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NEWSLETTER

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SPECIAL APRIL MEETING LOCATION



Our regular April meeting (on the 13th) will be held at University Methodist Church, corner of Vance Jackson and DeZavala. This is a one time only change of meeting place.

April 13 Guild Meeting (at University United Methodist Church)

Meeting called to order

Business Meeting

Adjourn 10:40

10:40

Announcements
Door Prizes
Bring and Brag
Guild Services

PROGRAM 11:45 H. D. Wilbanks Hobbs Batting

President's Corner

LOOKING AHEAD

It seems that the HELP WANTED ads did not work. We have not been able to fill the board positions but getting people to volunteer for committees, co-chairs and assistance has been well represented. Doris St George has resigned from facility fund (mini raffle) but Angela Knaack and Lauri Evans will handle that along with the patterns. Ruth Felty has needed an assistant for Storybook Quilts and Barbara Gilstad has come forward to work with Ruth. Thank you Angela, Lauri and Barbara.

It may seem early to be talking about the elections for 2003 but a nominating committee will be formed soon to look for new officers for next year. One of the positions will be for President. When I ran it took quite awhile before I finally made my decision but I was encouraged by several people otherwise I may not have run. Talk it over with family and friends. Anyone that might be interested can talk to me or any former President. Of course this goes for anyone interested in any other officer's position.

This is my favorite time of year when the trees and spring flowers are in bloom. This month we have the Fourth Annual Bluebonnet Patchwork Trail on April 5 thru 7. I hope everyone that goes has a good time.

Don't forget this month's meeting will be held at University United Methodist Church at 5084 De Zavala Road.

See you there Betty Opiela

Upcoming Programs

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Michele Kincaid Trunk Show: Appliqué: Design & Technique Workshops: Bluebonnets, A Choir of Angels

- * JUNE
 Creative Sewing Center
- * JULY
 Bright Hopes

LAST MINUTE NOTICE!!!

The organizers of Viva Botanica notified us the middle of March that they were cancelling participation in the event by the Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Inc. They are apparently revising the basic theme of the event. If you signed up you should have heard from Charlotte Keener. If you were just planning to "show up" to work you won't need to now!!!



America the Beautiful Style Show and Luncheon September 21, 2002 Embassy Suites Hotel 7750 Briaridge Drive Price: \$27

How Many Pieces?

Hopefully by now you have decided on a design for the garment(s) you plan to enter into our style show. But just how do you begin the construction? Basically there are two methods of construction.

One method is to sew all pieces together making fabric then cutting the pattern pieces from this. Method one works well for uniform blocks such as squares, 9 patches, star blocks or similar patterns. Construct a piece of fabric for each pattern piece: a large one for the back and two smaller ones for the fronts. Cut out the pieces then put together according to the pattern directions.

The second method is to cut a muslin foundation piece for each pattern piece then begin mounting the blocks or patches to this foundation. Use the sew and flip method to hide the raw edges or cover the edges with braid, ribbon or bias tape. When using this method keep in mind where the seams will join so that your patches do not look chopped off.

Whichever method you use, have a good time and enjoy your creative side.

Ruth Felty

GENERAL PROGRAM INFORMATION

Lectures & Trunk Shows: During Guild meetings (Saturdays)

Workshops:

All Day Workshops: Fridays before Guild meetings

9:30am to 4:00pm

Cavender Buick Community Room (I-10 @

UTSA Blvd)

Half-Day Workshops: Saturdays immediately following Guild

meetings

1:30pm to 4:30pm

Trinity United Methodist Church

Questions, Comments or Suggestions: Please contact Holly Nelson @ mhnel@earthlink.net, or by writing her at 19502 Wittenburg, San Antonio, TX 78256.



AUCTION 2002

I am Helen Johnson and I have accepted

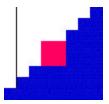
the position of chairperson for the Auction Boutique.

