - Live & Virtual Meeting. *This meeting begins with our Guest Speaker:* Jane Hauprich; "Making Negative a Positive" Are you afraid of negative space? Do you know how to handle negative space? Let Jane share with you how to handle negative space and take your fears away!! **Business meeting follows.** 7-9 pm, St. Philip's Episcopal Church, 730 Bestgate Road, Annapolis.

Board Meeting - Virtual Meeting

Monday, October 28rd at 7pm

A Zoom evite will be sent prior to the board meeting, so look for an email with details.



Sunshine Lady

It is the Guild's custom to send sunshine to Guild members by sending out cards to those who are sick, recovering from surgery, or have had a loss in the family. We also individually send out signed and dated heart blocks to these members. More information about the blocks may be found in the Membership Directory under "Member Support: Hearts Help." Contact Dorothy Tiffany at dorothy.tiffany@gmail.com with any questions. Call or email Dorothy (*with "AQG" in the subject line*) if you know of someone who might appreciate a card from the guild.

Treasurer's Report

Revenue for July 2024 through August 2024 totaled \$3,344.35 and expenses totaled \$1,734.50 resulting in a net difference of \$1,609.85.



The Treasurer's Report can be found in full in the Members Only section of the AQG website once a budget has been approved.

- Patti Ackerman, Treasurer

September 9, 2024 Meeting Minutes

1. General welcome
2. Welcome to new members
 - a. Sue gave an update on new plans to assure new members feel welcome
3. Thanks to our former presidents, LizAnn, Sue, and the board: you did a great job!
4. Thanks to Kerry for the newsletter; it looks great!
5. Housekeeping
 - a. We all must come in the side door directly into the meeting room.
 - b. There are now speed cameras by the school on Bestgate Rd; please watch your speed when coming to the meetings.
 - c. The Nov. 4 meeting will be entirely by Zoom as the church needs space to prepare for the election.
6. The new guild raffle pattern is based on the Australian designer, Jen Kingwell, and her pattern, Bowie Star; the choices of the colors were decided by Julie. The 2024 pins will be available at the next meeting.
7. The new **Board of Directors** for 2025:
 - a. VP – Luanne Ormsbee and Megan Weber
 - b. Secretary – Jo Barnes
 - c. Treasurer –Patti Ackerman
 - d. Quilt Show – Fran Mester
 - e. Programs – Suzanne Meader
 - f. Membership – Barb Cencich, Jennifer Young, Loretta Turner, Stella Clyne, Debbie Stanford, Dee Arneson
 - g. Events – Amy Oswald and Tammy Barlet
 - h. Social Media – Mandy Kopp
- Committee Chairs**
 - i. Raffle Quilt Wrangler – Diane Gerrior
 - j. Saleables – Brenda McQuilliam and Rebecca Musliner
 - k. Sunshine Lady – Dorothy Tiffany
 - l. Technology – Joy Coffelt
 - m. Hampton Show – Anna Radle, Katie Hinton
 - n. Webmaster – Luanne Ormsbee
 - o. Historian – Hilke Hoefler
 - p. Donations – Hilke Hoefler, Marie Murphy, Mary Matton
 - q. Estate Review – Debora Clovis
 - r. Outreach – June and Louise
 - s. Librarian – Terri Flaherty
8. Reports
 - a. VPs
 - i. The website has been updated and now includes a calendar which will be updated monthly.
 - ii. There are patterns for the 2 presidents' quilts, which are both done using the paper piecing technique. See either Luanne or Megan if interested in making one or more blocks for this.
 - b. Treasurer's report – Patti unavailable;
- budget will be discussed at next meeting.
- c. Membership - We have 220 members, 40 of which are new.
 - i. Oct 12 will be the new members' luncheon at the church. Further information will be forthcoming.
- d. Programs
 - i. Today's class had 20 participants.
 - ii. October: 17 people are registered
 - iii. November: 14 people are registered
 - iv. Fees for classes are usually \$50; there are a few exceptions, which will be listed on the website.
 - v. Suzanne is working on next years' teachers; if you have any suggestions, please let her know.
- e. Quilt Show – we are not able to go back to the Severna Park Middle School. Fran is working on a new location; there are 3 important criteria: parking, space and cost.
 - i. Membership for the different committees is needed, especially someone to plan the layout for the quilts.
 - ii. Is there enough interest for a boutique? Connie is working on determining this.
 - iii. Country Store will be determined
- f. Events
 - i. Thanks to Deb Clovis who made 72 kits for the Quilts for Kids project. Please pick up a kit to participate.
 - ii. Quilt Challenge: Visual – Color Theory Challenge. 2 factors to consider: starting color and color scheme. More info will be in the newsletter.
 - iii. Retreat is October 31- Nov 3 at Pecometh in Centreville. See Jo for registration.
- g. Saleables - A site has been developed using Lands' End. You have to register to use the site. There will be more info in newsletter.
9. Show and Tell: the following members showed their work:
 - a. Suzanne Meader
 - b. Mary Ann Stein
 - c. Jo Barnes
 - d. Nancy Wiswall
 - e. Kathy Hart
 - f. Amanda Kopp
 - g. Priscilla Odell
 - h. Rebecca Musliner
 - i. Brenda MacQuilliam
 - j. Debbie Standford
 - k. Patty Tideman
 - l. LizAnn Lizotte
 - m. Pam Ildefonso
 - n. Barb Cencich
 - o. Joy Coffelt
 - p. Connie Doster
 - q. Janet Gelli
10. Our speaker was introduced: Candace Hassen
- submitted by Jo Barnes

