



The Colonial Quilt Lover's Guild Newsletter. Published Monthly. Vol. 15 No.2  
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**Editor's Note-This is your last newsletter unless your membership is renewed.**

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### Colonial Quilt Lovers Quilting since 1997

Meeting the first and third  
Saturday of each month  
(except December)

**Gathering at 9:30 a.m.  
Program/Meeting at  
10:00a.m.**

Camden Senior Center  
Located on HWY 343N just  
behind the Courthouse  
Camden North Carolina

*On the Internet at  
[www.cqlguild.com](http://www.cqlguild.com)*

### President's Message

Well, we made it through another year and here it is 2012. Let's hope it'll be nothing like the movie of the same name.

There are lots of events taking place this first quarter of the year. The Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival will be held at the Hampton Roads Convention Center from February 23-February 26. Admission is \$14.00, but I'm not sure if that is per day, or for a one time admission if you will be there for several days. Registration forms and teacher information can be found on [www.quiltfest.com](http://www.quiltfest.com). Looks like they have a lot of North Carolina teachers this year and one of our favorites, Karen Lee Carter, from Virginia Beach.

This event will be followed closely by the "15th Annual Priceless Pieces Quilt Show," an annual event held in Manteo, NC on March 3 – 23. If you can be there for the opening, they have wonderful snacks. You should have all received email notification by Robin Caruso regarding quilt submission, etc. Quilt submissions are not judged, so don't be scared to send them one of your favorite quilts, no matter how old it is. Every week gets closer and closer to our big event this year, Day of Sharing 2012. If you haven't volunteered to help, you can contact Co-chairpersons, Mary Payan and Carol Cooper.

You need to start planning if you want to go to the North Carolina Quilt Symposium being held in the far western part of the state in early June. You can go to [www.ncqsi.org](http://www.ncqsi.org) and there will be a link that has all of the information you need to register. There will be some top notch teachers. I won't name them, because if I want them for myself, I'll have a better chance of getting in their class.

If anyone needs to contact me to put something on the business meeting agenda or just talk, you can reach me at [757-809-7835](tel:757-809-7835) or email me at [ncdeb@embarqmail.com](mailto:ncdeb@embarqmail.com) or [cqlguild@yahoo.com](mailto:cqlguild@yahoo.com)

## *Our Mission...*

*It is the purpose and the goal of the Colonial Quilt Lovers Guild is to promote and perpetuate the art of quilting.*

*The work of the guild is designed to benefit and educate all persons interested in preserving, continuing and advancing this art.*

*The guild shall encourage a high standard of design and techniques all forms of quilting, and shall promote the art of quilting by teaching and sponsoring exhibits.*

### **Board Meeting Minutes**

Submitted by **Joanna Woodard**

#### **January 7, 2012 Board of Directors Minutes for CQL Guild**

- Meeting was called to order at 8:10 AM with Donna Beasley, Sue Whicker-Jones, Joanna Woodard, Cyndy Ward, Carol Cooper, Mary Payan, Diane Farmer and Marie Schmus present
- Our new president Donna Beasley welcomed all on board
- Minutes from the November 2011 Board meeting were approved as published in the December Newsletter. There was not a board meeting in December.
- Treasurer's report for December was read and approved. The treasurer presented the Year to Date Budget report for 2011 comparing budget items verses actual expense and the 2012 Budget as of 12/31/2012. Items were approved by the board for publication in the January newsletter.
- Committee Reports:
  - Advertising: Dottie Wahler was unable to attend
  - Community projects: Diane Farmer

- Linus will have their Make a Blanket Day February 18, 2012 The Board voted and approved to allow Community Projects to find a larger location for the event. So moved by Mary Payan and seconded by Sue Whicker-Jones
- QOV: Anita and Tammy will provide block kits and patterns for blocks throughout the year to help meet their goal of 200 quilts distributed in 2012.
- Community quilts: Doing well and always looking for more quilts
- Encourage membership to participate in Sit and Sew after business meeting and work on your favorite community project.

