



High Point Quilt Guild Newsletter

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ALL OF OUR MEETINGS AND SEWING DAYS ARE CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE BECAUSE OF COVID-19.

From our President, Janet Wells:

Hello All!

I know there has been a lot of stitching going on. How many spools of thread have you used? Please share the projects you have worked on.

I have already heard from Tammy at JUMC; all building use is cancelled through the end of May. We are hoping to meet again in June. If we are given the all clear for June, we will celebrate by having our carry-in dinner instead of having it in July. For our new members, the guild provides the BBQ and paper products. Members bring sides, drinks and desserts. I'll send a sign-up list in early June so you can designate what you are bringing. We will not have a program in June; we will eat, chat and reconnect, and have Show and Tell.

Stay safe and I am truly hoping we can meet in June.

Happy thoughts,
Happy stitches,
Janet

Officers, Chairs and Committee Reports:

Secretary and Historian, Diantha Dann –

No meeting due to COVID-19.

Treasurer, Sherri Fields – Treasurer's report sent separately.

Programs and Raffle Quilt, Mary Beth Pazdernik –

Programs: We have had to cancel Ania's presentation for May and are working on rescheduling for later in the year.

Raffle Quilt: I have gotten a start on calculating dimensions for Log Cabin strips, cutting strips and paper piecing blocks. We have also planned a "ribbon effect" border made up of half square triangles (HSTs) and an appliqued outer border.

Our next step is to get more stitchers working. This has gotten complicated, like the rest of life, by few opportunities to get together. When we are able to meet at the church again, we will provide opportunities to work on HSTs at the meeting and offer tips on how to paper piece. If you are already experienced in paper piecing, enjoy doing so and are able to *promise* to resist trimming the blocks

once sewn, contact me and I can deliver some kits. Our biggest problem in the past has been blocks trimmed too small and then returned. They cannot be used, so time is spent cutting and stitching additional blocks instead of moving on with assembling blocks. And that's if we don't have to hunt down more fabric. So, if you aren't completely confident in paper piecing, just wait til our next meeting. And watch some youtube videos. Thanks for your patience.

Mary Beth

Fall Retreat and Facebook, Sherri Fields –

If you are planning on going to the Haw River sewing retreat, please let me know by June 1, 2019. Fill out and bring the form attached to this email and give to Sherri or Janet Wells at guild meeting.

Sherri

Charity Quilts, Angie Peele –

Thank you to all that committed to making masks for Hayworth Center. They supplied 4 1/2 sheets of medical grade material (not cotton quilting material). We turned in 72 medical grade masks and about 30 fabric masks, with more to go to come. They were very appreciative to get the masks. Thank you Marsha Ellison, Diantha Dan and Janice Hoover for helping me out.

To those who are makings masks for health agencies, nursing homes and medical professionals, keep an account of how many you made so a tally can be added to our non-profit status. Personal, friends and family and those made for business should not be added in.

Hope everyone survived the stay at home order and are looking forward to getting back to normal life and guild meetings.

Angie

Block of the Month, Susan Peirce –

BOM participants - we will pick up where we left off when we meet again.

Susan

COVID-19 Activities –

What are guild members doing during shelter-in-place?

Along with many others, I have been sewing masks with my little sewing group. We meet every Monday to return the finished masks. At that time, we receive more masks that need to be completed. Seven of us have been doing this through Pineapple Fabrics for 4 weeks. On the average, our group finishes an estimated amount of 300 masks a week. So thankful for Pineapple Fabrics. They do so much for our community. They are my main source for my quilting supplies.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/574134646432926/?ref=bookmarks>

Marty Smith

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Sounds like my life right now. Masks, masks and more masks. The only quilt I've been able to finish was a You Are My Sunshine that was a Christmas present to my mom last year.

Alicia Carter

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Hi Everyone! Sure hope everyone is doing well. I have made masks and more masks. Sewed two Charity quilt tops and put binding on two more Charity quilts. I have also made 3 sets of microwave cozies. Be safe and wear your mask and wash your hands.

Diantha Dann

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I have been making masks for my coworkers and their families. Some of us are essential personnel so I have been working! Sigh! Finally getting a couple of weekends off to actually do something!

Nancy Blanchard

**Additional Announcements –**

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**Attachments –** Quilt Size Chart, Haw river registration form.

Respectfully submitted,

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# Quilt Size Chart

NOTE: All measurements are Width by Length in Inches (W" x L")

## APQS longarm frame maximum quilt width\*

| APQS frame width | Maximum quilt width* | Maximum backing width** |
|------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 8 feet           | 78                   | 84                      |
| 10 feet          | 102                  | 108                     |
| 12 feet          | 126                  | 132                     |
| 14 feet          | 150                  | 156                     |

\*This assumes a 3-inch margin between the quilt edge and the backing edge on the sides, and also applies to a quilt's length if the longest sides are attached to the frame.

\*\* When using a longarm, the backing is typically 6 - 8 inches wider than the quilt top to allow room for the machine to stitch off the quilt's edges and for clamps to keep the backing smooth.

