Volume 50 Issue No. 5 May 2025



Cabin Fever Quilters' Guild

CELEBRATING OVER 40 YEARS

Northern Comfort

Highlights

13: Board Meeting, 6pm @ Noel Wien Library 20: General Membership Meeting, 7pm @ Faith Baptist Church 910 Chena Pump Rd

20: Begin Newsletter Submissions 27: NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Thank you Marcia and volunteers for a wonderful Quilt Slushy!

our paragraph text



***Please Send All Future Newsletter Announcements to cfqgnewsletter@gmail.com

MAY

5th Gayle Hazen 9th Lolly Carpluk

20th Michelle Wood

27th Margaret Kurzbard

31st Stephanie Conner



INSIDE THIS ISSUE:

General Information 1

Board Meeting Minutes 2

General Membership Minutes 3

Raffle Quilt Update 4

Announcement 5-6

May BOM 7

2025 Mystery Quilt 8-9

Small Quilt Auction Form 10

MORTHERN COMFORT is published monthly on the CFQG Website. Members are notified by email of the web posting. Paper copies are

the web posting. Paper copies are available via first class mail for an annual fee of \$25. Please inform Membership Chairman of any address changes.

ADVERTISING: Personal ads

ADVERTISING: Personal ads related to quilting are free to Guild members on a space available basis. Quilt related commercial ads: full page \$30, half page \$15, quarter page \$8. Payments should be sent with ad copy. The CFQG cannot accept responsibility for the content of ads.

CABIN FEVER QUILTERS' GUILD is

a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the appreciation and knowledge of quilt and quilt making. **MEMBERSHIP:** Non-members may attend twice as guests. Guild membership is open to anyone interested in quilts.

Annual Dues:

\$30 payable in October \$25 for Sr. Rate 60+ years \$25 extra for a mailed

Newsletter subscription, others can view on CFQG website.

NEWSLETTER SUBMITTALS:

Items/corrections are due by the 27th unless otherwise announced:

Email subject line MUST contain:

CFQG Newsletter

Acceptable file formats: WORD (.docx), Adobe PDF, JPG, TIFF,

(.docx), Adobe PDF, JPG, TIFF, BMP, GIF (Please include the 3 letter file extension)

When submitting an article,

please send in a Word or Google document.



President

Diana Wariner (206) 795-2504 diwariner@gmail.com



Vice President

Sharon Weekley (907) 322-9865

alaskantwilight@hotmail.com



Secretary

Carol Moore (907) 374-1697

caroljmoore@gmail.com



Treasurer

Bobbie Tar kiainen (907) 479-3209

thebagladiesoffairbanks@gmail.com



1st Director

Trish Immonen (907) 347-0562

snowlaydee@hotmail.com



2nd Director

Karyn Janssen (907) 488-2 834

chilkootwoman@gmail.com



3rd Director

Poppy Bleu Prino (907) 687-4176 poppy@houseofnoire.net

• •

Board Meeting

CFQG BOARD MEETING MINUTES

April 8th 2025

The meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m. by President Diana Wariner

Members present: Diana Wariner, Sharon Weekley, Jo Ann Lynn, Poppy Bleu Prino, Karyn Janssen, Bobbie Tarkiainen, Trish Immonan, and Carol Moore.

February Minutes: Karyn J moved, JoAnn L seconded, minutes approved as submitted.

Treasurer's Report: Report will be at General Mtg.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

FAIR: Diana W has reached out to Fair about superintendent for Quilt show, waiting on response.

RAFFLE QUILT 2025: Pat Fox has ordered tickets and will be in charge. Karyn J will move quilt around. BY-LAWS: Coleen T, Diana & Karyn J met, waiting for survey results.

WEBSITE UPDATE: website not working, Diana will email Stephanie

AUDIT: Due in April. Bobbie will bring records to general mtg for Karyn J.

