

# VIRGINIA CONSORTIUM OF QUILTERS

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## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT –

Heather Zavagnin

Thank you to all who came out to join us at the Virginia Beach Retreat. We had a great day of quilting and fellowship and I know I can not wait for the May meeting. We will be doing some NEW and FUN projects for our upcoming meetings:

1. Friday night we will be having a Social Hour, details are still being worked out, but we will leave information at the front desk when you check into the hotel and we will also post information on our Facebook page for those of you not staying at the Hotel so you can join us.
2. We want to challenge all of VCQ Membership to make the block on page 15 for our ALS Charity Quilts. If you make 1 (or more ) blocks at home and bring them to the May meeting you will receive 1 ticket (for each block) to go into a prize drawing, which will be pulled at the end of the day after Show & Tell. You do not need to be present to win. If you will be leaving early give your ticket to a friend so they can pick up your prize for you.
3. For every 5 Bassinette Covers you bring to the May meeting you will also receive 1 ticket to go into the prize drawing, which will be pulled. You do not need to be present to win. If you will be leaving early give your ticket to a friend so they can pick up your prize for you.
4. Starting in 2020 we will no longer be mailing out paper copies of our newsletter. If you have a friend who receives a paper copy, please help them out and print one out for them or you might want to go to your local library to download the newsletter and print it.

We NEED a **NEW newsletter editor, if we do not have a new one before June 7<sup>th</sup> the next newsletter will not be completed.**

Heather Zavagnin, President

## Charity Update:

Members who were present were happy to share in the bounty from Quilters Dream Batting that we won last fall. Hopefully I'll be seeing more quilts to deliver at the next meeting in May. I received two in March and will try to get all that I have delivered to Hopes and Dreams before May.

There were also lots of people who made bassinette covers for CHKD NICU unit at Sentara and I took home almost 60. My liaison is basking in Florida at the moment, but I will get them to her as soon as she returns home. I received a lovely thank you note from them for the last ones we gave them. I usually wash them all in ALL and iron them before I deliver them, so don't feel you have to do that. We gave out lots of fabric at the meeting, so again I hope to receive lots more in May.

I really want to thank everyone who participates in these charities.

Karin McElvein

## Membership:

Thank you to all who have renewed, and those new members, Welcome. I have deleted all members who have not renewed from the current roster. Please make sure your friends have all renewed. Remember one has to be a member in 2019 to sign up for Celebration in August and a member in 2020 to attend Celebration. No one wants to miss CELEBRATION!

Karin McElvein

## MEET YOUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

### VCQ Board & Area Reps 2019

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**VCO General Meeting March 9, 2019 Virginia Beach**

Call to order by President Heather Zavagnin at 12:45 p.m. Heather welcomed all members and greeted 7 new members/guests. New members were given pins and Celebration 2018 tumblers. Minutes of the November 2018 meeting were published in the January newsletter. There were no corrections or additions noted. Motion to approve minutes by Pat Sappenfield, seconded by Elaine Brenner. Vote passed.

**President's announcements** - 1) At our board meeting in Jan 2019 there was a discussion of new ideas we are going to be doing at our quarterly "retreats". We will be posting a block in the newsletter and would love for members to complete 1 or more of these blocks to bring to the next meeting. The blocks will be made into ALS quilts for our charity project. For each block completed the quilter will be given a ticket for a prize drawn at the end of the meeting. Also, for every 5 bassinette covers brought in the quilter will receive a ticket. 2) We will be starting a Friday Night Social at the next meeting. At the hotel that we have a block of rooms we will meet for a social to catch up with our friends that we haven't seen in a while. It seems that we don't have as much "social" time on our Saturday class day to visit with our friends. 3) Starting in 2020, we will no longer be printing and mailing out our newsletter. As a board we discussed this topic and it is not cost effective for us to keep doing this. This will be covered in our budget discussion.

**Treasurer** - Karen Brewster handed out three worksheets. Sheet #1 was the 2018 Fiscal Year Report. She discussed the deficit in our budget explaining why the year ended in a negative balance. Two of the biggest deficits were membership dues being down and the increased cost of the workshops. Worksheet #2 was the new 2019 proposed budget. It was presented with a deficit of \$2404. A discussion to increase the payment of members for the quarterly meetings and for members to bring friends and increase membership were brought up. Karen Fisher made the motion to accept the budget as proposed, motion seconded by Karin McElvein and motion approved by vote. Worksheet #3 was a year-to-date summary of 2019 thus far. It was also discussed that VCQ has over \$10K in the checking account and over \$15K in a Money Market account but we need to

increase our income so that the organization will not run out of money in the future. She also mentioned that we still need a CPA to review our books!

**Membership Chair** - Karin McElvein announced that there are 163 current VCQ members. 66 former members have not renewed their membership. The VCQ list has been purged and Nonmembers will not get the newsletter in the future. Karin will work with Mary Grogan to reach out to former members to let them know they are missed and to please rejoin VCQ.

**Facilities Chair** - Rose Hall announced that the May VCQ meeting will be in Richmond, Glen Allen at the Methodist Church we have used in the past. The August meeting is projected for Culpeper and the November meeting possibly in Fredericksburg.