No Old Business

Round Table:

The Past President used her president's budgeted fund to purchase the Guild a new iron, 2 ironing pads, 2 reel up extension cords, and a new coffee carafe

50/50 program and procedures were discussed with agreement that Gloria Roberts will handle the project. It was suggested that the proceeds be split between the two meetings with the Business Meeting going to the Community projects and the Workshop Meeting go to various unfunded projects with suggestions for, January-Christmas party, February-Linus, March-Community Quilts, April-QOL, May-Library, June Historian and July-Christmas party with a review in May as to the future of the program

The Program Chairman, Carol Cooper requested extra key to the Camden facility and the Storage cabinet. So moved by Sue Whicker-Jones and Seconded by Diane Farmer

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 AM  
Submitted by Joanna Woodard, Secretary

## Business Meeting Minutes

Submitted by: **Joanna Woodard**

### January 7, 2012 Membership Meeting CQL Guild

- Donna Beasley called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM. She welcomed everyone. She introduced the new members Anne Weil and Sara Leonard.
- The minutes from the November membership meeting were approved as published and the December minutes were read and approved. Approved by Kimber Bannan, Seconded by Anita Beard.
- The treasurer's report was approved as published. Cyndy Ward reported that the end of year (2011) report and the 2012 budget will go out with the January newsletter for membership approval. A reminder to all that dues are due and contributions to the guild are welcome.

#### Committee Reports

- Community programs- Diane Farmer Make a Blanket Day will be February 18, 2012, with the site TBD QOV will be doing a BOM with block kits to further their goal of 200 Quilts in 2012. They are inviting members to Sit and Sew after the business meetings. Think Red White & Blue Community Quilts is going strong with a steady need for quilts
- Block of the Month Kimber Bannan No one chose January. There were confusions about March and Kimber shared some ideas
- Programs: Reminder that Robin Caruso will be teaching "Sting Quilting" January 21, 2012
- Fat Quarters: Mary Payan
- Our winners for January's white on white were Gloria Roberts, Vicky Thompson, and Kimber Bannan. February will be Red, Pink and White.
- Round Robin: Reminder that your Round Robin is due January 21<sup>st</sup> and Robin will be e-mailing the instructions
- Winner of our Door Prize is Donna Beasley.

- Winner of our 50/50 is Jean Magrini and she donated her winnings to the Christmas party fund.
- Book order sheets are available see Kathy Atkinson.
- Reminder that NCQSI annual symposium class schedule is available at [www.NCQSi.org](http://www.NCQSi.org)
- The Mid Atlantic Quilt Fest is February 23-25 info available at [www.quiltfest.com](http://www.quiltfest.com)
- Meeting was adjourned at 10:30 So moved by Bobbe Raasio and seconded by Martha Knowles



## Treasurer's Report

Submitted by: **Cyndy Ward**

Income/Expense December 2011  
12/1/2011 through 12/31/2011  
(Cash Basis)

#### EXPENSES

Hostess Supplies	\$14.96
Misc. Exp –miscellaneous	46.76
PO Box Rental	70.00
President's Expense	53.96
Sales Tax Expense	4.65
Storage Unit Rental	<u>84.00</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$274.33

OVERALL TOTAL (\$274.33)

Gateway Balance as of 12/31/2011	\$3,523.88
Balance in Petty Cash	50.00
Education CD	\$12,275.00
Total Assets	\$15,848.88

## Guild Programs 2012

Scheduled Programs-2012

- February 1 **Linus Bee**  
**Location:** 10a.m.- 12:00  
Pasquotank-Camden Library  
100 East Colonial Ave.
- February 4 8:00 a.m. Board Meeting  
9:30 a.m. Social  
10:00a.m. Business Meeting  
Plus Show-n-Tell  
Stay for **sewing bee**  
**Diamond Star BOM is due.**  
**February (QOV) BOM is due**
- February 18 **Make a Blanket Day**  
**Location:** 9:00 a.m.-3 p.m. at  
Chief Petty Officers'  
Association  
514 Cardwell Street, E.C.  
**NO MEETING AT THE  
SENIOR CENTER**
- March 3 8:00 a.m. Board Meeting  
9:30 a.m. Social  
10:00 a.m. Business Meeting  
Plus Show-n-tell,  
Quilt-O following the business  
meeting (bring 2 fat quarters to  
play)  
**Dorothy's Star BOM is due**  
**March (QOV) BOM is due**
- March 7 **Linus Bee**  
**Location:** 10a.m.- 12:00  
Pasquotank-Camden Library  
100 East Colonial Ave.
- March 17 **HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY**
- April 7 8:00a.m. Board Meeting  
9:30a.m. Social  
10:00a.m. Business Meeting  
Plus Show-n-tell,  
Stay for **sewing bee**  
**Quilter's Corner BOM is due**  
**April (QOV) BOM is due**
- April 21 **Day of Sharing, "Stitches in  
Time."**  
**Location:** Corinth Baptist  
Church at 10-2 pm. Registration  
starts at 9:30a.m. **NO  
MEETING AT THE SENIOR  
CENTER**

## Upcoming Events

### Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival XXIII

February 23-26, 2012

Hampton Roads Convention Center  
Greater Chesapeake Bay / Williamsburg Area  
Hampton, VA