NEW BUSINESS: none **Meeting adjourned:** 6:45pm

April General Membership meeting 4/15/2025 7 pm @ Faith Baptist 910 Chena Pump Rd

Next Board meeting 5/13/2025 at 6:00pm at Noel Wien Library

Next General meeting 5/20/2025 @ Faith Baptist Church 7 pm 910 Chena Pump Road

Submibed by Carol Moore

MAILING ADDRESS:

Cabin Fever Quilter's Guild PO BOX 83608 Fairbanks, AK 99708

GENERAL INFO

General Membership
Meeting

3rd Tuesday of month

@ 7:00pm

Faith Baptist Church 910 Chena Pump Road Fairbanks, Alaska

Board of Directors
Meeting

2nd Tuesday of month, the week before the General Meeting



TO SUBSCRIBE TO THE CFQG EMAIL LIST:

Instructions on Page 6

- Be a CFQG member in good standing.
- A GMAIL Email is needed

EXTREME COLD MEETING CANCELLATION POLICY

When the official outside temperature is -30°F or colder at noon, the meeting will not be held. Google "weather Fairbanks airport" at 12 noon to verify.

General Membership Meeting

CFQG General Meeting Minutes Apr 15, 2025

The meeting was called to order by President Diana Wariner at 7:00 p.m.

Welcome new member Desiree

Approval of Mar minutes - motion by Dorothy Stella, second by Pat Fox, motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: no report, balance same as last month, Audit postponed until next month

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Hospitality: Binder is circulating.

Sunshine Sue: Brenda Doggett – cards to Margaret Weideman & Dierdre Zeigler

Community Sewing: Elaine T-M: Have 1 quilt for binding, 7 to be quilted **Publicity**: Kat – sew insert for sandwich board - Quilt Slushy/Sew Flurries

Raffle Quilt 2025 - Karyn Janssen & Coleen Turner will move quilt, Pat fox will handle tickets

Laura's Quilt Slushy: Marcia Bryant - Successful, good time

Small Quilt Auction - Elizabeth Shapland - June meeting is deadline

Raffle Quilt Reveal - needs label name - Tailored Stars

Workshop Chair - Corlis T - Maria Shell (Anchorage) sent contract but no dates

3 day min, @ \$1200/day (6 hrs) 20 students \$600 for lecture teaches scrap improv or botanical Check website for samples. Elaine oved to table until we have class & dates determined. Passed.

Block of the Month: Winner Edna Telford. Sample for May displayed. Let Jeanne know if you have ideas of what you would like.

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS: Fill out meeting survey if you haven't already, put in box in front **DRAWINGS**

Door Prizes: Shirley Sterner, Brenda Doggett, Pat Fox, Trish Immonan, Dorothy Stella, Colleen

Pedretty, Carla Drvenkar, Carol Moore, Mary Hendrickson

Name Tag: Dambra Callahan

Fat Quarters: Elaine Thompson McGee

SHOW AND TELL

ANNOUNCEMENTS: LQS auction made \$190. Northern threads will be starting an open sew day. Reminder of Quilted clothes fashion show next meeting. Mystery patterns B & C on front table.

Meeting adjourned. 8:20 pm

Next Board Mtg: 6 pm 5/13/2025, Noel Wein Library

Next I Mtg: 5/20/2025 7 pm Faith Baptist Church 910 Chena Pump Rd

Respectfully submitted. Carol Moore, Secretary

A Year at a Glance 2025

Meeting is held 3rd Tuesday of the Month January

Quilt In the Snow Quilt Retreat

Jan 24 - 26

February

Secret Quilter Sister
Program begins
March

Spring Potluck with a Potholder Exchange & Parade of Aprons April

Laura's Quilt Slushy Quilt

Retreat

May

Spring Fashion Show

June

July

August

CFQG Quilt Show at

Tanana Valley Fair

CFQG - Small Quilt

Auction at the TVF

September

Sew Flurries – Quilt

Retreat

Membership \$ Due

October

Annual Dinner with Voting

Quilt Raffle Drawing

Challenge Fabric Project

Reveal

November

December

Holiday Ornament
Exchange







Taylored Stars Raffle 2025 Quilt Update!

Thank you Raffle Quilt Committee!

- 1st chair Pat Fox
- 2nd chair Karyn J.
- Quilt construction Completed by Tricha and Poppy
- Thank you Dayna for volunteering to make the Label!