**Programs Chair** - Elizabeth Gibson discussed our Richmond teachers. She has contracted Penni Domikis to teach her "pickle dish" technique. She has also contacted Meg from All Brands to do a technique class that could be used to make a decorative pillow. We will also have a charity quilt room and a come quilt with me area. There was discussion regarding attendance needs. We have had to raise the minimum number of students per class to 8 in order to meet the much needed, increase in teacher fees.

**Newsletter & Publicity** - Heather then announced that the next newsletter deadline for the May meeting is March 15. We still NEED someone to come forward and help with the newsletter. This position is still vacant. On a positive note we now have an Instagram page at: [vcq\\_va](#) and a Twitter account at: [vcq\\_of](#). Please note these new sites and post on them!

**Community Service Projects** - Karin McElvein has collected several bassinette covers for the NICU in Norfolk. She also has collected several ALS quilts and notes that we were the largest donator in 2018. She urges members to label their ALS quilts. Heather gave a big thank you to Bonnie Timm for the gifts on the table of quilt labels. She also noted the two raffle quilts being represented today and let the quiltmakers tell us about the beautiful quilts. No further business, Meeting adjourned 1:38p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Susan Fulton

## Calendar of Events

### March 30-31, 2019

Stonehouse Quilters and Cabin Branch  
Quilt Show  
Manassas, VA  
<https://www.stonehousequilters.org/quiltshow/>

### March 29-30, 2019

Star Quilters present Inspired  
Piecemakers  
Roanoke, VA  
<https://starquilters.org/2019-show/>

### March 27-30, 2019

AQS Quilt Week – Lancaster PA  
<http://www.quiltweek.com/locations/lancaster-pa/>

### April 12-14, 2019

Northern Shenandoah Valley Quilt  
Show [www.nsvquiltshow.com](http://www.nsvquiltshow.com)

### April 24-27, 2019

AQS Quilt Week – Paducah, KY  
<http://www.quiltweek.com/locations/spring-paducah/>

### April 28, 2019

Tea & Quilts at Tuckahoe  
<https://www.eventa.us/amp/events/ricmond-va/tea-quilts-at-tuckahoe-49088449>

### July 11-28, 2019

Sacred Threads Quilts  
<http://www.sacredthreadsquilts.com/>

### September 11-14, 2019

AQS Quilt Week – Paducah, KY  
<http://www.quiltweek.com/locations/all-paducah/>

### September 25-27, 2019

AQS Quilt Week – Charleston, SC  
<http://www.quiltweek.com/locations/charleston/>

### October 3-5, 2019

Original Sewing & Quilt Expo –  
Fredricksburg, VA  
<http://www.sewingexpo.com/Events/Fredricksburg,VA.aspx>  
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### VCQ 2018 Events:

**August 10, 2019** – Culpeper

**November 9, 2019** - TBD

The following are the **Deadline Dates**  
for item submissions to the  
newsletter staff:

**Jun. 7, 2019** for August 10th meeting  
**Sept. 6, 2019** for November 9th  
meeting

Material can be sent electronically  
(preferred) to newsletter@vcq.org

### Advertising For Newsletter per Issue & Roster

	<i>Newsletter</i>
Business Card-2"x3.5"	\$10.00
¼ Page-5.25"x4"	15.00
½ Page-5.25"x 8"	30.00
Full Page-8" x 10.5"	50.00
Classified Ad (50 word max – Newsletter only)	

Send ads to [newsletter@vcq.org](mailto:newsletter@vcq.org) and  
check made out to VCQ



**Quilters Unlimited**  
46<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL QUILT SHOW

Over 500 Quilts  
on Display!

**May 31-June 2, 2019**  
Friday 10-6  
Saturday 10-5  
Sunday 10-4

**ADMISSION:**  
\$15/day or  
\$20 for 3-day pass  
Children 12 and under are free

*Sea to Shining Sea*

Guest Speaker and Teacher - Karen Eckmeier  
International Teachers - Petra Prins from The Netherlands  
Margaret Mew and Judy Newman from Australia

Full Day and Half Day Classes Available

[www.quiltersunlimited.org/quilt-show](http://www.quiltersunlimited.org/quilt-show)



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS AT VIRGINIA QUILT MUSEUM

Feb 19, 2019 – July 13, 2019

*Contemporary Quilt Art from the International Quilt Festival Collection.*

Located on main floor, in galleries I, II and III and MacGruderGallery



Images: “Seurat’s Dots and Zydeco” by Dianne S. Hire, “Trio” by Emily Parson, “Reflections #7: Banished Blues” by Pat Budge, and “Central Park West II” by Linda Levin

## ***A Creative Quilting Odyssey.***

“Surprise Packages” by Barbara Cline

Curator: Barbara Cline.

Located on third floor in galleries IV, V and VI



## ***From the Vault: Virginia Stars***

Virginia Quilt Museum permanent collection.

“Star of Bethlehem Revisited” by Hazel Carter, 1997

Located on third floor, in main hallway and Gallery VI.

Star motifs, images, patterns have existed since the beginning of time. People have been fascinated by their shape looking from earth as well as the expanse of space and imagination they can represent.

Stars have been used for quilt patterns by quilters of every ethnic origin. The Dakota Indians use the star almost exclusively in their quilts.



