Dear CHQ Members,

Happy New Year! This month we're back on ZOOM for our workshop and guild meeting. I hope that all of you are having a peaceful winter's break as we move into 2022. Our "Holiday Open House" was the perfect kick off for the season's festivities. Thank you to Donna Slovak for providing such incredible hospitality, Carol Esch for sharing her Christmas tree craft, and all of the members that brought food and wore crazy holiday sweaters! Everyone had a great time. Congratulations to teams A and B for completing both Jelly Roll Baby Quilt Top Challenges. Quilts will be completed and donated to CHQ for our Fund Drive for Charity & Program. Thank you to all members who brought items for the Flemington Food Pantry. Cass Garner can testify to our abundant haul and delivery (see picture below).

This year, we've got a lot of wonderful things to look forward to at CHQ. I'm excited about the opportunities that Jude McCormick, Program Chair/1st Vice President has scheduled for us. Come to our January guild meeting to see what we've got planned!

Cathie
Cathie Giambalvo
CHQ President
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PROGRAM:

CHQ 2022 Quilty Resolutions:



- Need a little nudge to complete those UFO's that have been hanging around way too long?
- Have a looming deadline to make a graduation, wedding, or baby quilt present?
- ❖ Need a little push to get your sewing room more organized?
- Or... are you just looking to challenge yourself and maybe even win a prize when your project is finally completed?

Well then... join in on the fun with the first CHQ Quilty Resolution Challenge!! Simply submit your top 3-5 quilt resolutions for 2022 to CHQ Program. We'll keep track of them for you and even give you a lil'

nudge along the way to hold you accountable to your 2022 quilt goals. At the end of the year, folks who finish more than one resolution will be entered into a fun raffle! Here's your chance to clear out some of those UFO's or get working on something new. Send your 2022 Quilty Resolutions to Anne Oswald at aoswald827@gmail.com. HAPPY QUILTING IN 2022!!

MEMBERSHIP:

TIME TO RENEW FOR 2022!

Members, time to renew your membership for 2022. Great things await – our long awaited Quilts in the Mill quilt show will be the highlight of the fall. Dues are \$35 for the calendar year. You can renew online – go to www.courthousequilters.org, follow the prompts for Membership, and click to renew membership. You can also pay online through PayPal. Instructions on how to pay by cash or check are online as well. Questions? Please contact CamilleQ at camquinton@gmail.com, or 908-216-6505. I hope all of our fantastic group continues to create with guild friends together in 2022.

Camille Q CHQ Membership Chair

HELP WANTED:

CHQ Circulation Chairperson - looking for a member to monitor the guild email account regularly and forward incoming email to appropriate officers and committee chairpersons.

CHQ Web Presence Chairperson - looking for a member to facilitate and maintain Courthouse Quilters website and social media.

Fantastic opportunities to get more involved in CHQ and build friendship through service - please contact: <u>Cathie Giambalvo</u>, if you'd like to join our team.

ADVERTISEMENT:

Cocalico March Retreat Thursday March 10 to Sunday 13th, 2022

Coordinator: Stephanie Greenberg

As usual in March we are having a retreat at Cocalico Quilters Inn in Denver PA. This beautiful home has 8 bedrooms and Jack and Jill bathrooms with two rooms sharing a bathroom in between the rooms. As they require a minimum of 10 guests I will need a couple of people to share a bedroom. Most bedrooms have either a double and a queen or two double in each room, we rarely spend much time in the rooms except to sleep as there is a huge sewing area, a living room and a fully finished basement with sofas and a giant screen TVs if you need a news fix. Cost is \$60/night or \$180 for the three nights plus 5% sales tax. There is an additional charge \$175 for house cleaning (this is not taxed), the most cleaning will cost with 10 people is an additional \$17.50. The total costing \$197.50 for the 4 day weekend.

A deposit of one night's stay is due by 1/15/22. Make you check out to Cocalico Quilters Inn and mail to:

Stephanie Greenberg 26 Maple Court Flemington, NJ 08822-3175

Please call me before mailing so you are put on the list, let me know if you are willing to share a room and with whom. Both parties need to agree to share. There are also two downstairs handicapped rooms so let me know if you need one. All other rooms are on the second floor. ~Stephanie

A Great Big Thank you from the Flemington Area Food Pantry We made an Awesome 110 pound donation!!!



A big thank you also from Charity to everyone who contributed. If you still have items to contribute, you may drop them off at the Food Pantry or contact Kristin Stockwell who oversees the donations.

www.FlemingtonFoodPantry.org

EXECUTIVE BOARD, COMMITTEE CHAIRS,& SPECIAL COMMITTEES 2021-2022

Executive Board:

President: Cathie Giambalvo

1st Vice President: <u>Judith McCormick</u> 2nd Vice President: <u>Anne Oswald</u>

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Committee Chairs:

Charity & Outreach: Stephanie Greenberg & Cass Garner Circulation: Anne Oswald (opening position January 2022)

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Construction 2024: Anne Oswald & Jill Ferrari Sales 2021: Penny Armagost & Regina Kreisa

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