



The purpose of the Guild is to promote and preserve the art and history of quilts through education of its members, and to inspire community involvement.

The Guild depends on the cooperation of the entire membership for the success of its projects.

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**Member News**

Congratulations to Diana Ramsay, whose quilts are showing in various venues. Two quilts were in the Folk Art Center's New Member Exhibit in July, and another is at the Appalachian Regional Center in Washington DC until June 2012. Her quilt "Four Cards Around" was awarded first place in its category at the NC Quilt Symposium this year.

Contact *Neva Carlson* at 252-1661 or [nevacarlson@charter.net](mailto:nevacarlson@charter.net) with your news items for this space.

**PRESIDENT'S NOTE:**

As is the case with many organizations, AQG is working to keep expenses down and make ends meet. We are not in nearly as bad shape as many nonprofits are since we do have some reserves which were collected several years ago when we did a NC Symposium. Still your Board has had a struggle to make a balanced budget. Expenses (travel and fees) for speakers have gone up considerably, rentals have increased a great deal (we are most lucky to be able to use the Folk Art Center free for now!) and costs for all of our projects in the community are more expensive than ever.

The budget that you approved last winter counts on the Guild having a very successful quilt show and extraordinarily good sales from the donation quilt to support some of our excellent programs this year. Of course income from the Ricky Tims Seminar is necessary too. Without those two regular activities making more than usual (and the one time Seminar), we would need to dip into the reserves for \$5,000 to \$8,000. As you can see this amount would deplete our reserves over very few years. With the new venue for the show and no way to know how successful that and the donation quilt will be in this slow economy, we are mighty glad to have reserves to fall back on.

We all love the programs that we have been having for the past few years and we do want to continue them! Each program from an outside speaker costs us on average \$1500 to \$1700. Some \$800 of that is paid for by workshop fees (if they are full) and the rest is paid out of general fund.

The last time we raised dues was in 2003 when they went up from \$12 to \$20. Most of the guilds in the region and nationally have higher dues having run into the same problems that we have. The Board has talked about raising the membership fee for some time and believes that it is really necessary to do that now. We have not decided how much to recommend that they be raised but will discuss it at our next meeting. If we raise the dues \$5 per year and continue to have as many as 300 members, we would raise \$1,500 which would pay for one speaker and \$10 would cover two programs. The Board welcomes input from the members on this issue. We will make a proposal to the membership at the next meeting and will vote at the following meeting.

*Sara*

**Note: Please see the board proposal on page 8 of this newsletter.**

## COMMUNITY QUILTS

*“Thank you so much for the beautiful quilt my mother received while in the hospital. She was so happy and grateful for this wonderful gift. She passed away in June and the quilt is now in New Orleans with her Granddaughter, Shannon, who is an RN with Hospice and also loves the quilt. She will one day present it to her daughter, Sophia, who is now 8 years old.”*

What a wonderful response to the scrap bag and challenge bag offerings from Community Quilts! And now it's time to prepare for the **August Flea Market**, where Community Quilts will be offering fat quarters for 2 for \$1. These are for adding to your personal stash (not to make community quilts, unless you choose to). Bring your cash and your “carrying container” (bag, basket, etc.) for a great fun time for all. And then your Community Quilts committee will be better stocked with backing material for those wonderful quilts I know you'll all be making. If you've been working on a community quilt and need batting or backing, just e-mail or call me and I'll make arrangements to get you what you need.

Community Quilts Chair has to be the best job in the Guild! I get to meet so many dedicated quilters, see your wonderful quilts and then be thanked profusely when I take them to the distributing agencies. Warm fuzzies all around! So, since I'm transitioning to Quilt Show Co-chair with my husband, Roger, next year, I'm hoping one of you has been patiently waiting in the wings to take it over from me in 2012. I'd love to have someone “apprentice” while I'm still chair, by helping at the remaining meetings and learning “the ropes” before I turn it over in March, making the transition easier for both of us. If you've been thinking you might be that person, please contact either me or Janie Wilson, President-elect, and let us know of your interest. It's really not as big a job as some seem to think. It was handed to me very well organized, and I intend to hand it off the same way – turn-key, ready to run with it. We are so lucky as a Guild to have so many resources at our fingertips, that being chair of Community Quilts feels like a piece of cake. I just know there is someone out there anxious to take this on and bask in the glow of the thanks you'll get from all sides.

