# Newsletter

### PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Welcome to all new and returning members.

Please remember that I will not be available from September 23rd to 30th as I will be out of town. While in Boston, I hope to be able to visit a number of quilt shops as Vermont, Maine, Rhode Island and New Hampshire are so close. Please contact another board member if you have a problem. Also, on October 1st I will be working nights from 11:00 p.m. to 7:30 a.m. If you need to contact me during the day please feel free to do so but I will have my ringer turned off on my phone and when I get up I will return calls.

Also, remember that Carol Bryant needs volunteer models for the style show on September 23rd.

A big THANK YOU to Tina Castillo for allowing the phone to be put in her home with the ringer off, Virginia Wright and Michelle Meyers for their work of disposing items not needed and labeling for storage along with planning and packaging everything. Also, a very SPE-CIAL THANK YOU to Cathy and Barry Wallace who did all the moving themselves as the movers didn't show up.

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped moved the quilt house. Thanks to Martha Schmidtzinsky for taking the time to contact Trinity United Methodist Church and getting Nadine to meet with the Board about us staying at Trinity United Methodist Church. As it stands now Harvest Fellowship hasn't started the construction on the gymnasium yet so no telling when will be able to get back there.

Now hopefully the weather will cool down and we get some rain and can begin quilting. Also, the Houston Quilt Show is coming up fast and I'm looking forward to going on Martha Robinson's overnight bus. This will be my 3rd year going and I really enjoy it.

I'm working on quilting some projects and have most of the my tops put together but now I need to work on the remainder of UFO's.

As my time for President winds down I'm looking forward to being able to sit in the audience and quilt while the meeting is going on.





### SEPTEMBER MEETING

Ethel Howey and Charlotte Keener read to us while Ruth Felty presented the September program and introduced members to our "STORYBOOK QUILTS"



project. Ruth showed the books used in the project, gave us a capsule summary of the stories and displayed the quilts described in the books or that are related to the story.

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### Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc.

Treasurer's Report August 31, 2000

Beginning Jefferson Operating	\$667.41
Beginning Balance (Jefferson Reserve)	\$27,041.93
Beginning Balance (Total Guild Funds)	\$27,709.34

### **INCOME**

Dues - Membership	20.00
Interest	62.12
Newsletter/Directory Ads	295.00
Other	78.85
Style Show	1,580.00
Workshops	110.00

Total Income \$2,145.97

#### **EXPENSES**

Administration	50.00
Bright Hopes	148.50
Facility	1,801.53
Membership	43.87
Newsletter/Directory	0.00
Patterns	76.86
Photography	118.61
Programs	178.51
QPC	117.53
Rent (Meetings)	105.00
Retreat - Summer	67.48
Telephone	43.87

Net Income	(\$605.79)

Ending Jefferson Operating \$ 2,999.50

Ending Jefferson Reserve Balance \$ 24,104.05

Ending Total Guild Funds \$ 27,103.55

### Garnette Hanson Treasurer



### **CALICO ROSE**

The Calico Rose award is presented to honor service by members above and beyond the callof duty. At our September meeting we recognized BERNIE FARRIS for her outstanding job as chair of the 2000 Auction. Congratulations, Bernie!

WEARABLE ARTS GROUP October 26, 2000 Ruble Center Rm 100 419 E Magnolia

Critique of GSAQG Style Show. Learn a new construction technique for making wearable art garments. Kay Allison 733-8578

## **ITC HONORS QUILTERS**



Quilt docents at the Institute of Texan Cultures - most of whom are GSAQG members - were given special recogni tion at the Annual Awards Banquet held on September

Receiving commemorative thimbles were: Lucille Shean, Kolodzie Harper, Ann Worswick, Helen Slattery, Eleanor Green, Lillis Atchley, Kay Allison, Dusty Sherrill, May Lively, Laura Matkin, Libby Trammel, and Mary Driggers. Besides quilting 6 or 7 quilts a year (one for the guild) the docents explain the art of quilting to Texas school children and visitors from all over the world.

### **NEWSLETTER INPUT**

**DEADLINE:** 

Midnight Monday, October 16 (the Monday after Guild Meeting)

Send to Larry Beauchamp, 3402 Clearfield, San Antonio, TX 78230; or e-mail to jlarry@satx.rr.com

# Bright Hopes

Now that you have all your garments ready for the style show, how about taking a quilt for Bright Hopes before you really get into the Christmas things. Idea—take one of our Chirstmas kits and it may help you get into the spirit.