The Virginia Quilt Museum has many quilts with stars. This exhibit consists of quilts using the star pattern starting with the 1800s. There are stars that are intricate to piece such as the Star of Bethlehem or Lone Star. Stars that are in a block settings and stars that are set on point.

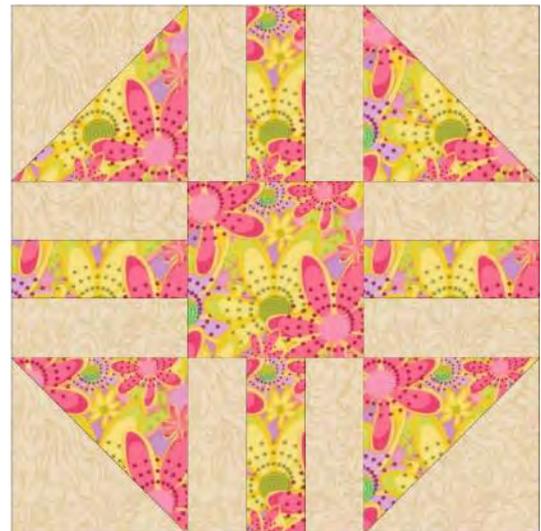
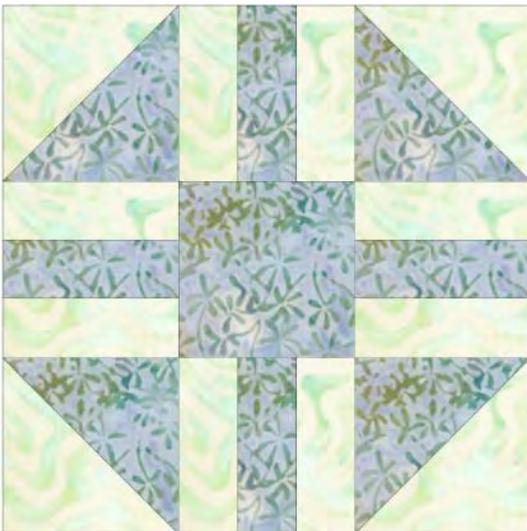
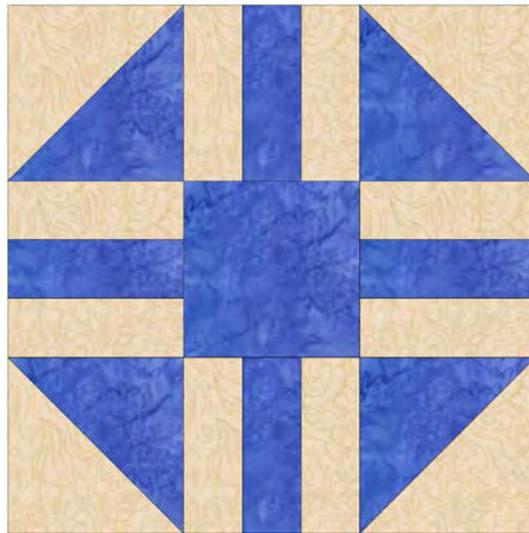


“Serpentine Cabin” by Robin Blackshire

**STASH BLAST**  
**will be held at the VCQ Retreat**  
**May 11, 2019 from 9am-2pm**

## Celebration 2020 Block Lotto

Let's have some fun and create lovely blocks everyone will envy. The choice of block for Celebration 2020 is the Paths & Stiles block (see instructions on [quilterscache.com](http://quilterscache.com)). VCQ will provide the background fabric in two choices: a neutral batik and a neutral small print. Quilters can then go into their stash to find any batik in any colorway OR a colorful print (floral, fruit, novelty, etc.). We are hoping that the flexibility in fabric selection will encourage more people to participate. Packets of instructions and background fabric for a nominal fee will be available starting with the May Retreat in Richmond. Then each retreat (Aug, Nov, Mar) until Celebration 2020. The pattern is fast and easy, so make several. You will receive a raffle ticket for each finished block you turn in.



# Virginia Consortium of Quilters Application for Membership

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

(By providing my email address I understand that I will receive the newsletter electronically unless I check the box below.)

I wish to receive a *paper copy* of the quarterly newsletter.

Your membership can be paid for multiple years (up to 5 years) with this form. This date will be on your membership card and the mailing label of each newsletter. If dues increase during this period, yours will not.

New Member (Referred by \_\_\_\_\_)

Amt: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Make check payable to "VCQ")  
(\$25.00 per year, up to five years only.)

Renewal Amt: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (make check payable to "VCQ" and include **SASE**)  
(\$25.00 per year, up to five years only.)

**Renewal Members Only: Please enclose with your payment and application, a self-addressed stamped envelope (SASE) for your membership card.**

I am a member of a local quilt guild/group: \_\_\_\_\_  
(List all guilds)

I teach and/or lecture about quilting.

I may be willing to drive others from my area to VCQ meetings.

