

Quilters of South Carolina

2024 Annual Spring Meeting

March 9, 2024

Camden City Arena
517 Bull Street, Camden, SC 29020

Our meeting this year will be held in the beautiful Historic City of Camden. Camden is packed with so much history and just a beautiful place to visit. The Camden City Arena will not be disappointing with comfortable space to connect with your new and old quilting friends. The all-day meeting will include an annual business meeting, 5 vendors, lunch, an opportunity to purchase tickets for the 2024 Opportunity Quilt and wonderful baskets donated by guilds and quilting friends.

Luncheon National Teacher – Kelly Ashton

Kelly Ashton, from Overland Park, Kansas will be our speaker at the Spring Meeting. Kelly is owner at Kelly Quilter Designs, <https://kellyquilter.com/>. The lecture on Saturday will be “Fussy and Fabulous: Let the Fabric Work for You! Kelly will be teaching two workshops. As a self-described “pragmatic quilt maker”, Kelly approaches quilt design and construction with a knowledge of and an appreciation for the theoretical and a penchant for the practical. Her mid-life realization that she truly may not live long enough to use all of her fabric stash has propelled her into “turbo quilt making mode”! Kelly’s quilt designs range from “quick and easy” to “challenging”, thereby providing offerings to quilt makers with a wide range of skills and experience. Many of her designs are “pre-cut friendly”. Kelly loves to teach, and she readily shares with her students the discoveries that she makes along her quilt-making journey while _____ encouraging her students to make discoveries of their own.

In addition to designing quilt patterns and Kelly teaches a variety of quilt-making projects and techniques using “modern” tools of the trade. Kelly is proud to be a BERNINA Ambassador and a Craftsby Instructor.

Workshop, Friday, March 8
Inner City or Tumbling Block - \$40

Supply List: Available after completion of registration. Only 20 spots available!

The **Tumbling Block** is a wonderful study in color and value, in addition to being the perfect learning ground for set-in seams! **6-hour workshop. Skill level: confident beginner and beyond.** (Book purchase NOT required. Kit required: \$25 project set of acrylic templates mandatory for each participant.) Purchase from the teacher the day of the class.



Inner City is also a great study in color and value. This quilt combines the best of both worlds (IMHO): some chain-piecing and some set-in seams by machine! **6-hour workshop. Skill level: confident beginner and beyond.** (Book purchase NOT required. Kit required: \$25 project set of acrylic templates mandatory for each participant.) Kit purchase from the teacher the day of the class.

Workshop, Sunday, March 10 : Painted Mountain - \$40



Painted Mountains is a beautiful project that explores color, proportion, and an unusual setting.

6-hour workshop. Skill-level: confident beginner and beyond. (Book purchase NOT required; \$25 kit required.) Kit purchased from the teacher the day of the class.