Proposed Budget 7/1/2024 through 6/30/2025

Category	2024/2025 Budget
INCOME	42,250.00
Events	
Events Income: Fabric Frenzy Fees	
Events Income	
Membership	
Membership Dues: Current Year	2,000.00
Membership Dues: Next Year	5,000.00
Membership Income	7,000.00
Operating	
Operating Income: Donations	-
Operating Income: Interest	700.00
Operating Income: Rebates from Credit Card	100.00
Operating Income	800.00
Programs	
Programs Income: Workshop Fees	4,800.00
Programs Income	4,800.00
Quilt Show	
Quilt Show Income: Admissions	8,000.00
Quilt Show Income: Appraisal Fees	-
Quilt Show Income: Boutique	300.00
Quilt Show Income: Country Store	12,000.00
Quilt Show Income: Raffle Baskets Sales	1,600.00
Quilt Show Income: Silent Auction Bids	-
Quilt Show Income: Vendor Fees	4,000.00
Quilt Show Income	25,900.00
Raffle Quilt	
Raffle Quilt Income: Current Year	2,500.00
Raffle Quilt Income: Next Year	1,000.00
Raffle Quilt Income	3,500.00
Saleables	
Saleables Income: AQG Merchandise	250.00
Saleables Income	250.00
EXPENSES	48,750.00
Events	
Events Expense: Challenge Quilt Supplies and Ribbons	150.00
Events Expense: December Dinner	250.00
Events Expense: End of Year Dinner	500.00
Events Expense: Fabric Frenzy Bus Charter Cost	-
Events Expense	900.00
Membership	
Membership Expense: Credit Card Fees	250.00
Membership Expense: Directory-Guide Printing	500.00
Membership Expense: Door Prizes	150.00
Membership Expense: New Member Luncheon	600.00
Membership Expense: Office Supplies	50.00
Membership Expense: Postage	200.00
Membership Expense	1,750.00
Operating	
Operating Expense: Computer Software	400.00
Operating Expense: Donations to Organizations	4,000.00
Operating Expense: Equipment	2,000.00
Operating Expense: Guild Meeting Rent	4,400.00
Operating Expense: Liability Insurance	400.00
Operating Expense: Library	100.00
Operating Expense: Mass Email Services	250.00
Operating Expense: Office Supplies	100.00
Operating Expense: Other Operating Expenses	150.00
Operating Expense: P.O. Box Rent	300.00
Operating Expense: Postage and Supplies	50.00
Operating Expense: Service Charge	-
Operating Expense: Storage Shed Rent	3,500.00

