

## June 2018 RCMQG Meeting Agenda

1. Social / Shopping / Sell and Swap Table
2. Introductions (Make sure to wear your nametag if you've got one!)
3. Updates
  - a. Officer's Meeting Highlights
    - i. Saleemah is fully added to the bank account
    - ii. PO Box is renewed
  - b. Bylaws are updated on the website.
  - c. Quilt Con 2019, Member Registration opens June 26--One week from today!
4. Color Challenge Reveal
5. Sew and Tell
6. Programming
  - a. Quilt As You Go Workshop--June 23rd, 10 am at Threaded Needle Too
  - b. Trip to Wilson's for their Annual Sale--July 14th!
  - c. Adding a BOM Skillbuilder!
    - i. 12 blocks, to be issued over the next year-ish.
    - ii. One block will be issued at each non charity Sewing Saturday
    - iii. Pulling from this skillbuilder: <http://bit.ly/POFSkillBuilder>
    - iv. Quilt is designed to be Quilt As You Go, and will include a variety of techniques
    - v. More information and details will be handed out at the July Sewing Saturday
    - vi. First block will be issued at the August Sewing Saturday
    - vii. Info will also be posted to Instagram and Facebook.
    - viii. There will be prizes along the way for people sewing along. :)
  - d. Current Challenges
    - i. Charm Square Challenge (reveal in August)
    - ii. Non-Quilt Item Challenge (ongoing, final reveal in October)
7. Fundraising
  - a. Reminder that we have an account set up with Amazon Smile! If you use Amazon, consider setting us as your charity.  
<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/38-3896234>

- b. Looking for volunteers to help with the auction--primarily writing descriptions and helping spread the word
8. Membership
- a. Set up committee meeting time/place to meet team members, discuss membership goals, hand out assignments, discuss planning for long term goals
9. Charity
- a. There will be a new Charity block next month.
10. How to Register for Quilt Con
- a. Modern Quilt Guild members receive a FREE four day pass to the show as long as you register before Nov 30, 2018.
  - b. Registration opens next Tuesday at 9am! First 1000 members to register get a goodie bag.
  - c. Webinar from last year with good tips: <http://bit.ly/QCRegistration>
  - d. Review the catalog in advance:  
Web: <https://www.quiltcon.com/catalog-schedule/>  
PDF: <http://bit.ly/QCCatalogPDF>
  - e. Select your desired courses and rank them, note the course codes
    - i. Lectures
    - ii. Workshops
    - iii. Special exhibit tours
    - iv. Babylock Sewing Lounge (reserve 3 hours on a sewing machine)
    - v. Catalog lists by visual schedule, description, instructor, topic, and list
  - f. Prices are listed on page 16 of the pdf...set price by type of event/length of workshop. Some workshops have additional materials fees payable to the instructor.
  - g. Be ready and waiting just before registration opens
  - h. Last year the advice was to check out your most desired class first, then go back and add and re-check out with additional courses. Search by course codes to find them quickly.
  - i. Know the cancellation and Transfer policy (page 17 of the pdf)
11. Color Challenge Drawing
12. Charity Quilt Round Robin Challenge Swap



## Updates/Reminders

### Charity Quilts

- Current Block: Wonky Churn Dash
- Next Assembly Date: September 8th Sewing Saturday
- Tallies to Date

Tops in progress	0
Finished quilt tops	15
Finished Quilt Bundles	6
Quilts to be bound	1
Quilts to be labeled and washed	3
Completed quilts	0

### Programming

- Next 3 Months:

#### June

June 23

Quilt as You Go Workshop (Glenn Pettaway)

10am - 1pm at Threaded Needle Too

#### July

July 7th--Sew Day--Open Sew

July 14th--Road Trip for Wilson's Annual Sale

July 17th--Meeting--Make it Modern Challenge Issued, New Charity Block Issued

#### August

August 4th--Sew Day--Guild Banner for Library Display

August 21st--Meeting--Charm Square Challenge Reveal

#### September

September 8th--Sew Day--Charity Assembly Day

September 18th--Meeting--Prep Your Quilt for a Longarmer Presentation

- Upcoming Events/Quilt Shows/Conferences  
**Quilt Con 2019** Feb 21st-24th  
**RCMQG Retreat 2019** September 27th-29th

## Instagram

- **#rcmqgoalposts** Our guild posts about progress on goals and resolutions
- **#quiltyresolutions** The national guild's tag for resolutions
- **#unswapswap18** A "swap" with a monthly theme where you make things and discuss with other Instagramers, but you keep what you make for yourself
- **#mqgsewday** MQG "sew day" the third Sunday of each month
- **#getyourquiltywishesgrantedsummeredition** Post anything you're looking for and respond with things you've got in your stash that you're willing to package up and mail to others

## National Guild Updates

- Quilt Con 2019 Important Dates
  - Member Registration: June 26
  - (Must be a member by June 22)
  - Public registration: July 10
  - Quilt submissions open: July 1
  - Quilt submissions close: Nov. 30
  - Notification of acceptance: Dec 2018

- Upcoming Webinars:

Road Map for Teaching with Mel Beach

June 19, 2018

<http://bit.ly/RoadMapTeach>