# October Volume 34 Common Threads Issue 10

# Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc.



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# October 13th Guild Meeting

9:30 Assorted Activities 10:00 General Business Meeting @ Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church 8231 Callaghan Rd.

#### **October Program**

Sat. 10/6/12
Bi-annual Auction @
Oak Hills Country Club
Sat. 10/13/12
Barbara Sumlin's
Presentation

**November Program**Guild Bi-annual Garage
Sale

# Remember to bring to the meeting

- Name tag (wear it)
- Library books, & DVD's
- QPC projects
- Bright Hopes quilts
- Smiles for your friends

# President's Notes THE TIME HAS ARRIVED...

At various times over the past two years the Board has discussed changing the Newsletter delivery method to electronic. We have gone over every pro and con but still arrive at the same decision. Change is never easy but we have to look to make to the best decision for the Guild.

The Newsletter cost is \$225. to print per month, postage cost is \$35. (bulk rate with minimum requirement of 200) for an annual total cost of \$3120.

Expenses: Income:

 Storage
 \$5520
 Dues
 \$5000

 Meeting Rent
 \$2000
 Newsletter Ads
 \$600

 Insurance
 \$2000
 Total
 \$5600

Newsletter \$3120

Total \$12,640 As you can see, there is a (-\$7040.00) deficit.

How much does it cost to bring in a national teacher? Lecture, \$525, full day class \$750., half day class, \$525., air fare, hotel, excess baggage fees, mileage for an approximate total of \$2,800. Even with the increase in class cost we are still in the red for about (\$150) on the full day class.

Yes, we do make money on the biannual show but, it is never a guarantee that we will make the money, needed to carry the guild for the next two years. We seem to struggle every Auction, it is no longer the money maker it has been in the past.

The Treasurer's Report for September has a balance of \$52,296, and it looks like we have money. Now subtract the Wright CD's, \$13,566 which we cannot touch except for national teachers at a rate of \$1,000. per year and we are left with \$38,730. A poor Auction or poor show and we are sunk.

Therefore the decision to go to the electronic delivery of the Newsletter has been made. Those without an email address,or those wishing to still receive a hard copy of the Newsletter, will be charged \$15.00 for the mailed paper copy of the Newsletter. If this creates a financial hardship please talk to the Guild President or the 2<sup>nd</sup> VP for Information.

You will receive a paper copy of the Newsletter through 2012. In addition a notice via email will inform members that the Newsletter is available on the Guild web site. Electronically you will receive the Newsletter sooner and all pictures will be in color.

At the October meeting we'll have computer help available for those who need it.

Thank you for your support as we go forward with these changes.

Janet Miller

President GSAQG

## 2012 Program Notes

**October** - Barbara Sumlin will share what she has learned from her Ethel Howey Grant experience on Surface Techniques to transfer art work to quilt work. Believe it or not, it's time to sign up for the first workshop of 2013 Gail Garber! For more info go to her web site and check it out.

November - Guild Biannual Garage Sale

**December** - Christmas Party

January 2013 - National Teacher Gail Garber

Mary McCarthy 3rd VP for Programs GSAQG

# As a member of our guild you are allowed one business card size Ad FREE per year!

Send them to Melanie McInnis at quiltnews@dishmail.net or to Nancy Beasley at nancygbe@yahoo.

## **NEWSLETTER INPUT**

**DEADLINE** is Midnight the Monday after Guild meeting.

E-mail to quiltnews@dishmail.net is preferred, or mail to Melanie Mc Innis.

#### NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

	Monthly	Yearly
Full page ad	\$60.00	\$660
1/2 page ad	\$30.00	\$330
(horizontal -7 x 4 3/4		
vertical - 3 3/8 x 9 1/2	2)	
1/4 page ad	\$15.00	\$165
Business card (2 x 3.5)	\$10	\$110

## **MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

REGULAR DUES \$24
SENIOR (65+) \$18
YOUTH (12-18) \$6
Send your check to:
GSAQG
PO Box 380522
San Antonio, TX 78268

### January 2013 Program Sign Up Starts in Sept

Gail Garber is the guest instructor for January 2013. On Friday, 11 January she will be teaching a six hour class, "Scrumptious Star Stitchery" and on Saturday, 12 January there will be a three hour class, "Color and Contrast in Quilting". The cost for six hours is \$35 and for three hours it is \$20. Payment is due at sign up. There will be supply lists available at the September meeting. To find out more and to see some of Gail's amazing work, please visit www.GailGarber.com.