You should be thinking of quilt related items that you can place in the boutique for June 29, 2002. Boutique items should be priced at \$50.00 or less. You may choose to donate the items or sell them with a 20% commission to the Guild.

Call or email me, if you have questions. Phone: 210-522-9439 email: ljohnson@stic.net

BOOK LIBRARY

Well I learned a valuable lesson. Listen with both ears! I owe a big "I'm sorry" to Nancy Nehring! I thought she was going to take over the books but she was saying no. And I did not get the message until after the new Directory went to the printers. So don't call Nancy for a book question, call Mary-Ruth, and if anyone is interested in taking over the books let me know, also we could use some more help at the meetings. My address is wrong in the directory, the correct address is 8752 Rochelle, San Antonio, 78240. The phone of 694-6059 and the email of aagarita@satx.rr.com are both correct. Call me if you have any questions



Red, White and Quilt! July 7th-12th, 2002 Camp Lone Star LaGrange, Texas

We're still taking registrations for this fun event. Now is the time to decide to give yourself a "special" summer vacation from everything but quilting!! Everyone is welcome, not just guild members, you can invite your "nonguild" friends to join you.

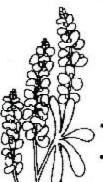
You can pay your \$35 deposit anytime between now and the May meeting with the \$235 balance due at the May meeting. Your fee covers everything - your room...your food...your rest and relaxation(?)...and whatever else you can think of! Four classes are being offered in addition to several other goodies. Not sure what it's all about? Ask someone who's been or call Sherry Allred, 210-656-0237 or Amy Cottrell, 830-981-8832.

BRIGHT HOPES

March was another banner month for Bright Hopes. 19 Comforters were turned in and 25 checked out. Then those Pin Droppers dropped in with another 33 comforters. Great work!!! Thank you from all the children.

Susan Johnson, Mary Ann Flynn, Lavita Fowler and I set a new record in putting together kits in the Cavender Community Room. In total, we put Together 126 and Susan and Lavita took pieces home to continue. Jan Mueller came in time to help us clean up. Holly, the elves were off that day, and we did have a mess to clean up. Thank you one and all and thanks to Cavender for the great room.

FOURTH ANNUAL BLUEBONNET PATCHWORK TRAIL



APRIL 5-7, 2002

Roundup your gang and hit the trail.

It's time for another great weekend of fun and prizes!

Shop our extended hours: Friday & Saturday 9 - 9 • Sunday 12 - 6

- Pick up your "Trail Ticket" at the first shop, have it stamped at each shop, and turn it in at the last shop.
- A completed ticket will get your name entered for the GRAND PRIZE—a great bag of merchandise and \$900 in gift certificates. Total value is over \$1200.
- You also might win one of 9 other merchandise bags valued over \$200.

At each store you visit, register for their individual drawings—ten \$25 gift certificates. You don't have to make it to all 9 stores to be a winner. Each shop will also be giving a fat quarter and a selected pattern, as well as great Texas hospitality and refreshments. Don't leave without your part of the instructions for the Shop Hop quilt. View a different interpretation of the quilt at each shop.

