

Quilt Guild Bus Trips

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Sign Up Now for the Shop Hop

Thursday, July 27, 2017 East Tennessee Area Day Shop Hop 7 am to 7 pm

4 Stores:

- Two stores in Jonesborough: **Tennessee Quilts** (spending 2 hrs) (3 hrs if you skip the Sewing Bee) and the **Sewing Bee** (optional for 1 hr)
- After a delicious box lunch (Brown bagging allowed) we head on to Johnson City for **Bernina In Stitches** (for 1 hr).
- We then travel to our final store, **Heavenly Stitches** (for 1 hr) in Kingsport.

Each store is giving us **20 % OFF!** What a deal! A minimum of **31** ladies is required in order to keep the same price from two years ago of **\$45** each plus \$10 for lunch. Sign ups begin now at the June meeting and will need to be finalized at the July Guild meeting. If not enough members sign up in June then the trip will open for friends and family. No refunds unless there are more than 31 paid participants. The bus will depart from the Tellico Village Center and will make 2 additional pick ups/drop offs (Lenoir City Walmart and off Cedar Bluff exit of I-40).

Overnight Trip to the Fall American Quilt Society Show in Paducah, KY

Wednesday Sept 13 (leave at 7am) to Thursday Sept. 14, 2017 (back at 10pm)

Show promises to be as large as the Spring Paducah Show.

- **1st day:** Spend 2 hrs at the massive Hancock's of Paducah quilt store and 3 hrs at the show and vendors.
- **2nd day:** Spend all day at the show, vendors, in town stores, or National Quilt Museum. Bus departs at 3 pm.

With a minimum of 33 persons signed up, price would be **\$175** each and include bus, driver's tip, two day show admission and a shared bedroom with two double beds. For a single room the price is \$223. Additional pick ups would be made in Lenoir City and further west on I-40. Sign ups will begin in July and will finalize at the August Guild meeting. If not enough members sign up in July, trip will open for friends and family.