

GALA QUILT GUILD NEWSLETTER



March 2011

Next Meeting – March 19, 2011, 1 PM
Refreshments – Evelyn Ecton,
Carolyn Evans, Kathryn Shepard

GUILD NEWS:

- ❖ Block of the Month winner for February – Martha Ragan
- ❖ Tool of the Month winner for February – Shirley Whitton, Easy Angle Ruler
- ❖ Workshop – 9:30 AM – **Finish the Game!** Quilters are a lot like athletes. At the beginning of the game (project) they are full of excitement and energy. About half way through, they take a break and refresh themselves. They'll get back in the game with new found energy, but often give out near the end. Let Saturday, March 19th, be a day to work with enthusiasm on a project you need to finish! Come at 9:30 and work on "finishing the game."
- ❖ February Program – Resa Moon, National Quilt Month
- ❖ **GALA P Cubed**—Lu Sanders and Linda Hayes will introduce everyone to a new series of workshops.
- ❖ President's Challenge for 2011 – Create a quilt where one block has at least 20 pieces or

more and you use eleven fabrics or more. Minimum size is 24 x 24. Details will be available at the February meeting.

Upcoming Quilt Show Events –Smoky Mountain Quilters of Tennessee Show, March 18-20, Cooper Athletic Center of Maryville College, Maryville, TN. For information, contact Lynn Skkyes at 865-382-5976. **North Georgia Shop Hop** -May 5-7 and includes 6 shops in Blairsville, Blue Ridge, Dablonaga-2, Dawsonville and Ellijay. **Quilts – Fabric Art for the Ages!** A gracious and elegant historic 19th century home will combine with the energy, color and creativity of quilts from across the ages at the **29th Annual Great American Cover-Up Quilt Show: QUILTS FULL CIRCLE**, sponsored by the Bulloch Hall Quilt Guild. The show of antique and new quilts as well as fanciful art quilts will be held at Bulloch Hall, 180 Bulloch Avenue in historic Roswell Georgia - North Fulton county. Quilts will be on display March 12-20, 10am-4pm Monday-Saturdays and 1-4pm on Sundays. The exhibit will include over 150 quilts and about 20 Miniature Challenge Quilts will be raffled off during the show.

More information about the guild and show can be found at <http://www.bhqg.org>. More background on the Bulloch Hall home can be found at <http://www.bullochhall.org/museuminfo.asp>.