



Gala Quilt Guild News

SEPTEMBER 13, 2009

July Program Notes:

- Auburn Cotton Boll Guild has road trips planned to Mary Jo's in Gastonia, NC and the East Cobb show.
- July Tool of the Month Winner: Cerelia; charm pack and dome threaded needle case
- Cathy Miller, "The Singing Quilter" will be at the Auburn Guild, March 18-19, 2010. Trunk show on Thursday and workshop on Friday.
- Sept. 24-26 – Jacksonville Quilt Guild Show, 65 vendors, 450 quilts
- Updated member info:

Cerelia Sutherland's new phone number: 706-617-4555

Kathryn Shepard's new email: kes1908@att.net

Anyone looking to sell an inexpensive sewing machine, see Martha.

Events and News:

- **Georgia Celebrates Quilts Show** – The East Cobb Quilters' Guild, September 18-20, Cobb County Civic Center, 548 S. Marietta Pkway, Marietta, GA. Four hundred quilts, vendors, raffles, and demonstrations. www.ecqg.com for more details. Friday and Saturday 10 am until 6 pm. Sunday 10 am until 4 pm. Admission \$8 daily.
- **Second Annual Quilt Show** – Warm Springs Village. 1-800-337-1927. Hours are from 10 am until 6 pm. If you'd like to enter a quilt, here's the link: <http://www.warmspringsga.wa/Quilt2009.htm>.
- **Stitchin Heaven** – They are sponsoring a "Summer Block Party." Each week, for twelve weeks, they have (or will) post a free block pattern. You have to have Adobe to print them. Blocks are supposed to be available for two weeks, but were still up. http://stitchinheaven.com/stitchin_heave_pages/blockparty2009.asp
- **President's Challenge** – Something we've never done before—a piece of Broderie Perse. Size is not a factor, does not have to be hand-applied, be liberal in your translations, but stay true to the meaning of a cut-out appliqué motif on a background. Refer to May 2009 *AQS Magazine* for more information.
- **November Ornament Auction** – Make a Christmas ornament or two, stitched, quilted, hand-crafted. They will be auctioned off at the November meeting. Should be fun!
- **Block of the Month** – July - Snowball Blocks – You'll make fourteen.
- **August Program**- Ice Cream Social. Please bring an ice cream topping to share (Suggestions: fudge or strawberry syrup; caramel sauce, maraschino cherries, whipped cream, sprinkles, oreos, M&M's, sliced bananas, sliced strawberries, Magic Shell, chopped nuts)
- **Reminder:** Photos of quilts are needed for the website (charity quilts or your own quilts). Digital format is preferred in 'jpeg'. Email to brandipayne@gmail.com.
- **August Workshop** – Kitha Kierbow will be giving instructions on making the feed sack quilts presented in the program from last month. If you bought a kit, come and get help in making the quilt. You will need basic sewing supplies.
- **Website is UP!**- Visit www.GALQuiltguild.com to see our new website!!!!!!

If I stitch fast enough, does it count as aerobic exercise?

- Author Unknown