Category	2024/2025 Budget
Operating Expense: Transition Dinner	500.00
Operating Expense: Website Fees	250.00
Operating Expense: Zoom	200.00
Operating Expense	16,600.00
Outreach	
Outreach Activities Expense: Beads of Courage	200.00
Outreach Activities Expense: Light House	1,000.00
Outreach Activities Expense: Quilts for Kids	200.00
Outreach Activities Expense	1,400.00
Programs	
Programs Expense: Credit Card Fees	100.00
Programs Expense: Other Program Expenses	-
Programs Expense: Speaker Fees	2,375.00
Programs Expense: Travel, Lodging & Meals	2,125.00
Programs Expense: Workshop Instructor Fees	3,475.00
Programs Expense: Workshop Rent	975.00
Programs Expense	9,050.00
Quilt Show	
Quilt Show Expense: Advertising	700.00
Quilt Show Expense: Awards	2,000.00
Quilt Show Expense: Boutique	200.00
Quilt Show Expense: Change Fund	-
Quilt Show Expense: Country Store	1,300.00
Quilt Show Expense: Credit Card Fees	300.00
Quilt Show Expense: Custodian Fees	-
Quilt Show Expense: Kitchen-QS Hospitality	200.00
Quilt Show Expense: Other QS Expenses	1,300.00
Quilt Show Expense: Pipe & Drape Rental	3,700.00
Quilt Show Expense: Program Printing	1,300.00
Quilt Show Expense: Raffle Baskets	150.00
Quilt Show Expense: Table Rental	-
Quilt Show Expense: Truck Rental	-
Quilt Show Expense: Venue Fees	5,000.00
Quilt Show Expense	16,150.00
Raffle Quilt	
Raffle Quilt Expense: Mid Atlantic Quilt Show Management	300.00
Raffle Quilt Expense: Quilt Appraisal	100.00
Raffle Quilt Expense: Raffle Quilt Quilting Fee	600.00
Raffle Quilt Expense: Raffle Quilt Supplies	300.00
Raffle Quilt Expense: Raffle Tickets	400.00
Raffle Quilt Expense	1,700.00
Retreat	
Retreat Expense: Retreat Rental Fall	250.00
Retreat Expense: Retreat Rental Spring	250.00
Retreat Expense	500.00
Saleables	
Saleables Expense: AQG Merchandise Purchase	200.00
Saleables Expense: Pin Purchase	500.00
Saleables Expense	700.00
Net Difference:	(6,500.00)



AQG Quilt Show 2025

Updated September 24, 2024

We now have a new location and date for the Show!!!



<https://www.rtbc.org/our-facility/>

The AQG Show 25 will be at **Riva Trace Baptist Church**, 475 Central Avenue, Davidsonville MD. If you are interested, you can go to their website and look under rentals for pictures. We will be renting the Gym, Welcome Center, and the Food Court areas. In addition, the church is letting us use a meeting room for Demos, and the Worship Center for Quilt Intake at no charge. We can also sign up early for next year's show which will allow us to have a stable location and date in the future.

Set-Up will be Thursday, June 12th from 12 to 6 pm. The Show will be Friday, June 13th and Saturday, June 14th, 10 to 4 pm. We can get in at 9 am on both days, and Take-Down on Saturday will be 4 to 6 pm.

The Quilt Show 25 Committee is now finalized. It is listed in the next column, and is also on the Members Only section of our website. Thanks to everyone who has volunteered to serve, especially some of our newer members.

Terri Flaherty, Kate Gollsneider, and Sue Cochrane are still working on reviewing and updating the guidelines for the judging categories and for the judges. They will probably be ready in time for the October General meeting and will be on the Members Only section of the website. Please email or text any input you would like to make. The Special Collection will be announced at that meeting as well.