CREATIONS

1013 East Main - Kerrville, 78028 830-896-8088

MILLSTREAM COTTONS

471-A Main Plaza • New Brounfels, 78130 830-620-1382

SEVENTH HEAVEN

6706 N. New Braunfels • San Antonio, 78209 210-822-9980

CREATIVE SEWING CENTER

11777 West Avc. • San Antonio, 78216 210-344-0791

PEACEMAKERS

301 Mercer St. • Dripping Springs, 78620 512-858-0272

SEW SPECIAL

24165 I 10 W. • San Antonio 78257 210-698-6076

LAS COLCHAS

110 Ogden • San Antonio, 78212 210-223-2405

POCKETFUL OF POSEYS

311 E. Highway St. • Fredericksburg, 78624 830-990-4140

THE QUILT STORE

2700 W. Anderson La., #301 • Austin, 7875 512-453-1145

March Program: Valerie Arcement and Diary Quilts

Thanks to Valerie Arcement for a lively and interesting program on creating a journal of your life (or just a bite-sized chunk of it) in a quilt. Valerie brought two of her diary quilts with her to demonstrate the endless possibilities of depicting events that touch us, both directly and indirectly. Some things she highlighted you could pick out on examing the quilt, the dog and bone for the passing of a beloved pet, for example. Others were not so obvious, but clearly had meaning for her, as with the lightning bolt which captured a heated argument. Then there was the rose for Princess Diana's death ... all marked a moment in time that will stir memories for years to come.

Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Inc. NEWSLETTER





What will make "Postcards to Me" and "Postcards from Y2K" stand the test of generations, however, is the written journal that she kept as she made the quilt. Just a sentence or two describe each block: what it means and the date. She has used her larger quilt to pinpoint when her husband had an illness (both his and her memories had been off by several months). In several of her blocks, she'd included plants from her father's garden – all the more meaningful since he passed away. Years from now, her family will not have to guess what went through her mind when she put four different candles into the quilt – they'll be able to read her words. What a treasure to create, and how simple to do!

Valerie filled her talk with hints, recommendations and things to avoid, but perhaps the best advice was not to obsess over planning the quilt – simply to do it. Have a basic block, not too

complicated, then start! It clearly worked for her, and years from now, when they ask her in the nursing home what she did during her life, she can say, "Just read my quilts."



APRIL PROGRAM

Who: H.D. Wilbanks from Hobbs

What: Everything You Need to Know about Batting

Where: University United Methodist Church, 5084 De Zavala

When: April 13th, Guild meeting program

Tell me more: Mr. Wilbanks will talk about the 9 types of batting Hobbs makes: their qualities and



their uses. He'll bring sample packs (18" squares of each of the 9 types) for sale at the guild price of \$3 (regularly \$4). Bring your batting questions with you!



Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc.

Treasurer's Report February 28, 2002

Beginning Jefferson Operating \$14,313.97
Beginning Balance (Jefferson Reserve) \$34,993.92
Beginning Balance (Total Guild Funds) \$49,307.89

INCOME

Dues-Membership	560.00
Interest	44.30
Other	70.50
Retreat - Summer	795.00
Workshops	1,355.00
Newsletter Ads	270.00

Total Income \$3,094.80

EXPENSES

Administration	50.00
Community Ed/Books	27.92
Facility	260.00
Membership	1.66
Photography	60.17
Programs	1,975.43
Rent-Meetings	105.00
Telephone	49.63
Web page	274.40

Total Expenses \$2,804.21

Net Income \$290.59

Ending Jefferson Operating \$14,580.26 Ending Jefferson Reserve Balance \$35,038.22 Ending Total Guild Funds \$49,598.48

Karen Nanos Treasurer

QUILT-IN!



Our monthly Quilt-In will be held at Cavender Buick on IH-10 on April 16 from 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Bring a project to work on or something that you need help with and join us for a fun time for quilting and visiting! For more information on Quilt-In, please contact Nadine Darby, Quilt-In Chair.

NEWSLETTER INPUT

DEADLINE: Midnight Monday, April 15 (the Monday after Guild Meeting)

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

NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

Full Page Ad 1/2 page Ad	60.00 30.00
(Horizontal - 7 x 4 3/4	
Vertical - 3 3/8 x 9 1/2)	
1/4 page Ad	15.00
Business Card (2 x 3 1/2)	10.00
Full page Insert	70.00

VIDEO LIBRARY

Many thanks to Donna Christophel for her hard work these many months heading up the Video Library. She has done a wonderful job and a big, a very big, thank you for not leaving me in the lurch! She is moving on to other projects but she found someone to take her place. Helen Johnson will be taking over next month. So make sure you thank Donna for her hard work and stop by the Video table and meet Helen!