**Katie Winchell, Chair**  
**Community Quilts**

### LIBRARY UPDATE

Thanks to the help of Judy Pheanis and Sharon Smaldone the Library has been inventoried, outdated books have been culled, and books are in alphabetical order by author. Also, the list of books on the website has been updated. Please come and check out the Library. It is on the second floor of the Folk Art Center and is open whenever the Center is open. Normal hours are 9-6. Winter hours are 9-5. We have an amazing collection. You just need to find your book, write your name and month/year on the card and put it in the box sitting on the table. Books are loaned for 3 months. I will collect them at the meetings when you return them or you can leave them on the table in the Library and I will resshelf them later. We now have space for new books. I will gladly take suggestions for books to be purchased for the collection.

Thanks,  
**Peggy Tobin, Librarian**

## 2011 QUILT SHOW UPDATE

**The show is just around the corner!!** All is going well and hopefully you got your entry forms in on time. I have a wonderful committee doing their work and now it is time for you to sign up to help us have a grand show in our new facility. This is what you need to do. Plan to come to the next two guild meetings, come to the sign-up table and sign up for your shift (2 hours at least). Or find the areas listed below where you would like to work, call or email the committee chair and tell her/him that you would like to volunteer! Those areas that need volunteers are:

**Admissions** - Kim Thompson/Christina Strickland

**Hostesses** - Lynda Bock

**Demonstrations** - Nancy Dalzell

**Gift Shop** - Cindy Shock/Gail Holt

**Ribbons** - Jane Gump

**Judging Day** - Barbara Swinea

**Mail In/Mail Back** - Wilma Hamlin

**Drop off** - Marie Cochrane

**Site Set-up** - Jean Karpen

**Hanging Day/Take down** -

Roger Winchell

**Membership table** - Julie Bagamary/

Kitty Etterman

**Ways and Means** - Linda Nichols

Please note that all of their contact information is in our membership book.

Also, I am looking for Quilt Sitters to house the quilts after the judging until drop-off day. You must be able to lay them flat and not have any pets or be a smoker. Give me a call.

If you have guest coming in for the show that need a place to stay, Hampton Inn on Airport Road is offering a 12% discount. Just tell them that you are with The Asheville Quilt Show. Remember that the show schedule is in our membership book.

More in the next *disPatch*.

**Barbara Pate-2011 Quilt Show Chair**

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## AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER CHARITY BLOCK OF TWO MONTHS

### Threes and Twos

For a finished 12" block:

Cut two squares that are 6 1/2" long and 6 1/2" wide (or two rectangles that are 6 1/2" long and are wide enough when seamed with a 1/4" seam to be 12 1/2" wide). Sew the seam and press toward the darker fabric.

Cut three rectangles that are 6 1/2" long and are wide enough when seamed with a 1/4" seam to be 12 1/2" wide, and seam them together pressing toward the darker fabrics. If you are using scraps, the rectangles may be of differing widths.

Seam together the two rectangles to make a 12 1/2" square.

Squares can be sewn into strips by turning alternating squares 90 degrees.

Please choose either a combination of three dominant colors (red, blue, yellow for example) or a combination of pastel colors.

Return your blocks, strips or quilt tops to the August, September or October Guild meeting and put your name in the basket for a prize drawing.

Earlier blocks of the month can be returned at any time and names entered for the next prize drawing which will be in October.

**Questions? Email Janie Wilson,**  
[janie2wilson@hotmail.com](mailto:janie2wilson@hotmail.com), or call her at  
281-3653.



