

Stringtown Quilters

Needles and Notes

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January 2021

Meeting: January 21, 7:00 PM

Zoom Virtual Meeting: Sherri Lynn Woods on "Passage Quilting"

Link will be on website in the members only section: www.stringtownquilters.com

Come join the fun!

This meeting will not be recorded, so be sure to attend on the 21st!

From our President...

Happy New Year, Quilting Friends!

I love January because there is so much to look forward to in a new calendar year... another round of birthdays for everyone, seasons to enjoy, goals to set, people to meet, things to learn. (I know these things happen all the time, but we actually think about it at this time of year!) The cycle of our Guild will begin again and we have much to look forward to... special speakers, charity projects, show-n-tell, new officers, etc. As we move into this new year, I hope our Guild will continue to find new ways to do old things. That is how we will all continue to learn and grow!

Please join me in giving Cindy as much support as possible, as her role remains the trickiest this year!! She has kept our programs interesting despite the changes and I REALLY appreciate her efforts. I especially enjoyed our Mystery Quilt project from last summer and I can't wait to see them displayed in 2021.

On a personal note, I told you all that I got a new long-arm machine last month.... and I LOVE IT!!! (It's a Baby Lock Gallant.) I practiced by making three baby quilts and one lap quilt that I gave to grandkids for Christmas; then I put another quilt top on the machine during Christmas and let my family all have a chance to try it out. It's a dream!

I am including a picture of my commemorative quilt that I started piecing in March of 2020. It's the first "real" project that I quilted on my long-arm and I had it finished in time to work on the binding on New Year's Eve (although I didn't quite finish it till the next day). It is a true scrap quilt... the top, the backing, and the binding were all made from little bits of left-overs. It was a very satisfying project! (I still need to add a label so that I can remember it's place in history.)

As always, I look forward to seeing you all at our upcoming January zoom meeting!

Ann Lightner, President



From our Vice-President...

Hello Quilters:

HAPPY NEW YEAR'S! I am so looking forward to 2021 and many changes for our Guild and the community.

In 2021, we will be looking to install new officers in August, President and Vice-President. If you are interested in serving on a committee to help select our new officers, please contact Ann Lightner, so the committee can start the search for the officers.

In February, we will pick our Charity for 2021. It is exciting to see who in the community we can assist. I love making charity quilts especially to see the faces of the people who are not expecting them. See the enclosed flyer for information on how to submit your request.

We are still not ready to meet in person, YET! The day will be coming that we can all be together and what a joyous time it will be (sounds like a song). Bear with us as we continue to monitor the progress of our meeting space.

In January, we have an exciting speaker from the Cincinnati area, Sherri Lynn Woods. She is an award winning modern quilter, has been on "The Quilt Show" and she will be bring us a lecture on "Passage Quilting", working with materials that carry meaning, memory and emotions, this creative process fosters a healing heart. Please encourage your friends to join us (just email me if need to get a link).

I keep learning more about Zoom every day. If you need additional assistance with Zoom, please contact me. I can set up a private meetings to assist you. Please contact me at: cgamble@fuse.net or text/call at 859-750-4013.

Remember, to register for the meeting, go to our Members only page. You will then receive an email directly to you, with the meeting information. If you do not register, you cannot get the link.

See you at the Zoom....meeting, January 21st!!

Cindy Gamble, Vice-President

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Minutes for Stringtown Quilt Guild – December 17, 2020

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was held online via Zoom and called to order by President Ann Lightner at 7:00 p.m.

WELCOME

Those in attendance were welcomed. There were no visitors or guests.

PREVIOUS MINUTES

A motion to approve the November 2020 minutes was made by Joanne Schulte and seconded by Theresa Muth. All were in favor. Kim Ryles made one correction to clarify that the guild (rather than members) will make a deposit to hold our spot for a retreat at Clifty Falls.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer Cynthia Schmid-Perry previously submitted a treasury report. There were no questions about the report.

NEW BUSINESS

Theresa Muth emailed a Membership Roster. If you need to make changes to your contact information, you may send it to her at

membership@stringtownquilters.com.

The date for the Clifty Falls Retreat has changed from Memorial Day weekend to April 28 through May 1, 2021. If you have questions you may contact Kim Ryles.

ADJOURNMENT

The business meeting adjourned at approximately 7:15 p.m.

PROGRAM / SHOW & TELL

Following the business meeting, members participated in an online Christmas party. VP Cindy Gamble arranged games, online voting for the best Christmas quilt blocks, and videos. Several members also participated in show & tell.

Respectfully submitted,

Roxanne Hummel, Secretary

**Many members have not picked up their
Stringtown Christmas present.**













They are available at the following 3 locations.

- Cindy Gamble - First Church of Christ (Monday only) or her home in Florence
(vicepresident@stringtownquilters.com)
- Roxanne Hummel's Law Office (6900 Houston Road, suite #9) - contact Roxanne
(secretary@stringtownquilters.com)
- Martha Ferguson's home in Union
(Stringtown.quilters.guild@gmail.com)













If you cannot pick yours up, live in or very near Boone County, we may be able to deliver it to you. Just email Martha Ferguson at Stringtown.quilters.guild@gmail.com with your name and address and we will be in touch.















Free pattern: <https://poweredbyquilting.com/2019/11/18/holiday-gifts-to-you-snowflake-table-runner/>















From our Retreats Chair....















