

## Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc.



www.sanantonioquilt.org  
210-695-8737

### August 8 Guild Meeting

9:30 Services  
10:00 General Business Meeting  
@Saint Andrew Presbyterian Church  
8231 Callaghan Rd.

### Program

Ida Blankenship

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 Letter

**Melinda Bula** is a quilter to remember. She presented our program with nostalgic humor and beautiful quilts meant to instruct, enlighten and inspire. Her unique applique techniques did just that. Our members who took her workshops on Friday and Saturday will surely produce some art quilts to make us all proud.

We welcomed 6 new members - Kate Bauer, Brenda Belluzzi, Jackie Hager, Eileen Lentz, Nora Liebovitch, Lauralinda Sierra. I hope each one finds here new friends, new ideas and quilting inspirations. 133 members were present, with two visiting guilds showing us beautiful quilts.

Many times I have said similar words to you : learn more to enjoy quilting more! We encourage you to start new projects, try new products. Find the spark to get you to a new level. Start a new quilt.....life is more fun when you do.

August's program is from me to you.....some details you may need to know about **quilt labels**, some new developments, and some examples you may not have seen before. Please join us . See you there!

Sincerely,

*Ida*

## New Members



## 2014 Program Notes

August is our own Ida Blankenship who will present ideas on exciting and innovative quilt labels you can use for all your quilts.

### **THE MAKING AND VIEWING OF WHY QUILTS MATTER: History, Art & Politics: Behind the Scenes of a Landmark Documentary**

Shelly Zegart, the Executive Producer and series hosts, of the documentary, *Why Quilts Matter: History, Art & Politics*, will lecture on the behind-the-scenes "scoop" on the making of the documentary. Please join us at the September meeting when Shelly "tells all" in this informative and entertaining multimedia presentation. Also after the general meeting, plan to join us to view an episode of the nine-part documentary series that is changing the way people think about quilts. After viewing the episode, "Empowering Women One Quilt at a Time," Shelly will lead a discussion group afterwards that will be similar to a book club type discussion. Please register to attend the afternoon discussion group so we can insure that everyone has a copy of the discussion guide. The cost is \$5.00.

### NEWSLETTER INPUT

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

**E-mail [quiltnews@sanantonioquilt.org](mailto:quiltnews@sanantonioquilt.org)**

### NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

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

### MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

**REGULAR DUES \$24**

**SENIOR (65+) \$18**

**YOUTH (6-18) \$6**

**Send your check to:**

**GSAQG**

**PO Box 380522**

**San Antonio, TX 78268**

## GSAQG Board Meeting Minutes

7/6/2015

Ida Blankenship called the meeting to order at 3 pm. Also attending were Karen Lambdin, Sherry Durringer, Dea Jae Shore, Carol Bryant, Cindy Shutt, Jeana Kubik, Linda Ethridge, Judith Miller, and 5 visitors.

The minutes from the June board meeting were approved as presented in the newsletter.

Ida suggested a month's delay on the Calico Rose Award.

One of the visitors presented a special request to the board to expel two members from the guild as a result of an incident at the Summer Retreat. The board tabled the discussion for a month until more information has been received.

**Secretary** – Karen Lambdin reported a phone problem wherein the guild phone was down for a week. But the problem is now corrected.

**Treasurer** – Cindy Shutt reported total cash and savings \$76,197.83.

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President for Special Events** - Carol Bryant reported that the award ribbons are ordered and badges completed. Almost all the vendors are paid up, and the program ad deadline has been extended. Winter Retreat and Houston bus trip registrations will begin this month.