## MEMBERSHIP

Those who renewed membership in July are:  
**Georgia Bonesteel, Paula Ridley, Lisa Quinn, and Lynn DellaPosta.**

Julie and I will need to have volunteers to help with the Membership Table at the quilt show. If you would like to help us, be sure to sign up at the August guild meeting.

**Respectfully submitted,**  
**Kitty Etterman, Membership Co-Chair**

## WEBSITE UPDATE

For those guild members who enjoy a road trip to visit various quilt stores I have added two new stores located in Kingsport, TN and Blountville, TN. There is also a new store in Asheville. You can find a complete listing when you go to the sidebar and click on "Links of Interest".

The list of the library books has been updated and is on the Library page. You can access these lists by author and/or by title. The library collection is very impressive and all members should take advantage of browsing these lists and then check out the books that interest you. The books are located at The Folk Art Center so are available to you during their normal hours.

Also, if you see any information on the website that is not correct, or you would like to add something to it, please let me know as the site is only as good as the information that is given to me to put on it!

Enjoy quilting .....

**Yolanda Hall**  
**Webmaster**



# OFFICIAL BUSINESS

## Asheville Quilt Guild Board Meeting Minutes July 5, 2011

**Board members present:** Sara Hill, Janie Wilson, Jean Karpen, Betty Fauerbach, Julie Simpson, Barbara Pate, Katie Winchell

**Other Guild members:** Diana Ramsay

The meeting was called to order by President Sara Hill at 10:06 am. A quorum of directors was not present, so no decisions were made – discussion only.

**Minutes and Treasurer's Report** were reviewed.

**Membership form** – Some items need clarification:

- member fees from Nov. to Feb.
- lapsed membership – should it require renewal fee or new member fee? Does the length of inactive time affect the decision? Wait for feedback from the Membership committee and place on the agenda later in the year.

**Community Quilts:** Katie will use money from the sale of scrap bags and fat quarters to buy backing fabrics.

**Ways and Means:** Discussion - Ways & Means is responsible for the Opportunity Quilt. It is the Guild's major fund raiser for the year and is budgeted at \$5000 income. The Opportunity Quilt is not a Quilt Show function, though it is displayed and tickets are sold at the Quilt Show.

**Quilt Show:** It was reaffirmed that the Quilt Show Co-chair needs to be in place by September 1, as stated in the Guild Guidelines.

**Programs 2012:** Diana gave an overview of 2012 programs. Look for further information in the disPatch later this year. She is considering alternatives to the traditional round-robin February program, as it is often chaotic.

Possible alternatives include:

- a panel of four local professionals for small presentations related to a chosen theme, then Q & A
- two local professionals to each do a 20 minute demo/lecture

**Dues increase:** Discussion on this topic continues. Sara will address this in her newsletter article for August. The Board will make a decision and, if needed, will make a proposal in August; members will be notified in the August newsletter; if there is a proposal, members will vote on the proposal in September and possibly in October. Paper ballot will be considered.

**Make-up of the Board:** It was suggested that rather than having a committee, the entire Board discuss and decide this issue. It will be on a future agenda.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:18.

**Jean Karpen, Secretary**

## Asheville Quilt Guild General Meeting Minutes July 19, 2011

The meeting was called to order by President Sara Hill at 10:02 a.m.

