

# Quilters' Chatter September 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 Linda:

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE AWARD WINNERS AT THE ASSEMBLY THURSDAY NIGHT!!!!**

All the quilts entered were beautiful. Colors, Patterns, and Quilting were all fantastic. I'm sure that the judge had a hard time finding any faults. **Great Job, Burke Quilters!!!!**

I must send out another "shout out" to the Quilt Show Committee and the Hospitality Committee. The organization of the show was well done, and of course, the lunch and refreshments were delicious. **Well Done, Ladies!** Joanne Hinkle and Judy Pearson helped me hang the three raffle quilts up on Friday and I took pictures of them for the newsletter. The raffle tickets have been printed and will be ready for you to pick up at the Santa Shop on the 11<sup>th</sup> and the general meeting on the 25<sup>th</sup>. The tickets are \$1 a piece or 6 for \$5. We will also be selling them at the CoMMA Center during the Morganton Festival on Friday, Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> I will print the pictures and the list of those of you who volunteered to sit at the Center and answer any questions of people who visit about our Guild and sell tickets at another space of the newsletter.

Be sure to check out the supply list for the items you want to make at Santa's Workshop on the 11<sup>th</sup>, so you are ready to make the projects.

We will be voting on the Slate of Officers for the upcoming two years at the meeting on the 25<sup>th</sup>. To refresh your memory, here is the list:

**President: Judy Abernethy**

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President (Programs): Dinah Weaver**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President (Membership): Judy Salchow**

**Secretary: Marcie Bandy**

**Treasurer: Judy Pearson**

Thank you, Ladies, for volunteering! We will have a combined board meeting in October of the old board and the new one so you can discuss your responsibilities with the person doing them now.

**See you in September!** (Great song by the Lettermen)

Linda

## 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

## September Birthdays



9/14	Cindy K
9/17	Judy B
9/28	Carolyn H
9/30	Linda H

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## Burke Quilters Guild General Meeting Minutes

**July 24, 2023**

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

**Visitors:** Judy Wright

**Minutes from last Meeting:** Motion to approve the minutes of June 26, 2023 was passed.

**Treasurer:** Beginning balance, \$10,514.66 plus \$942 income, less \$1082.82 expenses, making the ending balance \$10,373.84.

**Sunshine and Shadows:** Phyllis reported that July birthdays were sent.

**Wee Care Quilts:** Dinah reported an on-going need for quilts at the NICU.

**Veteran Quilts:** Judy Abnerthy reported that an honor quilt was presented to a veteran on the AMVETS.. There were some quilt blocks for members to take for quilts

**Newsletter:** Contributions to the newsletter are asked to send them by Thursday. July 27<sup>th</sup>..

### **Other Announcements:**

Quilt Show committee reports the following schedule for the Aug. quilt show week:

Mon. Aug. 28<sup>th</sup>, members may bring in quilts at 9:45. Luncheon will be around 11:00 or 11:30.

Tuesday, Aug. 29<sup>th</sup>. Judging will begin at 10:00.

Wed. Aug. 30 will be hanging of the quilts.

Thurs. Aug. 31 at 7:00 pm will be our awards ceremony. Members may come around 6:30 for snacks.

Upcoming programs- Aug. 14, Rope bowl , Sept. workshop, small Christmas projects, Oct. 9<sup>th</sup>- Augusta Cole

The winners for the two beautiful wall-hangings donated by Karel was Terry Martino (who then gave it to Gail Ritchie), and Dawn LeDuc

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

**Program-** Kathryn Zimmerman- Preparing your quilt for judging

Respectfully submitted, Glenda Huffman

**Aug.28, 2023**

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

**Visitors:** Guests: Jenny Cook- Bill's Sewing, Debbie McGough, charter member, Tonya Stephenson-Burke County Chamber of Commerce

The Quilt Show Committee members and the Hospitality members were recognized for their work on making our quilt show successful.

### **Other Announcements:**

New slate of officers: President: Judy Abernethy

1st Vice-president: Dinah Weaver

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-President: Judy Salchow

Secretary: Marcie Bandy

Treasurer: Judy Pearson

These will be voted on during our general meeting in Sept.

Programs: Sept. therapy day will be four small projects: sock snowman, 10 min. table runner, pillowcases, and ornaments. These will be taught by guild members.

Sept. program will be Nancy Harris- computer skills and know-how.

Following our program was a delicious meal and drawing of door prizes by the hospitality Committee.

