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The monthly publication of the
Salisbury Rowan Quilter Guild

President's Letter

March Newsletter already! Time is going by too fast! Thank you to members who picked up kits prepared by Kathleen and Vickey, our Veteran Quilts Co-Chairs. I've got my top together and pressed. On March 20, Robin Caruso will be teaching us how to use the Stripology Ruler. I've heard this ruler is a game changer. As Marla mentioned, it is not mandatory to buy the ruler to attend this workshop. See Marla at the meeting to sign up.

Remember to get your Retreat deposit to Karen Gulliford by March 1. Contact Karen if you need the form. I believe it was attached to the January Newsletter. I look forward to seeing you all on March 6 and remember, wherever you go, leave a little sparkle.

Happy Quilting,
Sue Correll



Beginning Quilting Class

to be offered in March.

Saturday March 15 and March 22
at the Rufty Holmes Senior Center
9am to 12

Cost is \$25 and includes a kit with all materials. Quilting tools will be provided

Sewing machine is Required.

Preregistration is required. Call Rufty Holmes Senior Center to register and get a supply list
704-216-7714.

Stash Cash Rewards

\$1 Rewards:

- Attending a meeting
- Wearing your nametag
- A pillowcase
- A Sew-n-Tell
- Bring a Guest

\$5 Rewards

- A finished cuddle quilt
- A finished Veteran's quilt
- Working a fundraising event (sell raffle tickets)
- Completing a UFO (must have on UPO sheet)

\$10 Rewards:

- Your guest becomes a member
- Volunteering to host a guild event (Holiday party, June picnic)

Salisbury Rowan Quilt Guild
February Minutes
February 6, 2025

The February business meeting of the Salisbury Rowan Quilt Guild was called to order at 10:00 am, Thursday, February 6, 2025, by President Sue Correll. A welcome was extended to all, and two visitors were present. There were 30 members present plus an additional two visitors. Both visitors told of their quilting experience and current interests in their quilting journey.

January's minutes were accepted with a motion being made by Tammy H and seconded by Cyndi K.

Treasurer's Report - The treasurer, Cyndy W, gave the report stating the guild's beginning balance of \$19,379.26. After all additions and credits the ending balance was \$19,193.14. A complete report is available for detailed items. The report is subject to audit.

Committee Reports

Veteran's Quilts - The guild was excited to welcome two of our newest members, Kathleen and Vicky, as the new chairs of Veteran's Quilts. The chairs came to the meeting with exciting ideas and also had quilt kits made for members to take home and complete. Ideas in the works include finding the veterans that come to Rufty and presenting them with quilts at our 5th Thursday veterans quilt workday. After relaying a story about giving a "random" veteran a quilt she had in the car, Kathleen encouraged members to find those random encounters. More plans to follow in coming months.

Cuddle Quilts - Cindy N and Lorraine H - The committee reported that 42 cuddle quilts were donated to Western North Carolina Hurricane victims. Tammy H and her brother were able to deliver these quilts to an organization which would distribute them. Lorraine graciously gave out a small gift to members who attended the workshop.

Chair Cindy N comes on Tuesdays to Rufty to put bindings with the cuddle quilts. Contact Cindy if you can help.

Library - JoAnne M - A book with 100 blocks was reviewed and this book is available to check out of the guild's library. She also presented her blocks from the current BOM.

Membership - Linda B - A reminder to all old and new members, dues are needed by February 28, 2025. Dues for 2025 are \$30. If dues are not paid by the due date, you will not receive future newsletters.

Raffle Quilt - Maureen M - The Raffle Quilt is finished and only needs the label. Marla is working on Electronic ticket sales.

Newsletter - Cyndi K - SCAMS - SCAMS - SCAMS! Members please be aware that the SCAMMING has increased. Please verify any correspondence before giving your personal information. Please have all Newsletter information submitted by February 17th.

Sunshine - Linda L - Birthdays were announced.

Programs - Marla S - The Teeny Tiny Collage Workshop was discussed in depth. Any questions should be addressed directly to Marla.

The March program is with Robin Caruso. Sharing rulers will be permitted. A book will be available for purchase directly from the instructor for \$25.