**Minutes** of 6-21-11 general meeting were approved as printed.

**Treasurer's Report** was approved as printed.

**Announcements:**

- Members are encouraged to participate in the **Guild Gift Shop** at the Quilt Show.
- **Ricky Tims Seminar** – Small group discount price of \$194 is valid until Sept. 1. Volunteer lottery will be held at the August meeting. See the newsletter for details and requirements for volunteers.
- **Guild Projects** – The Guild currently has a display at Deerpark Restaurant at Biltmore Estate. Norene Goard has quilts on exhibit at the Arboretum. Folk Art Center exhibit begins Sept. 24.
- **August program** will be a **Flea Market**. Bring goods to sell, small bills & coins, shopping bags.
- **August workshop** – Lyric Kinard will take additional students, so spaces are available.
- **Quilt Show** – Volunteer sign ups begin today and continue through September. Many hands are needed! Hampton Inn is offering a 12% discount for Quilt Show attendees.
- **Ways & Means** – Silent Auction funds will be used for two public “Let's Talk Quilts” sessions, one in September and one in December. This will be an open forum for Guild members and the public to bring old quilts for discussion of dates, patterns, simple repairs, etc. Quilt owners may schedule a formal appraisal for later if they wish. Look for details in the newsletter in the coming months. Gift certificate drawing for charity blocks was won by Nancy Goodwin.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:25.

**Jean Karpen, Secretary**

# OFFICIAL BUSINESS

## Asheville Quilt Guild Treasurer's Report - July 2011

Budget Category	July, 2011	Fiscal YTD	Budget
<b>Income</b>			
Donations		27.00	0.00
Guild Projects			250.00
Ricky Tims			2,000.00
Holiday Banquet			0.00
Interest	0.26	0.84	200.00
Library			200.00
Membership Dues	45.00	2,025.00	6,000.00
Quilt Show	5,056.50	5,056.50	33,000.00
Ways & Means	286.00	630.00	5,000.00
Workshops	840.00	5,310.00	5,000.00
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>6,227.76</b>	<b>13,049.34</b>	<b>51,650.00</b>
<b>Expenses</b>			
Accounting Services		377.46	400.00
Awards			1,075.00
Bank Charge		6.50	10.00
Community Quilts		204.97	300.00
Equipment	40.54	40.54	200.00
Gifts and Donations			0.00
Guild Projects		268.85	900.00
Ricky Tims		476.54	650.00
Historian			0.00
Holiday Banquet	500.00	800.00	500.00
Hospitality			200.00
Insurance			400.00
Library			150.00
Membership		501.63	1,000.00
Mentorship			140.00
Newsletter	38.32	344.48	1,500.00
Programs & Workshops	1,729.82	8,211.47	12,350.00
Publicity			250.00
Quilt Show	565.86	895.88	30,000.00
Rent		425.00	700.00
Subscriptions & Dues			350.00
Supplies & Misc.			25.00
Ways & Means		206.76	550.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>2,874.54</b>	<b>12,760.08</b>	<b>51,650.00</b>
<b>Excess or (Deficit)</b>	<b>3,353.22</b>	<b>289.26</b>	
Total Cash on Hand	\$34,079.98		
<i>Angela Lamoree, Treasurer</i>			

## RICKY TIMS

### Volunteer at the Seminar!

The Ricky Tims Quilt Seminar is just over one month away! At the August 16 Guild meeting, there will be a drawing to choose volunteers for the event. If you haven't already entered your name, you will be able to do so before the drawing on August 16.

- Members working on this event during the past year will have the opportunity to sign up first.
- There will be additional volunteer slots available that will be filled through a lottery.
- Most jobs require standing for at least 45 minutes, the ability to lift 25 pounds, and setting up and taking down the quilt show and shop.
- Volunteers must be registered attendees.
- Volunteers work all three days and will be assigned to one of two shifts – (1) beginning of each day's program through half the lunch break or (2) half the lunch break through the end of each day's program.
- Volunteers participate in the entire seminar and miss NONE of it and are on duty only before the seminar begins each day, during breaks, and during lunch.
- Volunteers receive a \$60 credit at the Ricky Tims' Store.

**If you haven't already registered, please visit:** [www.ashevillequiltguild.org/RickyTimsreg.pdf](http://www.ashevillequiltguild.org/RickyTimsreg.pdf). Complete the form and send your check directly to Ricky Tims.

