

# Around the Block

## 2011-2012 Officers

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## Happy New Year!

I hope everyone enjoyed the holidays. It is another New Year and time to think about all the possibilities awaiting us in the coming months.

New Year's resolutions are all the buzz at this time... what is on your list this year?

It is always a good time to think about what goals you have for the next twelve months.

Here are the top three resolutions you should not add to your list:

Keep your sewing room clean at all times  
Finish all projects – no UFOs  
Do not stockpile fabrics

Could it be that you are making a list of all the new fabric you want to turn into beautiful quilts? I know that is more fun than resolving to lose weight! Of course, some of us have actually been on a fabric diet this past year. What a challenge that was! There are too many choices and opportunities to increase my fabric stash instead of deplete it. The fabric diet sounds too dreadful to add this year's list! I am looking forward to learning new techniques and improving on some sewing skills. I may even start smocking this year!

Just a reminder - there are also opportunities in the guild in 2012. We are still looking for a president-elect and someone to handle the newsletter. If you are interested in serving, these are wonderful ways to get into the swing of things at the guild.

Happy quilting,

~ Edie Frasier  
2012 QU President

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## Sit-n-Stitch Groups

A "Sit-n-Stitch" is a group of members who meet weekly, bi-weekly or sometimes once a month. Some groups meet in a member's home on a rotating basis and work on their own individual project. Some groups meet at a specified location and work on a service project. We have several of both of these types of groups in our guild. If you are interested, please call Marsha Walper at 562-0681.

Meeting Time	Contact Person
Second Saturday 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.	Connie Beane
Lafayette Community Last Saturdays 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Gertrude Shirley
McQuilters Tuesdays 1:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m. Ronald McDonald House	Carol Harrison
Big Bend Hospice Quilters Monday 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Virginia Lewis
The Quilting Bees, Senior Center Monday 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Katrina Jenkins
Havana Sit-n-Stitch 4th Saturday 1:00 p.m.	Martha Mitchell
Ladies of Leisure Every other Thursday 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Topi Henderson
Crazy Quilters Wednesdays, 1:00pm - 4:00 p.m. Monticello Library	Barbara Sheats
Southern Comfort 'Sew'sciety Thursdays 7:00p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Esther Weiner
Thimble Buddies 2nd Fridays, 9:30a.m. - 11:30a.m.	Wendy Stone
Patchwork & Prayer 1st, 3rd & 4th Thursdays 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.	Janice Parker
Sew for HOPE 1st Saturdays 9:30a.m. - 1:00p.m.	Cynthia Seyler
Sew for HOPE 2nd Tuesdays 1:00p.m. - 4:30p.m.	Cynthia Seyler
Sew for HOPE 3rd Mondays 9:30a.m. - 1:00p.m.	Cynthia Seyler
Sew for HOPE 4th Wednesdays 1:00p.m. - 4:30p.m.	Cynthia Seyler

## Upcoming Programs ...

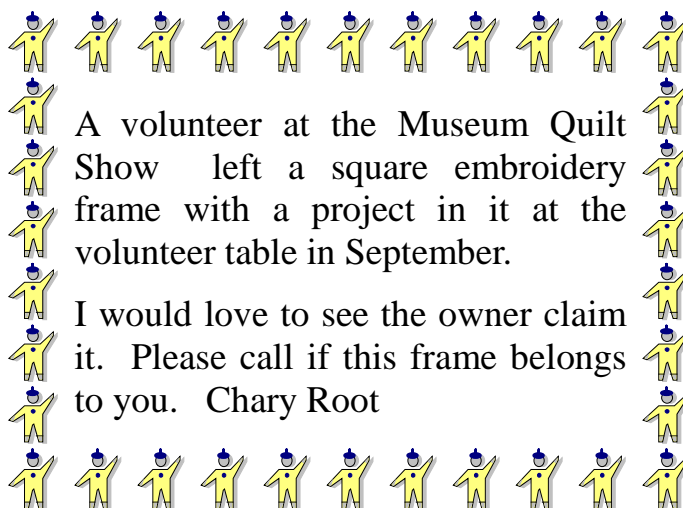
**January 12th ~ "Meet the Guild"**  
With almost 300 members, many of them new to the Guild within the last couple of years, we'll take time to meet, greet and get to know each other.