**Mail to: Karin McElvein, Membership Chairperson  
1309 Maplewood Ave.  
Norfolk, VA 23503**

**Questions: [membership@vcq.org](mailto:membership@vcq.org)**

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## For Membership Only:

Date Rec'd: \_\_\_\_\_ CK Dep \_\_\_\_\_; Mem List updated \_\_\_\_\_; Card Sent \_\_\_\_\_

Amt: \_\_\_\_\_

Ck. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Year: \_\_\_\_\_ New Member Packet: Letter \_\_\_; Name Badge \_\_\_ Card \_\_\_

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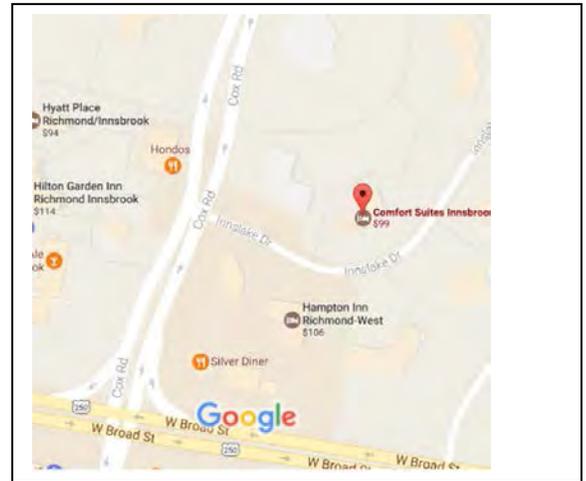
# May 11, 2019 Meeting & Workshop in Glen Allen, VA

## Lodging Accommodations:

Comfort Suites Innsbrook  
4051 Innslake Dr  
Glen Allen, VA 23060-3366  
(804) 217-9200

Rooms for Friday night \$89.00 for a Single and \$139.00 for a Double plus tax. Breakfast & Wi-Fi is included. Last day to make reservations is April 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Directions to the Hotel:** Located off I64. From the south take the I95 North towards Richmond. Take I64 West toward Charlottesville. Exit 178B for US-250 E toward Richmond. Use the 2<sup>nd</sup> from the left lane to turn Left onto Cox Road. Turn Right on Innsbrook to the hotel. Coming from the North, take I95 South to I295 West. Continue to and Exit onto I64 East to Richmond. Exit 178B for US-250E, Broad Street, Use the 2<sup>nd</sup> from the left lane to turn left onto Cox Road. Turn Right onto Innslake Drive to Hotel

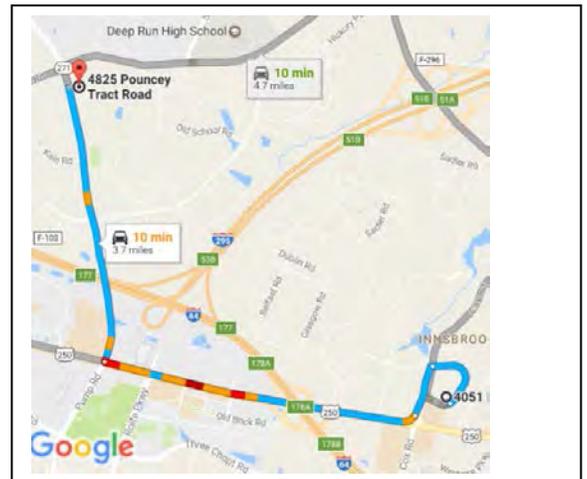


## Meeting Location

Shady Grove United Methodist Church  
4825 Pouncey Tract Road  
Glen Allen, VA 23059

## Directions from hotel to church:

From the hotel, turn Left on Cox Road. Turn Right onto Broad St US-250 W. Turn Right onto Pouncey Tract Road VA-271 to the Church.



## Notes from Elizabeth

Your registration form and check to VCQ must be **postmarked by Friday, April 19, 2019** (3 weeks prior to event). **Registrations will close after this date without exception. Any registrations postmarked after April 19, 2019 will not be accepted and will be returned.** Please fill out your registration form completely as this information is very vital to ensure proper confirmation mailing of your postcards.

**You will receive a postcard with your registration confirmation – Bring your postcard!!**

Any cancellations must be made by Friday, April 19, 2019 to obtain a refund.

**Please wear your nametag to the meeting so we can put names and faces together.**

### **Friday, May 10, 2019 Schedule: Dinner on your own**

- 6:00 - VCQ Board Meeting (at Shady Grove Methodist Church)
- Celebration Meeting immediately following Board Meeting
- 7:30 - ? Friday Night Social TBD Check our Facebook page for updates or when you check into the Hotel

### **Saturday, May 11, 2019 Meeting Schedule:**

- 8:00 - 9:00 AM                      Registration
- 9:00 – Noon                        Workshops
- Noon – 12:45PM                    Lunch
- 12:50 - 1:20PM                    Business meeting
- 1:30 – 3:30PM                      Workshops reconvene
- 3:45 - 4:15 PM                      Show and Tell

**VCQ will be scheduling meetings all over the state. If your guild would like to sponsor a meeting contact one of the Board members. If you know of a quilting teacher we would be interested in, please contact Elizabeth Gibson, Programs Chair/Teachers at [programs@vcq.org](mailto:programs@vcq.org) or 703-481-6879**

# *Shops Near Richmond*

All Brands Sewing Center  
8079 West Broad Street  
Richmond, VA 23294  
804-270-1882