Mary-Ruth Flores

CALICO ROSE

Shirley Jones was nominated for always being willing to help and generous with her time and quilting help to the guild and at retreat. Thank you Shirley for your generosity to the guild.

AMY HUTCHINGS Gammill Trained



The Quilting Hutch

8619 Glen Mont Drive San Antonio, TX 78239 By appointment only Home (210) 654-9864 Celt (210) 379-2732 psai2004@aol.com Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Board Minutes, March 4, 2002

Board Members Present: Mary Ruth Flores, Betty Opiela, Lois Beauchamp, Holly Nelson, Karen Nanos, Ida Tyson Blankenship, Roberta Haby.

President Betty Opiela called the meeting to order. Minutes were approved as written.

President's report is as follows:

- 1) Betty reported that the rent on the storage facility, Shur-guard, has increased from \$260.00 to \$289.00. After discussion, Mary Ruth Flores moved we accept the rental increase. Lois Beauchamp seconded. The motion passed.
- 2) Shirley Jones was nominated to receive a Calico Rose. Ida Tyson Blankenship moved we accept this nomination and present the award to Shirley at the March General meeting. Mary Ruth Flores seconded the motion. The motion passed.
- 3) Barbara Gilstad has agreed to assist Ruth Felty with the Storybook quilts.
- 4) The Board discussed the Christmas raffle and luncheon. The Board will seek a chairperson to coordinate the annual Christmas luncheon and raffle. Karen Nanos volunteered to organize the raffle for the Christmas Party.

Special Events: 1) Mary Ruth Flores reported that the quilt exhibit at the Pro Show was a great success.

- 2) The Winter Retreat was enjoyed by 21 quilters. They completed a top for the auction and enjoyed a block exchange. Kris Thomson has volunteered to be chairperson for the Winter Retreat 2003.
- 3) The Board examined two donated quilt tops for the auction. Lois Beauchamp moved the double wedding ring top be used for community education. Holly Nelson seconded the motion. The motion passed. Mary Ruth Flores moved the second top donated by Helen Thompson be put in the auction. Lois Beauchamp seconded. The motion passed.

Directories: Lois Beauchamp announced that Guild Directories would be passed out at the General meeting to members who are present. Directories may not be picked up for friends not present at the meeting. **Programs:** Holly Nelson reported the February Program was very successful and enjoyed by many guild members. Please refer to your newsletter for information about upcoming programs.

Community outreach: Ida announced that the April General Meeting will be held at University United Methodist Church at the corner of Vance Jackson and De Zavala. (Cost = \$348.00)).

Unfinished business: Marilyn Bellows has not had a response from the School at Trinity United Methodist Church regarding the item donated for their silent auction.

New Business: Ruth Felty will demonstrate procedure for fitting a vest at the March General Meeting. There being no other business the meeting was adjourned.

Roberta Haby, Secretary



Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild General Meeting, March 9, 2002

Board Members Present: Betty Opiela, Sylvia Jolet, Ida Tyson Blankenship, Karen Nanos, Holly Nelson, Mary Ruth Flores, Lois Beauchamp, Roberta Haby

President Betty Opiela called the meeting to order. Minutes were approved as printed with the following corrections: Under Special Events change Chris Thompson to Kris Thomson. Treasurer's report is as follows: Operating fund =\$14,313.97; Reserve fund = \$34,993.92; Total = \$49,307.89.

President's report: 1) A Calico Rose was awarded to Shirley Jones for her dedicated service to the guild 2) Doris St. George has resigned as chair of the miniature quilt raffle. Angela Knaack and Lauri Evans will assume this responsibility.

Special Events: Mary Ruth Flores thanked all the guild members who helped at the Pro-Show. Mary Ruth reported that many visitors enjoyed our booth and much information about the guild was distributed.

Directories: Lois Beauchamp announced that directories would be passed out to members present at the March meeting. Other members not present will receive directories in the mail.