Special thanks to Bernie Farris for stepping right up for hostess duties; Bernie has had the pleasure of taking a class from Gail and the bonus of staying with the instructor - lucky girl!





Golden Carrot winner was Shirley Adair!!! Everyone turning in projects for

Bright Hopes
Storybook Quilts
and (QPC)
Quilt Project
Committee
are entered into a
drawing each month to
win prizes!!!



## **Library Information**

All members need to always beware of the great amount of information available on the guild's library database at Collectorz.com

http://connect.collectorz.com/users/saquilt/ books/view or our guild website, see the Library tab under Services, click on the link.

Jeannette Jay - Library Chair

Don't forget to see all the
Bring and Brag quilts
in color at our Web Site
www.sanantonioquilt.org

### Oct. 6, 2012 Auction News

ellenhernandez@hotmail.com, 210-520-1335 Thanks to everyone that helped on Sat to finish up all of the items for the Auction! We will have approx. 45 quilts for the live auction and 20 for the silent auction. Bring your friends and your \$\$\$\$!!! By the time you read this, the Auction will be only 4 weeks away. To make this event a success, we need the following:

- 1. BUY LUNCHEON TICKETS for yourself and your friends! They are \$25 prepaid.
  Contact Linda Etheridge @ 210-865-0272 or methridge@satx.rr.com. Oct 1st is the last day to purchase! Doors open at 11am for ticket holders only. They will re-open at 12:30 for Live Auction @ 1pm sharp. Silent Auction ends at 12:45am.
- 2. VOLUNTEER for the day of event, Saturday, October 6th, to hang quilts, assist with walking quilts to the stage, and bagging sold items. Contact Barbara Sumlin @210-436-5884 or barbara919@ aol.com.
- 3. ADVERTISE we have beautiful postcards that can be distributed to shops, groups, etc.









"The Romantic World of Robyn Pandolph"

An exhibit of quilts featuring her fabrics and patterns. Now through October 19, 2012 @ Galveston Historical Foundation's 1861 Custom House, 502 20th Street, Galveston. M-F, 9AM-5PM. Closed holidays (October 8). Free admission. Contact jenny@chiov.net for more information.

# A Call for Entries: Dear Jane - 150 Years of Quilts Inspired by the Civil War - January 11 - April 5,

In conjunction with the 150th year reenactment of the Battle of Galveston, the Galveston Historical Foundation is sponsoring a quilt show featuring quilts with a Civil War theme. We're especially looking for quilts based on the Jane Stickle quilt as popularized by Brenda Papadakis. We're also accepting quilts made primarily from Civil War reproduction fabrics, patterns, or otherwise influenced by the Civil War. Contact Jenny Chiovaro: jenny@chiov.net, 281-299-4665, for forms and more information. Submission deadline December 7, 2012.

Thanks,
Jenny Chiovaro
Guest Curator
Galveston Historical Foundation
Galveston, TX

Courthouse Steps Quilters 21st Annual Quilt Show

"Sampler Showcase"
October 20, 2012
Mills County Civic Center
1807 Cline, Goldthwaite, TX 76844

Admission \$4.00 10:00am-4:00pm

Categories: Theme (Sampler), Contemporary, Antique, Youth, Wall Hangings

Antique Bed Turning at 11:00/1:00/3:00

#### Demonstrations:

Doris Rice – Pieced Applique 10:30/1:30
Barbara Thornton – "Sheep to Shawl" Spinning 2:00