Quilting Adventures  
6943 Lakeside Ave,  
Richmond, VA 23228  
804-262-0005

Blue Crab Quilt Company  
3991 Deep Rock Rd,  
Henrico, VA 23233  
804-755-4499

Quilter's Corner  
Sycamore Square Shopping Center  
1245 Sycamore Square,  
Midlothian, VA 23113  
804-794-1990

Chadwick Quilting & Chadwick  
12501 Patterson Ave.  
Richmond, VA 23238  
804.285.3355  
Chadwickquilting.com

**Workshops \*\*\*\*\* Workshops \*\*\*\*\* Workshops \*\*\*\*\***

## **Workshop A: Pickle Dish Class with Penni Domikis**

**Skill level-Suitable for beginner-advanced quilters who will have an opportunity for a more advanced product**  
**Techniques-Foundation and Curved Piecing**  
**Product-quilt block**

### **Pickle Dish Class**

Try your hand at Foundation Piecing and Curved Piecing with our Nested Petal template and its Companion Curve template. This class is a beginner and beyond class allowing more advanced student to try a slightly more complex foundation design making it perfect for the beginner and advanced quilter. Learn a few new techniques and have fun with fabric and color.



### **Supply List:**

#### **MATERIALS NEEDED:**

- General Sewing Supplies
- sewing machine, rotary cutter and mat, needles, scissors, pins, basic piecing thread and anything else you may need for general sewing.
- Proper foot and stitch plate for accurate 1/4 in seam
- Water soluble glue stick(s) or a water soluble sewing/applique glue (ex., Roxanne's Glue Baste-it or similar product)

- Paper cutting scissors as well as sewing scissors.
- Light Box - If you own one... bring it. If you do not own one don't fret. It isn't necessary.

**Rulers:**

- Bring general quilting rulers for squaring up fabric and cutting your quilt. Specialty rulers are not necessary. Additional cutting templates are available for purchase to make cutting pattern pieces easier.
- Optional: Add-A-Quarter Ruler (if you have one... bring it, this will may your life easy)

**Fabric Requirements:**

**We will be working primarily on one block (potentially two) on the day of the class to get the technique of paper**

**piecing and curved piecing. If intending to make a lap size quilt... you will need approximately 2 yards of background**

**fabric for curves but only need a FQ on the day of the class.**

- 1 FQ for background
- 2 FQs of coordinating fabrics for foundation pieced stripes.
- 1 FQ of coordinating fabric for petal center
- 1 FQ of coordinating fabric for squares

**Workshop:**

- We will be learning how to cut curved pieces on the grain line, prepare and sew a simple foundation pieced pattern, trim our paper piecing and sew basic curved pieces into a block. If time permits, we will make two blocks that can be sewn together.

**Each student will be provided with the foundation piecing patterns printed to use for class and one additional pattern to take home and copy for additional blocks.**

**Kit Fee: \$ 25.00**

The kit includes the Pickle Dish pattern with instructions and foundation piecing optional blocks, Nested Petal Template, Companion Curve template, and Folding Friend.

There will be a kit option to exclude the Nested Petal template (**\$15.00**) in the event the student already owns the template.

**About the teacher:** Penni Domikis is the owner of Cabin in the Woods Quilters, a quilt pattern design company established in 2003. A self-proclaimed Jill-of-all-trades, Penni was introduced to quilting by a family friend and combined her love of this new hobby, along with her passions for photography and graphic design, into a thriving pattern design business. As an award-winning quilter, Penni has developed a reputation for breaking down quilt designs into manageable pieces for quilters of all skill levels, following her company's motto, "Make it simple ... but make it with style!" She loves the creativity of coming up with new designs and delights in all aspects of the pattern process, from the cutting, to the stitching, to the print layout for production. She loves meeting quilters all over the country at classes, workshops and quilt shows and enjoys seeing her designs stitched and recreated by other quilters. Penni houses her office and design studio in the log cabin lovingly reconstructed by her husband after its catastrophic loss to fire in 1999. Penni's home and wooded surroundings lend more than a name to Cabin In The Woods Quilters over the last 15 years. The beauty of the surrounding nature provides her with continual inspiration while allowing the freedom and flexibility to spend more time being a mom. Penni resides in Fredericksburg, Virginia and shares her home with her husband, three sons and three dogs.

## **Workshop B: Folk Art Flowers - Hand Embroidery for Your Quilts with Shannon Shirley**

**Skill level-** all

**Techniques-** Cut away fusible applique and hand embroidery stitching

**Product:-** Square block to complete as desired, quite suitable as a wall hanging

In this class we will be learning the cut-away fusible appliqué method that reduces the stiffness that some fusible products create. When will then be learning a few hand embroidery stitches.



**Pattern Fee:** \$5.00 Please bring exact change to pay the teacher directly.

### **Supplies:**

1 piece 15" W x 18"L background fabric

*Note:* The sample, in the photograph, was made with 16 pieces - 3 1/2" W x 4 1/2"L (I used 8 different prints)

*If you want a pieced background, please make it before the workshop*

1 - 9"W x 7"L fabric for basket

An assortment of fabrics for flowers and leaves (scraps are fine)

An assortment of DMC embroidery floss that coordinate and contrast with your fabrics

1/2 yard - Heartbonds Lite Adhesive - paper backed fusible

Embroidery needle, eye large enough for floss (I use size 7 or 8 embroidery needle)

Thimble (if you like to use one)

Scissors, to cut detailed appliqué shapes

(you will be cutting through fabric, adhesive and paper baking)

Exacto knife for cutting centers out of fusible

Blue water-soluble marker

**About the teacher:** Shannon is an author, artist, designer, and award-winning quilter. Shannon has been teaching professionally since 2006 and loves working with students of all ability levels.