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










Hope all had a wonderful Christmas, stockings filled with quilting notions, presents filled with fabric, and gift cards to buy more quilting essentials and that the New Year is off to a good start for all.















Reminding all of the upcoming retreat to Millersburg, April 15 to 18, 2021. Please be sure you have confirmed your room reservation with a credit card. At the beginning of March I plan to see where we stand with COVID. My Minions and I will meet and decide what our next step will be. I'm looking forward to spending time with fellow quilters!



























Keep on Quilting!



























Kim Ryles, Retreats













































































































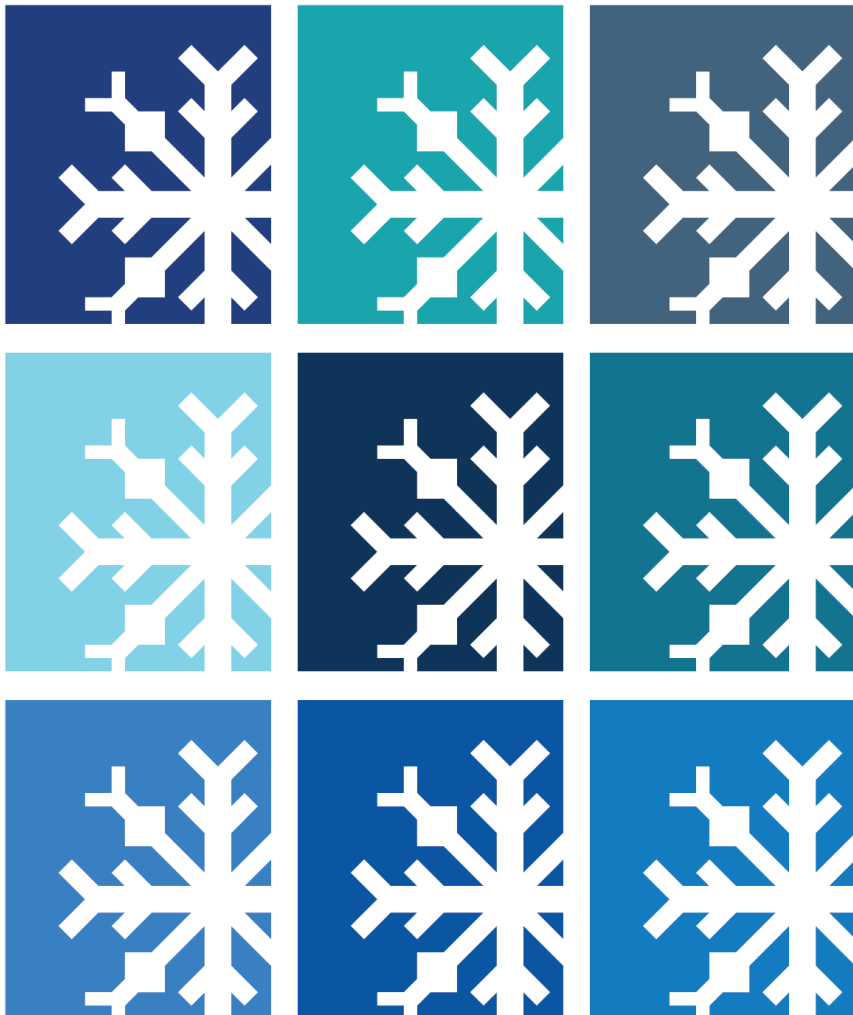


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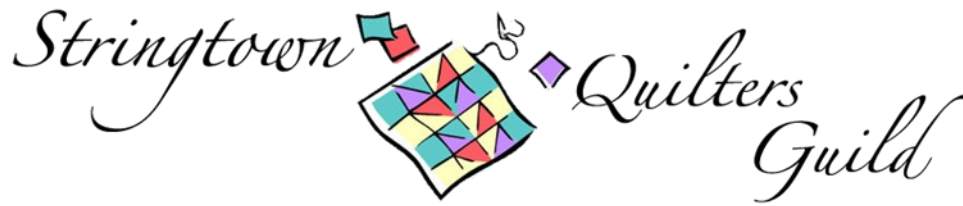
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MASK WEARING OPTIONS

Stringtown will be meeting at First Church as soon as possible. We will all be required to wear our masks properly

Snowflake Quilt Pattern on Sewfinity.com



Nomination are being accepted for our 2021 Charity Quilts Project

If you have a cause or charity that you feel very strongly about, please nominate them for our Stringtown Charity Project for 2021. Nominations will be accepted on or before February 5, 2020.

Please submit a letter to the Guild with the following information:

1. Name of your charity.
2. What the charity does and who the charity benefits.
3. Explain what size the quilts needed.
4. Approximately the total number of quilts needed.

Send the information to the Newsletter Editor, Martha Ferguson by emailing: Stringtown.quilters.guild@gmail.com. All nominations are published in the February newsletter.

The Charity(s) will be voted on at the February 18th, 2021 meeting. All quilts should be finished by October 21st, 2021. Quilts will be presented to the charity during our regular meeting. If your charity is chosen, please have a representative from the charity available at the meeting.



Veterans Honor Quilts I gave away in Dec, plus another quilt to my nephew - Cynthia Schmid Perry



Show n' Tell



First Quilt for my husband...he's been very patient! Martha Ferguson