Many thanks to those who helped us pack Bright Hope supplies and make kits on Thursday, 8/17. Kathy Church, Lovetta Fowler, Susan Johnson, Pat McClure, Carolyn Richardson and Carla Schladoer sorted and packed. It's amazing how much time it takes, but it is fun to go though all that fabic. Maybe we'll see you next time.



The Pin Droppers Bee has stuck again — 18 comforters for Bright Hopes. Thanks so much. Can any bee top that???!!!!



### **SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS**



We send our congratulations to Jane Hurley who came home from the Tulsa quilt show with an Honorable Mention award for one of her miniatures.

On a sadder note, we offer our condolances to Sandra Matthews on the passing of her husband in early September.

### Winter Retreat - 2001!!!



Yes, it's coming and we'll all be up to our ears in preparation, so now is the time to plan to join us for a welcome break after Christmas and pamper yourself. No cooking, no errands - just quilting, quilting, quilting! Doesn't that sound like heaven?

The Winter Retreat will be at Harambe Oaks Ranch in Fischer, TX. on January 19, 20 and 21, 2001. We will be there from Friday afternoon to Sunday afternoon. Your fee includes 6 meals and lodging for two nights. The cost is \$165. A deposit of \$25 will reserve a place for you. If you have questions, call Garnet Szurek at 599-6544 or e-mail to gszurek@msn.com.

### TOTE BAG WORKSHOP

Come help complete the tote bags for the Storybook Quilts to Go Project. The zippers are already in so all we have to do is to assemble the eight tote bags. This is also a wonderful chance to learn how easy it is to make a tote bag. Bring you basic sewing tools (pins, scissors, etc.). There are three sewing machines available, but if you want you can bring your own. If you have questions call me, Ruth Felty, at 695-8332.

TIME AND PLACE -

Saturday, September 30 - 9:30 am Hancock Fabrics 7046 Bandera Road (at Huebner)

# HOUSTON -



Still have some seats left for the bus to Houston. We will depart November 4, Saturday from the Trinity United Methodist Church about 0645. The fee this year will be \$30.00 which also includes the show ticket. Due to my schedule, I may not make the meetings, so please send your check made out to GSAQG to:

Janet Rutherford 16431 Strong Box San Antonio, TX 78247

Any questions, please leave a message at 490-2237.

Thanks, Janet



The Operations Center was a wonderful meeting place for our members and at its closing we want to thank those many volunteers who served as staff members. Only two lasted the full four years and four months: Sherry Allred and Ruth Felty. Amy Cottrell made it four years and most of the others served over a year. Those include: Judy Sanders, Marilyn Bellows, Joyce Efton, Nadine Darby, Charlotte Keener, Virginia Wright, Glenn Rabb, Kitty Janiga, Stephanie Martin and Lois Beauchamp. Many others served during the early years and we thank them all. A special thank you to Ruth and Amy who served as center managers. It would not have been possible without everyone helping. THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!



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There will be vendors and a judged show. For more information visit Austin Area Quilt

Guild websitehttp://www.aagg.org or call (512)448-5152

### October 21, 2000

Goldthwaite - Mills County Quilt show Sponsored By: Courthouse Steps Quilters

Mills County Civic Center 1103 Cline Street, Goldthwaite Show Times: 10 am - 4 pm; Admission Cost: \$2.00

Theme for this year's show will be "State Quilts." (any quilt with a state name in it). Divisions include Antique, Contemporary, Theme, and Wall-Hangings. It is a "People's Choice" quilt show. We usually have 75-95 quilts entered in all divisions from some great quilters! For more Information: Nan Pesch Route 3 Box 163 Goldthwaite, TX 76844 E-mail: ntiques@centex.net

### November 2 - 5 International Quilt Festival, Houston, TX

### February 17 -18, 2001

Round Rock - Hats Off To YOU

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CD Fulkes Middle School, 300 West Anderson Lane, Round Rock, TX Show Times: Sat: 10 am - 6 pm Sun: 1 -5 pm. Admission Cost: \$3.00

For Show entry Info: Eileen Shepherd, P. O. Box 235, Hutto, TX dandeshephard@aol.com, (512)759-3962

### February Feb 23-24, 2001

La Grange - Best Little Quilt Show in Texas Sponsored By: Colorado Valley Quilt Guild

Exhibit Hall, Fayette County Fairgrounds Hwy. 77N, LaGrange, TX

Show Times: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Admission Cost: \$3.00

