

DONATIONS COMMITTEE

The Donations Committee advises the QC Executive Board regarding the guild's financial support to other not-for-profit organizations. The primary guiding principle is that charitable donations be made to textile-related activities and causes. The Committee exists to free the Executive Board of the necessary groundwork in evaluation and selection of recipient organizations. The Committee works with the QC Treasurer to determine an appropriate total amount of donations each year.

Annual tasks include:

- **Spring and Summer.** Evaluate and select appropriate recipient organizations, in view of their relevance to QC interests and the total amount currently available for donations.
- **October,** Present a written report to QC Executive Board with recommendations for QC donations, including organizations, amounts, and other relevant information.
- **November.** The Executive Board votes on the Committee's recommended donations.
- **January.** Inform the membership of donations through an article in *Quiltations*.

Committee Structure: There is one Chairman and an unlimited number of members. QC members who wish to be part of the Donations Committee should contact the Chair, or the QC President. Each Committee member is free to present suggestions, which are researched and discussed with the Committee. The Chair seeks consensus among members for possible recommended donations. The Chair is also responsible for evaluating the guild's financial ability to contribute at the recommended level, and for providing a rationale to change the level of funding.