**Show and Tell and Short break: Program-** Respectfully submitted, Glenda Huffman

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## October Newsletter Deadline

Please have all newsletter articles to me no later than Thursday September 28<sup>th</sup>.

### Program Corner

Therapy Day on September 11, 2023 at 10:00 am will be the following Christmas gifts or ornaments. They are all quick to do so you could do all of them if you'd like. We hope you'll join us for these fun projects.

#### 10 Minute Table Runner

Supply List:

10-12 inches of "theme" print, Width of fabric (wof)

18 inches of a coordinating print, Width of fabric (wof)

Sewing supplies: machine, thread, and any other notions you may need

#### Easy Pillowcase

Supply List:

Fabric to make one pillow case (double amount if you want to make two):

Standard – 27" length WOF for main print

Queen – 29" length WOF for main print

King – 31" length WOF for main print

9" WOF fabric for the cuff

1 1/4" WOF for trim color

Sewing supplies: machine, thread, and any other notions you may need

#### Christmas Ornament

Supply List:

2 1/2" by 2" coordinating Christmas strips (approximately 44-50 2 1/2" strips to fold)

Ribbon or material to wrap around ornament (9 1/2") and hanging loop (length is up to individual making the ornament)

Ribbon for a bow optional.

Foam balls and pins provided

#### Sock Snowman

Supply List:

White tube or crew sock (provided for class)

Rice – approximately 3 cups for each Snowman (provided for class)

Rubber Bands (provided for class)

Fabric scissors

Glue Gun

Pom-Poms, buttons, Christmas ribbon, fabric scraps for a scarf, or any other items you'd like to use to decorate your Snowman. If you are going to put a "sweater" on it, you will need a colored sock (I used a Christmas sock).

If you want your Snowman to have a nose, get an orange pipe cleaner.

I used pins with a colored head for the eyes and mouth.

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## Program Corner, cont

Our Program for Monday, September 25, 2023 at 10:00 am will be Quilting the Internet. Nancy Harris will provide tips for effectively using internet resources in your quilting work. And please come with any questions that you might have related to your computers. While she will keep things pretty generic for the talk, individual consultations will be offered.

**A reminder.....** the Augusta Cole Workshop will be on Monday, October 9, 2023 from **9am-1pm. Please note time!!** If you have signed up for the class but have not paid, please get your money to Judy Pearson no later than the Monthly meeting on September 25<sup>th</sup>.

## CoMMA Staffing for Morganton Festival

**Please mark your calendar so you don't forget.**

### **Volunteers for the CoMMA Center on Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup>**

Carolyn Hall and Nancy Harris – 12 - 2  
 Patsy Caraway and Dawn LaDuc – 2 – 3  
 Janet Fisher and Terri Martino - 3 – 5

### **Volunteers for the CoMMA Center on Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup>**

Julie Pearson and Karel Johnson – 10 – 12  
 Susan Briggs and Phyllis Fox – 12 – 2  
 Cindy Konarski – 3 – 4:30  
 Linda Myers – 3 – 5:00

**Everybody – please encourage your friends and neighbors to visit the Center to view the quilts.**

## Raffle Quilt Information



This is one of the quilts from Barbara Whipple's sister. It measures 65 X 82 inches. It was quilted by Linda Henson.

This is another quilt from Barbara's sister. The technic is rough edged applique. It measures 68 X 68 inches. It was quilted by Joanne Hinkle.

This Patriotic Quilt was donated by the Honor Quilt Group. It measures 63 X 62.5 and was quilted by Cindy Konarski.



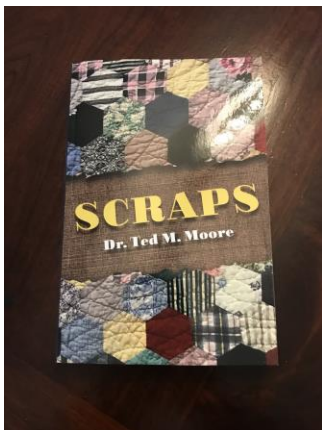
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## Veterans Corner



Presentation of a military honor quilt and a Vietnam commemorative pin to my brother-in-law, Julius Abernethy on August 24 in Harriman, TN. (Quilt made and quilted by Judy Cobb Abernethy).

