

#### **President's Message**

Winter has found us! I am very grateful that we do not receive this quantity of snow every year.

I find myself reaching for quilts that need binding sewn down and small applique projects at night. The first because it helps keep me warm- I have several large quilts that need hand sewing. The applique one because I love the colors. It is a welcome change from shoveling snow.

Weather Cancellations: As before, an email will go out if I need to cancel the meeting.

February Program Note--Our program for the February meeting is Strip Quilto. To play, please bring five 40" long strips cut 2-1/2" wide. The five strips do not need to be the same fabric. You will also need buttons or pennies to use on the Quilto cards as markers. There will be five games played.

**A look ahead to March-** We will be voting on the Show Challenge Quilts - the one featuring Sun Bonnet Sue.

Looking forward to seeing you, Dona

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#### Meetings/Events Calendar 2021– 2022

Underlined denotes Guild Meeting

9/12/21 – Sunday Beachplum Festival at Island State Park Sept 17, 2021 – Reg MTG at Presbyterian Church of Toms River, 1070 Hooper Ave 9/18/21 - Sit N Sew for Charity Quilts - 10 AM - zoom.us 10/15/21 - "The Artistry of Cory Moran" Trunk Show by Dona S 11/19/21 - Sherre MacClellan Lecture - "Are You Ready to Send Your Quilt to a Long-Arm Quilter?" 12/17/21 - Dina Newbert Lecture – "I Spy With My Quilt Judge's Eye…" 2022: 1/21/22 – Meeting cancelled <u>2/18/22</u>– "Strip" Quilto – Bring in 5 – 2-1/2" strips to play 5 games. Bring pennies or buttons, too. 3/18/22- Review of Quilt Show Preparations, Vote for Best Challenge piece 3/19/22 – Sit N Sew for Charity Quilts 10 AM – zoom.us Quilt Show 3/30/22– Registration & Take-In of Show Quilts at T.R. Elks #1875 3/31/22- Judging 8:30 AM - 6 PM 4/1/22- Show Set-Up 8:30 AM - - 6 PM Show Program Assembly- Volunteers Needed to staple Sat 4/2/22– Quilt Show opens to the public at 10 AM – 5 PM Sun 4/3/22– Show opens 11 AM – 4 PM Take Down-5 PM & Raffle Quilt Drawing 5/20/22- TBA 6/17/22 – Big Finale – Member Photo Outdoors- Show N Tell

## **Charity Quilts**







Three of the 42 guilts that were donated to DCPP NJ for adoption day

The guild donated 194 placemats in 2021 to Meals on Wheels. We are hoping to break that record in 2022 and will share ideas at the next guild meeting.

Thank you, Dina and Ginger



# **Beachplum Programs 2022**

Feb 18 - Reg Meeting- Quilto - Bring five 2-1/2" strips to play 5 games. Each game winner will get a group of strips and a Prize. Bring buttons or pennies to place on your cards. Feb 18 Quilt Show Registration DEADLINE.

Mar 18 - Reg Meeting- Final Quilt Show Prep Discussion, Quilt Challenge pieces to be judged. Read Challenge Rules online at our website. / VOTE for New Board / Show N Tell Mar 19 & 20 - special YouTube.com invitation called "Sampler" available to guilds who signed up.

We did. Global Quilt Connection showcases teachers for guilds to hire for Lectures/ Workshops Virtually or In-Person. Dona S. will send out the information in an exclusive e-mail for our members only. No sharing of this with other guilds because we paid for the link.

Mar 19 - <u>Sit N Šew</u> via Zoom.com 10 AM - 2 PM

Mar 19 - National Quilt Day

Mar 30 - 10 AM - 2 PM Registration - Take - In of Quilts @ Elks Lodge #1875

Mar 31 – Quilt Judging 9 AM – 6 PM / Doors open around 8:30 AM Apr 1 – Quilt Show Set-Up @ Elks Lodge #1875 Apr 2 – 10 AM- 5 PM QUILT SHOW @ Elks Lodge #1875

Apr 3 - 11 AM - 4 PM Quilt Show continues / Raffle Quilt Drawing @ 4 PM

May 20 - Reg Meeting - Showcase of Quilt Show Prize Winners

Jun 17 - Reg Meeting - Annual Class photo outdoors / Show N Tell / Installation of new Board Have a safe, healthy summer!

#### Beachplum Quilt Show 2022

#### Reminder

The April 2022 Quilt Show will be here before we know it. I'm looking forward to seeing everyone and all your quilts. This is just a reminder if you haven't registered your quilts to go to our website for the information. Instructions for registering your quilt are posted on our website. If you have any questions, you can contact Donna D'Angelis or Erma Hoover. Committees for the show are hard at work. If you would like to volunteer, please contact me or Carol Cashin. Please give small quilts for our Mini Quilt Auction to Jeannette Middlekauff at our monthly meeting. Another Zoom meeting for the quilt show committees will be scheduled later this month.

Keep quilting. Kathleen Cox

## Raffle Tickets

Please return Quilt Show Quilt Raffle ticket stubs and payment (or any unsold tickets) to Donna DeAngelis as soon as possible, either at a meeting or by mail. All member's tickets should be returned by March 1, 2022 at the latest. And of course, if you need more tickets to sell, just let Donna know!!