Raffle 2025 Ticket Prices
\$5 per ticket
or
5 for \$20
Contact Pat Fox for
a book of Tickets

Announcements

Fridays Open Sew
At the Salvation Army Rec Center
Cost is donation unless there is a class.
Check Facebook page
Sassy Sweet Stitches
Sarah Shaw Croft

Beginner Quilters Small Group

1st & 3rd Wednesday of the Month @ Bethel Church on Farmers Loop 5pm-7:30pm

Bring a Sewing Machine in Good Working Order.
Beginner Sewing Lessons Available.

Current Project: 3 Yard Quilts

Contact Macia Bryant (907) 317-2185

New Members

New to the Guild? participate in drawings!

Meeting starts at 7pm, arrive a few minutes early to Enter your name in for the following drawings:

Door Prize

Name Tag -wear handmade guild nametag
Fat Quarter-one entry per fat quarter you bring
Block of The Month-Bring current month's block,
one entry per block, winner takes all.

Meeting goes over guild business and upcoming events.

Announcements, Snacks and Show and Tell follow.

HOSPITALITY

- Beverages: Catherine Harder
- Ice: Karla T-W
- Veggies and Dip: Mary Henderickson, Edna Talford, Betty Gordon
- Appetizers: Colleen Pedretty, Jeanne Snowden
- Sweets: Dorthy Stella, Kathy Richardson, Carla Dryenkar

FOR SALE: Grace Company mid-arm quilting machine, Q'nique 15R (with stitch regulator), and Cutie quilting frame (sits on a table), plus accessories: leader cloth, ruler base and templates, extra needles and bobbins, some thread. Purchased new several years ago and assembled but never used. Asking \$2500.

Contact Mary Beth Juday, 907-322-0347 or mbjuday@proton.me

Announcements

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

QUILTS OF VALOR

Sally Benevento: **Quilting Lions & Friends**





COMMUNITY SEWING

Join us on May 19 at Faith Baptist Church for our final sewing day this spring. After sewing in May, we will start meeting again in September. We will be creating a quilt top using the 46 blocks that were made at Quilt Slushy. Thank you to all the attendees that used some of their precious sewing time to create these blocks from the piles of half square triangles. We will also use some of the batiks from our supply using a pattern rescued from the free tub. Please bring your machines, give me a call when you arrive if you need help hauling your gear into the church.

We will be sewing from 9:30 – 2:30, as usual it will be a brown bag lunch affair, although I did hear a rumor that there might be brownies and ice cream for dessert! Any questions?

Elaine Thompson McGee 907-322-0448

Google Groups

The Guild uses Google Groups for communications. As I receive new membership information, I will send an invitation to you from the CFQG Google Group. You will receive an email from CFQG with a subject line of Invitation to loin.

All you have to do is click on the blue box that reads **Accept this invitation** and you will have joined the group.

If you have not received the email, the link is: https://groups.google.com/g/cfqg/

> Elaine Thompson McGee 322-0448 elaineltm@gmail.com

FAT QUARTER DRAWING







Sunshine Sue News

Cards Sent to:

Margaret Weidman Deidra Zeigler Kathy Richardson Bobbie Tarkainen

Please send any notices to bj.oils@hotmail.com



UPCOMING EVENTS

May General Membership Meeting

Fashion Show!!

If you have taken a quilt class from Sue **Gross or Coralis Taylor, share your** wearable art!!

Find us...



Webpage:

http://www.cfqgalaska.org Look for the forms, events, policies, etc.

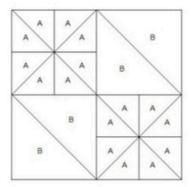


Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/CabinFeverQuiltersAlaska

Block of the Month

May Block of the Month Spinning Pinwheels





Fabric and Cutting

This block uses just three fabrics. Use fabrics that read red, white and black.

A-2.7/8" squares, cut diagonally into half square triangles (8 red and 8 white) – or – Make 8 red and white half square triangle units using your favorite method.

B – 4 7/8" square, cut diagonally into a half square triangle. (2 black and two white) – or – Make 2 black and white half square triangle units using your favorite method.

Sewing

Make your half square triangle units and piece the pinwheels. Next, complete the block as pictured.

