

# Template Times

## The Procrastinating Quilters Guild Newsletter

### November 2021

Seville Recreation Center (Rec Hall), 2640 Seville Blvd., Clearwater, FL

PQ website: [procrastinatingquilters.com](http://procrastinatingquilters.com)

PQ Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/469944486465125/>

#### 2021 Officers and Committee Chairs:

##### President

*Judy Wedekind*

##### Vice President

*Michelle Reinhard*

##### Secretary

*Paula Riccio*

##### Treasurer

*Robin VanScoy*

##### Audit

*Janet Jensen*

##### Community Outreach

*Gale Pittman (Chair)*

##### Fifty/Fifty

*On Hold*

##### Historian

*On Hold*

##### Membership

*Maggie Stokes*



## NOVEMBER 2021 President's Message (Judy Wedekind)

November Meeting, Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm via Zoom.

Happy Fall Y'all! Hope November is our "last" Zoom call for a very long time. December, we will be meeting back in person for the PQ Winter Gathering, Michelle will provide more details. I am soooooo ready to meet in person

Wanted to let you know, all Board and Business Meeting Notes have been removed from our website. There is some "business" information that is for guild members only, plus this will allow us to "report" our monthly finances. The meeting notes will be on the PQ Google Drive and will be distributed via the Google email account. Once we meet in person again, a hard copy will be made available.

Mid Pinellas Quilt Show 2023 – I had a conversation with Carol Marshall, will provide what was discussed. We are still researching a couple of items, hope to have them by this month's meeting. This will definitely be an all-hands-on deck prior to, during and after the show. There is also a potential opportunity for us to sell tickets during the Sewing Expo in Lakeland, which means we will need people to volunteer to work the Expo, sit and sell tickets.

**2021 President's Challenge:** The reveal will be at our December Winter Gathering in person at Seville, 7:00 pm, date is in process of being confirmed. I have made progress and more than likely, will finish just in time! President's Challenge is a 2 Color project of your choice. Here is the link to the [2021 President's Challenge](#), don't stress, just remember how do the colors read

Peace, Love, Quilting and Coffee!  
Judy Wedekind

**Mystery Quilt (2021)**

*Robin VanScoy*

**Newsletter Editor**

*Diane Friedman*

*Fred Friedman*

**Nominating Committee**

*Penny Black*

**Parliamentarian**

*Penny Black*

**Party Coordinator**

*Michelle Reinhard*

**Party Blocks**

On Hold

**Program Chair**

*Karen Bishea*

**Quilt Show Liaison**

*Paige Rapson*

**Retreat Planners (2022)**

*Donna McCain*

**Sunshine**

*Paula Riccio*

**Website**

*Donna McCain*

**GREETING FROM THE VP (Michelle Reinhard)**

In December we will be meeting in person for the first time in what seems like forever. Please join us for our Holiday gathering. We will be keeping in simple-just sharing fun and what we all have been working on over the last year including “ The Presidents Challenge” and the Mystery quilt. We invite everyone who wants to participate to bring a dessert to share. PQ will provide the beverages and paper products. We will start at 7 PM and look forward to seeing all of you there.  
Michelle

**November PQ Meeting Program**

November’s PQ meeting will be a general meeting with the Summer PQ Mystery Reveal.