Linda Ethridge requested donation of some items from the Coggins Estate for the Silent Auction at the show, and the board approved.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President for Information** – Dea Jae asked for ideas for the Power Point presentation; some ideas were Winter and mini- retreats, Silent Auction, boutique, and reminder of quilt show entry deadline. The guild still needs a photographer for the meetings. Dea Jae would also like to start training an apprentice to eventually take over her position in future. The newsletter may be a little slow this month due to personal reasons.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President for Programs** – Rebecca Cook. There is one opening in Friday's workshop and the Saturday class is full. In August, Ida will present a program on quilt labels. In September, Shelly Ziegert will present on her documentary. Cindy asked if we can sell Shelly's books and CDs as consignment, where the guild will get a portion of the proceeds, and the board approved.

**4<sup>th</sup> Vice President for Services** – Jeana Kubik announced that the QPC has worked 480 hours on their new storage and projects. Magazine sales and DVD check-outs are way up. Jeana will be making new signs for the tables with a map on the back for take-down. The La Grange raffle quilt will be at the September meeting.

**5<sup>th</sup> Vice President for Community Outreach** –

Sherry Durringer reported a busy month.

The ITC worked the Folklife Festival; they totaled 454 ¾ hours for the second quarter.

The Community Quilt Angels have worked 95 hours the second quarter. They will be inviting members to help on July 23<sup>rd</sup>.

The Storybook Committee worked the Floresville Mini-maker Faire and totaled 75 ¾ hrs in the second quarter. They have a new school participating in the Fall.

Quilters Save Our Story committee will be resuming interviews this month.

Community Education reported 141 hours of service in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter. They have been working at retirement homes and elementary schools.

The quilt donated to KLRN Blazing Gavels Auction brought in over \$400 and garnered lots of publicity for the guild and the quilt show.

Bright Hopes reported working 2289 hours for the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter.

All total, the hours worked in Community Services were 3075 hours for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter (April, May and June).

**Parliamentarian** – Linda Ethridge is forming a nominating committee and needs committee members. Judith Miller and Jeana Kubik stepped up. There are 4 offices up for reelection this year.

#### **Additional Business**

Melissa Allo discussed her suggestions for a disclaimer for all retreat goers to sign. Barbara Sumlin also sent some suggestions for the board to review. Ida is forming a committee to amend the forms. There will be a one month delay on registration for Winter Retreat until the disclaimer is completed. Dea Jae suggested the forms be reviewed by a lawyer.

The Quilt Angels requested shelf space in the storage building. A motion was made, seconded, and approved to purchase shelving at \$110 for the Community Quilt Angels.

The board reviewed several job description updates. Each board member will email updates to members for review.

Board members asked for more information about the incident at the Summer Retreat and Ida read a report from Camp Lone Star. It was moved to not expel any member from the guild at this time. The motion was seconded and approved by vote.

The board recommended the two members in conflict not be allowed to attend any retreats for one year.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:45pm.

Respectfully submitted by Karen Lambdin, Secretary

## **GSAQG Guild Meeting Minutes**

July 11, 2015

Ida called the meeting to order at 10:03 am and welcomed visitors.

The minutes were approved as presented in the newsletter.

Janet Miller encouraged members to apply for the Ethel Howey Grant which has a deadline of August 1<sup>st</sup>. She has not received any applications yet.

Treasurer – Cindy Shutt reported a balance of \$76,197.83. She asked members to make a note when they pay for guild items with a credit card.

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President for Special Events** – Carol Bryant reminded members of the quilt show entry deadline of July 18<sup>th</sup>. Holly Nelson has forms and is in need of more entries.

Bernie Farris reiterated the call for entries saying there are 150 entries so far and there is space for 300. She also reminded members to sell those raffle tickets.

Glenda Harris will be taking reservations for appraisals next month.

Janice Painter has sign-up sheets for volunteers at the show; volunteers will get free entry and free parking that day.

Linda Ethridge is looking for sewing-related items for the silent auction.

The raffle ticket sales drawing was won by Paula Fernandez.

Ida asked members to sell program ads to local businesses and has extended the deadline to July 31<sup>st</sup>.

