

# Courthouse Quilters President's Bulletin - July 2021

Hi Courthouse Quilters,

Here are the results of '2020 Name that Tune Challenge'---

## **Quilts:**

1st Place: Joan Lasota with "Hakuna Matata"

2nd Place: Regina Krejsa with "Here Comes the Sun"

3rd Place (3 Way Tie): Laura Kohl with " Strangers in the Night"

Al Accetola with "Yellow Rose of Texas"

Cathie Giambalvo with "Happy Birthday"

## **In the "Other Category":**

1st Place Al Accettola- Jukebox with Assorted Musical Artists.

2nd Place Penny Armagost- "Somewhere in Time" - Tote Bag.

3rd Place Patty Gertz- "Piano Man" Pillow.

Thank you to everyone who participated in our "Name that Tune Challenge":

Albert Accettola - "Yellow Rose of Texas" & Jukebox Asst Artists.

Penny Armagost - "Say A Little Prayer for Me"

Betty Czerwinski - "You Are My Sunshine"

Carol Esch - "Deep Purple"

Joanne Gardner - "Mellow Yellow" and "Crimson & Clover"

Cass Gardner - "Blowing in the Wind"

Cathie Giambalvo - "Happy Birthday"

Patty Gertz - "Piano Man"

Gina Krejsa - "Here Comes the Sun"

Laura Kohl - "Strangers In the Night"

Joan Lasota - "Hakuna Matata"

Claire Rohloff - "Somewhere in Time"

Dyan Rosario - "Let's Get Closer"

Camille Quinton - "Sing Everyone Sing"

This event was a huge success thanks to Joanne Gardner and Jude McCommick and our CHQ members who helped set up and clean up.

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All the projects were so creative and the music choices were really fun. I loved the gazebo at Marion Clawson Park; a perfect venue for picnicking and displaying all our beautiful quilts and projects. If you did not see the quilts, you can find them on our website- here's the link <http://www.courthousequilters.org/2020-anniversary-challenge.html> .

**“Play it again, Sam!”** - good news: Our “Name That Tune Challenge” quilts and projects are going to be exhibited at the Mancuso Show! Stephanie Greenberg is our coordinator and she'll be sending entry forms this week. Please fill out the form, bring with your quilt/project, to Stephanie, at our August CHQ guild meeting. All quilts must be labeled and submitted in a pillow case. If you're not coming to the August meeting; please contact Stephanie to make another arrangement.

**“On another note”** - welcome back Ann Oswald! We're so happy that you rejoined the CHQ family. I'm inviting everyone to say “hello” to Ann when you see her at our next event on July 18; “CHQ Member's Market”. Member's Market is an opportunity to sell your own stuff and purchase cool stuff from other members. You never know what you'll find, so bring your checkbooks and lots of cash.

I'm including a **“Help Wanted”** section in this newsletter. Some positions will need to be filled immediately, as we “open back up” as COVID restrictions are lifted. All committee chair positions are a great way to become more involved and participate in the guild. If you're worried that a position might be too much...have no fear...we are all here to support you, work with you and pass along our knowledge and training. Remember - when everyone “chips in a little” - “we all benefit a lot”! Please nudge your friends and get involved!

Thanks,  
Cathie  
CHQ President

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## Program Committee News

From: Joanne Gardner, 1st Vice Pres & Jude McCormick, 2nd Vice Pres

2021 Program information can be found on our website:

<http://www.courthousequilters.org/2021-programs--workshops---events.html>

**Date:** July 18, 2021 - Sunday

**Event:** Member Market location (to be announced)

### Schedule:

Set up starts at 4:00 pm

Meeting at 6:00

**Description:** Members Market is for all CHQ members; for buying and/or selling items. If you need a table to sell your wares, please contact Joanne Gardner [Joannewyo@comcast.com](mailto:Joannewyo@comcast.com) so we can get a head count. \*\*\*No table fee.

**Date:** August 15, 2021 Sunday

**Event:** "Transformation Challenge" location (to be announced)

### Schedule:

Set up starts at 4:00

Meeting at 6:00

**Description:** [2021 Challenge/ "Transformation Challenge"](#)

Turn a purchased, repurposed or recycled garment into a statement piece.

