

What is a Member Guild?

A Member Guild ...

... is an organized group of quilters with a minimum membership of 15 or more, that agree with the purpose of our organization.

Our Purpose

QCNYS, Inc., a non-profit organization, was formed in 1986 for the following purpose:

- 1) To foster and promote knowledge and participation in all forms and aspects of quilt making.
- 2) To act as an information network for quilt guilds with similar objectives in promoting interest in quilt making.
- 3) To readily inform quilt guilds and individual members of resources available to them.
- 4) To foster education through the cooperative sharing of speakers, teachers and programs.

Why should your guild join?

- ✓ To promote your guild events to over 3000 quilters across New York State.
- ✓ To get ideas for programs and to network with other guilds.

What are my guild's obligations if we join?

- ✓ Promote QCNYS, Inc. sponsored events to your members.
- ✓ Get involved; attend delegate meetings and help to plan QCNYS events.
- ✓ Appoint two delegates to represent your Guild at our quarterly meetings.
- ✓ Send information describing your events for publication in our newsletter and for posting on our web site.
- ✓ Sell one raffle ticket, per guild member for our biennial raffle quilt.

What does QCNYS provide in return?

- ✓ Include your guild's President, Program Chair, Newsletter Editor and Delegates on the mailing list for all QCNYS publications.
- ✓ Provide up to two "delegate" notebooks full of networking information.
- ✓ Invite guild Program Chairs to participate in our annual meeting of Program Chairs to plan future events and share information.
- ✓ Provide all of your guild members with discounted rates for all QCNYS sponsored events.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact the Membership Chairman or the President listed on our web site, [www. CNYS.org](http://www.CNYS.org)

Quilters Consortium of New York State, Inc.
Application for New Guild Membership

Guild Name: _____ How many members do you have? _____	
Guild Mailing Address (if different than President): _____	
Guild Web Site: _____	
Meeting Day(s) & Time: _____ Location: _____	

Guild President: _____	Telephone: (____) _____
Address: _____	
Email Address: _____	
Guild Program Chair: _____	Telephone: (____) _____
Address: _____	
Email Address: _____	
Guild Newsletter Editor: _____	Telephone: (____) _____
Address: _____	
Email Address: _____	
Delegate: _____	Telephone: (____) _____
Address: _____	
Email Address: _____	
Delegate: _____	Telephone: (____) _____
Address: _____	
Email Address: _____	

MEMBERSHIP DUES	
Annual Membership is from January to December.	
Dues for new members shall be prorated based on the month joining.	
Please select the month the application is being submitted and pay the dues indicated.	
January-February- March -April	\$25.00 _____
May-June-July	\$20.00 _____
August-September-October	\$15.00 _____
November-December	\$25.00* _____
* Note, this payment will cover your dues for the entire next year. (You get two months for free.)	

Check or money order must accompany this application. Make checks shall be made payable to **QCNY, Inc.** Dues and fees are payable in advance and are not refundable.

Send application and dues to:
Linda Storrings, QCNY Membership Chair
291 Kline Road, Pennellville, NY 13132-3181

How did you hear about us? _____

As President of the Guild, I agree to the terms of membership and obligations.

Signed _____ Date _____