Sandra Lowell will be registering for the bus trip to Houston. Cost is \$62 for the trip, entry to the show, breakfast snack, water and a boxed dinner. After August, if the bus is not filled, Sandra will open the registration to non-guild members.

Melissa Allo has postponed the Winter Retreat registration until August.

Mary McCarthy announced a meeting at the break for auction volunteers.

**2<sup>nd</sup> vice President for Information** – Dea Jae Shore discussed the Guild Facebook page which has 437 likes. Facebook is used for guild advertising.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President for Programs** – Rebecca Cook. There are 3 openings in today's workshop.

Ida will present a program on quilt labels in August.

The September program is Shelly Ziegert speaking about her documentary "Why Quilts Matter". There will be an afternoon discussion with a fee of \$5 and a limit of 50 persons.

**4<sup>th</sup> Vice President for Services** – Jeana Kubik reported 480 service hours by the QPC this quarter.

The Golden Carrot was awarded to Armenda Lopez.

Members were encouraged to check out blocks from the QPC, DVD's from Jackie, and new books at the library.

**5<sup>th</sup> Vice President for Community Outreach** – Sherry Durringer reported 3075 service hours for the last 3 months.

The quilt donated to the KLRN Blazing Gavels Auction brought in more than \$400.

There will be a list of committees in this month's newsletter for those who would like to participate in some of the many guild service groups.

The Quilt Angels are asking for patriotic blender fabrics. They will be meeting July 23<sup>rd</sup> at Barbara Sumlin's home and all are welcome. It will be a potluck and meet from 9:30 – 4. Please call Barbara or Janet Miller if interested.

Mary McCarthy and Ellen Hernandez will be interviewing for Quilters Save Our Stories. Call Mary or Ellen if you would like to participate.

Carol Steeley of Bright Hopes Committee has lots of quilt tops needing quilting. Irene Moffett won the special Bright Hopes drawing.

Linda Kirk announced that the Storybook challenge blocks are due. Only half have been turned in. Please bring the finished block or the unfinished kit next month. In the fall, Linda will need help delivering to the 20 participating schools. She has a top turned in that needs quilting and finishing. At the moment, there is a Storybook exhibit at the Forest Hills library.

There were 133 members and 9 guests at the meeting. Ida reminded members to wear nametags.

Ida welcomed six new members and gave them an information packet and a guild pin.

There was no new or unfinished business. The meeting was adjourned at 10:45 am.

Respectfully submitted, Karen Lambdin, Secretary

## Photographer

Still looking for someone with regular attendance and computer skills to take photos at the guild meeting. You should be able to manipulate the files to rename, resize, crop and correct color. Also be able to zip files for emailing. **I am willing to train someone who is interested.** Contact Dea Jae.