**Community Outreach (Gale Pittman, Chair)**



**Gale Pittman )**

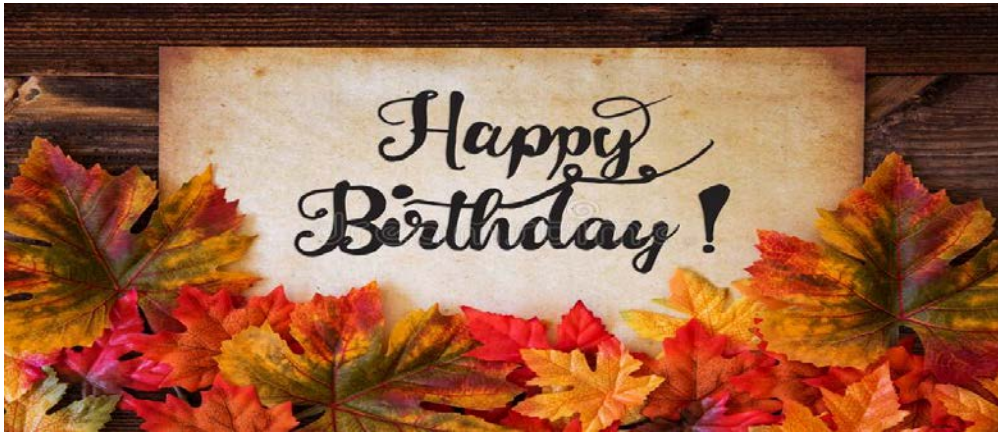
Hello all,

I will plan to pick up quilts at our PQ meeting in Dec. if you cannot attend the party then contact me and I will arrange to meet up with you. We are about 49 quilts away from surpassing the amount done last year so I’m hoping for an end of the year push!

At Healthy Start they asked for a picture of the group to put on their wall to thank us. I sent an older pic since we have not met in a long while. They were happy to have it.

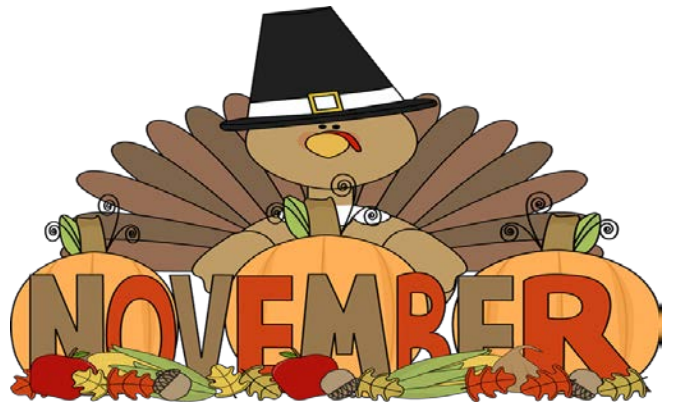
I have had a request by a member to help her with her charity’ quilts. She can piece them but the quilting is a bit much for her to manage these days. She can bind them. Can anyone help out Marie Addison with some simple quilting? Please contact Marie.

Gale Pittman 727-510-7559



### November 2021 Birthdays

11/7      Gale Pittman  
11/9      Theresa Arrison  
11/22     ElmaMay Brey



### December 2021 Birthdays

12/17      Mary Rodriguez Gort  
12/17      Denise Swenson  
12/22      Fred Friedman

# EVENTS

Mark Your Calendar

## Florida Quilt Shows

### QUILTING IN PARADISE



**Quilting and Fiber Arts Show**  
**Presented by the Port St. Lucie Crazy Quilters**

**February 3-5, 2022**

Port St. Lucie Civic Center  
9221 SE Civic Center Place  
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

SHOW HOURS:

Thursday, 2/3/2022, 10:00 - 5:00

Friday, 2/4/2022, 10:00 - 5:00

Saturday, 2/5/2022, 10:00 - 4:00

Admission is \$12, good for all three days.

PLEASE SAVE THE DATE

All attendees who made masks during the pandemic will receive a commemorative pin. Additionally, if your guild brings a busload or carpool of 20 persons or more, each quilter will receive a free master ticket for our Raffle Basket Booth, which provides each person 25 tickets to enter into the basket raffles that suit their fancy. Many of our vendors have generously contributed items to the Vendor Basket as well as providing Raffle Baskets.

For additional details about the show, please visit <https://www.pslcrazyquilters.org/quilt-show-2022.html>.

We look forward to seeing you in February 2022!