Featured Vendor – Joanne Heady Serenity Quilts of Many Colors, Brady, Texas

For more information Call 325-372-4638, 325-938-5780, or 325-648-2660 Email: bstew273@centex.net www.courthousestepsquilters.blogspot.com

Mills County Artisan Guild Fall Show

@ Civic Center Show Barn 1807 Cline,
Goldthwaite, TX 76844

(Annual quilt show held in adjacent civic center at the same time)

Saturday, October 20, 2012 9 am to 3 pm

Handcrafted items of all mediums Concession stand Available

For information, contact Sherry at 325-642-7256







# GSAQG Sunshine & Shadows ellenhernandez@hotmail.com 210-520-1335

One of our founding members, Lorna Eichling, passed away 7 August in Laporte, CO. Lorna contributed to many guild projects and was a worker bee with Pat Kelly and Molly Peacock. Lorna had moved to CO to live near her son.

Congratulations to: Mary Ruth Flores on her quilt, "If Georgia O'Keefe Did Grandmother's Flower Garden", that placed 2nd in Original Design category at Martha Vineyard's Ag. Fair.

AND, Holly Nelson who won Best of Show and 2 other 1st Prize ribbons at the Fredericksburg Show. How exciting to have award winning quilters in our Guild!

## **Happy Birthday to these Members!**

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SANDI	PRICE	10/01/
NANCY	EMBACK	10/02/
ALICIA	AVILA	10/04/
BEVERLY	WOLFE	10/05/
HOLLY	NELSON	10/06/
HELEN	BARTLETT	10/08/
MARITZA	RECUERO	10/09/
SUSAN	JOHNSON	10/10/
REBECCA	LEVY	10/10/
MARY RUTH	FLORES	10/12/
PEGGY	MERKIN	10/12/
KRIS	THOMSON	10/13/
MARTHA	SCHMIDTZINSKY	10/14/
DEE	SIMS	10/15/
MELISSA	ALLO	10/20/
LORETTA	VALENTA	10/20/
KOLODZIE	HARPER	10/21/
CAROL	BRYANT	10/22/
LORRIE	HENGEL	10/24/
MINDY	LOPEZ	10/26/
VICKIE	OWEN	10/28/
NANETTE	COOK	10/31/







### **Quilt Show 2013**

Start thinking about what you want to make and enter in the show NOW!

Theme: A Rainbow of Quilts Chair: Dea Jae Shore

## **Quilt Show 2013 Challenge**

#### **Challenge Rules**

- 1. Fat quarter must be purchased from the challenge chair, Holly Nelson.
- 2. Fabric must be easily recognizable in the constructed piece.
- 3. Any technique or combination of technique may be used in the construction.
- 4. The piece must be a finished quilt no larger than 200 inches all four sides.
- 5. The quilt must be the work of one person.

CA\$H Awards will be given to 1st 2nd & 3rd place quilts.