## Treasurer's Report

For six months ending June 30, 2015

	YTD Actual	2015 Budget
<b>REVENUES</b>		
Interest		\$ 500.00
	Savings	2.04
	CD Interest	142.62
Other income		1,000.00
	Magazine Sales	146.25
	Nametage fines	16.00
	Newsletter Postage	90.00
	Contributions	1,676.02
Dues - Membership		5,315.00
	Pins	20.00
Newsletter/Directory Ads		833.00
Quilt Show		19,609.00
Mini-Retreats		960.00
Workshops		505.00
Retreat - Summer		9,475.00
Retreat - Winter		7,920.00
Houston Bus trip		2,500.00
Auction		0.00
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$ 46,709.93</b>	<b>\$ 87,130.00</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
<b>Administration:</b>		
Administration	\$ 2,830.06	\$ 4,800.00
Equipment Purchase		\$ 500.00
Charitable Contributions		
	Janitorial	\$ 100.00
	Sunshine & Shadows	\$ 25.00
	Memorial Quilt & Bios	\$ 25.00
	Permanent Quilt collection	\$ 25.00
Door Prizes	20.00	220.00
Telephone	156.71	50.00
Storage facility	2,519.10	3,400.00
Rent (Meetings)	980.00	2,100.00
Rent (Workshops)	280.00	700.00
Rent (Mini retreats)	280.00	0.00
<b>Membership expenses:</b>		
Membership supplies	26.35	675.00
Newsletter/Directory printing	478.89	700.00
Postage	95.34	350.00
Webpage	251.35	0.00
<b>Quilt Show</b>	<b>2,196.14</b>	<b>33,000.00</b>
<b>Community activities:</b>		
Bright Hopes	390.00	1,200.00
Storybook Quilts		400.00
Community Outreach		
	Community Education	300.00
	Quilt Angels	250.00
	Save Our Stories	43.84
	ITC	50.00
<b>Membership services &amp; activities:</b>		
Sherry Allred Grant	325.00	325.00
Ethel Howey Grant	1,000.00	1,000.00
Library	244.63	300.00
QPC	192.61	350.00
QPC Finishing		350.00
Video Library	110.82	250.00
Programs	2,487.80	3,000.00
Workshops	1,424.28	5,000.00
<b>Self-sustaining activities:</b>		
Mini-Retreats	678.06	0.00
Retreat - Summer	9,428.51	8,500.00
Retreat - Winter	7,919.79	8,500.00
Houston bus trip	200.00	2,500.00
Auction	33.58	500.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>34,692.86</b>	<b>79,835.00</b>
<b>Net</b>	<b>\$ 12,017.07</b>	<b>\$ 7,295.00</b>
Ending Jefferson Operating	\$ 26,059.51	
Ending Jefferson Savings	1,111.07	
SSFCU CD's & savings	37,583.53	
SSFCU Wright Class CD	11,443.72	
<b>Total Guild Funds</b>	<b>\$ 76,197.83</b>	

Cynthia Shutt, Treasurer

# Library News

Summer news from the book library,

Over a dozen books were inventoried into the library from generous donations at the July meeting:

Sampler Supreme	Catherine H. Anthony
Winning Ways	Connie Hester
...at the Lake	Country Threads
Dutch Windmills Quilt	Anne Dease ( <i>a Quilt in a Day Publication</i> )
Easy & Elegant Lone Star Quilts	Shirley Stutz
Quilt Lovers' Favorites Vol 3	Better Homes and Gardens
Faces and Places	Charlotte Warr Anderson ( <i>fascinating appliqué!</i> )
Art Quilts – Fusible Collage Workshop	Washlowski, Anderson, Zieman
More William Morris Applique	Michele Hill ( <i>beautiful!!!</i> )
Love Letters	Whistlepig Creek Prod. ( <i>letter templates for quilts</i> )
Sashiko Made Simple	Bernina Books Limited ( <i>Japanese quilting by machine</i> )
Biblical Blocks	Rosemary Makhan ( <i>this is our 2nd book in this series</i> )
Kraft-Tex Style	Roxane Cerda ( <i>projects for the Kraft-Tex material</i> )

This list represents those books that were inventoried in! There were just as many that were donated but were passed over to the Magazines as they were duplicates, weren't quite quilt related, or other reasons. Let me remind members, if you have some books you want to donate, I can certainly check them against our database to see if we have them. You have the option to keep your books and pass them on as you see fit if we don't need them.

Go to our web site, look for the Services tab, see the Book Library where you will see a link to the Collectorz site where our database is kept. Or just go here: (<http://cloud.collectorz.com/saquilt/books/view>)

If you have been looking for a book, I can search by author, title, or technique. But sometimes that is even limited. Google your search to narrow down the book you need. Then, get onto our database and see if we have it. Drop me an email and I'll bring it to the next meeting.