<http://www.quiltfest.com>

### 15th Annual Priceless Pieces Quilt Show

Mar 3-Mar 24, 2012

Manteo, NC

**Location:** Art Gallery, Roanoke Island Festival Park

**Sponsor:** Roanoke Island Festival Park  
and the Tea Cup Quilters

**Hours:** weekdays 9 to 5 and Saturdays 10 to 4.

Vendor Day is March 10<sup>th</sup>

**Contact:** 252-475-1500

**Comments:** Old and new quilts will be on display for the  
month. Free Admission. Free Parking.

### **AQS Quilt Show & Contest- Lancaster**

**March 14-17, 2012**

Lancaster County Convention Center in downtown Lancaster  
3 E Vine Street

Lancaster, Pennsylvania

<http://aqsshows.com>

### "The Greater Greenville Quilt Festival"

April 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>th</sup>, 2012

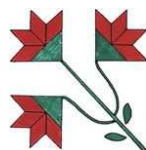
10:00-7:00 (Friday) 10:00-4:00 (Saturday)

First Christian Church

2810 E. 14<sup>th</sup> Street

Greenville, NC 27834

Admission \$5.00



## NC Quilt Symposium News

June 7-10, 2012

Western Carolina University

1 University Drive, Cullowhee, NC

Registration documents are posted on the web at

[www.NCQSI.org](http://www.NCQSI.org)

Completed Registration Forms can be mailed back to  
NCQS 2012, postmarked no earlier than January 20th.

NCQSI 2012, SMQG,

P.O. Box 1381

Franklin, NC, 28744

Sponsored by Smokey Mountain Quilters Guild and North  
Carolina Quilt Symposium Inc..

## 2012 Executive Board and Committee Chairs

<b>President</b>	Donna Beasley
<b>Vice President:</b>	Sue Ola –Wicker Jones
<b>Secretary:</b>	Joanna Woodard
<b>Treasurer:</b>	Cyndy Ward
<b>Advertising:</b>	Dotti Wahlers
<b>Programs:</b>	Carol Cooper
<b>Newsletter Editor:</b>	Robin Caruso
<b>Immediate Past President:</b>	Mary Payan
<b>Community Projects:</b>	Diane Farmer
Comm. Lap Quilts:	Patty Walsh
	Sandy Easterwood
Project Linus:	Carol Cooper
Quilts of Valor:	Tammy Sapp
	Anita Beard
Historian:	Heather Thompson
Librarian:	Kimber Bannon
Fat Quarter Club:	Mary Payan
Block of the Month:	Kimber Bannon
Membership:	Lottie Miller
Sunshine Secretary:	Pat Bastek
Quilt Show	Mary Payan, Carol Cooper
Day of Sharing	Mary Payan, Carol Cooper

### BIRTHDAY WISHES

Nastacia McArther	Feb 05
Elsie Saunders	Feb 06
Paulette A. Lobdell	Feb 08
Elaine Corriveau	Feb 09
Billie Roberts	Feb 12
Jean Endresen	Feb 13
Emily Harrell	Feb 14
Donna Beasley	Feb 16
Sara Leonard	Feb 19
Carol Cooper	Feb 20
Grace Sullivan	Feb 24

## Hostesses

Feb 4th	Carol Cooper, Gloria Roberts, and Diane Farmer
March 3rd	Jean Endresen and Elaine Corriveau
March 17th	Patty Walsh, Pat Forsyth, and Cathy Poropatic
April 7th	Judy Pierson and Sue Jones
May 5th	Jean Magrini and Paula Beale
May 19th	Anita Beard and Tammy Sapp
June 2nd	Mary Payan, Kitty Nixon
June 16 <sup>th</sup>	
July 7th	
July 21st	
Aug 4 <sup>th</sup>	
Aug 18th	Peggy Sharber and Phillis Timmerman
Sept 1st	
Sept 15 <sup>th</sup>	
Oct 6 <sup>th</sup>	Kathy Atkinson, Diana Ryan and Lou Rogers
Oct 20 <sup>th</sup>	
Nov 3rd	Kitty Nixon
Nov 17 <sup>th</sup>	
Dec 1st	<b>Christmas Party</b>

### HOSTESS DUTIES:

Submitted by **Sue-Ola Wicker Jones**

**Please arrive at the Senior Center at 9:15**

- Make Coffee
- Heat Water for Tea
- Put out cream, sugar, cups, etc.
- Sit at Sign-in table
- Welcome guests and introduce to Vice President
- Put out trash bag
- Put kitchen back in order at end of meeting
- Set out magazines for sale
- Put everything back in cabinet at end of meeting
- Sweep floor if it is dirty
- Make certain everything is back in order as we found it
- Take trash with you
- BRINGING A LIGHT REFRESHMENT IS OPTIONAL—Guild supplies paper goods

## Fat Quarter Club

Submitted by: **Mary Payan**

Love is in the Air Fat Quarters this month


The year 2012 started off with 15 white on white fat quarters. The three winners: Kimber Bannan, Gloria Roberts and Vicki Thompson.

