## Mountain Laurel Quilt Guild



### November 2025

#### A Message from the President

In November, I think of the words 'blessings' and 'thanksgiving'. Every time we make a donation quilt, it is a blessing for someone in need. I hope we all can make a donation quilt before our December meeting. I know everyone who receives a quilt will be thankful.

Our December meeting is the annual Holiday Luncheon at Grace Lutheran Church at 11:30. Don't forget to sign up for what type of dish you will bring for our luncheon.

Remember if schools are closed or they have at home learning we will not have a meeting. We want everyone to be safe if there is bad road conditions or weather.

Happy Thanksgiving. I hope everyone has a wonderful time with their family.

Gail

Our Next Meeting
1:00 pm Tuesday, Nov. 4th
Lois E. Harrill Senior Center
132 Poplar Grove Connector
Boone



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MLQG October 7, 2025 Meeting Minutes

Gail called the meeting to order and welcomed all.

Minutes from the previous meeting were approved as posted in the newsletter.

The treasurer's report showing a balance of \$5,799.37 with no activity was also approved.

Gail's birthday was remembered.

Sally had prepared new guild rosters and birthday lists and shared copies with the group.

Amy reminded all to be in touch with her if not receiving the monthly newsletter. She read a note from Faye Cooper expressing appreciation to the quilters who participated in the 250th quilt.

Our October workshop will be making the Kimekomi ornaments that Susan Sweet will share for the program.

Shop news included info from Sally about Sew Original's Mystery 50 projects; Carolina Fabrics in King's Mountain is a good source for collegiate fabrics; the Fancy Gap field trip was successful and worth the trip.

Our December luncheon will be held Tuesday, Dec. 2, 11:30 at Grace Lutheran Church. Amy sent around a food sign up sheet. Everyone is invited to participate in the ornament challenge.

Joys and concerns includes Joyce Cantrell, past president, whose husband passed away and whose daughter has brain cancer. Gail's Ron is facing health challenges as well.

Our November program will include holiday projects. There are no workshops in November and December.

A wide variety of items were presented at our show and share. Thanks to Diane for taking pictures and sharing them on facebook.

The meeting was adjourned.

Susan Sweet presented a program on constructing Japanese Kimekomi Ornaments. Using styrofoam balls and pieces of fabric, the ornament is covered with bits of batting under the fabric. Once dry, braid or other decorative pieces enhance the design. Susan will have supplies needed to complete an ornament. If you have special fabric you'd like to use, bring it or search the guild fabric stash in the closet. And invite a friend!

Respectfully submitted, Beth Reavis



## **Programming**

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

December 2- Luncheon at Grace Lutheran Church -**Ornaments Challenge** 

#### Happy Birthday November

5 - Morgen Cockman 11 - Sue Williams

17 - Beth Reavis

18 - Chris Zimmer

20 - Joanna Roberts



#### Membership

Dear Guild Membership,

Our membership is at 33 members. If anyone would like a membership card, please see me at a business meeting. I'll be completing these on an as-needed basis, as in past years a good portion of members didn't pick theirs up, nor do many quilt shops give guild membership discounts anymore.

Happy Sewing! Sally

# Workshop No workshop in November

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

Mountain Caurel Quilt Guild 1@gmail.com

Please include "Newsletter submission" in the subject line.

#### Donations

We received 2 donation guilts at the October meeting.

Sue Cocoran

Linda Steele

Thank you, Ladies for your hard work. September and October donation quilts were given to the Blue Ridge Partnership for Children.