Mountain Laurel Quilt Guild



October 2025

A Message from the President

I would like to thank Diane for presiding at the September meeting. We had a wonderful trip. However, since returning Ron has been in and out of the ER.

The leaves are turning and as I look at the changing of the colors that has inspired me to think about making a fall quilt for my granddaughter and start using all the fall squares I saved.

Our program this month is making Christmas ornaments which we can bring to our Christmas luncheon.

We looking forward to seeing everyone.

Gail



Our Next Meeting
1:00pm Tuesday, October 7th
Lois E. Harrill Senior Center
132 Poplar Grove Connector
Boone



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MCQG September 2, 2025 Minutes

Our meeting was called to order by VP Diane Goff. The Senior Center reminds all to register with their tag upon entering the building. See Kristy Bunn if you need a tag.

Minutes from the August meeting were approved as posted.

The checking account balance is \$5,799.37 with no activity this month.

Donations reported that 4 quilts were taken to the Foley Center, remaining baby quilts were taken to Watauga Labor and Delivery Center. Iron on quilt labels are now available. See Amy Bailey.

Birthday wishes and fat quarters were shared with August birthdays.

We currently have 31 members.

Newsletter/communications encourage members to read the newsletter. Be in touch with Amy Bailey if you are not receiving it each month. Submissions to newsletter are due the 25th of each month.

Publicity reports that more 3 folds are available for advertising the guild at shops and other places. A picture of mountain laurel in honor of the quilters participating in the 250th celebration has been donated to the guild by Will Stein and Susan Beasley. A place to hang the picture is currently being considered.

No website report.

Programs/Workshops Susan Sweet will present the October program on ornaments.

Patty and Irina shared shop news info.

In other business, Wilkes Co. Quilt Guild show is this coming weekend along with Sunshine Quilt Guild craft show on Saturday.

Susan Sweet is planning a field trip to regional shops at Fancy Gap.

Joys and concerns included Susan Sweet's husband has Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever. Covid is again on the rise.

Show and share included delights from Amy Bailey, Carol Turner, Sue Corcoran, Sally Hills and Susan Sweet. Please see our facebook account for pictures submitted by Diane.

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Minutes Continued

New donation quilts were given by Lee Ann Williams, Sue Corcoran, Susan Burnett, Betty Minick and Susan Sweet.

Member Irina Robinson presented a program on Mini Wonderful Curves incorporating wonky flying geese. She will also be available at the workshop to assist in this technique.

Respectfully submitted, Beth Reavis





Programming

October 7- Sue Sweet presenting a Japanese Christmas ornament.

November 4 - Quick gift ideas and patterns for family, Maybe a couple of Thanksgiving games

December 2- Luncheon at Grace Lutheran Church - Ornaments Challenge







Happy Birthday

Gail Lund 10/29



Membership

Dear Guild Members.

I love this time of year, with the leaves of the trees changing colors, the crinkling of leaves underfoot, soon the temperature is going to fall, and football season is upon us. I am so inspired by fall colors--rich oranges, reds, yellows, greens, browns--that I kitted up three kits this summer at my mother-in-law's (she lets me raid her stash). Now I just need time to sew!

Our guild is now at 33 members. Please see the attached guild roster and birthday list. I will also put these on our Facebook group under "Files".

Workshop

Join us Tuesday, October 21st at 12:30 for our workshop sewing. Bring your own project, work on the Calendar Quilt block of the month, or make a Japanese Christmas ornament.



Donations

We received 6 donation quilts at the September meeting.

Lee Ann Williams gave 2.

Susan Burnette gave 1.

Betty Minik gave 1.

Sue Cocoran gave 1.

Sue Sweet gave 1.

Thank you, Ladies for your hard work.

Newsletter submissions are due on or before the 25th of each month to:

Mountain Caurel Quilt Guild 1@gmail.com

Please include "Newsletter submission" in the subject line.