Thank You in advance for you efforts on behalf of the guild! Donna DeAngelis / 118 Narberth Way / Toms River, NJ 08757

#### 2022 Quilt Show "Quilts in Full Bloom" Schedule

Toms River Elks Lodge #1875, 600 Washington St. Toms River, NJ 08753

Registration Form Deadline: February 18, 2022 Send electronically to Erma Hoover- See form online, www.beachplumquilters.org

March 18, 2022 Challenge Quilt (Sunbonnet Sue Quilted Signs) will be turned in & Judged by Members

March 30, Wednesday: 10 AM - 2 PM Drop off guilts at T.R. Elks Lodge to complete Registration

March 31, Thursday: 8:30 AM - 6 PM Judging, Scribing, & Organizing quilts

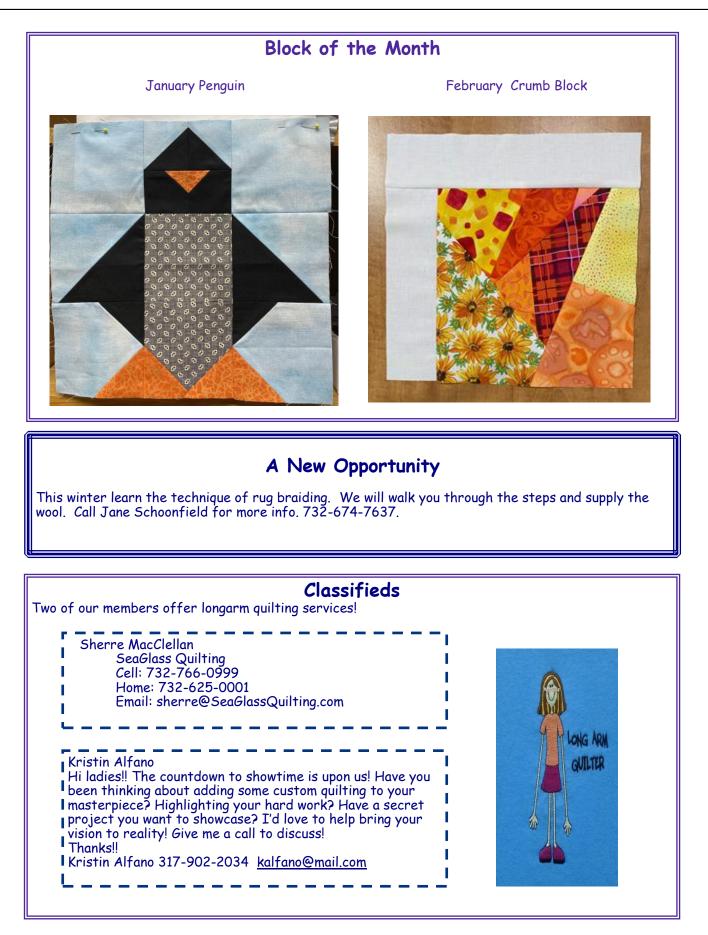
April 1, Friday: 8:30 AM – 5 PM Set Up Show – Pipes & Drapes, Country Store, Vendors, Quilt Hanging

April 2, 2022 - Show opens to Public at 10 AM (doors open to members at 8:30 AM) Closes at 5 PM

April 3, 2022 - Show opens to Public at 11 AM Closes to Public at 4 PM - Raffle Quilt ticket selected at 4 PM

5 PM – Remove Quilts & distribute to Members, Vendors remove merchandise, Clean UP

April 4, Monday - Pipe & Drape Co removal of Equipment



#### The Beachplum Sampler

February 2022

# THE BEACHPLUM QUILTERS OF THE JERSEY SHORE, INC.

P.O. Box 749 Island Heights, NJ 08732-0749

Meetings are held the 3rd Friday of each month September through June at the Presbyterian Church of Toms River, 1070 Hooper Avenue, Toms River, NJ 08753

DOORS OPEN AT 6 pm;

MEETING BEGINS AT 6:30 pm

www.beachplumquilters.org

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## **Crafty Fabrics**

750 Mantoloking Rd., Brick, NJ **732-920-6220** Classes & Workshops available year round. Tues-Fri 9:30a-4:00p Sat- 11:00a-4:00p Wed 7 PM-9PM **www.craftyfabricsquilting.com** Diane@craftyfabricsquilting.com 10% discount to BPQ guild members! We now offer longarming services.

#### Deadline for the next newsletter is

MARCH 4, 2022

E-Mail your news in a Word document using Arial font to Marcia guza@yahoo.com

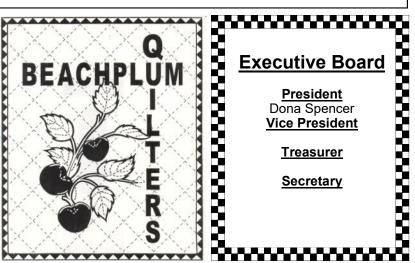
#### FEBRUARY 2022 MEETING REFRESHMENTS



Meeting refreshments are suspended during this Covid era.

Coffee and tea will be provided. Otherwise, bring your own beverage.

Please clean up after yourself before leaving.



# **Our Committee Chairs**

Audit Committee

<u>Charity Quilts</u> Carol Cashin Juanita Greenland <u>Communications</u> Joyce Weiss <u>Historian</u>

<u>Hospitality</u> Mary Pabst <u>Membership</u>

<u>Block of the Month</u> Marcia Guza Dixie Moore Door Prizes

**Programs** 

Show & Tell

2022 Quilt Show Kathleen Cox Carol Cashin <u>Newsletter Editor</u> Marcia Guza <u>Webmaster</u> Laurie Schnitzer <u>Fundraising</u>

## **Next Meeting Checklist**

- Name tag and a welcome smile for guests
- Block of the Month
- Coffee mug, if desired
- Show & Tell
- Charity quilts
- Donations to The Hope Center: Feminine pads and tampons

## BPQ Quilt Show April 2-3, 2022

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