## News From Our E-Mail



I am writing to see if my new novel "Scraps" would be of interest to members of your quilt guild. It was inspired by a hope quilt my mother made for my father while he was flying 32 missions in a B-17 bomber over Nazi Germany during WW II. She was pregnant with me at the time. It is now available for preorder on Amazon with a release date of Sept 1<sup>st</sup> or can be instantly downloaded as an e-book. It is a work of fiction suitable for anyone except children due to some violence but no bad words or explicit sexual content. I do think it is a good read and somewhat unique with a quilt as the connecting link. I have attached a short summary and picture of the cover which is my dad's quilt. Thanks for your consideration. Sincerely, Dr. Ted M. Moore-214 641-4114.



Fall Fever Quilt Show – Cashiers Library October 7, 10-4.



Professional Art Quilters Alliance-South announces  
Call for Entries -- Art Quilts Renewal  
Submit art quilts December 1, 2023 - February 2, 2024  
Three \$500 prizes will be awarded April 26, 2024  
FULL DETAILS HERE: <https://www.paqa-south.org/>  
Miki Adams, treasurer and publicity

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Show and Tell – July 2023



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Annual Quilt Show – CoMMA 2023

## And the Winners Are!

Pictures of all of the winners attending the reception and all of the winning quilts are posted to our web site. You will see it under Programs and Activities.

	<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>QUILT #</u>	<u>WINNER NAME</u>
100	<u>CHALLENGE</u>		
	Honorable Mention	104	Mary Stang
	3rd Place	114	Linda Henson
	2nd Place	105	Cindy Konarski
	1st Place	109	Terri Martino
	<u>BEST MACHINE QUILTING</u>	114	Linda Henson
	<u>BEST HAND QUILTING</u>	107	Judith Pearson
	<u>MEMBERS' CHOICE</u>	115	Linda Myers
	<u>JUDGE'S CHOICE</u>	113	Glenda Huffman
200	<u>Large Pieced</u>		
	3rd Place	201	JoAnn Estes
	2nd Place	207	Shirley Speagle
	1st Place	204	Phyllis Beck Fox
300	<u>Small Pieced</u>		
	3rd Place	304	Kimberly Crawford
	2nd Place	309	Shirley Speagle
	1st Place	303	Sharmon Kenyon
400	<u>Large Applique</u>		
	2nd Place	402	Barbara Whipple
	1st Place	401	Joanne Hinkle
500	<u>Small Applique</u>		
	2nd Place	501	Joanne Hinkle
	1st Place	502	Gayle Ritchie
600	<u>Scrap Quilts</u>		
	3rd Place	603	Terri Martino
	2nd Place	605	Gayle Ritchie
	1st Place	601	JoAnn Estes
700	<u>Mixed Techniques and Other</u>		
	3rd Place	702	Sandra Richardson

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	2nd Place	704	Patsy Caraway
	1st Place	701	Connie Yokum
800	<b>Group</b>		
	3rd Place	802	DeBorah Crawford
	2nd Place	803	Dawn LeDuc
	1st Place	804	Judy Salchow
900	<b>Art</b>		
	Honorable Mention		
	3rd Place	903	Karel Johnson
	2nd Place	905	Patsy Caraway
	1st Place	901	Cindy Konarski
1000	<b>Miscellaneous/Wearables</b>		
	3rd Place	1005	Judy Salchow
	2nd Place	1006	Judy Cobb Abernathy
	1st Place	1001	Judy Brittain
1100	<b>Panel Quilts</b>		
	3rd Place	1103	Connie Yokum
	2nd Place	1109	Shirley Speagle
	1st Place	1106	JoAnn Estes
1200	<b>HORIZON AWARD</b>		
	3rd Place	1203	Larry Salchow
	2nd Place	1202	Carolyn Hall
	1st Place	1201	Kimberly Crawford
1300	<b>Block of the Month, Kits and Row by Row</b>		
	Honorable Mention	1305	Glenda Huffman
	3rd Place	1303	Cindy Konarski
	2nd Place	1302	Judy Brittain
	1st Place	1307	Patsy Caraway
	<b>BEST BINDING</b>	309	Shirley Speagle
	<b>BEST FREE MOTION MACHINE QUILTING</b>	304	Kimberly Crawford
	<b>BEST DIGITIZED QUILTING</b>	1102	Cindy Konarski
	<b>BEST OF USE OF COLOR</b>	307	Susan Briggs
	<b>MEMBERS' CHOICE</b>	701	Connie Yokum
	<b>JUDGE'S CHOICE</b>	802	DeBorah Crawford