Jeannette      [jayjay@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jayjay@sbcglobal.net)



Check out the **Bring and Brag** items at  
[www.sanantonioquilt.org](http://www.sanantonioquilt.org)

Click on the services drop down menu and the  
on the Bring and Brag link



Golden Carrot Winner: Arminda Lopez



Each time you turn in a project to Bright Hopes, Storybook Quilts, Auction, Quilt Projects Committee or complete any other service to the guild, you are given chances to win this prize. (Note: be sure to sign your name on the white side of each

ticket you receive! I'd hate to draw a blank ticket or one that I can't read the name. If they are stapled together, remove the staple and sign each one.)



Thanks to all the members who participated, we turned in 480 hours this last quarter. This month there were 82 blocks turned in at the meeting.



## 8.15 Pieces of the Past, 64: Mary Mannakee 1850 Baltimore Album Quilt, by Ellen Hernandez



In 1916 at a junk shop on D Street in Washington, DC Mrs. Benjamin Catchings purchased a very dirty quilt for **\$6.00**. After having it dry cleaned she **cut off** the borders to make two pairs of drapes for her Yorktown, VA home. The remaining center of the quilt was hung on the wall. Little did Mrs. Catchings know that this was a unique antique quilt with 25 original appliqué blocks made in 1850 by/for Mary Mannakee Nicholls of Rockville, MD. Inscriptions were found on the quilt, "Miss Mary E. Mannakee Sept. 20th 1850" and "Mary, remember me. William Thomas Johnson 1851."

The album *quilt* - **in five pieces** - was later donated to the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) Museum on D Street, Washington, DC in 1945. Over the years the pieces were cleaned, re-sewn, studied, displayed, and photographed. In 1996 members of the Baltimore Appliqué Society were permitted to reproduce the blocks for a fundraising quilt benefiting the DAR Museum. The Society went on to publish a book with patterns for the 25 blocks which can still be purchased today. Many quilters copy the original red and green color scheme while others add yellows, pinks, and blues.

Through September 5th of this year the DAR Museum is highlighting the Mannakee and other quilts in the *Eye on Elegance Quilt Exhibit: Early Quilts of Maryland and Virginia*. There are four categories: Appliqué, Albums, Pieced, and Migration (MD and VA quilt styles that moved from Europe across the US.) You can explore the exhibition online at [eyeonelegance.dar.org/exhibition](http://eyeonelegance.dar.org/exhibition).



**GREATER SAN ANTONIO QUILT GUILD, INC.  
ETHEL Y. HOWEY GRANT PROGRAM**

**MISSION**

The Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild (GSAQG) has established a grant program in honor of a loved and esteemed founding member, Ethel Y. Howey, whose accomplishments and influence extended into the international quilt world. The grant is to encourage the pursuit of education in the study of quilt making and to recognize the importance of quilting in today's society as an art form, as an instrument of healing, as part of our legacy, and as a common thread which binds all in friendship.

**PURPOSE**

The purpose of the grant program is to fund projects that will have long term impact on preserving the heritage and further the art of quilt making. The grant may be used to cover expenses such as fees (including conferences, workshops, etc.), travel, lodging, meals, materials and books. The grant(s) will be awarded annually, not to exceed \$1000. The Grant Committee may divide the monies between more than one recipient. The GSAQG is not obligated to award the entire \$1,000 or any part thereof, if the quality of the proposals does not merit it.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Applicant must be an active GSAQG member in good standing for the previous **two (2) years** immediately preceding the grant deadline.
- An applicant must show evidence of an interest in continuing to improve and innovate in the field of quilt design, construction, history or technique.
- Financial need will NOT be a criteria for selection.
- Grant recipients are ineligible to reapply for grants for three years. Grant committee members are ineligible for grants while serving on the committee.

