

President's Column Cindy Ochoa president@savannahquiltguild.com

This beautiful weather has been calling me to spend time outside before the heat of summer sets in. For me Spring is a time of renewal, finishing old projects and planning for the new projects ahead. I plan to incorporate some of the things I have learned and been inspired by these past few months into my new projects. It has been so nice to see you all at the Guild Meetings, especially those of you I haven't seen in some time. Welcome to our new members, I am looking forward to getting to know you. As we continue on with our Vintage Housewife Block of the Month, we will be working on Block 4. Those of you who are participating please remember to bring your block for Show and Tell.

Cindy





Join us for our next meeting: May 8, 2021

Southside Baptist Church

Community Outreach Center
5502 Skidaway Road
9:30 – 10:00 am - Sewcial Time
10:00 am – Meeting

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Remember to bring to our meeting:

- Wear your name tag
- * Wear your Mask
- Your Show and Share

Needling News





Programs and upcoming events
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I hope everyone enjoyed last week's program by Stephanie Hackney about Hobbs batting. I got so much information out of it, I need to re-watch it! (video is under Programs on SQG website) If you happen to use a Hobbs product, a photo may be posted on #hobbsbatting for Stephanie to see if you'd like.

May: This month's program is going to be a trunk show by Cheri Leffler on her appliqué techniques.

June: We will hear from Cindy Ochoa about what the President's Challenge is going to be.

July: We'll be having a summer guild luncheon. Hope to see you all at the meeting!

Sew on and so forth!

Kim

After Meeting Workshops and Sew-Ons

Jan Smart, workshops@savannahquiltguild.com

May Workshop- Design Boards with Cindy Ochoa

This lightweight, portable design board will assist in keeping pieces of your inprocess quilt block in their proper positions during quilt construction. Make several design boards to set up multiple quilt blocks. Then stack them to carry from workplace to sewing machine.

No sewing machine is needed for this project; just foam core board, piece of batting, Tacky glue, and binding that is created prior to the day of the workshop (instructions for binding will be sent in an email).

Workshop fee is \$20.00 (non-refundable).

June Workshop- Flipping Out Bag with Theresa Sapp

This cute, multi-pocketed small, carry-all is the perfect size to hold your smaller sewing accessories like scissors, seam ripper, marking tools, purple thang, etc. Mesh pockets on the inside help organize supplies. Finished size is approximately 3 1\2"x 8 1/2" tall when zipped; 4 1/2" tall when 'flipped out'. There is a supply fee of \$15.00 for mesh materials, zipper, interfacing/stabilizer, coordinating fabrics, and pattern for small and large bags. The pattern alone is worth approximately \$10.

A sewing machine with zipper foot and walking foot will be needed, as well as white/neutral thread, scissors and/or rotary cutter & cutting mat, and Wonder clips (though pins will work).

Workshop fee is \$20.00; supply fee is \$15.00 (both are non-refundable).

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After Meeting Workshops and Sew-Ons:

July- There will be no workshop in July due to Guild luncheon.

Additional note: Signing up for a workshop commits you to paying for your spot. The money goes to help fund the instructors, programs and expenses of our guild. It is <u>not refundable</u>, but it does go to a good cause. Payment must be made when signing up to reserve your spot. There is no sign-up charge for a Sew-on or a Charity Sew.

Be aware that once you have signed up for a workshop, you will receive an email from me as a reminder. It will also detail all the items you need to bring to the workshop. When signing up, please include your email address to allow me to more easily contact you. Thank you.

I'm eager to see you at the upcoming workshops!

Jan Smart

Lunch With Girlfriends

Elaine's vertigo has never been worse Kay can't recall where she left her purse Rhonda's about to replace her knees Linda's breathing is tinged with a wheeze Donna's left boob has a troublesome lump Diane's on her third trip to take a dump Lorraine's husband can't remember a thing Nine years a widow, Marge still wears her ring Marlene is dealing with another UTI Sally's giving a hearing aid another try Marie has decided she can't drive at night Sharon still wears clothes two sizes too tight They've been through divorces and babies and wakes They do for each other whatever it takes They've already buried Marcia and Kate And truthfully, Lizzids not looking so great So whenever they can, they get out to eat Open bottles of wine and forget their sore feet There's laughing and crying and letting down guards And when the bill comes, there's ten credit cards So here's to the waiters who keep orders straight And to the places that let lunches run three hours late And here's to the girlfriends, those near and those far Here's to the girlfriends, you know who you are!!!