### Guidelines:

- Create a "new" garment, accessory or quilt from a ready-to-wear.
- Must consist of at least 25% of the fabric or design elements from the original garment.
- You may select a garment from your own closet or another source such as men's wear, knits, special occasion dresses or thrift store (be creative in your choice).
- Feel free to embellish, take apart or change elements of the original garment and add other fabrics.
- Please take a photo of the original garment before you take it apart so we can compare it to the new creation.
- All new creations must be created April 01, 2021 and August 15, 2021.

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- Come to our August guild meeting to see all challenges displayed and we'll vote for our favorites.

\*\*\*If you can bring a dress form, it would be appreciated.

**Date:** September 18-19 (2 days) Saturday & Sunday

**Time:** 10 am - 4pm

**Workshop:** PAINTING LANDSCAPE FABRICS

**Teacher:** Mickey Lawler

**Location:** Darcy Lodge 39 Everittstown Road, Frenchtown, NJ

**CHQ class registration Cost/fees:** \$20 + \$25 supply fee to Mickey. Fabric \$9 yard (prepared for dying )(must be ordered in advance at our August meeting).

**To sign up:** contact Joanne Gardner at [Joanneuyo@comcast.com](mailto:Joanneuyo@comcast.com). There is a

**Class Limit:** 20 people and preference will be given to those who signed up back in May of 2020.

### **CHQ Business Meeting:**

**Date:** September 19, 2021 Sunday

**Time:** 5pm

**Location:** Darcy Lodge 39 Everittstown Rd, Frenchtown, NJ

### **Guild Meeting**

**Date:** September 19, 2021 Sunday

**Time:** 6:30 pm

**Lecture:** "Creating Your Own Fabric" by Mickey Lawler

## **Membership Committee News**

From: Camille Quinton

2021 CHQ Membership cards are ready... contact Camille Q at [camquinton@gmail.com](mailto:camquinton@gmail.com) with any questions.

Thanks! Camille

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## **HELP WANTED**

**(the following Board Positions need volunteers)**

### **Circulation Committee Chairperson:**

Monitor the guild email account regularly and forward incoming email to appropriate officers and committee chairpersons. File emails regularly as backup for communications. At the President's request; distributes Newsletter, President Bulletin and email blast to all current members in a timely manner.

### **Historian Committee Chairperson:**

Responsible for keeping a record of the guild activities and news articles featuring the Guild. Stores current and historical documents in digital form for archiving.

### **Hospitality Committee Chairperson:**

Coordinates members contributing refreshments at each meeting. Maintains inventory of necessary supplies. Ensures proper set-up and cleanup of the meeting room and kitchen.

### **Raffle Quilt/Construction 2024 Committee Chairperson:**

Chairperson is responsible for choosing the design of the quilt, soliciting Board approval and designer approval (if needed), presenting estimated costs for Board approval and purchasing fabrics or accepting fabric donations. Ask Guild Members to participate in constructing the raffle quilt. Often an Ad Hoc Committee is formed to prepare directions and/or fabric packs to be distributed to those members who wish to participate. Once the top is completed, arrange for quilting.

## **CHQ Board Meeting - Mark your calendars**

July 16 - 7 pm - Zoom

August 13 - 7 pm Zoom

Meeting Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84388962198?pwd=cFVQaHdNV0VSWUZjU3BOWCtURXIBUT09>

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## NEW EXECUTIVE BOARD, COMMITTEE CHAIRS, SPECIAL COMMITTEES 2021-2022

### **Executive Board---**

President: Cathie Giambalvo  
1st Vice President Joanne Gardner  
2nd Vice President Judith Mc Commick  
Treasurer Patty Gertz  
Recording Secretary Laura Kohl  
Corresponding Secretary Kerry Cogan

### **Committee Chairs---**

Charity & Outreach: Stephanie Greenberg  
Circulation: **open position**  
Historian: **open position**  
Hospitality: **open position**  
Librarian: Cass Garner  
Licensing: Joanne Gardner  
Membership: Camille Quinton  
Newsletter: Al Accettola  
Photographer: Al Accettola  
Publicity: Joan Lasota  
Quilt Show: Andrea Cavallaro & Camille Quinton  
Raffle Quilt: Construction 2024: **Open position**, Sales 2021: Penny Armagost  
Web Presence: Marla Knappe  
Special Event "Fall 2021 Event" - Co-Chairs: Andrea Cavallaro & Camille Quinton