### GSAQG Treasurer's Report For eight months ending 8/31/12 By Cindy Shutt

	YTD Actual 2012	
	Budget	
REVENUES Contributions Interest	\$ 500.00 \$ 550.00	
Savings CD Interest Other income Magazine Sales Name tag fines Library Sale	\$ 8.49 \$ 361.62 \$ 0.76 \$ 1,000.00 \$ 530.45 \$ 450.00 \$ 19.91 \$ 25.00	1
Pin Sale Dues - Membership Newsletter/Directory Ads Quilt Show Mini Retreats Workshops	\$ - \$ 1,372.00 \$ 5,000.00 \$ 1,400.00 \$ 600.00 \$ 440.00 \$ 500.00 \$ 550.00 \$ 2,225.00 \$ 4,000.00	\$
Retreat - Summer Retreat - Winter Houston Bus trip Auction Total Revenues	\$ 6,825.00 \$ 8,000.00 \$ 9,769.25 \$ 8,000.00 \$ 1,170.00 \$ 2,400.00 \$ - \$ 20,000.00 \$ 25,172.48 \$ 50,525.00	
EXPENSES Administration: Administration Door Prizes Telephone Storage facility Rent (Mini retreats) Rent (Workshops) Rent (Meetings)	\$ 4,225.48 \$ 4,000.00 \$ 148.69 \$ 240.00 \$ 414.78 \$ 600.00 \$ 2,644.46 \$ 5,520.00 \$ 250.00 \$ 500.00 \$ 1,000.00 \$ 2,000.00	
Membership expenses: Membership supplies Newsletter/Directory printing Postage, Bulk	\$ 89.17 \$ 150.00 \$ 2,045.34 \$ 3,600.00 \$ 390.00 \$ 700.00	TO TO
Web page	\$ - \$ 300.00	
Quilt Show	\$ 559.87 \$ 1,000.00	
Community activities: Bright Hopes Storybook Quilts Community Outreach	\$ 465.43 \$ 1,000.00 \$ 249.88 \$ 400.00 \$ - \$ 150.00	
Membership Services & Activities: Sherry Allred Grant Ethel Howey Grant Library Patterns QPC Video Library Programs Workshops	\$ 650.00 \$ 650.00 \$ 1,000.00 \$ 1,000.00 \$ 117.19 \$ 300.00 \$ - \$ 50.00 \$ 298.76 \$ 500.00 \$ 77.84 \$ 250.00 \$ 4,649.09 \$ 7,000.00 \$ 4,550.00 \$ 5,000.00	\$
Self-sustaining activities: Retreat - Summer Retreat - Winter Houston bus trip Auction Total Expenses Net	\$ 6,856.64 \$ 8,000.00 \$ 7,459.25 \$ 8,000.00 \$ - \$ 2,400.00 \$ 241.49 \$ 10,000.00 \$ 38,883.36 \$ 62,810.00 \$ \$ (13,710.88)(12,285.00)	\$
Ending Jefferson Operating Ending Jefferson Savings SSFCU CD's & savings SSFCU Wright Class CD Total Guild Funds Cynthia Shutt, Treasurer	\$ 963.98 \$ 988.48 \$ 36,777.53 \$ 13,566.78 \$ 52,296.77	\$

## **GSAQG BOARD Meeting Minutes**

The September 3, 2012 board meeting of the Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild was called to order by President Janet Miller at 2:10. Present were Janet Miller, Dea Jae Shore, Cindy Shore, Donnis Todd, Sandra Bloom, Mary McCarthy, Barbara Sumlin, and guest, Sharon Ross. The August board minutes were approved as published.

<u>President—Janet Miller:</u> The board decided to recognize Sandra Bloom for chairing the Summer Retreat with a round of applause and agreed to use a donation from the Markey Cheney family to create a drawing to pay fees for members attending workshops.

President Pro-Tem—Dea Jae Shore: No report

Secretary—Donnis Todd: 3 hotline calls in August

<u>Treasurer—Cindy Shutt:</u> Reported July financials have been reviewed and approved and a current fund balance of \$52,306.74

1st Vice President/Special Events—Sandra Bloom: Reported that the Auction committee will meet to finalize plans. The board discussed the possibility of working with a quilt shop if quota is not made for the Houston Bus Trip. Sandra reported that the Winter Retreat has a waiting list. Dea Jae reported that the 2013 Quilt Show raffle quilt is at the long-arm quilter.

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President/Information/Melanie McInnis: Absent

3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President/Programs-Mary McCarthy: Reviewed upcoming programs and needs for September workday. The board decided to have a garage sale for the November meeting and charge \$10.00/table.

4th Vice President/Services—Sandi Price: Absent

<u>5<sup>th</sup> Vice President/Community Outreach—Barbara Sumlin</u>: Reported that Memorial quilt workday has been set and will be set for Trauma quilt.

Parliamentarian—Larry Beauchamp: Absent

<u>Unfinished Business:</u> Decided to stay with Thompson for printing but look at competitive bids for projects. Determined process for transition to use of electronic newsletter for majority of membership.