Other questions? Contact [nemathewson@yahoo.com](mailto:nemathewson@yahoo.com) or [nevacarlson@charter.net](mailto:nevacarlson@charter.net)



## LECTURES & WORKSHOPS

**August Program** (Tues., August 16): First, we will have a presentation by Julian Cate and Amy Fisher called "**Community Quilts and Our Young Patients.**" They are Child Life Specialists in the Pediatric Unit at Mission Hospitals. They will share their experiences when they distribute community quilts to children in their unit. And after that...

### Quilter's Flea Market Extravaganza.

Now that you have cleaned out your sewing space, you can bring unneeded books, magazines and patterns to donate to the Quilt Show where they will be sold to raise money for the Guild. For this meeting, bring anything quilt/sewing/knitting/needlework crafty related that you are done with (fabric, rulers, thread, scissors, needles of all kinds, and other notions, old sewing machines, embroidery hoops, UFOs (UnFinished Objects) and UIPO (unidentified purchased objects!). Think outside the sewing box! This is your chance to make room for new stuff and make a little cash! Let's make a deal. **Please bring** some small change to make this go more smoothly, bags for toting things away (even better if everyone brings their own re-useable bags, we will be all set!) Tag with prices or not. Consider pairing up with a friend so one can shop while the other minds the "store."

**August Workshop:** On Wednesday August 17<sup>th</sup>, Lyric Kinard presents her most popular workshop, "Surface Design Sampler Platter." (*All levels welcome*) Students will create a small fabric collage on batting, learn different surface design techniques, and come home with a small art-quilt or a book-cover. Techniques include printing and stenciling, stamp carving, screen printing, foiling, photo transfer and beading. \$10 fee for all students. If you choose to buy a kit (\$30) all you'll need to bring is scissors and either an X-Acto knife or lino carving tools. Wear old clothes. There are still a few spaces available. <http://www.lyrickinard.com>.



### September Meeting (No workshop. Quilt Show!)

September's meeting will be a *lunchtime* POTLUCK at the Governor's Western Residence. Don't forget your dish to share and Show and Tell. There will be final updates on the Quilt Show, reports on the Ricky Tims Seminar and plenty of time to visit with fellow members. It's a beautiful location and should be a swell time. **There are only 40 parking spaces at the Residence. PLEASE carpool.**

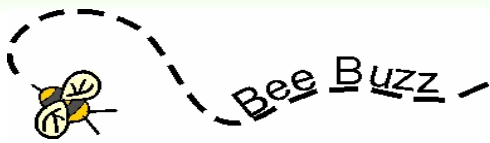
**Directions:** The Governor's Western Residence is at **45 Patton Mountain Road in Asheville.** Take the Charlotte Street Exit off Interstate 240 in downtown Asheville. **If you are coming from the east,** turn left onto Charlotte Street at the light at the end of the exit ramp. **If you're coming from the west,** turn right onto Charlotte street. At the intersection with College Street, (bottom of the hill), turn left. Go one block and turn left onto Town Mountain Road. Follow Town Mountain Road for about 2.3 miles, and turn left onto Patton Mountain Road. There is a sign directing you to the Western Residence at this intersection. Proceed up Patton Mountain Road for 0.2 mile. The Residence entrance is on the right.

**October Lecture and Workshop.** In October we welcome Sue Nickels, a quilter for 32 years and a teacher for over 20. At the Tuesday evening meeting, Sue will present her lecture called "**Machine Quilting for Today's Quilts.**" On Wednesday October 19, she will offer her workshop entitled "**Baltimore Style Appliqué by Machine.**" She recommends you go to her website for tips for workshop participants. <http://www.sue-nickels.com/classinfo.php?ID=15> While there, check out the gallery of quilts and prepare to be impressed! This is another remarkable opportunity. Registration is now open!



Additional information including downloadable supply lists and registration forms is available at the website: [www.ashevillequiltguild.org](http://www.ashevillequiltguild.org). Sign up for a workshop today!

