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Lauri Winburn

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QSC Liaison ?

Opportunity Quilt Raffle 2022

Lauri Winburn

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Guild Challenge 2021 Teresa Reed

Guild Challenge 2022 Jonnie Britton

and Beth Twedel

Work Day Chairman ?



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Lauri thanked Jan Davis for allowing us to meet at her facility. The September meeting will be held at John Calvin Presbyterian Church on Marsh Avenue.

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Members with concerns: Debbie Melton surgery, Rita Studdard in the hospital, Pat Couch recent hospitalization. Kay Matthews now resides in Aiken.

Please contact Lauri on her home phone 843-309-9777.

**Next Meeting: Sep 2, 2021 at
John Calvin Presbyterian Church
200 Marsh Ave. in Florence**

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Charity Quilt Projects will be Tummy Time for the McLeod Health Nurse Family Partnership and wheelchair quilts for Honorage Nursing Center. Frances Kelley will store the quilts until the presentation date. Batting is available through the guild

Treasurer's Report

submitted by Timi Bronson

Treasurer's Report submitted by Timi Bronson for July: total expenses \$319.87, total income \$452.00(from June) and net income -\$319.87.Reconciled bank balance \$4,647.64. There is an un-reconciled balance for SFQ in the National Quilts of Valor account of \$659.33, National QOV\$389.33 (July)

Income:

Phone fine- \$.00, QOV Raffle Quilt #1- \$102.00 (June) Donation Burn Center \$.50 (June), Membership Dues\$30.00 (June), Class Kits and Fees \$315.00 (June)

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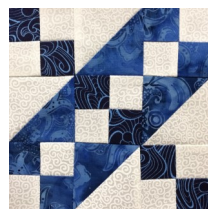
Blocks of the Month

Marguerite Ewing: The April BOM Underground Railroad winner was GwynAnne Sawyer and Garden of Eden winner was Wanda Moody. The May/August block is Shoo Fly, and Jacob's ladder each 12 ½ inches unfinished. Patterns are available by email.

Shoo Fly



Jacob's Ladder



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October Program will be a Round Robin of quick projects.

October Class will be Elaine's Double Wedding Ring block - as soon as I know which day the class will be, I will let you know.

OPPORTUNITY QUILT UPDATE - Vickie Brownell

The 2022 Opportunity Quilt was New Year's Star by Deb Tucker. I was in my second year of Tucker University and wanted to use my new skills. The New Year's Star pattern really reached out to me! Fortunately, I was able to buy the fabric locally, Heirloom Child and Treadle Pushers in Sumter. As far as the cutting, I was experiencing pain in my right wrist and found out I had a collapsed wrist. Who knew? My husband cut the initial pieces of fabric. Two friends offered to help me trim the smaller pieces, Debbie Cone and Melana Maxie. Aren't friends wonderful!

My husband cooked a delicious spaghetti dinner and more Swamp Fox Guild Members came over to add instructions and put ribbon around the raffle tickets (Melana Maxie, Linda Keefer, Judy Gould, and Debbie Cone). Great friends always willing to help!

Thankfully, Timi Bronson offered to quilt the top for the Guild!! Very sweet of her to add her artistic touch. Lauri Winburn offered to bind the quilt and make the label. What a team we have with the Swamp Fox Guild!!



Library Pam Bishop request if you have a Library Book, please return them to her at the September meeting and she will return them to the Church Library.

Membership Jonnie Britton reported the attendance of 35 members and 1 guest.

Quilts of Valor

We have 46 requests for quilts and 43 finished quilts!

The December Quilts of Valor Raffle Quilt is finished!! Will get pictures of it and post it this week. Tickets are available now - 1 for \$1 or 6 for \$5 Drawing Date is December 2 at our Christmas Luncheon

Other:

Proposed Events - Presentations can be scheduled for each event, Raffle Quilt tickets will be sold during all events as well.

Hartsville Farmer's Market - October 9 & November 12

Florence Farmer's Market - October 16 & November 6

Veteran's Day Celebration %CUMC - November 10 (awaiting confirmation)

Car Show at Veterans Memorial in Florence - November 13 (awaiting confirmation)

Jingle Bell Market @ Florence Civic Center - November 19, 20 & 21

The Florence VA Nursing Home will be opening up in September, with a ribbon Cutting Ceremony sometime between September 9 - 16. As soon as the date is announce, I will pass along the information.

The 9/11 20th Anniversary Ceremony will start at 8:30 am at Veterans Park in Florence at the 9/11 area of the park.

Thanks, Lauri

The August Class, "Galaxy Star", was held on August 6 at 9am at John Calvin Presbyterian Church.



Galaxy Star Fun!



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Minutes August 5, 2021

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QSC <https://www.quiltersofsc.org>. A representative is needed for Region 5. Upcoming events may be found on the QSC website. The Fall Retreat is Oct 15-17. Location: Myrtle Beach.

Block of the Month: Marguerite Ewing two new blocks will be available at the September meeting.

August Work Day: not scheduled

Quilts of Valor Lauri Winburn. Fifty Four presentations have been made from SFQ. There are currently 2 quilts available for raffle fundraising. The next drawing will be Dec. 2. Tickets are available. Kits are available for quilt blocks. Timi Bronson asked for volunteers to assist with quilting and binding. Backing and batting are available for QOV and Tummy Time quilts. Contact Lauri or Timi. QOV members were asked to stay for a Fall/Winter planning session after the meeting.

Tickets for the first raffle quilt are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Drawing will be on July 4.

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Volunteers are needed for the 2023 Opportunity Quilt.

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Holiday Bazaar: Wanda Moody is chair of the Bazaar/Silent Auction Fundraiser at the Nov. 4 meeting "Make It, Bake It, Grow It, Sew It". Information was distributed at the meeting. Friends are invited. Contact Wanda 843-618-0321.

Program: Pam Turner and Carol Ann Hobbs introduced the speaker Anita Bowen "Quilter Olympics"

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Sew and Tell

Respectfully Submitted, Linda Smiley, Secretary