An exhibition of Miniature, wall and baby quilts with "Minatures of the Heart" contest winners; special exhibits and vendors. This is an open show; anyone may enter! Entry deadline: January 22, 2001. Send large SASE for show information and entry form. Best Little Quilt Show, P. O. Box 165, LaGrange, TX 78945

### April 25, 26, 27, & 28, 2001

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### **Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Emergency Board Meeting - August 26, 2000**

President Cathy Baisley called an emergency board meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. at the Operations Center. Attendees were: Cathy Baisley, Renee Bradley, Marilyn Bel lows, Larry Beauchamp, Ida Tyson, Nadine Darby, Sylvia Jolet. Absent were Kay Allison, Garnette Hanson and Charlotte Keener.

The emergency board meeting was called to discuss the phone as the Secretary, Charlotte Keener found out we would need a place to plug in the phone in order to get CallNotes and keep our same phone number. We discussed the phone situation and we had a volunteer (Tina Castillo) who had a second phone line in their home and didn't mind the phone being plugged into the jack. The phone will not ring in her home. I supplied a cordless phone with the ringer turned off and hooked it up. A motion was made by Nadine Darby to allow the phone to be hooked up in Tina Castillo's home and seconded by Ida Tyson. Motion passed. Charlotte Keener was instructed to have the phone transferred to CallNotes, which would be done on Monday, August 28, 2000.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 a.m.

Submitted by Cathy Baisley, President

Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Board Meeting Weds. Sept. 6, 2000 Corp. Square Bldg. off 410 and Summit Pkwy.

Board Members Present: Marilyn Bellows, Larry Beauchamp, Renee Bradley, Garnette Hanson, Charlotte Keener, Cathy Baisley and Kay Allison.

President Cathy Baisley called the meeting to order at 7:20. She reported that Call Notes was now available on our phone number. The minutes of the Emergency Board meeting, Sat. Aug. 26th were read. Kay Allison moved they be accepted as read. It was seconded and passed. Treasurer Garnette Hanson gave her report as follows: Operating fund \$2,999.50, and Reserve Fund \$24,104.50.

Cathy read a request that Bernie Ferris receive the Calico Rose Award for the month of September. Larry moved that request be honored. It was seconded and passed. Cathy noted that a location for next years Auction be secured early for a better response and advertisement. She read a letter from Martha Schmidtzinsky concerning the General Meeting location.

Cathy also reported on the OP's Center and the good reports on all the work done to close this facility. Renee requested some sort of award for the staff of the OP's center. Some discussion was held. She will continue working on this. Marilyn is working on getting a chair for the Auction. She has a co-chair but needs another.

Kay spoke on the newsletter and the mailing. Charlotte asked about the Archives.

Garnette asked about mileage for teachers. Larry provided the answer.

Larry reported on the program.

Guest, Virginia Wright gave her report on the Op's center closing and the packing and the storing of the contents. She said everything went really well and she was pleased. The board expressed their gratitude to Virginia and her daughter Michelle for all their hard work.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Photography expenses were discussed. It was tabled until the next meeting.

Cathy read a letter nominating Cathy Wallace, Virginia Wright and Michelle Myers for the Calico Rose in October. Kay moved that we give all three the same time. It was seconded and passed. Larry moved that we suspend policy and give a special Calico Rose to Barry Wallace at the same time for his work in the OP's center move. It was seconded and passed. Larry presented the Treasurer with a bill to continue with the Web site.

Cathy than demonstrated how to use the Call Notes. There were no announcements, or Old Business. Meeting Adjourned

Charlotte Keener, Secretary.



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### Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild General Meeting-Sat. Aug.12,2000

President Cathy Baisley called the meeting to order at 10:00a.m. She welcomed all members and guests.

The minutes of the July meeting were approved as printed in the current newsletter.

Treasurer, Garnette Hanson reported \$ 667.47 in the operating fund and \$27,041.93 in the reserve fund, at Jefferson State Bank.

Cathy announced she will be out of town August 13th to the 18th. Please contact any board member if needed. She said a Chairman for the moving of the OP's Center was needed. She asked for a volunteer. Marilyn Bellows stated the summer retreat report would be given during Bring and Brag. Cathy Wallace spoke on the upcoming Fashion Show. Kay Allison has the entry forms for the challenge garment. Lois Beauchamp will represent the Guild on Channel 4, on August 28th to promote the Fashion Show. Carol Bryant also reported on the Fashion Show. There was some discussion of next years Auction.

