



Common Threads Quilters Guild

Welcome!

We are pleased that you decided to join
Common Threads Quilters Guild and look forward to quilting with you!

Meetings

3rd Thursday every month
10 AM – 12:00 noon
Set-up and social time 9:30 AM

Mills Chapel Baptist Church
85 Country Club Road
Newnan GA

Mission Statement

The CTQG is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing a supportive network to benefit all members by:

- ❖ Sharing of knowledge, skills, and experiences
- ❖ Fostering quilting education through programs, workshops, speakers, and teachers
- ❖ Providing a forum for an exchange of ideas
- ❖ Encouraging voluntary participation in Community Service projects to demonstrate love and support of others
- ❖ Organizing Friendship groups for nurturing and fellowship

MEMBERSHIP

- ❖ Membership year runs January 1 to December 31.
- ❖ Annual dues are \$30.
- ❖ You will receive a membership card which is renewable each year. Some quilt shops will offer a guild discount if you show your card.
- ❖ Name tags will be available at all meetings and functions. Please return your name tag at the end of the meeting!

WEBSITE

We have a great website to keep you updated on all that is happening in the guild. The website is our primary source of communication. The address is: www.commonthreadsnewnan.com

Under the “CTQG Member Roster” tab, you can view the Guild roster. Use the “Contact Us” button under the “Home” tab to request the password. The information may be used for Guild purposes only and may not be distributed or used for commercial purposes.

BY-LAWS

The Guild is governed by a set of by-laws which can also be found on the website. You are welcome to print a copy for yourself.



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COMMUNITY SERVICE

Community service projects are ongoing within the Guild. There is a committee that decides the projects and recipients of the items made by members each year. We support Mills Chapel Baptist Church, their ministries and sew to fulfill the numerous community needs.

THURSDAY SEWCIAL – Change for 2024

Guild members have the opportunity to meet the 1st Thursday at Mills Chapel Baptist Church from 10:00am -1:00pm. It is a wonderful time to share ideas and socialize while working on projects. All are welcome. Bring a lunch and join us.

We also meet for **5th Thursday Sewing** to work on special projects for our community.

SPECIAL MONTHLY PROGRAMS

In addition to educational programs, several special programs are held each year; celebration of the Guild's birthday in August, holding an auction fundraiser, and a Christmas luncheon.

WAYS AND MEANS

At each monthly guild meeting there is a drawing for quilting related prizes. This is a voluntary fundraiser. All proceeds benefit the guild. Tickets are available for purchase at the start of each meeting.

QUILTED NAME TAG

Some members wear a purple and green quilted name tag. Instructions for making one are on the website under the Patterns tab. Here is the direct URL:

http://www.commonthreadsnewnan.com/uploads/7/2/5/9/7259734/ctqg_name_tag_pattern_.pdf

FACEBOOK

Join the guild's private Facebook page "Common Threads Newnan". Members share their work, ideas, tips, even a joke or two.

VOLUNTEERS

Everything that happens within the guild happens because of a *volunteer*. There are jobs throughout the year that need *volunteers*. The guild is always looking for and needing *active participants* to keep the ideas fresh and the interests of all members addressed. The best way to feel like you belong is to become involved. *Everyone wins when everyone participates!*