The April program will be from "Pat's Sacks". It will be a lecture on the history of feed sacks in quilting arts through the years. The speaker will be Cecelia Reed. This lecture is free to members.

Media - Chloe G - No update.

Donations - Sue M and Chloe G - The fourth Thursday, February 27, will be a workday to cut and measure donations for the quilt show. Please bring a tape measure and scissors.

Old Business

Road to Virginia registration is now open. Classes are filling fast. A group is interested in going. A hotel stay would be required because of the driving distance.

The guild has rented a Storage Unit to accommodate Quilt Show supplies and the growing donation surplus.

The retreat deposit is due March 1st. Please contact Karen G.

New Business

The 2025 budget was adjusted to reflect the additional storage unit fee and the insurance. A line item of \$350 was added. A motion was made to accept the budget by Cindy N and Holly L made the second. The motion was carried.

The annual financial meeting was also held with the detailed 2024 report presented. Connie M made a motion to accept the report and Cyndi K seconded.

A plea was made for a Quilt Show Chairwoman/women. Holly L rescinded her chair. Cindy N volunteered to begin organizing the 2026 show. Chloe G and Holly L agreed to advise. Vendors would need to be contacted as their schedules are made a year in advance. More information to come.

The Rowan County Silver Arts Program for persons 50 years and older is open for registration. The deadline to enter is May 1. The exhibits are to be brought to the Rowan Community Center, 1935 Jake Alexander, on May 27 and the judging is May 28. The Showcase will be on May 29 at the Community Center at West End Plaza. Ruffy-Holmes has the applications.

Door Prizes - Sue C, Donna D, Connie M

Sew & Tell - Sue C, Cheryl K, Tammy H, Donna D, JoAnne M, Maureen M, Cathy Y, Linda L, Marsey J, Holly L, and Marla S.

The meeting adjourned at 11:35.

Respectfully submitted,

Marsey Jancic
Co-Secretary



March Birthdays
8 Barbara Lambert
8 Janet Oliver
12 Connie Morris

MANCUSO
36th Annual
MID-ATLANTIC QUILT FESTIVAL
HAMPTON, VA
February 27- March 2, 2025
Hampton Roads Convention Center

Cotton Patch Quilters
Guild Show
"A Journey in Quilts"
Feb 28th - March 2nd
Held at the Oconee County
Civic Center
2661 Hog Mountain Road
Watkinsville, GA 30677
4½ hours from Salisbury, NC

The Charlotte Quilters' Guild
will be hosting their
2025 Quilt Show at the [Park Expo](#)
and Conference Center (Freedom Hall)
on **March 7 and 8, 2025** from 10:00 AM –
5:00 PM.
Tickets are \$10
(\$7 for students, age 10 and under free).
Parking is \$10.
Peruse the quilts made by our Guild
members
and check out our vendor booths!

Capital Quilter's Guild is excited to host our
Annual Quilt Show in March at the NC State
Fairgrounds in Raleigh, NC.
Event: Capital Quilter's Annual Quilt Show
Dates: March 14 - 15, 2025
Time: 9am - 5pm
Location: Kerr Scott Building, NC State
Fairgrounds, Raleigh, NC
Admission is \$10/day (children under 10 are
FREE)
Highlights:
~200 Judged Quilts
Large Vendor Mall
Homemade Boutique
Used Book Sale

Mary Harned
CQG 2025 Quilt Show Publicity Chair

ART FEEDS THE SOUL
QUILT SHOW
MARCH 13-15, 2025
Thursday-Saturday 10 am-4 pm
Elon Community Church 271 N. Williamson Ave.
Elon, NC
FREE ADMISSION
Donation of canned goods appreciated.
FEATURING: Bed Turning each day at 11 am and
2 pm
raffle baskets, quilt sales, sewing machine raffle,
and vendor Door Prize: Bluebird Song Quilt
Keynote Speaker: Scott Murkin "In the Eyes of
the Judge"
Friday, March 14, 6:00 pm.
Tickets \$10 at the door
Presented by: Alamance Piecemakers Quilt Guild
& Burlington Carousel Quilt Guild

White Elephant Fabric Sale to Benefit WNC
March 28 and 29, 2025, East of Statesville, NC
Cool Spring Community Church
1902 Mocksville Hwy, Cleveland, NC 27013

Dues

Guild dues are due January 1st.

