



Welcome to Quilting Bees of Murfreesboro Quilt Guild

In the summer of 2006, Edith Brophy, Susan Emory, and Kitty Rogers began discussing quilts and quilting. By September 5, 2006, they had organized the first meeting of the Quilting Bees of Murfreesboro and thus the birth of The Quilting Bees of Murfreesboro. Our members come not only from the city of Murfreesboro, but from much of the surrounding area.

The Bees meet the second and fourth Thursday of each month, January thru October, meeting only the second Thursday of November and December. Our current meeting place is at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 1267 N Rutherford Blvd, Murfreesboro, TN from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Our mission is:

- To promote the appreciation and love of quilts, quilt making, and quilt collecting
- To encourage quilt making by providing inspiration and education
- To serve our community by providing quilts for local charities
- To provide opportunities for fellowship and sharing of common interests

The annual membership dues are \$35. This includes 15 membership to the Quilting Bees and \$20 membership to TVQA (Tennessee Valley Quilting Association). If you are a member of another area guild and have paid your TVQA dues through that guild, Quilting Bees will waive the \$15 for TVQA and you need only to pay the Bees dues of \$15.

Along with your dues we ask that each member sign up to help set up/tear down the meeting room a couple of times each year, help with the annual quilt show, and participate by working on or contributing a charity quilt.

Our website is Quiltingbees.org and we encourage you explore the site. You will find valuable information on the site – such as; upcoming classes, meetings, patterns, and pictures. You can find our handbook under the contact/about us tab.

If you are interested in becoming a member, please fill out the attached form and submit it along with your membership dues to any officer.

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____

Home phone _____ Cell phone _____

Birthday _____

Spouse's first name _____