February is "Love is in the Air" and American Heart month. Be sure to bring red or pink solid or heart designed fat quarters to the February 4 meeting. Also, please take the time to check out the American Heart Association's

website: <http://www.heart.org/HEARTORG/>.

To participate: bring one or more of the current month's themed fat quarter to the business guild meeting. The winning bundle(s) will consist of 5 fat quarters. For each fat quarter you turn in, your name will go into the basket for the drawing. Remaining fat quarters that can't make up a bundle of 5 will be held until December (that could possibly add up to 48!!!). At that time all those leftovers will be given to one lucky winner. Fat Quarters must measure 18" by 22. Below is the monthly listing with some examples to give you an idea.

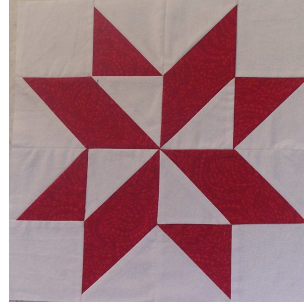
Contact Mary Payan with any questions.

February	
Love is in the Air: Pink or Red, or print fabric with hearts	

- **Mar.** – Easter Pastel colors or print fabrics with baskets, chicks, eggs, etc.
- **Apr.** – **Red**/White or **Blue** plain fabric or Patriotic Print
- **May** – Springtime Calico prints
- **June** – Get ready for Christmas, **Green** or **Red** plain or Christmas print
- **July** – Summer Beach fun- water, boats, sand, light houses, etc.
- **Aug.** – Love those Batiks, any color
- **Sept.** – “Trick or Treat” Black /**Orange** plain or any prints
- **Oct.** – **Brown** plain or Thanksgiving print
- **Nov.** – Children’s theme
- **Dec.** – It’s a New Year – Prints-Clock, Party hats, etc. or Black

## BOM 2010

Submitted by: **Kimber Bannan**



Just a reminder that the February (Diamond Star) block will be due Feb. 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

Watch your seam allowance sizes and the size of your block(s). They all should measure 12 ½” unfinished!!!!

Happy stitching,



I am so excited to be working with Project Linus! First, I have to thank Cyndy who did a wonderful job and has been a great help to me. Have you heard that we received a \$500 grant from Wal-Mart? Thanks, Cyndy! That will go a long way toward batting, backing fabric and other supplies. We had nine ladies attend our Project Linus Bee at the Elizabeth City Library in January. We sewed labels on over fifty blankets. The Daily Advance photographer paid us a visit. Did you see Beverly Moorman, Pat McKeever and Anne Weil in the paper? Our next bee will be Wednesday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, from 10 a.m. until noon and you're invited. Mark your calendars for **Make a Blanket Day** on Saturday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. This year we will be meeting at the Chief Petty Officers Association which is located on Cardwell Street, right behind the Pizza Hut in Elizabeth City. We will have something for everyone to work on – bring your sewing machine or just yourself. Of course, there will be door prizes, refreshments and Custom Created Quilts (Anita Beard) will be bringing lots of fabric and other goodies from her shop. Project Linus will also be kicking off our 2012 Challenge, “Color a Child’s World”. PLEASE REMEMBER: Make a Blanket Day will take the place of CQL’s Workshop Meeting on February 18<sup>th</sup>. There will not be a meeting at the Senior Center. We have some wonderful ladies working on the Project Linus Committee and we’d love to have you join us. Contact Carol at 426-5395 or [carolc@embarqmail.com](mailto:carolc@embarqmail.com) for more information.

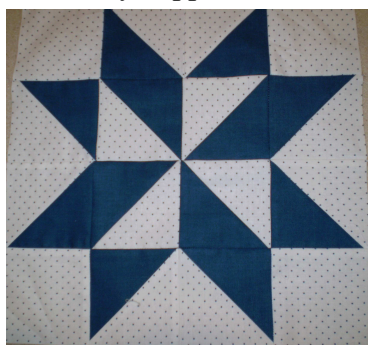


## Quilts of Valor

Submitted by: Tammy Sapp

We would like to start out by saying THANK YOU! Your support at our last meeting was unbelievable! We collected 21 blocks of the month, handed out 60 block kits, had 2 completed quilts donated and 3 quilt tops donated. We also received 19 blocks from a guild member and made another quilt top at the sit & sew after the meeting! If we keep this pace up we will definitely make our goal of 200 quilts donated in 2012. We have a new block of the month pattern for February. (Please feel free to mix it up a bit, use gold instead of the white or use a red instead of the blue). Thanks again for your support, our guild is awesome!

