

# Baltimore Modern Quilt Guild

**BMQG Newsletter – March 2026**

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*The purpose of the guild is to share knowledge of modern quilting techniques, patterns, modern fabrics and quilt-making by providing meetings, social gatherings, educational workshops and field-trips to support quilting activities, encourage modern quilt-making and promote the appreciation of this craft. The Baltimore Modern Quilt Guild supports and encourages the growth and development of modern quilting through art, education and community.*

## **March Events**

### **March**

Brandon Wulff 2-day workshop on Biscotti Quilting

**March 7 and March 13** (Virtual)

[Register Here](#)

### **WORKSHOP DESCRIPTION:**

Join textile artist [Brandon Wulff](#) for a two-part [Biscotti Workshop](#). This creative, hands-on experience takes place over two three-hour sessions held one week apart, allowing participants time to reflect, experiment, and return with new ideas for their second session.

In this workshop, you will learn Brandon Wulff's Biscotti process by creating a quilt top, cut it apart, rearrange the pieces, and sew it back together—a bold and intuitive process at the heart of Brandon's renowned Biscotti Technique. We will make a sample quilt top measuring about 32 x 20 inches that can be configured in multiple ways.



[Brandon Wulff](#) is an accomplished and talented artist who has found success in both quilting and life coaching. He is an Autistic individual who grew up in a fiber-focused family in London, Ontario, Canada, which provided him with a solid foundation for his future endeavors. With a background in hair styling, Brandon later pursued a career as a life coach and researcher before discovering his true passion for quilting

**March 8, 2026 – Meeting**  
**1:30-3:30 Meeting, Scrap Swap and Hand Sewing**  
**Cockeysville Branch of the Baltimore County Public Library**

**Brandon Wulff lecture – “Creative Odyssey: From the Trunk Show Biscotti”**

Embark on a journey of creativity and inspiration with Brandon Wulff as he presents  
**["Brandon Wulff's Creative Odyssey: From The Trunk Show to Biscotti"](#)**.

In this engaging talk, Brandon will take us through his artistic evolution, from the inception of The Trunk Show to the exquisite Biscotti quilt top.

Experience Brandon's unique perspective as an artist, entrepreneur, and individual. Gain insights into his personal growth as he shares his experiences as an individual on the Autism spectrum and his navigation of the quilt world's business landscape. Delve into the making of the Biscotti quilt top, exploring design elements, fabric choices, and the transformation of ideas into a stunning piece of art.

This lecture is a celebration of creativity, resilience, and self-discovery!

**Hand Sewing with Friends:** Join us for the March meeting and plan to stay awhile! We've reserved the room at the library for extra time! It was so fun to spend extended time with quilting friends at QuiltCon, and we want more of that in our regular life too so bring a hand sewing (or other handcraft) project and hang out with friends. The room will open at 1:00 and the meeting will officially start at 1:30. We can hang out until at least 4:00.

**Scrap Swap!** You're invited to bring your scraps to the March meeting for a scrap swap. Please bring them sorted by hue (red/pink, orange, yellow, green, blue, purple, dark neutrals, light neutrals). We'll have a table for each hue. You're welcome to take scraps even if you don't bring any. Any scraps leftover will be donated to the Bmore Fabric Swap at MICA on March 10th. (Please don't bring "crumbs" or super small scraps. They need to be big enough to be pieced into a project.)

**March 12, 2026 – 7:00**  
Amy Sherald Exhibit at the BMA

**Amy Sherald exhibit at the BMA:** Join your fellow guild members on **March 12th at 7:00 pm** to view the exhibit, *Amy Sherald: American Sublime* at the Baltimore Museum of Art. Read [this press release](#) for more about Ms. Sherald's deep roots in Baltimore. She is most famous as the artist who created First Lady Michelle Obama's portrait (with a dress that looks like a quilt!). Laura has reserved 15 (free!) tickets for our group. Please RSVP to Laura, [laura@baltimoremqg.com](mailto:laura@baltimoremqg.com) to join the group or with questions. Optionally, we are also planning to meet at RHouse at 5:30 for dinner beforehand so you're welcome to join in on that as well!

# April

**Meeting Sunday April 12th 1:30**  
**Arbutus Branch of the Baltimore County Public Library**

**Tribute Star Quilts to donate to House of Ruth:** Remember to bring your Tribute Star quilts/quilt tops to the April meeting for the group picture! The quilt is fairly quick and easy to sew, and we'd love for you to sew one, even if you didn't join in on the SuperBowl sew-in. Contact Laura, [laura@baltimoremqg.com](mailto:laura@baltimoremqg.com) if you need the pattern or have any questions.

## Homage to Baltimore Competition

The Homage to Baltimore competition is open now! An invitation from the City of Baltimore, presented by Mayor Brandon Scott: "We invite quilters and fiber artists of all backgrounds to submit original quilt works inspired by the spirit of Baltimore—past, present, and/or future. This is an opportunity to reflect on the city through fabric, whether your piece is abstract or literal, historical or cultural." The entry deadline is 4/1/2026. Find out more at <https://www.homagetobaltimorequiltingcompetition.com/>

## Charity Quilt Donations

Thank you to all who are and have been sewing charity quilts for the House of Ruth, Md.

Next delivery is March 10, 2026.

If you worked on a quilt for House of Ruth at our Sew-In on February 8<sup>th</sup>, please bring it/them to our April meeting. While you're welcome to bring them in any level of completeness, we would love it if they were complete.

