## COASTAL CAROLINA QUILTERS

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# LET'S WRAP IT UP

Got leftover strips of fabrics you'd like to use up?? Heather Tighe will show us clever and creative ways to do just that and maybe get a jump start on some Christmas gift ideas in her program called "Let's Wrap It Up." She will show different techniques of wrapping rope to make bowls, floor mats, coasters and many more creative gift ideas. After lunch Heather will conduct a 3-hour class where you will learn many tips and techniques in making these wonderful gifts. You will need a sturdy sewing machine with a walking foot. A featherweight or light-

weight machine <u>will not</u> <u>work</u> for this project. We have 23 signed up thus far and the class limit is 25. You must pre-register for this class. Contact Margo Woolard via email at

cdwool31@frontier.com or call 843-655-4826 to sign up. The supply list is on pages 3 and 4 if you've already signed up for the class or if you'd like to do this project at home.



Note: these 2 photos were "borrowed" off Pintrest.

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# President's Message

Well, in case you haven't noticed, things have been a little in disarray in our neck-of-thewoods, and beyond.

A lot of us are/were without power for extended periods and some are still suffering from flooding and cleaning up hurricane debris. I hope all of you are safe and aren't dealing with too much damage. Continue to be safe and I look forward to

Karen Preston

# Notes from Margo

### To-Do List

\* Wear your name tag

seeing you on the 17th.

- \* Bring your Dee's Brick Trick Challenge
- \* Bring your lunch
- \* Bring Show and Tell

**October program** - As outlined on the front page, Heather Tighe will present "Let's Wrap It Up." There are 2 spots remaining in the class. If you're interested, contact Margo Woolard at 843-655-4826 or cdwool31@frontier.com

**Mystery Quilt** - The Mystery Quilt will be solved! Brenda will reveal the final clue. We hope those participating have enjoyed doing our first mystery quilt project.

**Dee's Brick Trick Challenge Due** - Using the Dee's Brick Trick pattern, bring your quilt, or quilt top, to guild to be displayed and voted on. Prizes will be awarded for the most creative.

2017 Membership Dues - It's time to get those dues paid. Please bring \$25 - cash or a check made payable to CCQ. Our membership ladies, Brenda Call and Terry Slotter will be there to issue new 2017 membership cards. Please make them aware of any information that has changed (i.e. email address, etc.)

#### Happy Hour Challenge Due In

November - Take your favorite "happy hour." - it can be at the beach, in your sewing room, spending time with your grandchildren, etc. Create a wallhanging no larger than 20" on each side of whatever your happy hour is. Questions? Contact Jerry Reese or DJ Stultz.

#### PLEASE NOTE: <u>DATE CHANGE</u> FOR THE NOVEMBER MEETING

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, we will meet on the 2nd Monday, **Nov. 14th**, rather than our usual day.

**Coming up in November** - Our very own Joanne Shropshire is a quilt artist, a teacher and a longarmer. She will do a trunk show and lecture about different quilt techniques and show us her vast array of quilts and wallhangings. On Tuesday, Joanne will teach her Falling Waters class. The class samples were shown at guild last month and the class application will be sent out soon.

### Christmas Luncheon - Monday, Dec.

**19th** - Sign-ups are being taken for the Christmas lunch. Wanda Klinger gave us details at last month's meeting. You will have a variety of eats to choose from. There will be a salad station (pasta as well as green salads); a baked potato station with all the fix'ns; and a hot food station with chicken, pork tenderloin, dressing, gravy and dinner rolls. Of course we can't forget, dessert is included. The cost is \$15 per person. See Wanda to sign up.



# Fabric Covered Clothesline

Thank you for signing up for the Fabric Covered Clothesline class in October. I will be showing you two different methods for covering clothesline. One is a finished edge and the other has raw edges. For those of you who wish to actually sew, you will need the following:

Sewing machine in good working order; Walking foot; Open Toe Embroidery Foot; Coordinating Thread; Machine needle 90/14 and 80/12; \*Cotton Clothesline (**NOT** polyester) in 3/16" or 7/32" [please see note below] (9) 2½" fabric strips (for finished edge) Several ½" – ¾" fabric strips (for raw edge) Stiletto or seam ripper Fabric glue Pins or *Clover* binding clips Basic sewing supplies

For the finished edge, you will need to prepare your fabrics prior to class. Sew eight of the strips together as you would for binding (on the diagonal with extra material cut at seams and seams ironed open). Iron the long strips in half with wrong sides together (this will create a center seam guide). Open up the strip and now iron the long cut edges along the center seam guide – you will now have both sides ironed to the center seam guide giving a folded edge on both sides. The ninth strip of fabric will be used for binding and you can press in half with wrong sides together.

For the raw edge, you will need to have  $\frac{1}{2}$ " or  $\frac{3}{4}$ " strips. They will not need to be sewn together as in the finished edge. Many strips of many lengths work well.

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The example above is a finished edge bowl. I used one dark strip for the center bottom of the bowl and seven other strips of a lighter fabric (all the same fabric) for the bowl itself and another dark strip for the binding. This bowl has beads that have been inserted which I will explain how to do at class. The fabric strips can be a collection of many different colors or a collection of different fabrics in the same color range or ....



The example above is a raw edge bowl. With this bowl I used several different fabric strips of the same color value. Once again, you can use a collection of many different colors or a prescribed color combination such as red and green for the holidays.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

\*If you are unable to find the cotton clothesline locally, I will have 100' of 3/16" cotton clothesline available at class for \$6

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At last month's meeting, Linda Schillaci brought a yummy dessert that some of you were lucky enough to sample. She had several requests for the recipe so here 'tis.

# **Apple Dumplings**

- 2 Granny Smith apples
- 2 cans (8 oz.) Crescent rolls
- 2 sticks butter
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- Cinnamon to taste
- 1 can (12 oz.) Sprite or Mountain Dew

Peel and core apples and cut each into 8 slices. Roll each apple slice in a crescent roll. Place in a 9 x 13 pan, coated with cooking spray Melt butter in a large bowl, then add sugar and stir. Stir in vanilla and pour entire mixture over the wrapped apples. Pour Sprite around the edges of the pan and sprinkle with cinnamon. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes. Serve with vanilla ice cream topped with the sauces from the pan.

ENJOY!!



Yards	to Inches	
1/8 1/4 1/3 3/8 1/2 5/8 2/3	= 4.5" = 9" = 12" = 13.5" = 18" = 22.5" = 24"	
3/4 7/8	= 27" = 31.5"	