## Standard mattress and batting Sizes

|                 | Mattress | Batting*  |
|-----------------|----------|-----------|
| Crib            | 27 x 52  | 45 x 60   |
| Twin            | 39 x 75  | 72 x 90   |
| Twin XL         | 39 x 80  | 72 x 90   |
| Full/Double     | 54 x 75  | 81 x 96   |
| Queen           | 60 x 80  | 90 x 108  |
| King            | 76 x 80  | 120 x 120 |
| California King | 72 x 84  | 120 x 120 |

\*Commercially pre-packaged

## Quilt Sizes

*Allow Tuck allowance = 20 inches for standard pillows*

| Three-side Drop Distance          | Twin<br>(39 x 75)   | Twin XL<br>(39 x 80) | Full/Double<br>(54 x 75) | Queen<br>(60 x 80)     | King<br>(76 x 80)      | California King<br>(72 x 84) |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>8 inches</b><br>+ Pillow Tuck  | 55 x 83<br>55 x 103 | 55 x 88<br>55 x 108  | 70 x 83<br>70 x 103      | 76 x 88<br>76 x 108    | 92 x 88<br>92 x 108    | 88 x 92<br>88 x 112          |
| <b>10 inches</b><br>+ Pillow Tuck | 59 x 85<br>59 x 105 | 59 x 90<br>59 x 110  | 74 x 85<br>74 x 105      | 80 x 90<br>80 x 110    | 96 x 90<br>96 x 110    | 92 x 94<br>92 x 114          |
| <b>12 inches</b><br>+ Pillow Tuck | 63 x 87<br>63 x 107 | 63 x 92<br>63 x 112  | 78 x 87<br>78 x 107      | 84 x 92<br>84 x 112    | 100 x 92<br>100 x 112  | 96 x 96<br>96 x 116          |
| <b>14 inches</b><br>+ Pillow Tuck | 67 x 89<br>67 x 109 | 67 x 94<br>67 x 114  | 82 x 89<br>82 x 109      | 88 x 94<br>88 x 114    | 104 x 94<br>104 x 114  | 100 x 98<br>100 x 118        |
| <b>16 inches</b><br>+ Pillow Tuck | 71 x 91<br>71 x 111 | 71 x 96<br>71 x 116  | 86 x 91<br>86 x 111      | 92 x 96<br>92 x 116    | 108 x 96<br>108 x 116  | 104 x 100<br>104 x 120       |
| <b>18 inches</b><br>+ Pillow Tuck | 75 x 93<br>75 x 113 | 75 x 98<br>75 x 118  | 90 x 93<br>90 x 113      | 96 x 98<br>96 x 118    | 112 x 98<br>112 x 118  | 108 x 102<br>108 x 122       |
| <b>20 inches</b><br>+ Pillow Tuck | 79 x 95<br>79 x 115 | 79 x 100<br>79 x 120 | 94 x 95<br>94 x 115      | 100 x 100<br>100 x 120 | 116 x 100<br>116 x 120 | 112 x 104<br>112 x 124       |



## High Point Quilt Guild

### 2020 Drop Everything and Just Quilt! Retreat Registration Form

Please read the following registration form carefully as some things have changed from last year's form. Fill the form out completely, even if you're a day camper and are not eating meals at the park. This information is needed to have the correct number of tables and chairs, etc.

The 2020 Quilt Retreat is October 29-November 1, 2020 at Haw River State Park in Brown Summit, North Carolina. Your deposit is due no later than January 1, 2020 and the balance is due no later than September 1, 2020. Deposits are as follows:

Single room, three nights, \$344.00 – deposit is \$68.80

Single room, two nights, \$231.00 – deposit is \$47.20

Single room, one night, \$118.00 – deposit is \$35.40

Double room, three nights, \$272.00 deposit is \$54.40

Double room, two nights, \$183.00 – deposit is \$37.60

Double room, one night, \$94.00 – deposit is \$28.20

No additional registrations can be received after September 1.

Day campers are \$10.50 per day per meal if you chose to eat meals in the cafeteria. **No deposits are needed for meals, but all meals should be paid for by September 1, 2020. If your meals are not paid for by then, the park will assume you're not eating in the cafeteria and meals will not be provided for you.**

**For those overnight campers who are arriving early on Thursday, please note that your lunch for that day is no longer included in the cost. If you plan to eat lunch in the park on Thursday, please add \$10.50 to your cost. Dinner is included on Thursday.**

Single occupancy rooms are limited and are available on a first come, first serve basis. Deposit can be made at guild meetings or mailed to the High Point Quilt Guild, PO Box 5828, High Point, NC 27265. Checks should be made payable to High Point Quilt Guild and sent to the attention of Guild Treasurer. **Please note deposits are non-refundable and meal payments are non-refundable after September 1.**

Please fill the following form out completely and legibly 😊

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please check here: \_\_\_\_\_ if you're an overnight camper.**

I want a single room \_\_\_\_\_ I want a double room \_\_\_\_\_ Roommate: \_\_\_\_\_

I am staying at the park:

\_\_\_\_ Three nights, Thursday – Sunday

\_\_\_\_ Two nights, Thursday – Saturday

\_\_\_\_ Two nights, Friday – Saturday

\_\_\_\_ One night, Thursday – Friday

\_\_\_\_ One night, Friday – Saturday

\_\_\_\_ One night, Saturday – Sunday

\_\_\_\_ I am eating lunch in the park on Thursday

\_\_\_\_ I am NOT eating lunch in the park on Thursday

**Please check here: \_\_\_\_\_ if you are a day camper**

Please circle the meals you will need as a day camper. If none are circled, no meals will be prepared for you.

Thursday –                      Lunch                      Dinner

Friday --              Breakfast              Lunch                      Dinner

Saturday --              Breakfast              Lunch                      Dinner

Sunday --              Breakfast              Lunch                      Dinner

**Day and overnight campers please complete the following:** Please note that the park can accommodate gluten-free, vegan, and vegetarian meals. **Gluten-free meals are \$12 per meal instead of \$10.** Please circle the choices below if you would prefer one of these meals.

Gluten-free                      Vegetarian                      Vegan

Emergency contact name and number: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any food allergies or any medications that you are allergic to:

\_\_\_\_\_

Are there any medical conditions we should be aware of in case of emergency?

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