She particularly enjoys when she is able to help someone overcome a stumbling block of some kind. She looks forward to hearing from her past students and seeing their quilt projects.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Shannon Shirley

onceinarabbitmoon@comcast.net

## **Workshop C: Heirloom Stitches with Meg Cahill**

**Skill level: All Levels**

**Techniques: machine stitching**

**Product: pillow top or block**

Spend a day with Meg learning multiple heirloom sewing techniques. We will make a sampler pillow cover which will incorporate piping, ruffling and gathering, wing needle stitching, and more. Learn what many of the optional accessory feet are for and how to use them in a variety of ways.

### **Supplies:**

¼ yd white linen

1 yd natural linen

3 yd premade cording

1 yd entrdeaux trim or insertion lace

18" white zipper

1 skein white or cream perle cotton

### **Precut prior to class –**

White linen –

4 pcs 14 ½" x 2 ½"

Natural linen –

2 pcs 14 ½" x 2 ½"

1 pc 2 ½" x width of fabric

2 pcs 14 ½" x 8 ½" (back of pillow)

1 spool white 50wt cotton thread

2 bobbins wound with white 50wt cotton thread

2.0mm twin needle

100mm wing needle

Pintuck 5 groove foot

Piping foot

Gathering foot

Edge joining foot

Open toe foot

14"x14" pillow form

Sewing machine with decorative stitches (this class is not for Featherweight or other straight stitch machines)

Basic sewing supplies – small scissors, pins. etc.

**About the teacher:** Meg Cahill has been sewing and crafting as long as she can remember. With a degree in Interior Design and a background in retail fabric and sewing machine sales, she has developed a life motto of "Everything is a potential craft project!" She has been working and teaching sewing, embroidery and other fun stuff at All Brands Service Center for sixteen years.

## **Workshop D: Charity Project**

**Skill level-Beginner and beyond**

**Techniques-machine sewing, ¼ seams, learn a French seam method**

**Product-Bassinette cover to be donated to the NICU at Children’s Hospital at the King’s Daughters**

**Workshop E: Come Quilt with Me** Bring your own project to work on as you sit and quilt with other members and experience wonderful fellowship.



# VCQ WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM

Registration form deadline: **April 19, 2019** Registrations will close after this date without exception. Any registrations postmarked after April 19, 2019 will not be accepted and will be returned. Any workshop cancellations prior to the deadline are eligible for a refund.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Member \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Member \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Choice of Workshop (includes lunch). Circle letters and indicate choice on line.

- Workshop A: Pickle Dish with Penni Domikis
- Workshop B: Hand Embroidery for your Quilts with Shannon Shirley
- Workshop C: Heirloom Stitches with Meg Cahill
- Workshop D: Charity Sewing Bassinette Covers
- Workshop E: Come Quilt with Me

Workshop Choice \_\_\_\_\_ 1st choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_

Cost	
Member, Workshop and Lunch	\$50
Member, Community Service/Come Quilt with Me and Lunch	\$45
Non-member, Workshop and Lunch	\$60
Non-member, Community Service/Come Quilt with Me and Lunch	\$50

\*\*A host guild non-VCQ committee member may register as a guest only for \$20 to include lunch and the business meeting. A non-VCQ visitor may attend any business meeting only and both must pre-register in order to have an accurate count for lunch.

Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Kit fees are paid directly to the instructor.** Please try to bring exact amount. So, instructor can be prepared, please indicate if you plan to purchase a kit. Please do not include the fee with your registration. Class B requires a pattern fee of \$5.00

- Are you willing to be a class helper? Yes No
- Are you bringing a sewing machine to Come Quilt with Me? Yes No
- Were you referred or invited by a VCQ member? Yes No

If so, please write in their name \_\_\_\_\_.

Special lunch requirements:

Vegetarian \_\_\_ Gluten-free \_\_\_ Allergic to \_\_\_\_\_

Send workshop registration form and your check **payable to VCQ** to  
Debi Harding, 2356 Bizzzone Circle, Virginia Beach, VA 23464