**PROCEDURES AND DEADLINES**

- Applications must be submitted **on or before August 1** (current year), and the grant will be awarded at the following January Guild meeting.
- If the recipient fails to fulfill the requirements or is unable to attend the proposed project or program, the grant money must be returned within **three (3) months** of the cancellation, or on a time-line agreed to by the committee and the applicant. If an alternate applicant is available, the money may be transferred to the alternate with approval of the committee.
- Recipients must be willing and able to share with GSAQG the new skills, techniques, or information gained. This may be in the form of a presentation, a workshop or other process that disseminates the information to the members in **the year following receipt of the grant**. Scheduling must be coordinated with the 1st Vice President for Programs.
- If a workshop or program is being presented, **at a minimum of (3) three months before** the scheduled Guild workshop or program, a lesson plan and class sample will be presented to the Ethel Howey Chairperson, the 1st Vice President for Programs and one Guild member-at-large.
- Recipient must submit, in writing, a final report of the project and expenses **by March 1** of the year following receipt of the grant.

**GSAQG ETHEL Y. HOWEY GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION PROCESS**

Following the stated time line, submit a typed or hand written application, not to exceed two (2) pages. Include the date, your name, address, phone numbers, email, number of years a GSAQG member, and explain:

1. Why you would like to receive this grant
2. How you will use the grant funds, including a specific budget
3. How you will share your new skills, techniques and information with the membership.

Feel free to provide any additional information that will help the selection committee.

Mail to: Janet Miller, Chairperson  
GSAQG Foundation Grant Program  
16942 Hidden Oak Woods  
San Antonio, TX 78248

Time Line example:

\*1 Aug. 2015-application due  
\*1 Jan. 2016-grant awarded  
\*2016-grant money used/  
classes attended  
\*Mar. 2017-written final report  
due  
\*Aug. 2016-presentation to  
review committee  
\*Nov.2016-workshop  
or presentation to Guild  
membership

## COMMITTEES

Advertising	Nancy Beasley	685-2345	Summer Retreat '16	Nancy Beasley	685-2345
Archivist	Dea Jae Shore	590-3013	Winter Retreat '16	Melissa Allo	681-5722
Bee Keeper	Bernie Farris	695-4323	Save Our Stories	Ellen Hernandez	520-1335
Bright Hopes	Carol Steely	804-920-3637		Mary McCarthy	679-8464
Community Ed	Kitty Janiga	710-1909	Secret Sisters	Melissa Allo	681-5722
Folk Life Festival	OPEN		Storybook Quilts	Linda Kirk	647-4844
Institute TX Culture	OPEN		Sunshine&Shadows	Ellen Hernandez	520-335
Library-Books	Jeanette Jay	219-8880	Videos & DVD's	Jackie Randall	492-8073
Magazine Sales	Ellen Hernandez	520-1335	Webmistress	Dea Jae Shore	590-3013
Membership	Cathy Baisley	823-3977	Member Sign In	Kitty Janiga	710-1909
Guest Welcoming	Terry Hooge	279-6458		Sandra Lowell	512-484-1307
	Lani Nunley	680-4182	Youth Alternatives	Joan Parro	918-671-3914
Photographs	OPEN		Houston Bus Trip	Sandra Lowell	512-484-1307
QPC	Gail Dickman	315-3607			
	Nancy Beasley	685-2345			
QPFC	Ida Blankenship	690-0828			



Sunshine and **Shadow...**

ellenhernandez@hotmail.com or 520-1335

Condolences to Doris Patterson on the loss of her husband of 64 years, Joe M. Patterson USAF COL Ret, who passed away 8 Jul. Plans include a chapel service Wed, 15 Jul @ 12:30 at the Army Retirement Center (ARC), graveside @ 2:15 at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, with reception following @ ARC.

Ellie Williams is home recovering from hip replacement.

Carrie Lyons is scheduled to have knee replacement on 4 August.

## Quilt Show Boutique

I will have inventory sheets available at the August meetings. You can also find the inventory sheets on the guild web site.

Just a reminder, each item must have a detachable price tag that includes the inventory number (from the inventory sheet), your 3 initials, a brief description and the asking price, in 25-cent increments. You will receive 80% of the asking price after tax. There is no dollar limit on items you wish to sale.