- Fran Mester, Quilt Show

Next Quilt Show Meeting is Tuesday, October 8th, 6:30 pm via Zoom.

AQG Quilt Show 2025 Committee

Chair: Fran Mester, frances.mester@gmail.com, 425-879-3443. (Facilities, Insurance, Student Volunteers, Publicity, Signs, and Coordination/Support for all sub-committees)

Vendors: Adrienne Randall, randall.adriene54@verizon.net, 301-785-4720
Diane Gerrior, dianegerrior@gmail.com, 410-271-4224

Demos: Jean Dwyer, ejjedwyer@gmail.com, 301-332-7446

GINNY SCOUT, gescout@verizon.net, 410-370-5430

Country Store: Mary Osborn-Riley, mosbourn@comcast.net, 443-995-3182
Sandy Kowal, sandykay249@gmail.com, 410-610-4304

Raffle Baskets: Marie Murphy, mariemrph6@gmail.com, 410-829-6687
Lis Cockey, robnlis@atlanticbb.net, 301-351-5684

Raffle Quilt: Diane Gerrior, dianegerrior@gmail.com, 410-271-4224

Entry Hall: Kathy Hart, krhartwn@gmail.com, 443-848-8723
Patti Bender, benderp801@gmail.com, 484-888-8043

Ordering/Volunteers: Polly Schatz, pschatz40@gmail.com

Quilt Registration: Patti Ackerman, thumpersmom2@verizon.net, 703-505-4860

Quilt Layout: Mary Ann Steiner, matsq555@gmail.com, 774-249-8847

Quilt Intake: Megan Webber, mew21012@gmail.com, 410-353-6604

Quilt Hanging: Jo Barnes, jodbarnes@verizon.net, 443-534-1472

Awards/Judges: Terri Flaherty, tmflahert@gmail.com, 443-239-2532

Hospitality: Kerri Edwards, edwardskerri@yahoo.com, 443-254-7203

Logistics/Transportation to Show: LizAnn Lizotte, ealizo@aol.com, 240-876-9865

Treasurer: Patti Ackerman, thumpersmom2@verizon.net, 703-505-4860

Communication/SignUpGenius: Joy Coffelt, elliejoy9@yahoo.com, 410-739-5366

Meet Your Fellow Members!!!

We had such favorable comments regarding our "Meet the Presidents" that we would like to start a new column of the Newsletter so we can get to know each other better! We have such a diverse membership and we thought it would be fun to learn more about each other... there might be a long lost relative in our midst!!

I will be contacting 2-3 people every month to get a quick 2-3 paragraph bio about yourselves as well as a selfie. This month, due to time, we have Jo Barnes, who graciously agreed to provide this at the last minute since we just came up with this idea during lunch at the Lancaster Quilt Show! Thank you Jo, our current Guild Secretary.

- Polly Schatz



Jo Barnes "My quilting journey started when my twins were about 3 years old. I was a member of Mother of Twins club in Schenectady, NY. Another member, Sue, had joined

the Schenectady Quilt Guild and asked a third friend, Lola, and I if we would be interested in coming to a guild meeting. We agreed.

It so happened that, at that meeting, there was a speaker, Mary Ellen Hopkins, from California. She started her talk with the fact that she sewed while watching Johnny Carson. Each night, she decided to use a traditional pattern (1 top), then put it on point (2nd top), then sash it (3rd top), etc. She must have had 30 quilts with her. I was in awe. She also had published books using her techniques. Needless to say, in the next several years, I purchased them all.

After that meeting, Lola and I decided to try our hands at this. We went to a quilt shop to choose fabrics. Lola had 3 sons so she chose blue for her background. I have boy-girl twins and another boy so, wanting to be

different, I chose lime green. We each made 3 spider web quilts. I was hooked. These quilts were well used over the next several years, until only threads remained.

I continued to go to the guild meetings and met other quilters. About 6 of us started a friendship group, Stitch N Bitch, meeting on Fridays. In fact, we did do a few projects but used our meeting to decompress from working all week as an OBGYN nurse teaching classes all over the world and affiliating with several different hospitals and clinics over my career.