Kay reported on the Newsletter.

Lucille Shean asked for blocks for the speakers at the I.T.C., to be used when doing lecturers for the children, on Quilting.

Larry Beauchamp called for sign-ups for the Ami Sims workshops in November.

Today's program will be Mini-Demo's by some Guild members. Next month, Ruth Felty will talk on the Story Books and Quilts Project.

Sylvia Jolet reported on the nomination committee and asked for volunteers to serve on that committee.

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS;

Cathy Wallace called for help on moving of the OP's Centers contents. Ruth Felty moved to appoint someone to make decisions on the items to be stored. It was seconded and a discussion followed. Virginia Wright volunteered to be the head of the moving committee. Nadine Darby will assist. The motion was voted on and passed.

### NEW BUSINESS;

A comment was made that the change of addresses and new members printed in the newsletter were not in notebook form as was previously stated. Kay said they were working on that. No further business.

Meeting Adjourned

Charlotte Keener, Secretary



Some "Bringers and Braggers" from the September meeting. Will we see your handiwork next month?

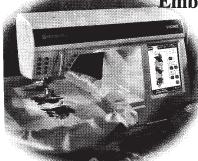






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### October 14 **Guild Meeting**

Meeting called to order 10:00 **Business Meeting** Adjourn 10:40 Announcements 10:40 Door Prizes Bring and Brag 10:50 **QPC** Presentation 11:10 **Guild Services** 11:15

### **PROGRAM**

11:45

### QUILTING ON THE INTERNET Laurie Mangold Stitch & Sew Quilt Shop

Lauri will bring us up to date on all of the fascinating things that have come along connected with quilting on the Internet.



She will talk about such diverse things as block swaps, fabric swaps, quilt galleries, buying fabrics and supplies and just exchanging quilting ideas on line.

Whether you are online or not you'll find this presentation interesting and informative.

# **Shooting Shuttles into Stars: A Papercut Applique Pattern** A word from guest Jan Davis:

Many of my friends have asked for a copy of this pattern. Elly Sienkiewicz and I designed this pattern at her Applique Academy in 1996. It is an eight-repeat paper cut pattern. Directions on how to use this pattern can be found in her book, "Papercuts and Plenty."

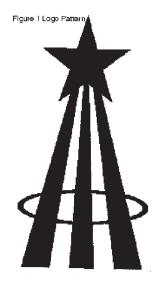
I made two blocks of this pattern, one for me and one for Elly. These blocks were flown into space in August 1997. Baltimore Album blocks are full of history and

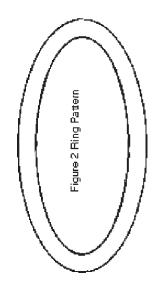


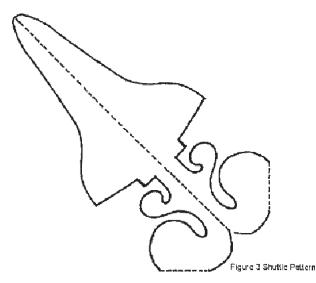
symbolism. This one is no different! The space shuttle launch is obvious, but the astronaut logo is also used. This logo has a lot of symbolism in itself, and pin fashioned from this logo has been given to every astronaut since the Mercury astronauts. A silver pin is given to each astronaut after he/she completes the candidacy training, usually one year. The gold pin is given to an astronaut after that astronaut's first flight into space!

You may use and reproduce this pattern as much as you want. The only favor that I ask is that you not make the astronaut logo gold/yellow. In keeping true to the Victorian ladies who made Baltimore Album quilts, the symbolism should reflect the history of our time. Please make the logo out of silver/gray so that the only "gold" ones have flown in space.

Making the logo is a little tricky. I made the three "legs," ring and star of the logo pattern separately (figure A). The ring pattern is pictured alone (figure B) but the logo pattern shows its placement (figure A). The back side of the ring goes behind the legs, and the front side goes on top of the legs. Place the logo between the shuttle cutouts (figure C). See finished block for placement (figure D).







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### **October Schedule**

OCTOBER 9 - BOARD MEETING

7:15pm, Corporate Square

**OCTOBER 14 - GUILD MEETING** 

10:00am, Trinity United Methodist

Church, 6800 Wurzbach

**QPC-AM** 

Following Guild meeting

OCTOBER 26 -WEARABLE ARTS

7:00 pm, Ruble Center Room 100

419 E Magnolia

KayAllison - 733-8578

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