Programs: Holly Nelson reported on up coming programs. Please refer to the newsletter for more details. She requested two volunteers to help at the April meeting to take up money. Please contact her if you can be of assistance. Holly also if seeking a member to be chairperson for the annual Christmas Party. This person would work with Lani Nunley chair of Secret Pals and Karen Nanos, who as volunteered to organize the Christmas raffle.

Present at the meeting were 2 guest, 2 new members and 114 regular members. \$24.20 was collected in no name tag fines. (Ethel Howey never wears a nametag, so she gave her annual \$20.00 donation to cover her fines.) There being no other business the meeting was adjourned.

Roberta Haby, Secretary

DIRECTORY CHANGES

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Barbara Conley 210-645-6116

Nanette Cook lcnccook@msn.com

Helen Fear hfear@swb.net

Mary Ruth Flores 8752 Rochelle Rd. San Antonio, TX 78240-4009

Garnette Hanson12022 Vintage Point San Antonio, TX 78253-5811

Shirley Henthorn9626 Millbrook Drive

Anita Hill earnhill@satx.rr.com

210-654-0066

Yvonne E. Johnson 78233-5251

Linda Kirk ljkirk@texas.net

Glenna McKandles 969 Wildrose

Alice Valdez should be: Veladez

If you did not get your directory at the March meeting, it was mailed to you first class on March 12.



BRING AND BRAG - MARCH 9

SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS Valerie Arcement

Eleanor Green could use some cheering up. After battling ill health for several months, she fell and broke her wrist in March!

Prayers for a speedy recovery are requested for Ellen Springfield who is battling cancer.

A sunshine thought for April:

When you can't have what you want, it's time to start wanting what you have. Kathleen A. Sutton Translation: If you sew up all your fabric stash, you can get more!

NOTE: Whenever your have something that should be in this column speak to Valerie at our meeting, call her at 349-4456 or e-mail to arcement@swbell.net







THE PATRIOTIC PROJECT - MARCH 9

COMMITTEES

ADVERTISING	Barbara Wofford	525-8410	RETREAT-JULY 2002 Sherry Allred 656-0237
ARCHIVIST	Sherry Allred	656-0237	Amy Cottrell 830-981-8832
AUCTION 2002	Renee Bradley	647-7818	RETREAT-JANUARY 2003
	Terri Ryan	523-5253	Kris Thomson 822-9240
BEE KEEPER	Elaine Staller	822-8338	SECRET PAL Lani Nunley 680-4182
BRIGHT HOPES	Kitty Janiga	622-9522	Jan Walker 695-3314
BRING & BRAG	Nancy Klaerner	655-6184	STORYBOOK QUILTS
COMMUNITY ED	Betty Tope	696-4138	Ruth Felty 695-8332
DIRECTORY	Larry Beauchamp	561-0716	Barbara Gilstad 493-2404
FOLK LIFE FEST.	Lucille Shean	696-1879	STYLE SHOW 2002
HOUSTON BUS	Barbara Wofford	525-8410	Ruth Felty 695-8332
ITC	Lucille Shean	696-1879	SUNSHINE & SHADOWS
LIBRARY-BOOKS	Mary Ruth Flores	694-6059	Valerie Arcement 349-4456
MAGAZINES	Carol Rouse	699-9363	VIDEOS Helen Johnson 522-9439
MEMBERSHIP	Gloria Hammond	590-6406	VIVA BOTANICA
MEMBER SVC.	Liz Hooge	342-5976	Charlotte Keener 490-2312
NEWSLETTER	Larry Beauchamp	561-0719	Nadine Darby 674-7639
PATTERNS	Angela Knaack	256-9853	WEBMISTRESS
	Lauri Evans	946-2510	Diane Leclair 680-3020
PHOTO	Rosa Lee Clary	824-2707	WEARABLE ARTS
PUBLICITY	Carol Bryant	479-8611	
QPC-AM	Loveta Fowler	945-8230	WELCOMING Doris Patterson 656-0334
QPC-PM	Carol Rouse	699-9363	Carrie Lyons 497-3832
QUILT SHOW 2003	Larry Beauchamp	561-0719	Ellie Williams 492-3164
QUILT-IN	Nadine Darby	674-7639	YOUTH ALTERNATIVES
			Jean Powell 684-3425
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You're Invited to a 3-Day Quilting Retreat to be held at the Moye Center in Castroville, Texas