Over the years, I have taken many classes, both in the Albany, NY area and in and around Annapolis (I moved down here in 2001). I have long ago moved away from calicos (the only fabric patterns available when I started my journey) and now focus on batiks and fabrics that have movement without defined patterns; all in bright colors. I also love to use techniques such as foundation piecing, and, most recently, improv quilts. My journey continues."

Saleables

There is a new way to buy Annapolis Quilt Guild Merchandise! We have set up a "store front" for the Annapolis Quilt Guild on the Lands' End Business catalog web site. Here, you can browse through the MANY clothing options available and the AQG logo will be embroidered on whatever you choose. Use the link below to first set up an account. From there, browse and choose your favorite item. During the checkout process, it will ask you to confirm the AQG logo. Complete your checkout and your item will arrive at your door in 7-10 days.



LANDS' END

<https://business.landsend.com/store/aqg>

- Brenda MacQuilliam & Rebecca Musliner

Events

Quilt Challenge 2025 - Color Theory in Quilted Art



Let's challenge ourselves by using some art theory basics in our quilting! We know many of you probably already use the color wheel as a tool in selecting colors for your artwork (yes, your quilts are artwork!), but let's make it even more fun with a bit of randomness!

For this challenge, there are two factors we are using. First is the color wheel, which is broken into 12 colors. Second, we will be using a chart of typical color schemes from the basics of art theory, which includes 9 options.

To participate, come see us at the Events table to roll some fancy dice to discover your fated colors and color scheme. We're happy to let you decide on either the starting color or the color scheme, or you can roll the dice for both choices for a fully random challenge!

Here's the fine print:

1. Only quilts created in response to this challenge will be eligible for submission. The intention is to encourage participants to explore novel and unexpected ideas as a result of this specific challenge.
2. The quilt's perimeter should measure a MINIMUM of 50"
3. Please bring your quilt to the May 2025 meeting, so we may display it and present members can "ooh" and "aah", as well as vote for their favorites! We'll award some ribbons to the winners.
4. Please attach the color wheel "cheat sheet" you were given at sign up to your quilt, so that we can see how awesomely you have completed your unique challenge! We also welcome any written provenance (your quilt's origin story) you would like to include; please pin or clip it onto your quilt.
5. The quilt should have a hanging sleeve if you would like to include it in the annual display at MAQF. If you just want to show it at the May meeting, no sleeve is required.

Here are a few links if you'd like to learn more about or review some color theory:

https://mymodernmet.com/basic-color-theory/#Color_Harmony

<https://shop.decoart.com/blog/color-theory-basics-the-color-wheel/>

<https://www.serenaarchetti.com/blog/introduction-to-color-theory-for-artists>

We will have the sign-up sheet, color wheel, and cool dice at each monthly meeting so you can start your challenge at any time. If you need to make other arrangements, please email Amy at amy.hs.oswald@gmail.com or Tammy at tammyibarlet@gmail.com.

Children's Holiday Quilt Donations



During the upcoming festive season, we will contribute to the Holiday Sharing Program via the Anne Arundel County Department of Social Services Community Initiatives and Programs. They serve over 2,000 families and the elderly during the holidays by providing a Thanksgiving and/or Christmas dinner along with Holiday gifts for children 15 years old and younger.

- Our donated quilts would be for children 15 years old and younger.
- Good sizes are approximately 40" x 50" for younger kids and 50" x 60" for older children. Up to twin size quilts are acceptable.
- Quilts are preferred but other comfortable coverings, such as fleece blankets, are also welcome.
- The quilts will be collected at the December meeting. Our goal is to have at least 120 quilts. Please wash the quilt prior to donation, we recommend using color catchers also.