In order to maintain your membership in good standing dues must be paid by the end of February. Dues are \$30 per year, checks payable to SRQG or submit cash in an envelope with your name on the front to Linda

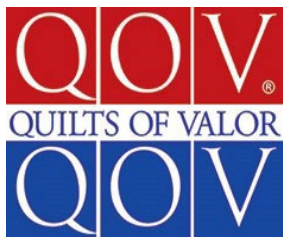
Bryant. Only current paid members will receive the newsletter after Feb. 28th.

Thank You

**THAT NEW QUILT
YOU MADE IS
SOOOO COMFY ...**



Due to the lack of Zoom participation, the business meetings will no longer be on Zoom unless specifically requested. Please contact Cyndi Krusemark via email or text by 9:15 on the day of the Business Meeting if you will need to attend via Zoom. If you have any questions, please contact Cyndi Krusemark.



The Quilts of Valor Freedom Piecemakers group will meet on the second Monday, March 10th at Christiana Lutheran Church at 9:30 am. Open to all quilters. Contact Shelley Lenhausen with any questions. Check your member's directory for her phone number.

COMMUNITY SERVICE NEWS

Cuddle Quilts

Thank you again to those who participated in cuddle community service day.

There are 15 top, back, batting, ready for anyone that will please put them together. Ten of them are in the light green plastic box in the closet.

Thank you,
Lorraine Herman

Veteran Quilts

We would like to thank everyone for being so welcoming and supportive toward the two of us!

Several people took some of our kits that we assembled and three of you turned in quilts that just needed to have binding added. Our goal is first to work toward honoring the Veterans that come to the Senior Center in Salisbury and any family members or friends of guild members. With that in mind we meet with the Director at the Center and she is giving us names of some of the Veterans that we may honor on our Community Project Day in May.

Plans are to have kits available on our Community Project Day. Kits will either be panels with borders to be added or kits completely cut out and ready to assemble with the pattern and step by step directions.

Prizes of small gifts will be raffled off every half hour so you can just attend ½ a day and still win!

To thank everyone, we will be providing snacks for the morning and lunch for all that attend (at no charge)!

If anyone would like to take and make a quilt kit before May, please feel free to pick one up at our next meeting.

Thank you for your support and we look forward to planning a great time on our Project Day!

Community Service Chairpersons
Cuddle Quilts – Cindy Nimmer &
Lorraine Herman
Veterans Quilts - Vicky Gilleland &
Kathleen Zurich

