


# Gala Quilt Guild News

JULY 31, 2009

## June Program Notes:

- Auburn Cotton Boll Guild has road trips planned to Mary Jo's in Gastonia, NC on August 7-9 and the East Cobb show. Details at July meeting.
- June Tool of the Month Winner: Linda Jones, Magnetic Pin Wand
- New Rowenta Iron purchased by Sinnie.
- Cathy Miller, "The Singing Quilter" will be at the Auburn Guild, March 18-19, 2010. Trunk show on Thursday and workshop on Friday. We have been invited to join them.
- Glenda is still looking for an outside teacher.
- Sept. 24-26 – Jacksonville Quilt Guild Show, 65 vendors, 450 quilts
- **July Refreshments:** Pam Brandt, Martha Brandt, and Ruth Hilton

## Events and News:

- **July Program** - "Sacks Full of Memories" by Kitha Kierbow and Karen Fuller showing their feed sack collection, featuring the many uses of feed sacks, i.e. quilts, doll clothes, and more. Kits and sacks will be for sale. All purchases will be cash or check—no credit cards. 
- **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](http://www.ecqg.com) for more details.
- **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!
- **July Workshop** – Linda Bolen will teach two projects. Gift Card Pockets: You will need a 5X8 rectangle for the outside and the inside (two rectangles); one 5X8 rectangle of quilt batting or medium weight fusible interfacing; Velcro squares or circles; buttons for decoration. Ruler Holder: two 11X30 rectangles for the top and the bottom; one 11X30 rectangle of thin batting or medium weight fusible interfacing; the following rectangles can be cut on the fold or in two pieces: one 11X26; one 11X22; one 11X18; one 11X10; and one 11X5.
- **Block of the Month** – Friendship Star. You can stop at this point.
- **August Program**- Ice Cream Social. More details in August newsletter.

## Golden Scissors Information:

Read over the following criteria. This will be discussed at the July meeting. Criteria for "earning/awarding" a Golden Scissor Pin:

- Finish a quilt that is ? inches in perimeter. Suggested 216 which is 54X54 square.
- Turn in two finished charity quilts.
- Chair a committee for the guild.
- Teach a workshop or program for the guild.
- Serve as an officer for the guild
- Finish a President's Challenge completely and on time.
- Perform a service to the guild and/or community above and beyond normal boundaries/expectations. Must be presented to the board and voted on by the board.