October 17, 18 & 19, 2002 Thursday, Friday & Saturday

Room & Board Accommodations available at the Moye Center Limited Space Available

Call: Alamo Stitch & Sew for details 210-657-9595 210-737-7676 or 1-800-206-9834

2002 EVENTS

April 13 Guild Meeting - H. D. Wilbanks

Hobbs Bonded Fibers

April 5 & 6 Viva Botanica

April 24 to 27 AQS Quilt Show, Paducah, KY

May 10 Workshop-Bluebonnets

May 11 Guild Meeting - Michele Kincaid

Workshop - Angels

Mother's Day May 12 May 27 Memorial Day June 6 to 9 Folk life Festival June 8 **Guild Meeting** June 16 Father's Day June 29 **GSAOG Auction** July 4 **Independence Day Guild Meeting** July 13

July 26 to 28 New Braunfels Quilt Show August 3 Apple Festival Quilt Show

(Betty Brister - (830) 460-7313)

August 9 Workshop

August 10 Guild Meeting - Vickie Vogel

Workshop

September 2 Labor Day

September 14 Guild Meeting

September 16 Yom Kippur

September 21 Style Show

October 11 Workshop

October 12 Guild Meeting - Fran Snay

Workshop

November 9 Guild Meeting - UFO Auction

December 14 Guild Meeting - Pot Luck



AN AMI SIMMS PHOTOPLAY QUILT BRING AND BRAG - MARCH 9



Old Glory Michele Kincaid

America the Beautiful

That is the theme for the 2002 Style Show to be held September 21. Do you have your garment planned? Why not tie it to the theme of the beauty of America. Yes this is a patriotic theme but not in a red white and blue way. Below are words from the song that may inspire you.

America The Beautiful, words by Katharine Lee Bates.

O beautiful for spacious skies, For amber waves of grain, For purple mountains majesties Above the fruited plains!

Complete lyrics can be found at www.scoutscongs.com\lyrics

QUILTFEST 2002

TRINITY VALLEY QUILTERS' GUILD PRESENTS

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SHOWCASING

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3400 BURNETT-TANDY ROAD FORT WORTH, TEXAS 75107 6:00PM SENDAY 12:00PM-6:00PM

OKALT SHOW ADMISSION: \$5.00 SENIOR:\$3.00

DEEP IN THE HEART 2003



Fabric for the challenge competition at our 2003 show will be available at every meeting until it is all gone! Cost is \$5 with all money going into a prize fund. Plan now to make something sensational from this very unusual heart fabric.

Also, please turn in your raffle quilt blocks ASAP. We are very close to assembling the top! Bring to meeting or send to Larry Beauchamp, 3402 Clearfield, San Antonio, TX 78230-3314.



KOLODZIE SHOWS A "BLOCK PARTY" QUILT AT BRING AND BRAG - MARCH 9

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MAY PROGRAM

The perfect Mother's Day gift! Have your kids give you something you <u>really</u> want (or just treat yourself) for Mother's Day: a quilting workshop! (and there are 2 to choose from...)

Who: Michele O'Neil Kincaid

Tell me more: Ms. Kincaid is from New Hampshire and specializes in free-form appliqué designs. She may miss the peak of our wildflower season, but she's creating a bluebonnet design just for our guild! Her Choir of Angels are 4 small angel projects (5½ " x 8"), so depending on the fabric you use, these can work year-round or get you started on this year's Christmas projects. Pictures will be in next month's newsletter.