Big **thank you to Deb Clovis** for working hard over the summer to prepare tons of pre-cut quilt kits! Big thank you to those members who have made generous donations of fabric to be used in this endeavor! Stop by and grab a kit to start your donation quilt. These kits alone won't be enough to meet our goal, so this is also a great way to use up some of that stash you haven't cut into yet! You'll just need to add binding, batting, backing, and quilt it. Another option would be to use flannel as a backing and skip the batting! If you need assistance with the quilting, please contact us; we may have volunteers who can help with that part. Anyone willing to do some quilting for donation quilts, please let Amy or Tammy know; we would greatly appreciate it. We do have a limited number of pre-cut kits with backing included. If you seem to be missing fabric from a kit, please contact Debora Clovis at 410-721-1007 (no texts) or deboraclavis@yahoo.com.

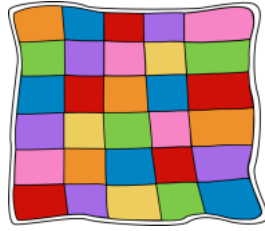
If you have fabric to donate for backings, please bring it to a meeting. For more details, and further information, contact via email Amy Oswald at amy.hs.oswald@gmail.com or Tammy Barlet at tammyibarlet@gmail.com,
Events Committee Co-Chairs

Community Outreach

AQG members: I asked, and you answered. Quilt tops, quilt tops! Keep them coming....

60 - 70 inches wide by
70 - 80 inches long.

Gender neutral
or bright.



- June Bronfenbrenner

We are collecting mastectomy pillows, infusion quilts, children quilts, baby quilts, and hats. Thank you for all you have donated so far. So much appreciated!

- Louise Myrick

Need Quilting Advice?



Consider attending the Longarm Bee, even if you do not have a longarm sewing machine. We are a group of experienced quilters willing to share on a wealth of subjects, but particularly... "How should I quilt this?"

Contact June or Kate if you have questions.

June at jkbronfen@gmail.com or

Kate at kqollsneid@yahoo.com

AQG Book Library

Please note, as mentioned at the last meeting, that we have eliminated our book library due to lack of interest. All books were donated to the AA County Public Library.



NewQuilters.com

Presidents Quilt Blocks

As is our tradition, we will present quilt tops to Polly and Sue at the year-end meeting in June as a thank you for their work and energy as the guild's Presidents.

This year, we are doing a different paper-pieced block for each of them. Directions & patterns will be **available at our meetings**, so please stop by the Vice Presidents' table to **pick up your choice of packets. We need the completed blocks by the March meeting**, but we'd love to get them back early! If you can't make the meeting, contact Megan Webber (mew21012@gmail.com) or Luanne Ormsbee (leormsbee@gmail.com) so we can arrange to get them to you.

Come Join Us for the Fall Retreat!



You can come for 2 or 3 nights. If you're a new member, it's a great way to meet other guild members and get assistance with your project(s).

When: October 31-November 3, 2024

Where: Pecometh Retreat Center, 401 Jack Elliot Way, Centreville, MD 21617

How do I sign up? Complete the registration form (on the next page in this newsletter), find a roommate, and give/send a \$100 deposit payable to **AQG**, to Jo Barnes.

Special Events during the retreat, to be announced.

Joanne Barnes
1136 Silverleaf Dr
Arnold, MD 21012

**Spring Retreat – Save the Date
April 24 – April 27, 2025**

Retreat Registration – Fall 2024

Pecometh Retreat Center

401 Jack Elliot Way, Centreville, MD 21617

October 31- November 3, 2024

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone #: _____

I plan to attend:

2 nights, 5 meals \$304 ____ (Day arriving: _____)

2 nights, 6 meals \$320 ____ (Day arriving: _____)

3 nights, 8 meals \$435 ____

Deposit of \$100 must accompany this form, made out to **AQG**. Mail this form and the deposit to: Jo Barnes, 1136 Silverleaf Dr, Arnold, MD 21012. The remainder will be paid directly to the retreat center at time of check in, cash or check is preferable. Credit cards will require a form completion (forms will be available at the retreat).