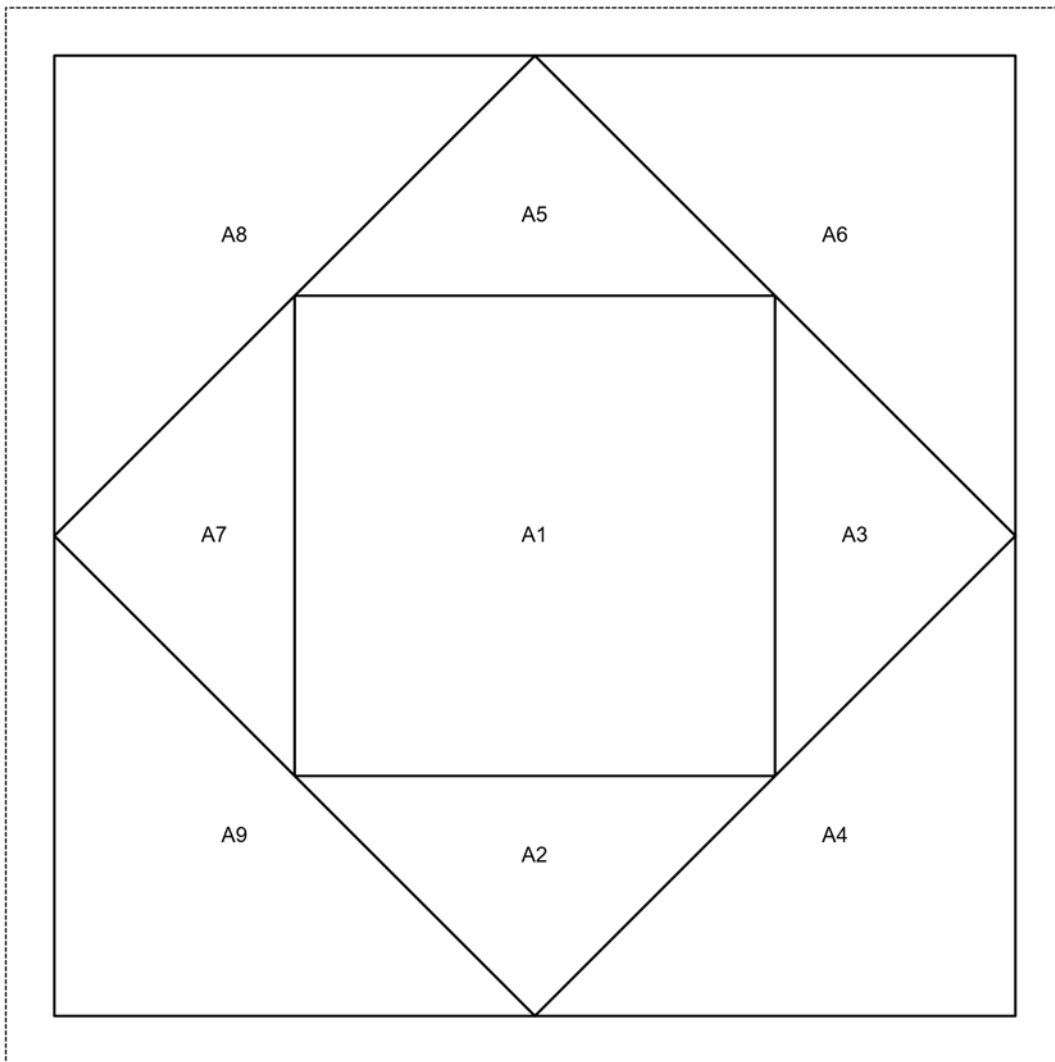
Suggested Sizes for Donation Quilts

Babies: 40x40

Cuddles & Veterans: 50x60

Other sizes are acceptable.

If you are unsure, contact the Committee Chair. A list of Chairpersons is attached but you will need your member's directory for contact information.



SRQG Name Tag Pattern

You may finish your badge in fabrics of your choice using the lightest in the center where your name should appear. Pieces A2, A3, A5 and A7 should be your darkest fabric. Use a medium value for the outer corners. The badge can be made to read square or on point, your choice! Embellish as desired.

Badge should finish at 5" square. Please make sure your printer is set to print at actual size rather than a reduced size. Any questions, call Linda Bryant . *Please wear a hat for the March 6th meeting to earn extra Stash Cash!!*

2025 SRQG Executive Board	
President	Sue Correll
Vice President	Marla Silbernagle
Secretary	Marsey Jancic & Carol Goss
Treasurer	Cyndy Ward
Committee Chairs	
Community Service	
Donations Coordinator	Sue Marquard & Chloe Goho
Cuddle Quilts	Lorraine Herman & Cindy Nimmer
Pillowcases	Karen Gulliford
Veterans	Vicky Gilleland & Kathleen Zurich
Librarian	JoAnne Mitchell
Membership	Linda Bryant
Newsletter	Cyndi Krusemark
Programs	Marla Silbernagle
Quilt Fair	Chloe Goho
Raffle Quilt	Maureen Maxwell
Sunshine & Door prizes	Linda Leprade
Media	Chloe Goho & Holly Little
Zoom	Cyndi Krusemark

Please note that contact information must now be obtained from the Member Directory. Unfortunately, it is no longer safe to publish our personal contact info on the website.



THIRD THURSDAY'S UPCOMING PROGRAM MEETINGS

Hello everyone!

By the time this goes to print we will be enjoying our **Collage workshop with Lynn Christiansen** rescheduled for February 27th. We hope to show you all we accomplished at our next show and tell!