**February 9th – To Be Determined**

**March 8th – Lecture by our Workshop Teacher, Sue Spargo**

**April 12th – To Be Determined**

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A volunteer at the Museum Quilt Show left a square embroidery frame with a project in it at the volunteer table in September.

I would love to see the owner claim it. Please call if this frame belongs to you. Chary Root

## Newsletter Info

The deadline for newsletter submissions for the next issue is: **January 28th**

Please submit materials to  
Selena Foo via email at

[qutlhnews@gmail.com](mailto:qutlhnews@gmail.com)

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**WANTED!**



After much contemplation, I have decided it is time for me to "pass the baton". I am looking for someone to take over the responsibility of Newsletter Editor.

Experience with Microsoft Publisher and desktop publishing is preferable. If you are interested or have any questions, please feel free to contact me via e-mail at [qutlhnews@gmail.com](mailto:qutlhnews@gmail.com).

*Selena Foo*  
Newsletter Editor



**2011 SILENT AUCTION NEWS**

Please help me say "Thank you" to all the generous contributors to this years Capital City Quilt Show silent auction:

Barbara Albrandt, Clara Black, Penny Blaszczyk, Viola Bodrero, Ruth Busey, Sheilah Dambitis, Jean Day, Jessica Duke, Iris Garcia, Roberta Granville, Lou Gutsch, Kerry Henson, Kris Herbert, Barbara Hoagland, Shirley Holder, Karen Kutz, Alice Nied, Nancy O'Rouke, Cynthia Perny, Genie Raines, Selma Sappenfield, Virginia Snyder, Wendy Stone, Emily Telfair, Marsha Walper, Esther Weiner, Cheryl Willis, Kelly Wood, Frayed Edges sit 'n stitch, Piecers of the Past sit 'n stitch, and Southern Comfort sit 'n stitch.

Their donations brought in over \$2200 to the guild treasury.

Prizes for receiving the highest bids were rewarded to Cheryl Willis for her Sea Life quilt and the Southern Comfort sit 'n stitch for their Fall Cascade wall hanging. Congratulations!

Thank you to all for your participation.

- The following information is the link to the
- "Block of the Month" tutorial for next year:
- Simply go to the site;
- [info@thequiltercommunity.com](mailto:info@thequiltercommunity.com), click onto the
- quilt of the month (on the left side panel), then
- choose "Seminole Sampler". You will need to
- click on the second (2nd) page for the first
- (1st) through third (3rd) sampler months (it
- seems a little backward, but
- works). okay? Please contact me if you have
- any questions... Jennifer Colley
- ([jenbar1213@yahoo.com](mailto:jenbar1213@yahoo.com))



**Challenge Quilts**

*"Tomorrow's Quilts Today"*

*Challenge Rules on sale at the  
QU Meeting- Only \$5.00!*

Contact Dawn Griffin ([850\) 509-6013](tel:8505096013)  
or email: [Griffindd@aol.com](mailto:Griffindd@aol.com)

*If you would like yours mailed; please  
send a self addressed stamped envelope*

*to Dawn Griffin,  
1132 Blackhawk Way,  
Tallahassee 32312*

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## *January 12th QUILTING Meeting*

Don't Forget Your:

- Library Books
- Block of the Month Blocks
- Hand made Name Badge
- \$\$\$ for Challenge Rules

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## *Dates to Remember*

January 12	Guild Meeting, 7:00pm
January 28	Newsletter Deadline

Meetings are held at Timberlane Church of Christ, 3569 Timberlane School Road.  
The social half-hour starts at 6:30 p.m. The meeting starts at 7:00 p.m.

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