**The Mayflower  
ALS Quilt Block**

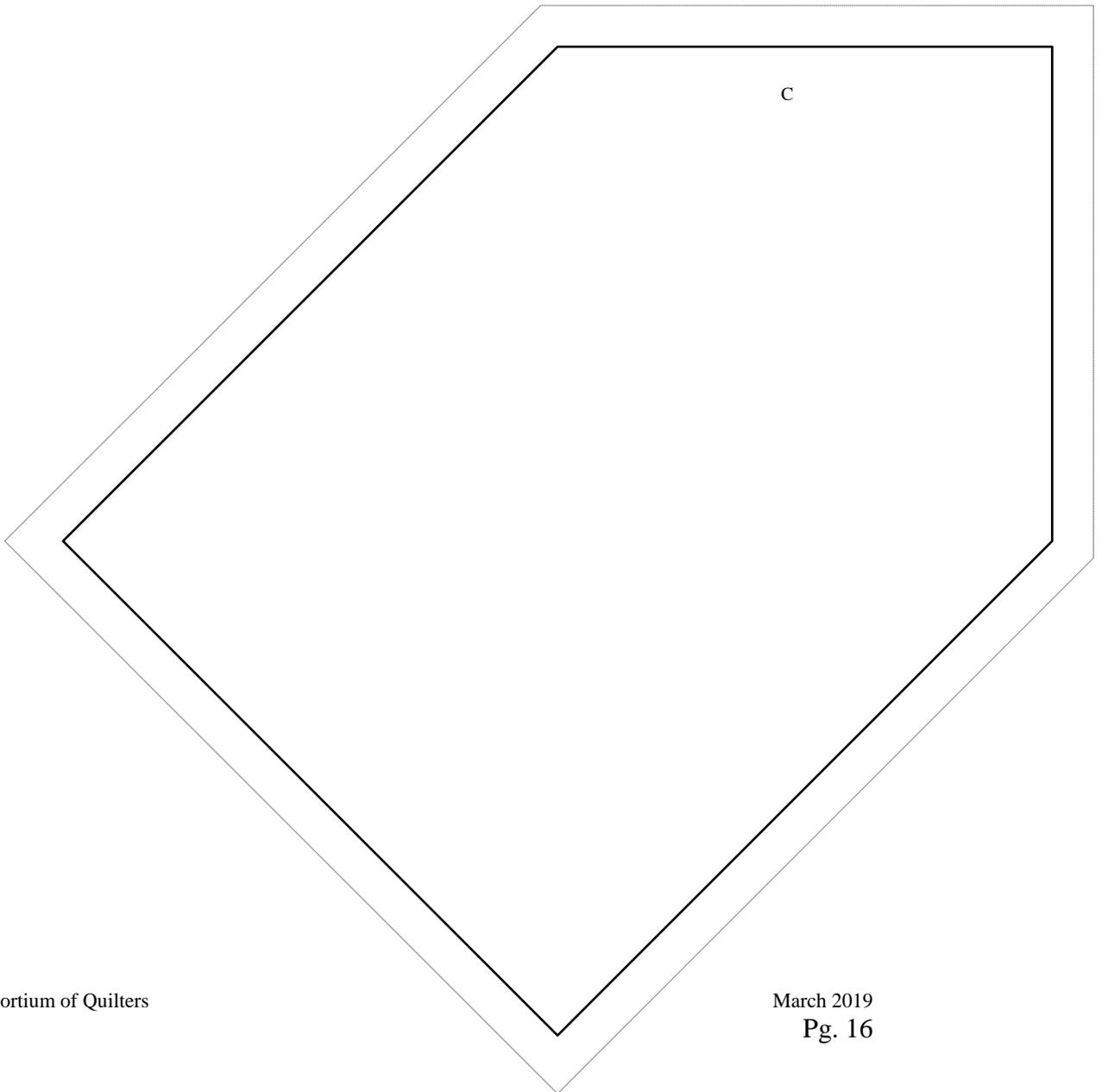
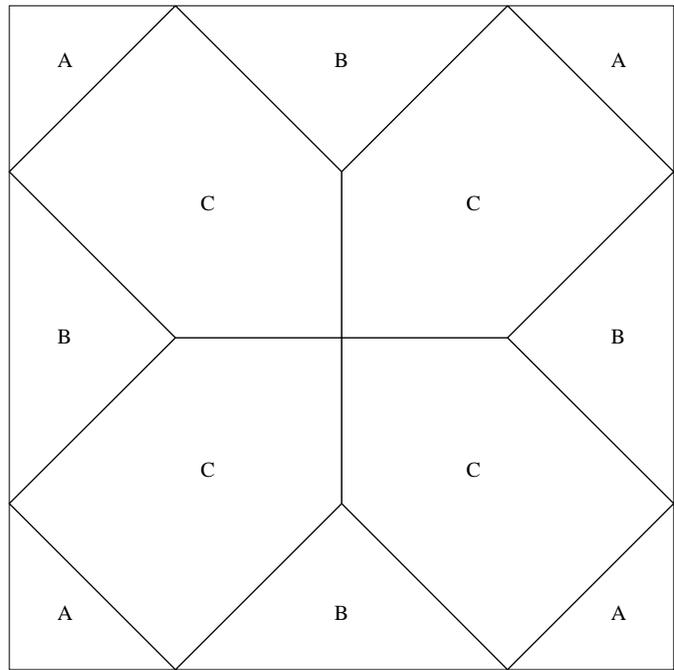
**Finished Size Block**

