



# Quilters' Chatter June, 2023



Burke Quilters Guild meets the first, second and fourth Monday of each month at the Burke Senior Center on **Green St.**

## President's Message

Greetings from the President:

Here we are in June already! Time flies when you're having fun, and I hope you are all having fun!

The program in May about making tee shirt quilts and other memory items like pillows and frames given by Gigi Miller was outstanding, so I hope you were there. Gigi gave lots of ideas and showed many of her own creations. She also gave out a detailed instruction sheet with lots of ideas of how to make your own. Some how in the shuffle, I lost my copy. If anyone can make me a copy, I would appreciate it!!!! I have lots of my son's tee shirts and would like to make a quilt of them for my grandsons.

At the meeting we discussed the possibility of having a booth at the Morganton Festival in September to sell raffle tickets for our donation quilt and maybe add some small items for sale. Unfortunately, all the booths are already sold out according to the website so that issue is solved.

I personally feel that it is easier to sell those raffle tickets if there is more than one quilt offered. Remember the days when we had three quilts? However, the Donation Quilt Committee is only planning one. If you are interested in helping to make more, please let me know. We can do it as a small group making individual squares and sewing them together. Since we will not have a booth to sell tickets, we will make them available at the Quilt Show in August/September. It is the only fundraiser planned for the year and you will be assigned tickets to sell. We no longer have a fund-raising committee, so if you have other ideas for raising money, please let me know.

Happy June! Hope to see you all at the Therapy Day and general meeting!

Linda

## Sunshine and Shadows

It is with sadness that I share with you that Bernice Peobody's husband passed away Thursday night. Please share your sympathy and support with her.

### Officers

#### President

Linda Myers

#### 1st Vice President/ Programs

Linda Henson

#### Committee Members

Judy Cobb, Joanne Hinkle, Dinah Weaver

#### 2nd Vice President/

#### Membership

Debra Mangold

#### Secretary

Glenda Huffman

#### Treasurer

Judy Pearson

#### Members at Large

Diane Carpenter

Carolyn Raines

#### Advisor

Joanne Hinkle



### June Birthdays

6/14	Suzanne S
6/19	Diane H



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## Burke Quilters Guild General Meeting Minutes

May 22, 2023

**Welcome:** Linda Myers, our president opened our meeting with a welcome.

**Visitors:** Debbie Smith

**Minutes from last Meeting:** Motion to approve the minutes of April 24 2023 was passed.

**Treasurer:** Beginning balance, \$10,664.48 plus \$182 income, less \$167.42 expenses, making the ending balance \$10,679.06.

**Sunshine and Shadows:** Phyllis reported good results from her cataract surgery. Members are encouraged to send a card to Linda Henson's sister Berniece whose husband is seriously ill. Also, Kathleen Felmet had knee replacement surgery.

**Wee Care Quilts:** 4 quilts were donated to Public Safety, 10 were donated to the Childrens Home, Sheriffs Dept. received 9 quilts, 8 quilts went to the Hospital NICU , one quilt is to be displayed in the quilt show and 10 quilts were donated to Valdese Hospital.

**Veteran Quilts:** An Honor quilt was presented to Mr. James Smith at the VA. There is an on-going project for 12 inch finished block to be assembled into a donation quilt.

**Newsletter:** Contributions to the newsletter are asked to send them by May 25th.

### **Other Announcements:**

- Quilt Show committee met on Mon. May 22 at 9:30, just before our general meeting. Quilt ribbons are almost completed.
- Upcoming programs- June therapy day-making small projects June program -vintage quilts..
- The winner for the two beautiful wall-hangings donated by Karel was Debbie Guidrey.

### **Show and Tell and Short break:**

**Program-** T-shirt quilts by Gigi Miller and Debbie Carlton

Respectfully submitted, Glenda Huffman

### July Newsletter Deadline

Please have all articles in by Thursday, June 29, 2023. July's newsletter will be a double issue covering July and August. If you have program information, upcoming events, or quilt show information that needs to go in the newsletter, please be sure to include August information as well.