Speaking of workshops...next up on **March 20th** will be a **Stripology workshop with Robin Coruso**. We will be making a table topper (28 x 28) with Flying Geese, but more importantly, we will be learning a new technique with the Stripology rulers! If you are new to this (as I am) and wish to come to the workshop without investing in the ruler or book, Robin tells us that she has rulers to share! This will be a great opportunity for you to work with the ruler to decide if you would like to make the investment! For those of you that are planning to purchase the ruler and/or book at the class, they will be available for sale and you can pick them up then.

Looking ahead to **April 17**...we are having a lecture by **Cecilia Reed of Pat's Sacks**. She will be discussing the history, patterns and use of feedsack fabrics.

And....time to put May 15 on your calendar! We will have a class on painting with Inktense Pencils!! More to come on that so stay tuned!!

WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM

Name of Workshop: _____

Instructors Name: _____ Date of Workshop: _____

Your Name: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail for Supply List: _____ Lunch: Yes ___ or No ___

Are you a SRQG Member? Yes ___ No ___

Lunch Selection # _____ \$12.00 \$ _____

Member Registration Fee: \$25.00 \$ _____

Non-Member Registration Fee: \$40.00 \$ _____

Cash Amount \$ ___ Check # _____ Date _____ Total Amount \$ _____

The Program Chair will email a confirmation with Workshop Information and Supply List as soon as available

Workshops Fill up Fast. Do Not Wait!!

If you have any questions about the Workshop Registration Process, please Contact Salisbury Rowan Quilters Guild
SalRoQuilters2021@gmail.com

Workshop Cancellation Policy:

Cancel 31 days or more before workshop:

Receive a full refund.

Cancel 30 days or less before workshop:

No refund. You may sell your workshop place to another member.

Your submission of the Registration Form

Confirms that you have read and agree to the Workshop Polices.

Payment Method: Cash or Check (Please note the Name of Workshop and Month on your check)

Make checks payable to: Salisbury Rowan Quilters Guild (SRQG)

Give your check or cash, in an envelope with your name on it, to Marla Silbernagel, Program Chair or

Send your check & registration form to: Salisbury Rowan Quilters

1120 S Martin Luther King Jr Ave

Salisbury, NC 28144-5692

Quilting Workshop Guidelines:

1. Workshops will be open by 9:30 am on the workshop day. Please arrive NO LATER than 9:45 am to be set up and ready to begin promptly at 10:00 am, unless otherwise notified.
2. Workshops run until 3:00/4:00 PM. Please plan on remaining until that time if possible.
3. Bring all of the required items on the Supply List. Quilters are generous people and love to share – up to a point. Please be prepared.
4. If the workshop requires a sewing machine, it must be in working order before coming to the workshop. The Instructor will not be able to help you, and you will lose precious workshop time trying to get it to run properly. Bring your sewing machine user's manual, an additional light and a long extension cord.
5. All drinks need to have a secure lid to prevent spills.

“Box Lunch Menu”

Choose from 9 of our most popular box lunches:

#1 Chicken Salad Croissant, fresh fruit salad, pound cake

#2 Taco Salad, sour cream, tomato salsa, chips, fresh apple cake #3 Smoked

Turkey Wrap, pasta salad, tomato salsa & chips, chocolate
chip cookie

#4 Cashew Chicken Salad w/Dijon-honey dressing, pita bread, iced pecan brownie

#5 Chicken Salad, pasta salad, fruit, salad, crème-filled oatmeal cookie #6 Club
sandwich, potato salad, orange slices, sugar cookie

#7 LB's Special: turkey, Swiss, & cucumbers w/buttermilk ranch dressing
on a croissant, pesto pasta salad, Sun Chips, lemon square

#8 Chef Salad w/buttermilk ranch dressing, crackers, chocolate pound cake

#9 Your choice of three salads from our deli case, w/either crackers, pita bread, or
whole wheat bread (croissant, extra)

Try our Freshly Made Salads:

