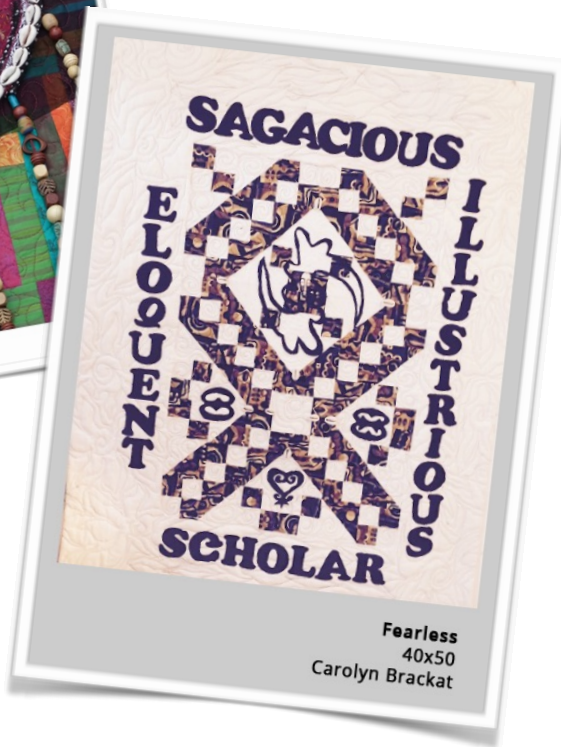


SNIPPETS



Welcome 2020



Carolyn Brackat

At the January meeting Carolyn Brackat will present a trunk show of her quilts. Carolyn's quilts reflect her African-American heritage and she will share their stories with us. Carolyn puts a lot of thought into her quilts as well as putting a lot of embellishments on them. This promises to be a very interesting presentation.

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President's Message

It's a new year and so many make a New Year's resolution but for the past couple of years I have given myself a quilting challenge. It has been many things, from cutting anything less than a quarter yard cut down into Bonnie Hunter's scrap saver sizes, to using any cut-aways to make what I call second helping quilts. I have not landed on one for this year yet but I'd like to challenge you to think about doing one yourself. There are so many things we can do - from going through your stash and getting rid of that fabric you know you will never use, to making a charity item every month. Think about it. I know you are up to the challenge.

We also want to welcome back all our snowbirds.

Here's to a great new quilting year. We have some great programs and classes coming up this year.

Joanne

Notes from Jerre

To-Do List

- * Wear your name tag
- * Get a new parking pass - still only \$1
- * Carpool
- * Please, don't park in front of the mailboxes - there are spaces behind the building
- * Pay your 2020 dues - \$25
- * Bring show and tell

January 20th Program - Carolyn Brackett will be presenting a trunk show of her quilts.

As you can see by the pictures on the front of the newsletter, Carolyn has a very unique style. Maybe her creativity will inspire you to try something different.



After lunch, Maxi Lardiere is offering her Crumb Quilt class. Maxi doesn't waste an inch of fabric. She will share her techniques for using every snippet of fabric in a quilt. This class is our first Afternoon Alternative of the year and we hope you will take advantage of the opportunity to learn a lot for very little money. There are still openings in the class which is only \$15. Fliers and supply lists may be found on the website -

coastalcarolinaquilters.com

Sign up with DJ. Her info is on the flier.

Happy Villages Class - On Tuesday, January 21, Tina Roth will teach Karen Eckmeier's quilt, Happy Villages. Tina is already in town so she won't get cancelled due to a snowstorm (as Karen was last January) or cancelled due to a hurricane (as Karen was in September of 2018). The class will go on!! There are still a few openings for this class and we all know what great teacher Tina is. Join us!

Coming Attractions

In **February** we will have a flea market.

Gather all your unused sewing supplies and see me about reserving table. jcreese@sccoast.net or call 843-215-4189.

Save your pennies so you can shop for all the bargains.

We will also be announcing our Spring Challenge at the February meeting.

In **March** Colleen Martin will present a trunk show of the many bags she makes. In the afternoon she will teach a bag class open to all levels of ability. Stay tuned!

Horry County Museum's 26th Annual Quilt Gala - The gala this year will be in a totally different location and will have a totally different format. The dates are March 3-27, 2020 and the deadline to submit your entry form for your Small Wall Quilt is February 4. The entry form will be on our website soon, or you can go to the museum's website for the form and information.

www.horrycountymuseum.org

Have you paid your dues? - January is the last month to pay your dues and be included in the 2020 CCQ Membership Directory. So far over 110 CCQ members have paid their 2020 dues - THANK YOU!

Dues are \$25 and checks should be made payable to CCQ. If you want to pay in cash, please bring the exact amount because we won't have any change.

You can also mail your dues payments to: Anna Henry, 285 Hyacinth Loop, Murrells Inlet, SC 29576-6548.

Please let us know if there are any updates to your membership information. We will be emailing the 2020 CCQ Membership Directory in February.

If you'd like to check on your dues payment or membership info, please contact Anna Henry at annamhenry@gmail.com or 203-339-5091.

New Member and Address change

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Vendor event - As the Quilt Gala has changed format this year, several vendors got together to have their own event so even though you won't be able to shop at the Gala, you can still get your "fix" with some of our favorite vendors.

**Surfside Beach
"Pop Up Quilt Shop"**

Friday, Feb. 21, 2020
Saturday, Feb. 22, 2020
9am - 3pm

Holiday Inn Ballroom
1601 N. Ocean Blvd.
Surfside Beach, SC
Featuring -

Bear Hug Quiltworks / Sew Original
from Winston Salem, NC
Original Patterns, Precuts and Fabrics

The Cotton Quilt
from Granite Falls, NC
Fabrics, Books, Notions

Empty Pockets Alpaca Farm
from Climax, NC
Alpaca Yarn, Socks, Hats
Gloves, Dryer Balls

The Quilter's Gallery
from Cleveland, NC
Print and Batik Fabric

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