Emergency contact: _____

Phone #: _____

Roommate: (all rooms are double occupancy): _____

Is a 1st floor room: _____ Preferred or _____ Necessary (check one)?

Comments: _____

Any food consideration? _____

Upcoming Workshops

Now accepting registration for all Fall 2024 classes. The October class is \$50 for AQG members and \$60 for non-members. The November class is \$60 for AQG members and \$70 for non-members. Pre-registration is required; payment guarantees your seat in the workshop.

Monday, October 7, 2024

Jane Hauprich

(<https://stitchbystitchcustomquilting.com/>)

In-person workshop / 10 am - 3 pm



"Beginning Your Journey With Free Motion Quilting"

Quilting with your domestic machine! In this class you will learn fun and easy designs that will allow you to start finishing your own quilt tops.

Jane will show you

overall designs plus designs that will work in blocks, triangles and borders. You will leave this class with a multitude of designs and ideas on how to start your journey in free motion quilting. [Register Online Now](#)

Monday, November 4, 2024

David Owen Hastings (Full; wait list avail.)

(<https://davidowenhastings.com/>)



Zoom workshop / 9am - 3pm

"Indi-Go-Modern" The lure of indigo is strong - the classic blue and white combination found in many

Japanese textiles is cool, crisp, and so appealing. This is the class to use all those lovely blue and white C fabrics or any other carefully curated blue and white fabrics from your stash. Each participant will develop a simple geometric block design based on unfolded origami shapes, set a theme and

create variations, and combine them into the beginning of a fresh and modern mini quilt top. Easy to advanced variations available! *Note the AQG member fee for this class is \$60.* [Supply List](#) **Note: This class is full.**

Sunday, February 2, 2025

Rachel Clark (<https://www.rdkc.com/>)

Zoom workshop / 1pm - 4pm

"Fast Piecing with Seminole Techniques"

Rachel will teach an introduction to this piecing technique originally developed by Native Americans.

Students will be creating units

that are cut from long strips, and then sewn together and remade in a Seminole pattern. The strips can be very colorful and are suitable to be used in a small quilt, wall hanging, or as an accent to brighten up a garment.

Fee: \$30 Guild members / \$40 Non-Guild members [Supply List](#) [Register Online Now](#)



Monday, March 3, 2025

Ellen Lindner

(<https://adventurequilter.com/>)

Zoom workshop / 9am - 4pm, "Double Reverse Applique"

This is a really awesome technique, because it's both accurate and easy. Here's a chance to make two coordinating projects. We'll make the Apple in class and get a start on the Pear. This raw edged appliqué technique is extremely accurate. Ellen's tricks for staying organized will ensure that your class time is efficient, productive, and free of frustration. You'll also learn tips for making your own DRA patterns. *Note: This class is for intermediate quilters. Participants must be familiar with free motion sewing.* *Fee: \$50 Guild members / \$60 non-Guild members.* [Supply List](#) [Register Online Now](#)





Annapolis Quilt Guild

WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM

2024-2025

Name of workshop _____

Workshop date _____ Please refer to our website for specific workshop fees & details.

Your Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Before registering, please contact one of the Program Chairs to confirm space is still available. Registration is complete when payment is received by the Program Chairs.

Checks should be made payable to **Annapolis Quilt Guild**. Mail check and completed form to:

Suzanne Meader
47302 Rock Falls Terrace
Sterling, VA 20165

Completed registration forms can also be turned in to the Program Chairs at a Guild meeting.

Virtual Attendance: All participants in a virtual workshop conducted via Zoom (or other online platform) must pay the workshop fee. Those in violation of this policy will be removed from the workshop immediately and will be prohibited from participating in future virtual workshops. **No refunds will be given to anyone removed from a workshop for violating this policy.**

Supply List: List of supplies needed for the workshop will be provided once registration is complete.

Cancellation Policy: Cancellations received at least one month before workshop date will receive full refund. For cancellations received less than one month before workshop, you are responsible for finding a replacement, unless your reservation can be filled from the waiting list. If no replacement is found, you may consider the workshop fee a donation to the Guild for tax purposes.