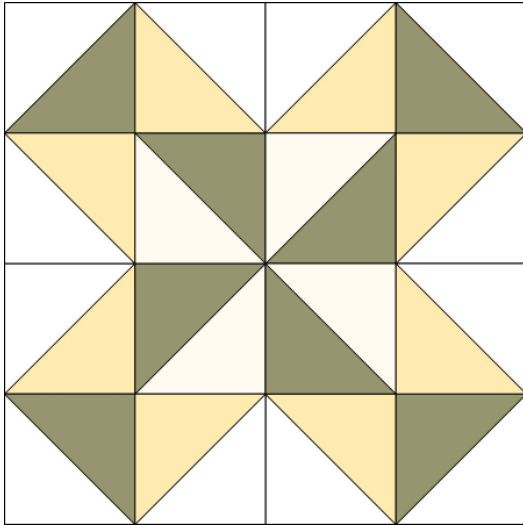
(w/ chicken, additional charge) Fruit 'n Nut

Greek Caesar

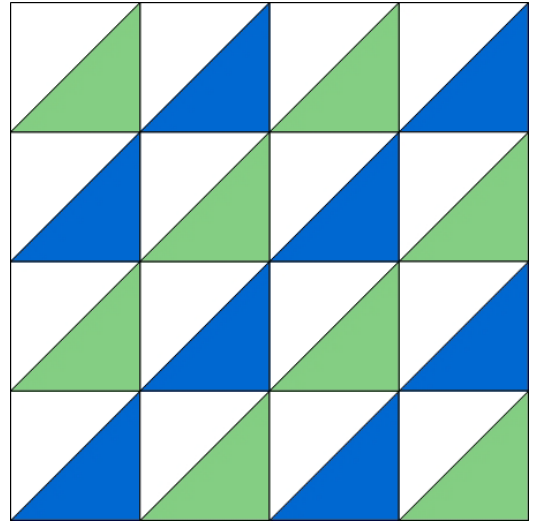
4-Corners

Terrific Triangles for March

Block 3 Pinwheel Star



Block 4 Flying Birds



HST Instructions:

(Basic HST's for every block)

Cut the required number of 4" squares of background and print fabric for the block.

Place a background square on top of a print square, right sides together. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the lighter square.

Sew an accurate 1/4" seam on either side of the drawn line.

Cut on the drawn line.

Press the seam to the darker fabric.

Trim the HST to 3 1/2". (Being mindful to place the points accurately in the corners of your ruler so they don't get cut off).

Repeat for the remaining squares for the block.

RAFFLE QUILT

Hi ladies,

I hope you are all doing well and sewing lots in this winter weather. Our raffle quilt has been completed and ready for display. You will see it at the next business meeting.

The good news is I have contacted a couple of quilt shows in our area and they agreed to allow us to display our raffle quilts. This is a great opportunity to sell your raffle tickets, especially if you are planning on going to the show anyway (tickets will be handed out in the March 6th meeting.) Our QR code has been created for sharing on face book and will be on our web site soon.

Listed below is the details of each show. Please review and contact me if you are available to cover a time frame at the show. The dates are coming up quickly so check your calendar and get back to me soon.

The Charlotte Quilters' Guild will be hosting their **2025 Carolina Lily Quilt Show** at the [Park Expo](#) and Conference Center on **March 7 and 8, 2025** from 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM.

Cost: Tickets are \$10. Parking is \$10.

Location: 800 Briar Creek Rd. Freedom Hall, Charlotte

Supplies: a 10x10 draped booth, with table and 2 chairs will be provided

March 7th is covered already, we need coverage for March 8th. This can be 2 people that stay all day or 4 people that split the shift.

Capital Quilters of Raleigh is hosting their **2025 Raleigh quilt show** at NC fair grounds, on **March 14 and 15, 2025** from 10am - 5 pm.

Cost: Tickets are \$10, no parking fee

Location: Kerr Scott Bldg. NC fair grounds, Raleigh

Supplies: Need to bring our display racks, table and 2 chairs

Coverage is needed both days. This can be 2 people that stay all day or 4 people that split the shift on each day.

Thank you for your consideration, look forward to hearing from you soon.

Maureen Maxwell
Raffle Quilt Chair