**Peggy Newell**



Are you new to our guild or to the area? Just starting on your quilting journey? Would you like to get to know other quilters better, or find out more about quilting or guild activities? Would you enjoy a couple of hours of fun and fellowship with other quilters. Are you a current member who would like to meet and help new quilters and members, or are you looking for volunteers for your committees? If so, please join a Member Bee. Many close friendships are formed as you share quilting information in these smaller groups.

You may also start a new group, maybe in your neighborhood or at a time more suited to your schedule. All it takes is a few other quilters to start. Contact me and we can publish it here monthly. Visit one or more of the following groups. You are always welcome at any or all of them. Bring a project you are working on, especially if you need help or advice. Don't forget your SHOW & TELL!

**Kim Thompson**, Member Bee Chair,  
628-1938 or [lkb94@aol.com](mailto:lkb94@aol.com)

**The Firehouse Quilters (North)** - 1st & 3rd Thursday each month - 10:30 - 2:00 - Reems Creek Firehouse Community Room, Beaverdam Road, North Asheville. Bring lunch. Contact **Helen Kehoe** at 281-2098.

**Beaucatcher's Bee** – meets every Tuesday 10 am-noon, North Asheville Community Center, 39 E. Larchmont Rd (off Merrimon Ave). Annual Community Center Fee applies. Questions? Contact **Mary Field** at 254-9128.

**Lamplight Bee** Meets on the **4th Thursday** of the month at 6:30pm, Oak Hill Methodist Church 277 Oak Hill Drive, Candler NC. Call or email **Betty Fauerbach** for more information at 627-9793 or [emfauerbach@charter.net](mailto:emfauerbach@charter.net) (Note New Day)

**South Asheville Bee** - Meets at Earth Fare South community room, 1856 Hendersonville Road, on the second and fourth Thursday of the month at 9:30 a.m. Call **Ann Bordeau** at 650-9708 or **Alice Helms** at 277-9223.

**Little Bee** - 1st Thursday evening each month at 7pm in each other's homes. Contact **Cindy Lund** at 252-5204.

**Fiber Arts Alliance** - Anyone interested in art quilts, any medium, or any level is invited to join. 1st Tuesday each month at the West Asheville Presbyterian Church at 690 Haywood Road. 12:00 brown bag lunch, 12:30-3:00 meeting. **New contact info:** **Karen Hawkins** at [karen@charter.net](mailto:karen@charter.net) or **Meg Manderson** at 683-6563 or [megmanderson@gmail.com](mailto:megmanderson@gmail.com).

**Quilts For Linus-** The Linus Project is a nationwide volunteer project that collects blankets (quilts, knitted and crocheted items) for traumatized and hospitalized children. This group is open to everyone. We meet **every 4th Friday from 1 to 3:30pm**. We have lots of new fabric donated by Marti's Patchwork Cottage. Come to select fabric to sew a community quilt at home, to help layer tops, to cut for kits or one that you want to make (bring cutting equipment) or sew (bring your machine) with us. Contact **Sara Hill** at 664-0974 for more information or directions.

**East-Enders Bee** meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month. We meet in members homes from 1-3. Members living on the East side of Asheville or in Swannanoa or Black Mountain are encouraged to join us. Contact **Maureen Kampen** [hyland77@yahoo.com](mailto:hyland77@yahoo.com) or **Sally Gross-Holbrook** at 686-4616 for more information.

**Spring Mountain**. The Spring Mountain bee meets the second Tuesday morning from 10-12, teaching and working on quilts and other hand crafts, benefiting the local community, the Asheville Quilt Guild and other charities. It is open to everyone, and the contacts are **Kay Jenkins** at 628-7900 or **Kim Thompson** at 628-1938.