Thanks for your help with this. Nancy Harris



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## Program Corner

### Therapy Days

On June 12 you will have the opportunity to make different small items namely a bowl cozy, a folded star, plastic bag holder, pot holder or a pocketed mug rug. The supplies needed for each of these items is included in this newsletter. You can also come that day and watch how each is made. Feel free to come and sew even if you haven't signed up for any of the classes.

Therapy day on July 10 will be Laura Patridge teaching a sampler table runner consisting of four blocks. Of course you can take the four blocks and use them any way that you wish. I hope that many of you will sign up for that class as that is one item that was requested by members to have for therapy day. It seems that the same people come each month for Therapy Day. This is a good way to get to know other members in the club and learn a new technique. The cost of the class is \$25 which should be paid to Judy Pearson. A picture of the table runner is attached.



The Therapy Day on August 14 will be Nancy Sapin teaching us how to make rope bowls. Nancy Harris gave us a preview of the bowl that she had made during our last meeting.

The program for June is about vintage quilts by Jeannine James. She invites you to bring your vintage quilts to the meeting with any questions or concerns you may have about it. She is willing to give some tips to you about your vintage quilt.

### Supplies for the June Therapy Day

#### Bowl Cozy

The only supplies needed are two 10" fabric squares. I will provide precut 10" batting squares. Bring general supplies, like sewing machine & thread, pins, chalk or marking pen. Judy Abernethy is bringing a "cozy" ruler to share.

#### Mug Rug

6 - 10" squares of fabric. They can be all different or you can use two of each of three different fabrics

1 - 10" square of soft and stable batting

1 yard of medium or large ric rat

A nine inch plate or a clear round circular template that measures 9" across  
Sewing machine, thread and basic sewing accessories.



#### Bag Holder

Lining fabric. 20" x 25"

Exterior Fabrics: (9) strips of 3-1/2" x 20"

1/4" Elastic: 11" for top and 6-1/2" for bottom

Sewing machine and basic sewing supplies

#### Stars

Four strips of coordinating fabric 4" x 14"

Fabric can be the same or four different fabrics

Please starch each strip and have it pressed. This is a no sew project so we will use an iron but it will be provided.



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## Honoring our Veterans



This month we honored, James Smith, a Vietnam War veteran originally from Valdese, now living in Asheville.



Mrs. Bobbins is forced to donate her quilting tools to airport security.

## Local Events of Interest

### QUILT ART BY THE SHADY LADIES SHOW

JUNE 23-25, 2023

Friday and Saturday hours 10-5, Sunday hours Noon-4

Admission \$5 Under 12 FREE (Cash or check only!)

FOLKMOOT CENTER 112 Virginia Ave, Waynesville, NC 28786

OPPORTUNITY QUILT: "Our Town" 73" x 80"

Tickets 6 for \$5 Cash or check made payable to one of the two designated charities. ALL proceeds to Haywood Habitat for Humanity & Clothes to Kids of Haywood County



CHALLENGE QUILTS "Our Town: I love our town because..." 15" square to 30" square

12" CHALLENGES : "Fall Foliage" "Serenity" "Purple" "Stars" "Red" "Wine" "Beth's Cakes" "Peace"

SHOW INCLUDES:

Display quilts, Challenge quilts, Opportunity Quilt, Boutique, Gallery, Demos

Forsyth Piecers and Quilters Guild presents our 2023 Quilt Show

### SUMMER BLOOMS

Friday, June 16 ~ 9-4

Saturday, June 17 ~ 9-3

Winston Salem Fairgrounds

Home and Garden Building

421 27th St. WS ~ Enter at Gate 9

Admission \$5

Featuring: a judged quilt show, a boutique, silent auction, raffle baskets, vendors, raffle quilts, and many more surprises!



Mid Carolina Shop Hop

Visit Bill's, The Cotton Quilt, Morganton Sewing and more.