Friday, May 10

What: Bluebonnets!
Design & Appliqué Workshop
Where: Cavender Buick
(I-10 @UTSA Blvd)
When: May 10th (Friday),

9:30am – 4:00pm **How much:** \$35.

Saturday, May 11

When: Guild meeting

What: Trunk Show,Appliqué Design & TechniqueWhere: Trinity UnitedMethodist Church

program

What: Choir of Angels Workshop Where: Trinity United Methodist Church

When: Immediately following the guild

meeting

How much: \$25



YAHOO! Groups 🔐

The GSAQG group on Yahoo is alive and well. Those of you who have been participating may have to rejoin and those of you who have not joined are cordially invited to do so. The stated purpose of the group is:

For members of The Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, to announce information about events of the guild, and to keep in touch with members and upcoming events of the Guild.

The address of the group is:

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/GSAQG/ Subscribe: GSAQG-subscribe@yahoogroups.com Post message: GSAQG@yahoogroups.com Unsubscribe:

GSAQG-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com

If you have questions call Donna Christophel (210)690-9030 or email mmstar@hotmail.com.



Don't just sit there!! We need volunteers. Be a board member....a committee chair...or co-chair. Or volunteer to serve on a committee that interests you.

THE GUILD CAN NOT SURVIVE without volunteers. After 22 years it would be tragic to see the guild disappear because members wanted to "take" but didn't want to "give."





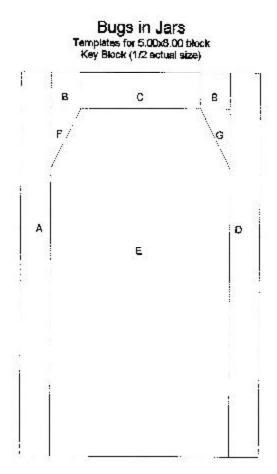
Aprile - Repeat March kites, due to late mailers. The kites will make a cute quilt!

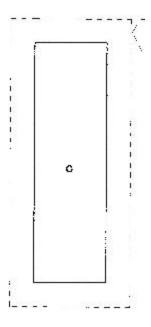
May - "DUGJIN JARJ"

Rectangular block 5 ½ x 8 ½ " paper or template pieced Background - BLACK Jars - prints with bugs, butterflies , or related critters Lid - any coordinating color