Please arrange to pick up your items after the show Saturday evening September 26th, if you are unable to pick up your items yourself, please have some one do it for you.

I would ask that as each of your visit the show and shop the vendors that you take the time to stop by the guild boutique and see all the wonderful things we have for sell. You just might find that perfect Christmas gift for a bee member or a birthday gift for a family member or friend or just something special for yourself.

Janice Frankenberger

## SOS

The Quilters' Save Our Stories committee is looking for helpers. Guild members are interviewed following a set pattern of questions. Conversation ensues. No experience is required. The reward is priceless. Please contact Mary McCarthy or Ellen Hernandez if you would like to be part of collecting these important stories.



## Community Outreach Opportunities

### – Sherry Durringer, 5<sup>th</sup> VP for Community Outreach

One of the things I enjoy most about serving as 5<sup>th</sup> VP is seeing up close how many different ways this guild touches the San Antonio community. Several of you have asked about how you can get involved. For our new members (and for the rest of us), here's a list of our current committees and the chairperson(s) for each:

**Bright Hopes:** Makes small tied comforters and tote bags for children to distribute to nonprofit community service organizations. Currently supplying quilts to the San Antonio Children's Shelter. Contact Carol Steely.

**Community Education:** Provides quilt-oriented educational programs to the public. Contact Kitty Janiga.

**Community Response:** Evaluates written requests for quilt donations from community organizations and makes recommendations to the Board of Directors for approval. This committee is currently inactive, but we are receiving an increasing number of requests. If you would be interested in chairing or serving on this committee, please contact me.

**ITC Quilters:** Volunteers who hand quilt on the frame at the Institute of Texan Cultures and interact with visitors during regular museum hours and at special events. The next docent training (required) is in October. Contact Cathy Wallace or me.

**QSOS (Quilter's Save Our Stories):** Records oral histories of quilters and their quilts. Photos and transcripts are forwarded to The Quilt Alliance. Contact Mary McCarthy or Ellen Hernandez.

**Quilt Angels:** Established to make or finish quilts requested by organizations in the community with worthy causes. Contact Janet Miller or Barbara Sumlin.

**Storybooks and Quilts To Go:** Distributes story books and quilts to area public and private school libraries and teachers. Contact Linda Kirk.

**Youth Alternatives:** Collects and delivers donated items to an organization founded to provide shelter and care for youth in crisis. Contact Joan Parro.

### Tropical Paradise

#### The Art and History of Hawaiian Quilts

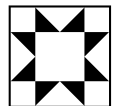
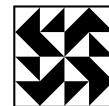
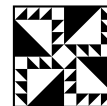
By Ruth Artler Felty



Hawaiian quilts were inspired by tropical flowers and other Hawaiian symbols. See examples in this eleven quilt exhibit.

**Dates:** July 10 – August 31, 2015

**Memorial Branch Library**  
3222 Culebra Road  
San Antonio, TX 78228  
210-207-9140



## Beauchamp Permanent Collection



### Diadem Star Variation

20 blocks, each measuring 16.5" x 16.5" in an unknown pattern that combines elements of Le Moyne Star, and Ice Crystals. Set straight 4 x 5. There are no borders, but sashing measuring 2.5" in width, green printed cotton fabric with red cornerstones.

Edge Treatment: 1/4" straight grain binding from back to front then hand stitched to front of quilt

Quilting Designs: quilting is individualized to blocks, outline quilting, with change in thread color to compliment colors in blocks

### Announcements at the Guild meeting

The procedure for announcements at the monthly guild meeting. If you have an announcement, please fill out a form available at the sign in table or at the front board table. Turn it in to sign in table or Karen Lambdin at the front board table and your announcement will be presented before Bring and Brag during the monthly meeting.



*Reanna Lily*  
*Designs*

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*A Quilter's Delight.*




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**August Schedule**

**August 3 Board Meeting 3:00 PM**  
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**August 8 Guild meeting 10:00 AM @**  
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