Waiver of Liability: By signing below, you agree to hold AQG and the hosting facility harmless from any and all liability or claims for injury, illness, death or damage to persons or property associated in any way with this Workshop.

I have read and understand the Cancellation policy outlined above.

Signature

Date

Non-Guild Member workshop attendees: For information contact one of the program chairs.

Questions? Contact the Program Chairs at aqqprogramchair@email.com



Annapolis Quilt Guild Membership Form 2024 - 2025

Amt Paid	_____
Date Paid	_____
Ck#/Cash	_____

Annual Membership runs from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

PHONE _____ E-MAIL _____

New Member _____ OR Renewal _____ (Year) Joined _____

Do you want a printed copy of the Membership Guide?	YES _____	NO _____
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Please make checks payable to **Annapolis Quilt Guild**.

__ \$30.00 Annual Membership Dues (7/1/2024 thru 6/30/25)

__ \$10.00 2024 Raffle Tickets

Dues must be received by June 30, 2024 for inclusion in the Printed Annual AQG Membership Guide.

Volunteer Opportunities: Each member is expected to volunteer at least two hours per year for guild activities and help with our annual quilt show. Let us know how you would like to help. Check all that apply:

_____ Events – Challenge Quilt, Bus Trips, Holiday Party

_____ Programs – Escorting Speakers, Hospitality, Teaching, Demonstrations

_____ Quilt Show – Quilt Hanging, Demonstrations, Silent Auction, White Glove, Entry Hall, Publicity

_____ Other activities – Library, Raffle Quilt, Community Outreach, AQG Merchandise, Membership Desk

_____ Other Expertise – Spreadsheets, Accounting, Desktop Publishing, Webmaster, Word Processing, Events Planning, Organizer, Photographer, Public Relations

Register online at: <https://annapolisquiltguild.org/become-a-member/>

OR SEND COMPLETED FORM AND PAYMENT TO:

Annapolis Quilt Guild
2021 Homewood Road
Annapolis, MD 21409

Opportunities of Interest

October 4-6 - St. Paul's Quilters Annual Sale. (Fri. 9a-7p, Sat. 9a-6p, Sun. 8a-12p) Free Admission, Door Prizes. 1370 Defense Hwy., Crofton.

October 5-6 - Flying Geese Quilt Guild's "Harvest of Quilts" Show. (Sat. 10a-5p, Sat. 11a-4p). 1802 Mountain Rd, Joppa. \$10. fgqg.com

October 26-27 - Academy Art Museum's 27th Annual Craft Show, Easton.
<https://academyartmuseum.org/events/craft-show/>

November 1-3 - Everybody's Quilt Guild's "Fall Harvest of Quilts" Quilt Show. (Fri./Sat. 10a-5p, Sun. 10a-3p). 2030 Pleasant Valley Rd., Westminster. \$10.

November 6-9 - Quilt Fest Virtual School House #9, (Online classes)
www.quiltfest.com

A Letter to the Guild

9/2/24

I am interested in finding someone to finish a few quilts that I have and didn't know if you or someone you know may be interested.

My mother in law recently passed away. She used to make quilts and I have acquired a few that are in different stages. I am interested in finding someone to complete them if possible.

I also have a few boxes of quilting patterns and numerous boxes of fabric (various sizes and shapes) that she collected/saved over the years to use for her quilting.

If you know of someone who may be interested in assisting me in getting these quilts completed and/or would be interested in the patterns/fabric I have, I would appreciate you passing my email on to them.

Thank you for your assistance.

Patty Greig wgreig4@comcast.net

Next Month

Monday, November 4th - Virtual Meeting Only (due to Election Polling at the church)

Guest speaker: David Owen Hastings



<https://thecraftyquilter.com/2022/09/free-scrappy-leaf-block-pattern/>

Please send submissions
for the

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to Kerry Heyes
kadams61@yahoo.com

Deadline for the
November issue:
October 15th

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