New Business: Approved suggestion to select Elf Louise as ongoing charity and designate one QPC project as donation quilt. Determined changes to membership form, decided to hold drawing to pay 2013 dues for one member to encourage payment by December 31 deadline, and to require members to show current membership cards by February 2013 meeting. Budget requests were turned in to Cindy Shutt. Approved motion to change workshop fees to \$35 for Friday and \$20 for Saturday workshops beginning 2013.

Adjourned: 3:41 Donnis Todd, Secretary

## **GSAQG GUILD Meeting Minutes**

The September 8, 2012 meeting of the Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild was called to order by President Janet Miller at 10:01. Present were 117 members and 2 guests. The August minutes were approved as published.

President—Janet Miller: Welcomed the West Houston Quilt Guild and the raffle quilt for their Pointing to the Future Quilt Show (April 5-6, 2013.) Welcomed and recognized new members. Recognized Sandra Bloom for chair of Summer Retreat with round of applause from membership. Announced receipt of \$500.00 donation from Markay Cheney family to be used in free workshop lotteries.

<u>President Pro-Tem—Dea Jae Shore:</u> No report

Secretary—Donnis Todd: No report

<u>Treasurer—Cindy Shutt:</u> Reported \$52, 296.77 fund balance.

1st Vice President/Special Events—Sandra Bloom: Sandra Lowell reported that 29 of needed 37 have signed up for Houston Bus Trip. Winter Retreat is full and has waiting list. Dea Jae Shore reported that few fat quarters remain for Quilt Show 2013 challenge and that raffle quilt is at quilter. Ellen Hernandez displayed a donation quilt for the Auction and announced that luncheon tickets must be purchased by October 1 and may be charged over the phone to Cindy Shutt. Ellen described projects for workday.

**2**<sup>nd</sup> Vice President/Information—Melanie McInnis: Janet Miller reminded guild that membership renewal will begin in October and announced a drawing of one payment of 2013 dues for those who pay by December 31 deadline.

3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President/Programs—Mary McCarthy: Reported on upcoming programs and announced a garage sale with \$10.00 tables for November. Barbara Sumlin presented information on October Ethel Howey Grant classes. Announced workshop fee increase in 2013 to \$35 for Friday workshops and \$20 for Saturday workshops.

4th Vice President/Services—Sandi Price: Announced that Lyn Komada and Cyd Hughes will head magazine/book sales. QPC: Carol Rouse awarded the Golden Carrot and explained projects for workday.

5th Vice President/Community Outreach—Barbara Sumlin:

Sherry Duringer thanked Sandra Retzloff, Gail Dickman, and Margie Swaney for help in preparing and delivering Storybook Quilts to Go. Announced that Forest Hill librarian requests quilters contact her by October to display quilts. Bright Hopes: Sharon Ross encouraged members to complete "puzzle" kits, explained projects and classes for workday, announced donation of 39 quilts and 49 totes, and new "dog to puppy" project to be completed by November. Parliamentarian-Larry Beauchamp: No Report

Unfinished Business: None
New Business: None

Adjourned: 10:37 Donnis Todd, Secretary



Welcome to our newest members Jeana Kubik, Cris Gutierrez, and Carol Steely! We are glad to have you in our



Sandra Bloom got a big round of applause for all of her hard work on summer retreat! Thanks for all you do Sandra!





Lani Nunley is shown in the two pictures above with some of the residence from the Villa de San Antonio Senior Living Community, with the quilts, that she and Ellen Hernandez have helped them put together. According to Darryl Greer the Wellness Director they are very thankful to have the volunteers from GSAQG which also include Kitty Janiga and Linda Kirk.

### **Bright Hopes Quilts and Totes for Charity**

The September work day was good fun! I forgot to have a sign-in sheet but think we had 7 for the "off-the-floor" class, 7 tote sewers, and 7 tote kit makers. The tote ladies created nearly 60 kits and totes! The "off the floor" class was a hit! Several people took materials to finish block sets, most admitted they could really get hooked on the process of sewing scraps of this and that together to create blocks. Hopefully you will get to see a project or two at the October Bring and Brag. Many thanks to everyone!