Tammy Sapp & Anita Beard



### February QOV BOM

Cutting instructions:

**White**—cut four 3 1/2" squares, and six 3 7/8" squares, cut once diagonally

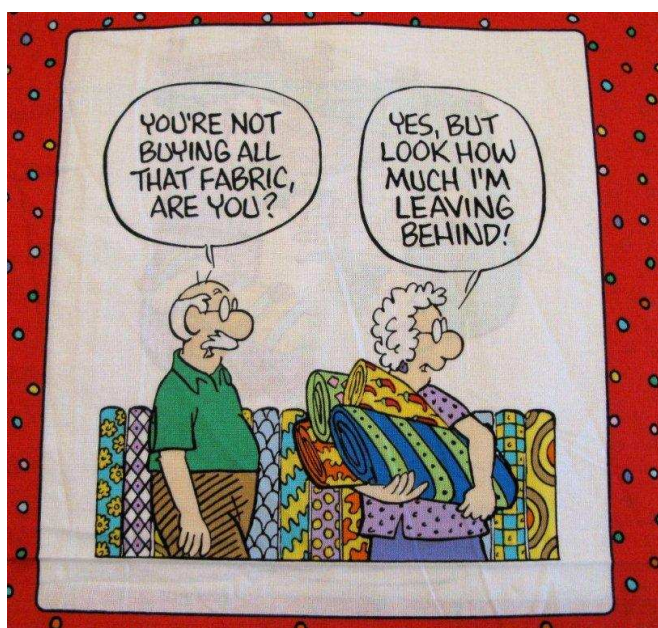
**Blue**—cut six 3 7/8" squares, cut once diagonally

### **Sewing instructions:**

Sew twelve blue and white blocks

Sew in rows as pictured

Join rows



## Day of Sharing 2012

Submitted by **Mary Payan & Carol Cooper**

“STITCHES in TIME” coming to us on April 21st.

We have been so blessed with response to the Day of Sharing.

You all have almost met our quota of 200 catchalls with folks asking for more kits. What will happen if we have leftovers? Well, that has been planned too; we will offer them for sale at the 2013 Quilt Show. If you still have kits, please finish and bring to our guild meetings or if you would like to do more, contact Carol Cooper.

Joanna has been busy counting the chairs and tables at Corinth Baptist Church. If we don't have enough chairs at the church, we may need to borrow some from our guild members.

Cyndy is having a wrapping party to wrap those many, many door prizes she's been collecting. There's still time to add to her stash.

Invitations have been sent out to bees/guilds in a 150 mile radius. Robin has been licking a lot of stamps!

Sue Jones, our food committee, will be passing out sign up sheets at upcoming meetings for you to sign up to bring items for the food table.

Barbara has been receiving tips for the tips booklet. Remember to send to her any tips you would like to be included in the booklet. This is tentatively slated to go to press at end of February.

Round Robin Robin put together a really wonderful round robin program - I've thoroughly enjoyed this, as well as others that have expressed their enjoyment, and we are now working on Round 5.

We can still use some more help and there will be call-outs at meetings and by email to engage your help.

Thank you all for all you do.

### A Warm Welcome to our Newest Members

Sara Leonard and Ann Weil  
We currently have 73 members

### Checklist for things to bring to the meeting on February 4<sup>th</sup> 2012

- Name tag
- Show & Tell
- Library Books
- Fat Quarters for Fat Quarter Club
- Diamond Star - BOM block
- QOV BOM or QOV Quilt
- Linus Quilt
- Community Quilt
- Non-Perishable Food
- Donated new or gently used quilt item for Day of Sharing
- **LUNCH** - if planning to stay for sewing bee held after the business meeting
- **\$\$** for 50/50



# Make a Blanket Day

Saturday, February 18,  
2012

9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Chief Petty Officers Association  
514 Cardwell Street  
Elizabeth City, NC

Please join us as we make warm hugs for children in crisis. Bring your sewing machine and basic sewing supplies or just yourself. Drop off finished blankets, bring a blanket from home to work on or use one of our prepared kits.

Door prizes      Refreshments  
Shopping with Custom Created Quilts  
(Anita Beard)  
Project Linus 2012 Challenge Kick-off

For more information, please contact Carol  
at 252-426-5395 or  
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