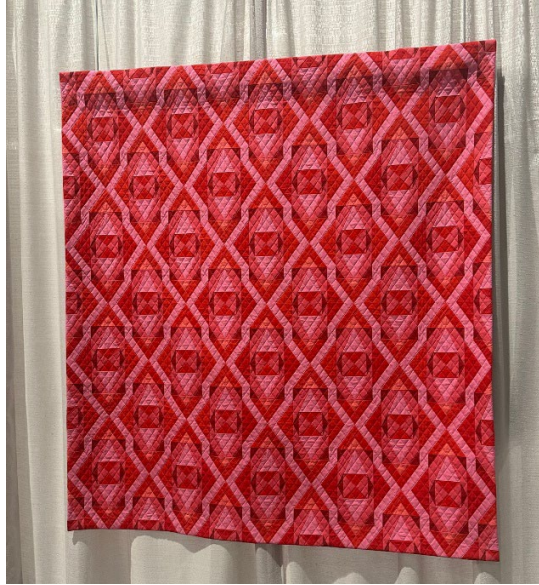
Our Charity Sew-in date is June 27, 2026 (Details for June to follow at a later date).

If you have any quilts to donate, please bring them to the meeting in March. Batting is available to go with the kits and will be at all the meetings.

Thanks, Amy Krebs - Charity







## **A quilt by our own Sarah Muslim Lefebvre – Broken Splinters from Fallen Stars from QuiltCon 2026**

### **Slack**

I hope you all got the invitation from Ronnie to join Slack. Slack is like a neighborhood bulletin board. Members can place messages for items for sale, or items needed, request for help or just share your completed project. This is not a mandatory signup, but it would be nice if we could get the majority of the guild on slack. If you didn't receive an invitation from Ronnie, just drop her a note.

[viessamy@gmail.com](mailto:viessamy@gmail.com)

### **Education Survey**

Thanks to everyone who filled out the education survey and please feel free to send any additional suggestions on what you might like to learn about through the guild.

### **Around Town**



**Tuesday, March 10<sup>th</sup> 5:30 – 7:30 Falvey Hall – MICA Brown Center.**

Learn more here: [Fabric Swap Details](#)

## **Threaded Resistance – Textiles, Gender, and Material Reclamation – March 28 1:00-2:30**

**In Hyman Forum at Goucher College**

For more information click [here](#)

## **Homespun: Textiles & Revolution**

**At Hays-Heighe House on the campus of Harford  
Community College**

*On view September 30, 2025 – July 31, 2026*

For more information and hours click [here](#).

## **The Northern Shenandoah Valley Quilt Show April 10-12, 2026**

For more information and hours click [here](#).



**Quilters  
Yard Sale**

**Saturday, March 14, 2026  
9 am - 3 pm**

**Clover Hill Clubhouse (Indoor!)  
8122 Glendale Drive  
Frederick, MD 21701**

**We have received many generous donations  
from our Guild members and the community.  
You won't want to miss this!**

**Books! Patterns! Thread! Notions! Rulers!  
Fabric, Fabric, Fabric!**

*Please note that entry to the clubhouse requires climbing stairs;  
this location is not wheelchair accessible.*

Yard Sale is hosted by and benefits Clustered Spines Quilt Guild, a non-profit guild (and non-profit 501(c)(3)) located in Annapolis, MD with a mission to share a love of quilts and quilt making through seminars, events, workshops, and community service projects.

Find out more at [www.clusteredsidesquiltguild.org](http://www.clusteredsidesquiltguild.org)



**Quilt Bingo 2026**

*Friendship Quilt Guild of Linthicum*

**Saturday, March 14, 2026**  
Doors open at 11:30am, Bingo starts at 1pm

*Elks Lodge  
160 Truck House Rd, Severna Park, MD 21146*

*The venue is fully accessible.  
Absolutely no alcohol permitted – we do not hold a liquor license.  
No one under the age of 18 may enter (as per the gambling license).*

**Every Bingo winner receives a quilt!**

Door prizes, Raffle baskets, Raffle quilt, Grab bags, Bake table,  
Lunch (served by the Elks)

**Tickets: \$30 via CheddarUp (\$32.18 with fees)**  
<https://my.cheddarup.com/c/quilt-bingo-2026/items>

*We are only selling tickets online. Click the above link or scan the QR code below.*



## **Links to other Quilting Articles and Events Nationwide**

**[World Quilts – The Ralli Story](#)** International Quilt Museum

**[Nationwide Quilt Show Calendar](#)**

### **Care Corner**

If you know of a member who is experiencing a loss, please forward that information to the Communications team of the Guild.

### **Looking Ahead**

#### **March 2026**

- Brandon Wolf workshop on 3/7 and 3/14.
- March 8 meeting with Brandon Wolf at Cockeysville Public Library.

#### **May 2026**

- May 15-17 Spring Retreat – details will be available at a later date.

#### **June 2026**

- June 14 meeting
- June 27 – charity sew-in.

#### **October 2026**

- October 8-10 Fall Retreat – details will be available at a later date.

### **Board Members for 2026**

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## **Typical Meetings**

We meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month unless otherwise noted.

We typically meet in Baltimore Public Library Meeting Rooms except during the summer. The library's policy is that we can only book rooms three months in advance. As such, please continue to check our website for meeting locations in the future. We are not dedicated to a single branch but rather select locations based on availability.

To attend the meeting by Zoom, use the following link.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87060038333?pwd=WwU8bdGcEMDc3My0yfl6M8JBpOKsLV.1>

If you have a friend who you think might enjoy our guild feel free to invite them to one complimentary meeting so they can see what we're all about.

For more information about our guild and a members only page, go to our website/blog

<https://baltimoremqg.blogspot.com/>

Want to see what we're up to? Connect with us on social media!

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