Sharon, Chair Bright Hopes Committee, bright.hopes.quilts@gmail.com

## **Quilt Project Committee (commonly known as QPC)**

QPC provides members an opportunity to try new techniques, or practice/improve the ones they already know. We provide kits with instructions, and fabric for blocks utilizing various techniques, both hand and machine work. Stop by my table and I will be happy to help you pick something out! Fifteen ladies worked on QPC projects at the Work Day. As a result, three tops were almost finished (and members took them home to finish); four more were started; the second corner was started on the hand applique quilt; work continued on the machine free motion applique quilt and hand pieced quilt; and some cutting and ripping were done. Thanks much! Hope you enjoyed the day!

The winners of the door prizes were Mary McCarthy, Robyn Beasley, Helen Bartlett, Gloria Webb, Margie Swaney, Nancy Beasley, Ellie Williams, Judie Miller, and Charlotte Pittman. Those who were not present at the drawing may pick up their prizes at the October meeting at the QPC table.

Carol Rouse - Chair - QPC 210-699-9363 carolquiltscats@yahoo.com

#### Storybooks and Quilts to Go

Don't forget to check out the eight quilts and books borrowed by the Forest Hills Public Library on Ingram Road to use in their summer reading program. The exhibition has been extended through September 20th. Librarian Sandra Griffith has asked for seasonal/holiday quilts to display this fall. If you or your bee is interested, please contact me for Sandra's information.

The Storybooks committee is looking for a few volunteers – we've been operating with a skeleton crew for two years and our distribution is growing beyond the capabilities of our helpers. If you'd like to help with distribution, inventory, logbook maintenance, guest reading at schools or any other related activities that come along, please contact me or sign up at a guild meeting.

We are always looking for more opportunities to share the Storybook program. If you have contacts in schools or public facilities where you know the quilts would be used and enjoyed, please let me know at the next meeting. I have brochures describing the program for you to give to teachers and librarians.

Sherry Duringer, Chair, Storybooks and Quilts to Go 210-347-9830 or sduringer@satx.rr.com

# Common Threads Bee Keepers List of Bee's

**Hand quilting Bee**- meets every Wednesday 12:30 to 3:30, Encino Park Community Center @ 1923 Encino Rio. We invite new members.

Open-Contact Judith Miller @ 210-497-3794 or Lori Branson @ 210-454-7170

**Bits n Pieces Bee**-meets on the 4th Tuesday of each month from 1:00-3:00 at the home of Karen Nanos. Bee is Full.

**Needle Benders Bee**-meets every Thursday at the Army Retirement Community at 9:30. Quilting on a frame. Open-call Kolodzie Harper at 277-0845.

**Wearable Arts Round Robin Bee**-meets at Creative Sewing Center on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.

Open-call Ida Blankenship at 690-0828.

Cut up appliqué Bee-meets on Monday's at Jean Powell's from 9:30-11:30. Bee is full.

**Scraps for Life Bee**-meets every Monday morning from 9:00-12:00 at Lackland Baptist Church., Open-call Dusty Sherrill at 673-6614.

**EWIP Bee**-meets every other Wednesday at Memories By The Yard. Bee is full Contact Bobbie Ashley 836-5658.

Friday Night Friends Bee-meets 2:00-6:00 at the Senior Center in Bandera.

Open-Contact Betty Brister at 830-460-7313.

Quilt-In-meets at 10:00 at Memories by the yard on the fourth Wed. of the month.

Open to all GSAQG members. Contact Shirley Carter at 452-3801 for further info.

Great Northwest Library Bee - Meets 3rd Sat. each month 10:00am-1:00pm

@ the Public Library on Grissom and Culebra. We Welcome New Members!