## *Items of Interest from PQ Members*

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Janet Jensen has a Husquarna Huskylock 1002LCD 5 thread serger by Viking. It has a built-in differential (which is similar to a ruffler) which has lots of uses. It is in mint condition, only used about 3 times. Includes all accessories and lots of brand-new threads in a clear plastic case. Asking \$500.00. Please call Janet Jensen if interested at 727-423-7132.

Janet Jensen also has a recommendation for a good read for those times when you need a break from quilting.

There is an author by the name of Ann Hazelwood and she has a new series called the DOOR COUNTY QUILTS. Just finished her second book in this series called DOOR TO DOOR QUILTS and really enjoyed it. Is a great read for something light and fun. No sex and no bad words and it's all about quilts and quilters. So, what's not to love?

**Find more upcoming events @ <http://www.floridquiltnetwork.com/newsletters/news231.html>**

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### Interesting Links:

- ❖ The Florida Quilt Network: <http://www.floridaquiltnetwork.com/>
- ❖ Buttermilk Basin: <http://www.buttermilkbasin.com/>
- ❖ Country Quilts and Bears: <http://www.countryquiltsandbears.com/>
- ❖ Craftsy: <https://www.craftsy.com/>
- ❖ Happy Apple Quilts: [http://www.happyapplequilts.com/quilt\\_fabrics](http://www.happyapplequilts.com/quilt_fabrics)
- ❖ Inspire Quilting: <http://inspirequiltingandsewing.com/>
- ❖ Pinterest: <https://www.pinterest.com/>
- ❖ SewCanShe: newsletter@sewcanshe.com
- ❖ Sew'n Wild Oats Quilting Blog: <http://sewnwildoaks.blogspot.com/>
- ❖ Sue Spargo: <http://www.suespargo.com/index.php>
- ❖ Sweet Darling Quilts: <http://www.sweetdarlingquilts.com/index.htm>

Please email all newsletter submissions for the **December** Newsletter to Diane Friedman @ [diane@QuiltingElegance.com](mailto:diane@QuiltingElegance.com) by midnight, **FRIDAY, December 3rd, 2021**

If you have anything important that must go out to the membership, please contact Judy Wedekind.



## 2022 PQ RETREAT

The 2022 Retreat Theme is Simply Sewing! The layout will remain the same as last year the maximum of 30 sewing stations. As of today, no projects or games will be planned for the weekend, but if someone wants to coordinate and oversee a project, please reach out to Donna McCain.

Day-Sewers are welcome, but you must commit and pay for all four days, even if you are unable to attend the entire weekend.

Meals will not be coordinated. We are not allowed to have catering brought in from a restaurant, but we can bring in food as individuals. Snacks are always welcome!!

Location: Hampton Inn, 4017 Tampa Road, Oldsmar, FL 34677

Dates: May 19, 2022 @ 12PM to May 22, 2022 @ 3 PM

Cost: 120.00 (sewing room) + \$10.00 (incidentals) = \$130.00

The Registration Form is listed on the website on the Forms page. Please mail your form with your payment option to Donna McCain at 11201 122<sup>nd</sup> Ave N #217, Largo, FL 33778.

Hotel Reservations:

Room reservation: Only one person from each room should make the reservation.

1. Room: 2 Queen Beds: \$99.00 + tax per night = \$335.61
2. Suite: 2 Queen Beds Studio Suite: \$119.00 + tax per night = \$403.41

Check-In May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022 at 3 PM / Check-out May 22<sup>nd</sup>

Reservation Link:

<https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/deeplink/?ctyhocn=TPAOMHX&groupCode=CHHPR O&arrivaldate=2022-05-19&departuredat e=2022-05-22&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT>

Refunds must be in writing, including your mailing address and no later than May 2, 2022, submitted to Donna McCain.

Any questions, please contact Donna McCain at [chefdonnaann@yahoo.com](mailto:chefdonnaann@yahoo.com)