Finished size is 8 inches, 8 ½ inches unfinished. Look at how great these simple blocks look when set together in a quilt top!

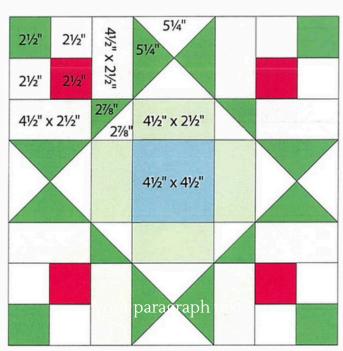


2025 Mystery Quilt

Month 4 - Block C



16" x 16" finished.



Cutting for ONE block C

Red

4-21/2" squares

Green

2-51/4" squares, cut twice on the diagonal to make 8 quarter square triangles 2-27/8" squares, cut once on the diagonal to make 4 half square triangles

4-21/2" squares

Blue: 1-41/2" square

Light Green: 4-21/2" x 41/2" rectangles

These pieces are cut on page 3:

White

8-5¼" quarter square triangles 4-2%" half square triangles

8-21/2" squares

Tan

8-21/2" x 41/2" rectangles





8

2025 Mystery Quilt

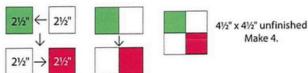
Month 4 - Block C

Construction

Use 1/4" seams and press in the direction of the arrows.

Join 1-2½" red, 1-2½" green, and 2-2½" white squares as shown.

Make 4.



2 Join a 27/8" green and a 27/8" white half square triangle. Make 4.





2½" x 2½" unfinished Make 4.

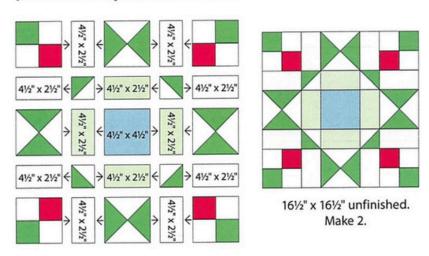
Join a 2 white and 2 green 51/4" quarter square triangles. Make 4.





4½" x 4½" unfinished Make 4.

Arrange and sew the units from steps 1, 2, 3, 8-2½" x 4½" tan, 4-2½" x 4½" light green, and 1-4½" blue square in rows as shown. Join the rows. Repeat to make 2 blocks.



9 MODAFABRICS.COM

Small Quilt Auction Form

Cabin Fever Quilters' Guild Small Quilt Auction

The small quilts are due on or before the July guild meeting. The last day they will be accepted for the auction is Fair entry day. Please label your quilt with a permanent marker or embroidered label, giving the name of maker(s), place made (such as Fairbanks or Alaska) and the year. Please pin the "quilt data" form below to your quilt before you turn it in. If you have any questions, please call Elizabeth Shapland Home: 474-4725 Cell: 378-2637

Small Quilt Auction Guidelines:

Size Range:

No smaller than 8" by 8" No larger than 100" around

Consider other than square shapes, i.e. oval, triangle, etc.

Fabric:

Preprinted fabric giving the false impression of pieced work is not what we are looking for. Use your creativity when using your printed fabric especially if you are fussy cutting or using parts of the fabric in appliqué.

Quilting:

Whole cloth quilting that highlights special quilting, hand quilting, machine quilting as well as tying are all acceptable.

Quality of Work:

Care must be taken to present QUALITY workmanship. The committee head will assure that all entries are well done and labeled by the quiltmaker.

Small Quilt Data

Width: Length:	
Construction / Finishing Techniques:	
Hand PiecedHand Pieced	and Embroidered
Er	nhanced Panel
Hand QuiltedTi	ed
Machine PiecedM	achine Embroidered
EmbellishmentsM	achine Quilted
Other	
Other Significant Information:	

Cabin Fever Quilt Guild PO Box 83608 Fairbanks, AK 99708

CABIN FEVER QUILTERS' GUILD MEETING

May 20, 2025



General Membership Meeting

7-8:30pm

- Wear Your Homemade Name Tag!
- Door Prizes
- Bring a Fat Quarter
- Bring Block of the Month