COMMITTEES					
Advertising	Nancy Beasley	685-2345	QPC	Carol Rouse	699-9363
Archivist	Dea Jae Shore	590-3013	Summer Retreat	Sherry Duringer	347-9830
Bee Keeper	Bernie Farris	695-4323	Winter Retreat	Marty Kraatz	679-6134
Bright Hopes	Sharon Ross	542-1464		& Linda Ethridge	865-0272
Community Ed	Donnis Todd	661-3530	Secret Sister	Melissa Allo	681-5722
Directory	Melanie McInnis	219-2365	Storybook Quilts	Sherry Duringer	347-9830
Folk Life Festival	Kay Allison	733-1744	Sunshine&Shadows	Ellen Hernandez	520-1335
Institute TX Culture	Kay Allison	733-1744	Videos & DVD's	Jackie Randall	492-8073
Library-Books	Jeanette Jay	924-2451	Webmistress	Dea Jae Shore	590-3013
Magazines	Ellen Hernandez	520-1335	Member Sign In	Kitty Janiga	710-1909
Membership	Gloria Hammond	590-6406		& Sandra Lowell	681-1901
Guest Welcoming	Terry Hooge	279-6458	Youth Alternatives	Charlene Carroll	699-8798
Newsletter	Melanie McInnis	219-2365	Fall of the Alamo	Mary Ruth Flores	410-4337
Photographs	Charlene Carroll	325-6870	Houston Bus Trip	Sandra Lowell	681-1901





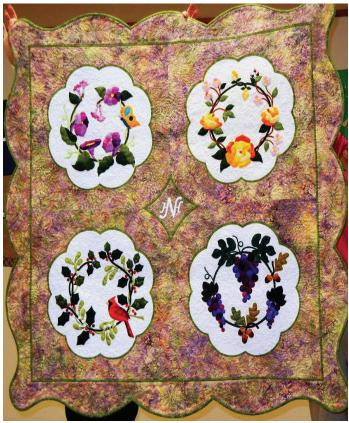








This is a QPC quilt the we will be donating to the "Elf Louise" Silent Auction. It is called "Lizards Like to Color Too". The blocks are by an unknown maker, it was set at guild workday 2011, Sandi Price did the borders, and Bernie Farris quilted it.



This is Holly Nelsons "Best of Show" award winning quilt that she entered in the Fredericksburg Show. Congratulations Holly!



Bernie Farris put her own spin on this "Old Glory" quilt that she did in golds and mid tones, the original one was in Red, White, and Blue. Beautiful work Bernie!







Bernie Farris also made this "Spurs" 18"x16" machine pad. GO SPURS GO!





# GSAQG Membership Dues for 2013 Please Re-New your dues in

October or November!!!
(We will NOT be taking \$\$\$'s
@ December Meeting)

\$24 for 64 and under

\$18 for 65 and older

\$6 for 6-18 yrs old

We can now take a credit card for your dues!!!

Everyone **MUST** fill out the form on the next page and bring to a guild meeting or mail to:

**GSAQG** 

PO Box 380522

San Antonio, TX 78268

Everyone that pays their dues by 12/31/12 will be entered into a drawing for one year of FREE Dues in 2013!!!!

# **GSAQG 2013 MEMBERSHIP**

All current members **MUST** fill this form out when Re-Newing each year.

Date	Membership Expires 12/31/13	PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY
Please check ALL the New ( ) RE-Newal ( ) New Hard copy of Newsletter via re	w Address ( ) New Phone # ( ) New	email() Corrected BDay()
First Name	Last Name	
Address		
City	State	Zip + 4 digits
Phone # ( )	Email address	
Birthday (Mo/Day)	_	
Amount Paid \$	Check# Pd. In Cash	
Credit Card #		
Credit card info is NOT neede	ard Expiration Date/ 3 digits Sec ed when we are able to swipe your card. croyed when transaction is complete.	curity Code from back of card
GSAC	QG 2013 Committee and Volu	unteer Programs
Phone #	e-mail	
Please check ALL th	nat apply:	
I am interested in:		
Joining a Bee		
Being a Guild Officer		
Chairing/Co-chairing a Comm	ittee Serving on a Committee	_
Presenting a Program 1	eaching a Class	
Hosting a Teacher		
Other Skills/Ideas (plea	ase list on back)	

Please consider helping, by doing your part, and volunteering for a job that needs to be done.



