# SNIPPETS





# GOING ONCE, GOING TWICE SOLD!!!!

We are calling this our QVC auction - Quilting, Valuables and Crafts - or it just might be called March Madness!! Whatever you call it, with Sandy Jacobs as our auctioneer it's sure to be a fun time. We have some really good stuff, like quilts, Longaberger baskets, Janome sewing table, a Bernina Serger, cross stitching and knitting items, buttons, organizers...the list goes on and on. Each of the nearly 150 live and silent auction items has a number. A complete catalog of items will be sent out a couple of days prior to the meeting so you can circle those items you might be interested in. We have lots and lots of magazines and books, the magazine bundles are going for \$1.00 and the books for \$2.00 each or 3/\$5.00. The ladies at those tables will take your cash. This year we are able to take credit cards as payment. Karen Preston will have her "cube" to process your card - Visa, MasterCard, Discover or American Express will be accepted. Also, be sure to bring your own bags/totes to take your purchases home. And remember Janet Whitehead's tip...drop off your purchases with your neighbor and after your husband goes out to Lowe's or the grocery store, sneak them into the house. What a GREAT idea!!

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# President's Message

Happy St. Patty's Day! I was going to say Happy Spring, but as I write this we are supposed to get some very cold weather so I'll save that greeting for later.

It's a busy time for quilters in this area — the Gala was a huge success, thanks to Margo and her team. Congratulations to all the winners, and thank you to everyone who submitted an entry. Next is Meet The Quilters on Thursday, a class on Friday, and our auction on Monday.

We have some really great items for the auction so be sure to bring cash, checks, or even your credit cards. In an effort to make it easier for you to shop, I'll bring my credit card processor.

Some of our snowbird members are starting to migrate north and we want you to know how much we enjoyed seeing you. We always look forward to your return in the Fall. Please stay in touch with us and let us know how you are doing. We also love to get pictures of quilts you are making while you are away.

I hope to see you all in the next few days. Until then, "Make time for quilting, every day!"

Karen Preston

Meet The Quilters - for those of you that have signed up, MTQ is Thursday, March 16th at the Myrtle Beach Base Recreation Center, at Market Common, located at 800 Gabrieski Lane The doors will open at 9:30, the RaNae Merrill lecture and trunk show starts at 10:30. Please don't be late and carpooling is recommended! Bring your lunch. Water and cookies will be provided. Also, one show and tell item per person is allowed. Wear your MTQ name tag to the area quilt shops after the meeting and receive a 20% discount on your purchases.

# Notes from Margo

#### To-Do List

- \* Auction Bring cash, checks or credit card
- \* Bring a tote bag for your auction items
- ★ Wear your name tag
- \* Get your 2017 OSV parking pass
- \* Carpooling is strongly suggested
- \* Bring your lunch
- \* Bring Show and Tell

**March 20 Auction** - In order for the day to go smoothly we really need everybody to follow the schedule. Here is how this will work:

# 8:00 - 9:30 Auction set-up crew only Nobody will be allowed to enter prior to 9:30!!

**9:30** - Doors open. Sign in at normal membership table first, then proceed to the auction table - sign in, get bid # and a golf pencil.

**9:30 - 10:30 -** Bid on silent auction items and cruise the other tables.

**10:30** - Live auction starts. Chairs will be set up on the wooden floor. Record your item #s and amount on the back of your bid # or on your list.

After the auction - check out! Please be patient! Karen Preston and Bobbi Callison will take cash, check or credit card.

April 17th Program - "It's In The Bag" - We will discuss various types of quilted bags and give you tips on how to make the perfect bag. Due to the overwhelming number of ladies wanting to take Brenda's Sew Together Bag class, we have divided the class into two separate days. We have 15 students taking the class on March 27 at the Socastee Library and the other 15 will take it as originally scheduled the afternoon of our regular April meeting. The supply list has been sent. Be sure to complete all your pre-work prior to class. Any questions, contact margo Woolard at <a href="mailto:cdwool31@frontier.com">cdwool31@frontier.com</a> or call 843-655-4826.

May 15th Program - Gail Garber is coming to CCQ. She is an award winning quilt artist from Albuquerque, NM. Her bold, beautiful and stunning geometric designs with flying geese are her signature. Her talent of combining vivid colors with intricate piecework is easily recognizable. Check out her star quilts too on her website: <a href="www.gailgarber.com">www.gailgarber.com</a>. Gail will be teaching a dayand-a-half class called "The Goose Is Loose." The class application will be coming out shortly.

**Charity Projects** - There are pillowcases, bead bags and baby quilt kits to take home. Also, we are in need of longarmers for the Fostering Hope boys' quilts. . . . see Terry.

**Welcome New Member** - please add to your roster:

# **Cathy Tafoya**

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Open Monday thru Friday 8-4.

We run a special every month. This month is buy 3 fat quarters and get one free (of equal or lesser value).

We also just received the new Moda collection called Maven, over 20 bolts, some Jelly Rolls and patterns. The sale changes the first of every month. Thanks so much for your support.