<http://www.midcarolinarunshophop.com/Shops.html>

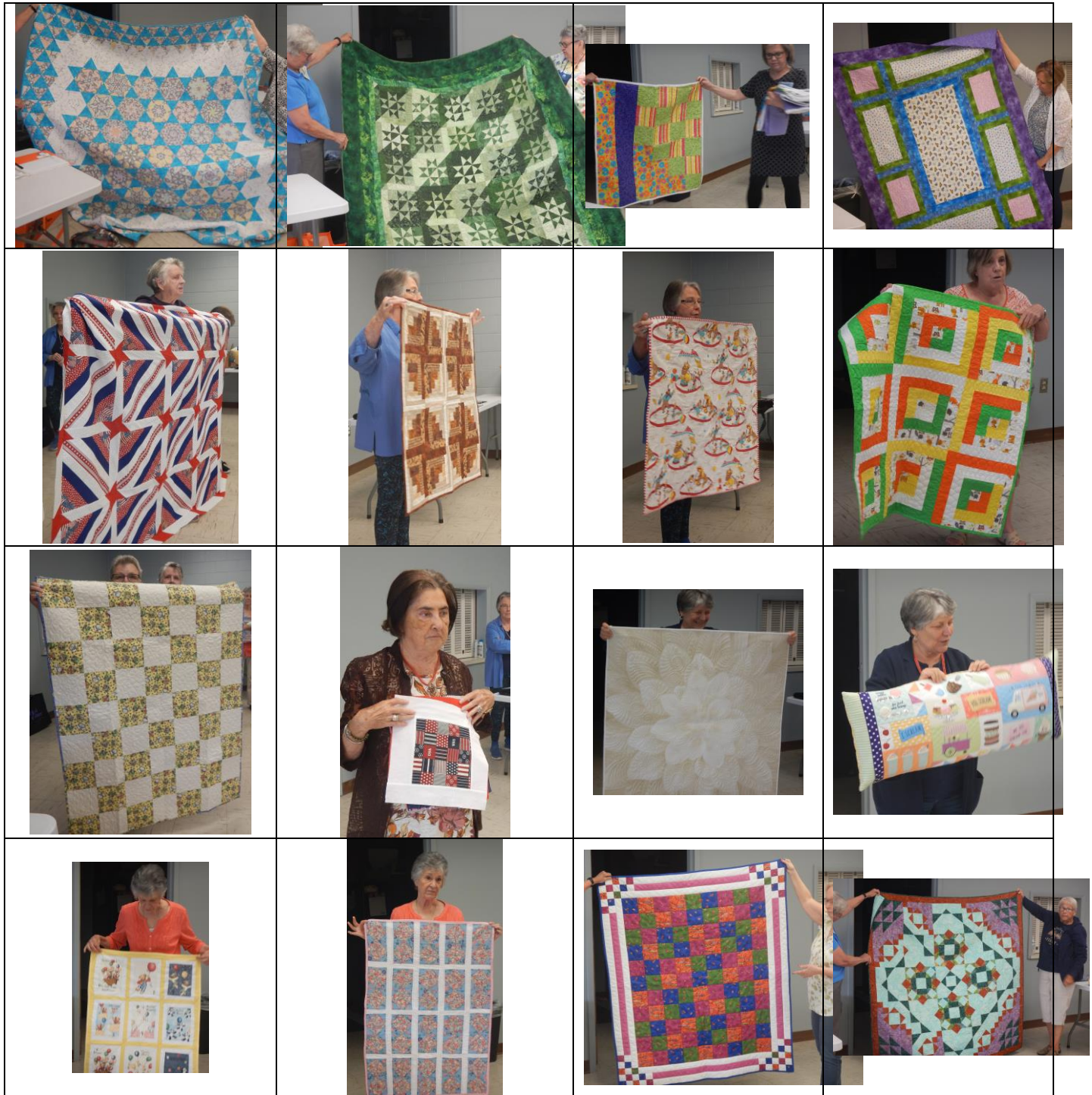




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## Show and Tell

For full sized images, please visit our website. Images will be available until Aug 1, 2023







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