Helen Bartlett did both of the above quilts. On the left is "Poppy Meadows from Keep Sake quilts that she said she would NEVER do again! On the right is "Bluebonnets at the ARC" of the landscape where she lives. Just beautiful Helen!



Maritza Recuero is very proud of the above quilt, it was her first quilt and is all hand quilted!!!! She also made these two wall hangings that she calls Amish #1 & Amish #2. She made them in 2005 while living in Panama. She said she doesn't even know how to machine quilt! Amazing job Maritza!



Jeana Kubik started this Dresden Plate in one of Ida Blankenship's classes and is giving it to her son's fiance as a shower gift next week! She is a new long arm quilter and she quilted the one on the upper right and the one below on the left. They are both for our upcoming Auction next month! Thanks for helping out Jeana! Do I Hear \$200? \$300? \$400 \$500 or even more????



This Auction item has mens ties in it! Go to the web site to see it in color!



Sandra Lowell has a new long arm business and has been busy! The 36"x45" on the left is called "Hungry Animal Alphabet" and the one on the right is a Twin size of Christmas Scraps from an exchange. It is good to use them up! Somehow we always seem to have tons!



Sister Roberta Haby made both of the above quilts. On the left is a multi colored "Trip Around the World" that Marilyn Bellows quilted. On the right is a blue and white "Pineapple" that is a donation to the retirement center for their auction.





Ann Blake did this beautiful fall colored leaf design called "Springdale 1937". It reminds her of the fall leaves where she grew up! Thanks for showing it to us Ann!



Carol Bryant did this Original Design using the Dog to Puppy challenge fabric. One persons dog ugly fabric is another persons Dinosaur Quilt! Awesome Job Carol!



Patti Beasley made this beautiful "Stained Glass" from a jelly roll she got for only \$3.99!!! It turned out GREAT! On the right is another of her creations that she looked at for 8 months before she figured out what it was trying to tell her. I is truly an amazing example of a "one Block Wonder" Since she had no takers to finish is by Friday, she will give it to the school for their auction next year. Thanks for the laugh Patti!



Betty Brister shared this "Disappearing 9 patch w/ Extravagant Borders" She just LOVES extravagant borders! Gorgeous Betty!

Mary Ruth Flores won a 2nd place ribbon (see it in someones hand on the upper left of the quilt) for this "1/2 Hex called "If Georgia O'Keeff did Grandmothers Flower Garden" in all hand dyed fabric. WOW!!!



Gail Dickman took on the project of making this quilt to go with one or our Story Book's called "Grandfather's Story Cloth" she added embroidery to some authentic Hmong textiles to produce a perfect reproduction of the quilt in the book! Great job Gail!



Charlene Carroll's Shawl that is modeled by Sandra Bloom, and Patti Beasley's Peacock made by Linda Ethridge are examples of the things that are done in the Wearable Arts Round Robin Bee that meets on the 3rd Tue. of the month @ 6pm @ Creative Sewing Center on West Ave. New group starting on 9/18... Come join us for a fun time!



Sharon Wilson's first quilt top is HUGE and impressive! She hates the pink color in the middle. I think it is beautiful!!! Quilt it, and if you still hate it I can take it off your hands!!! I'm sure you are not alone. How many of us have UFO's that we don't like anymore?

#### The Alzheimer's Art Quilt Initiative

The Alzheimer's Art Quilt Initiative (www.AlzQuilts. org) is a national, grass roots organization whose mission is to raise awareness and fund research. It auctions and sells donated quilts through the <a href="Priority: Alzheimer's Quilt Project">Priority: Alzheimer's Quilt Project</a> and sponsors a nationally touring exhibition of quilts about Alzheimer's called <a href="Alzheimer's Illustrated: From Heartbreak to Hope">Alzheimer's Illustrated: From Heartbreak to Hope</a>. The AAQI has raised nearly



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Oct. 6th Bi-Annual Auction

Lunch @ 11AM Live & Silent Auction @ 1PM @ Oak Hills Country Club

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