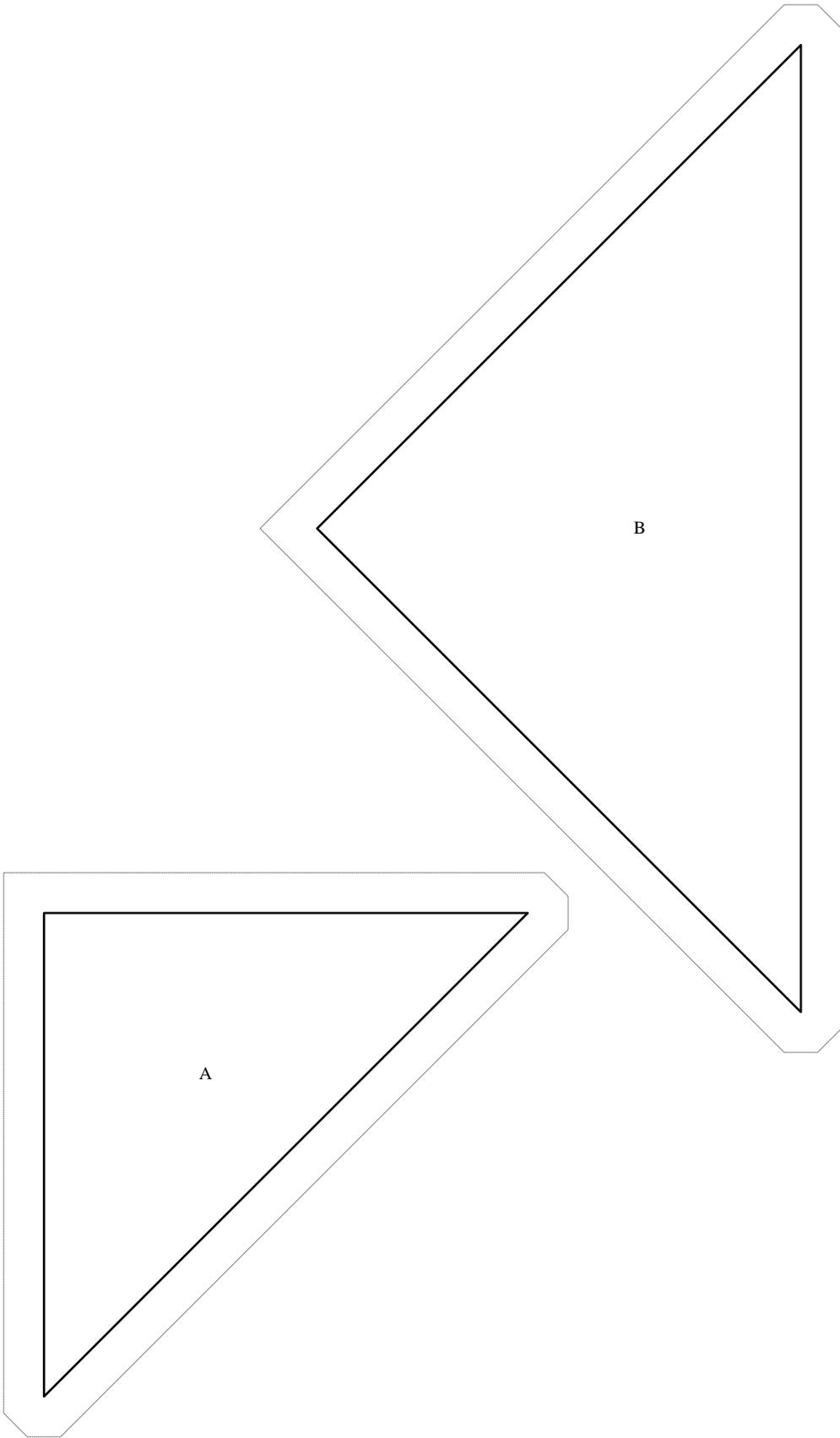
**12 1/2" x 12 1/2"**

**Challenge – Y Seams use template B**

**Easy – Instead of template B use 2 of  
Template A**

**PLEASE USE A WHITE ON WHITE; WHITE; OR  
CREAM FABRIC FOR THE BACKGORUND**





**TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF 3/19/2019**

Money Market: \$15,791.19  
Checking Account: \$9,461.78



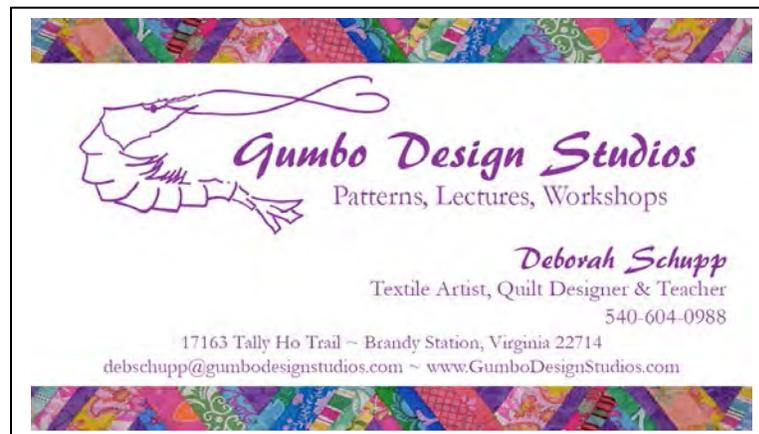
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newsletter.**

**Don't forget to check for announcements  
and future updates on your VCQ website  
at [www.vcq.org](http://www.vcq.org)**

### **MEMBERSHIP**

**Don't forget to send in your renewals for  
2019.**

**See above for Application or you can find it  
on [www.VCQ.org](http://www.VCQ.org)**

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**DATED MATERIAL**