**Biltmore Lake Quilters** meet the second and fourth Thursdays each month from 9-1 at the Biltmore Lake Clubhouse. All are welcome (you do not have to live in Biltmore Lake). Contact **Mary Rogers** for more information at 665-2602 or [rogmarync@charter.net](mailto:rogmarync@charter.net)

**Dare to Bee** - The purpose of the group is to challenge quilters to go beyond their comfort zones in a relaxed and supportive **Jennifer Haines 333-4251 or [Jenuofroc@aol.com](mailto:Jenuofroc@aol.com)**

### Share A Room?

If you are going to the Houston International Quilt Show and would like to share a room, please give me a call. Linda Ward Home: 633-1815 6pm, weekdays. Work: 213-7840 I will be staying at the Four Seasons by the convention center. The rate is \$225 a night (\$112.50 share cost). I have booked a room, checking in on Monday, October 31 and checking out Friday, Nov. 4th. It will be great fun. Call me or email me at [lewmtnhome@yahoo.com](mailto:lewmtnhome@yahoo.com).

**Linda Ward**

Periodically I get requests via the website for someone to repair antique quilts. If there is anyone in the Guild interested in doing this kind of work (for pay!), please let me know.

**Sara Hill**



### LAST CALL FOR MAGAZINES FOR THE QUILT SHOW

August is the last meeting I will be collecting magazines, books, and patterns, that deal with quilting. I will be outside the Folk Art Center from 6:30 to 6:45. My van is gray and I will be in the handicapped parking area. This way you do not have to bring them inside the FAC. Please put your items in a cardboard box as it makes them easier to handle.

We will have an area at the quilt show where we will sell these donated books, magazines and patterns.

**Betty Fauerbach**

### For Sale

A Rowenta Pressure Iron and Steamer 1750 W, DG5030U0. New, never taken out of the box. Purchased as a gift from my husband for \$160.99 + tax. It is more iron than I need. Asking \$100.00. Contact **Heather Yurgeles**, 299-8639 or [hmyurgeles@hotmail.com](mailto:hmyurgeles@hotmail.com)

### The Ashe County Piecemakers Quilt

**Guild** in West Jefferson, NC is having our 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Quilt Fair September 16 and 17, 2011. This year's Fair will feature guest speaker Suzi Parron, author of *Barn Quilts and the American Quilt Trail*. Suzi will be speaking at 10:30 AM on Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> at Jefferson Station, location of the Fair. The show will be judged by Dr. Scott Murkin. We expect to have 100+ quilts, 18 vendors, a guild boutique, consignment shop, a small-quilt auction, and challenge quilts. We would love to have quilters from many areas visit our show. We would also invite quilters to participate by entering their own quilts to be displayed/and or judged. More information about our show and quilt fair rules, categories, and registration forms can be found on our website: [www.ashequilters.org](http://www.ashequilters.org). Contact persons for our fair are **Rheta Kirk** 828-264-4370 or **Sandi Smith** 336-877-3117.

### Quilting Through the Years

Brevard, NC. October 17-19, 2011

The Brevard Area of the Western North Carolina Quilt Guild will present a Quilt Show, to celebrate the 150th Anniversary of Transylvania's founding, Thursday, Friday & Saturday, October 27-29. The show will be at the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd across from Ingles from 10 am to 5 pm each day. Admission is FREE. The theme is "Quilting Through the Years" and the show will include a few quilts from the 1860s and many from the present. In addition to the show itself, there will be a *Turning of the Quilts*. Several quilts will be stacked on a bed and, about hourly, individual quilt layers will be "turned back" and a narrative description of the quilt style and design provided.

# disPatch

Asheville Quilt Guild  
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**Don't Forget!**



Name Tag

Show & Tell

Block of the Month for Sharing

## Mark Your Calendar

Holiday Luncheon on Tuesday, Dec 6th at  
11:30AM at the Broadmoor Golf Clubhouse.  
Details to follow soon.

## AUGUST MEETING

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7PM AT THE FOLK ART CENTER

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*Newsletter Publisher*

*JoAnne Hewatt*

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The deadline for the September *disPatch* will be August 28th.

**The Asheville Quilt Guild Meets  
on the 3rd Tuesday of the Month  
10 a.m. in Odd numbered Months  
7 p.m. in Even numbered Months  
(in the Evening in Even months!)**

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