By Kathy O'Malley

Things to do this month...

- ▼ Zoom "bees" are continuing every Monday at 11 am. For more information please contact Mary Bass at 912-604-7781.
- **Sewcial:** Lunch at "**The Crab Shack**" at Tybee on Thursday May 20th at 12:30. Be looking for Evite from Ruth Rodriguez.

SQG Website News

The Zoom program, Hobbs Batting, is now posted on the SQG Programs page along with the handout from Hobbs. Stephanie Hackney did a great job explaining the difference in battings and many of us were surprised about how much we learned. She is a wealth of knowledge!

The workshops on the "Featured Events and Workshops" page on the website have been updated through the end of the year. Please let our Workshop Chair, Jan Smart, know if you want to be added to a workshop list.

Don't forget to check out the Quilter's Marketplace, which has new postings!

Renee Christensen, Webmaster

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Upcoming Classes - Nationally known teachers classes@savannahquiltguild.com TBD



Nursing Cover News:

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Charity: Nursing Covers & Pillowcases

I delivered 15 nursing covers and 30 caps to Memorial Hospital in April. Thanks to some of the ladies that used part of their retreat time for making things for our charity, I have several covers that I will be taking in May! Thank you so much to all those sewers that contribute to this! Don't forget, we are always looking for fabric contributions to make the kits for covers.

Children's

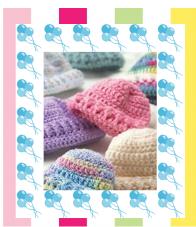
Charity - Brighten the world of a sick child

Paula LaCoe & Cindy Cybul, placoe@juno.com or ccybul1986@msn.com

We are collecting pillowcases for the Pediatric ICU at Memorial Medical Center. For information contact Paula LaCoe or Cindy Cybul.

Memorial NICU has let us know they are always in need of preemie hats/caps, especially colors for boys. Any knitters/crochet's might want to take note of this.

Nursing covers are always welcomed. We are the only group that supplies them to Memorial. Instructions are included in the kits, along with boning and D-rings.



Meeting Minutes

Joanne Simpson, secretary@savannahquiltguild.com

Click here to view Minutes for April meeting in Person and on Zoom.

Treasurer's Report

Theresa Sapp, treasurer@savannahquiltguild.com

Full Treasurer's Report: <u>Click here to view</u>

Guild Operating Fund

Balance on Hand (April, 2021) 6229.92 Cash In-Dues (8 x 30) 240.00

SSBC (rental July-December) 300.00 Insurance (late fee) 15.00 April handouts 22.47 Zoom (April) 14.99 TICC Rental Board Meeting 20.00

Ending Balance – April 21, 2021 6,069.76

Hospitality - Friendship, sharing and caring hospitality@savannahquiltguild.com

Savannah Quilt Guild Annual Retreat

2022 Retreat

March 3 - 6

Our 2022 retreat will be at St. Christopher Retreat.

Registration opens at our June guild meeting.

Click here Registration Form

<u>Help Wanted</u>: Membership Coordinator - Volunteer needed to fill in for Poppe while she is recuperating.

<u>Special Events Committee</u> - Volunteers needed to schedule and coordinate all day workshops

Officers and Committee Chairs - January through December 2021

President - Cindy Ochoa Sewcial - Ruth Rodriguez

Vice President - Kim Hayes Retreat - Theresa Sapp & Cindy Ochoa

Secretary - Joanne Simpson Newsletter - Carol Lannom

Treasurer - Theresa Sapp Website - Renee Christensen

Membership/Sunshine - Poppe Nezbeda Friday Bee - Cindy Ochoa

Hospitality - Charity - Nursing Covers - Jan Howard

Classes - Charity - Pillowcases - Paula LaCoe &

After Meeting Workshops - Jan Smart Cindy Cybul

To contact Officers and Committee Chairs

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Contact Us

The deadline for the Newsletter is the 21st of the month. Please email your info to: newsletter@savannahquiltguild.com