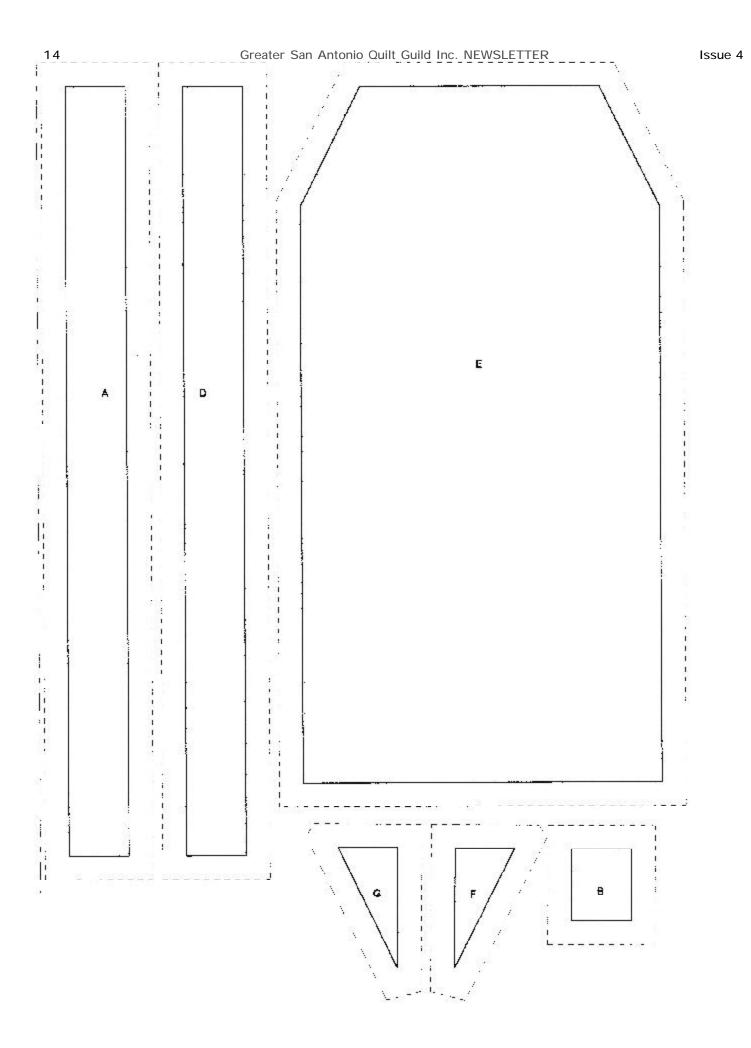


Let's have fun with these jars---remember how those were at last year's auction. Make lots---you could win. Pin your name to each block you turn in.

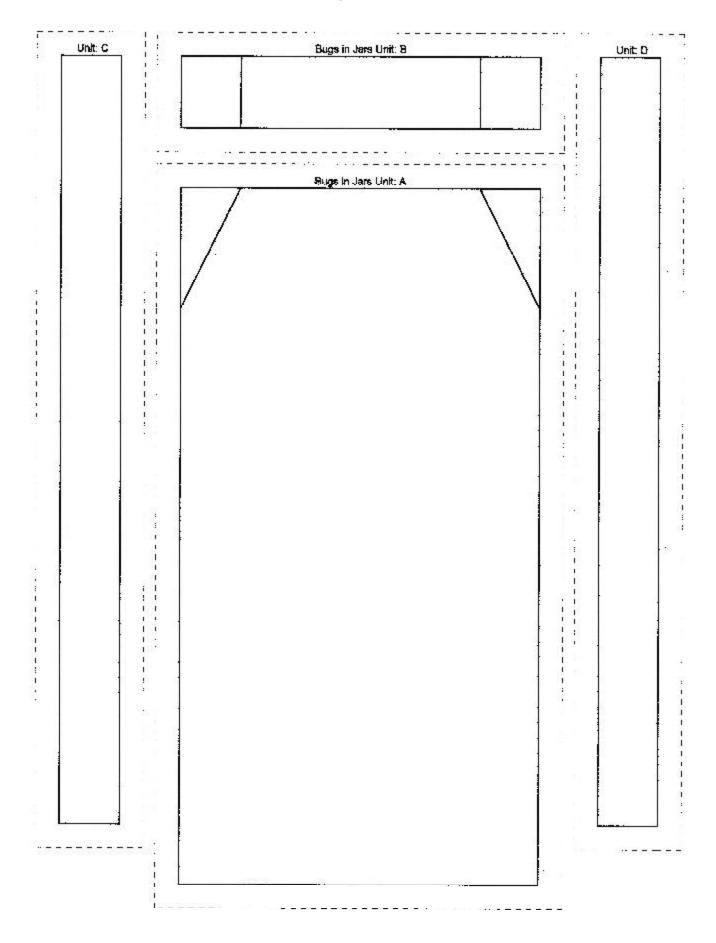




More templates on page 14. Assembly diagram on page 15



Bugs in Jars



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April Schedule

APRIL 1 - WEARABLE ARTS

Ruble Center, 419 East Magnolia (Room 400) 9:30 am Visitors Welcome.

APRIL 8 - BOARD MEETING

7:00 pm, 7438 Clear Water

APRIL 8 - QPC-PM

7:00 pm, at Mary Ruth Flores, 8752 Rochelle Road, 694-6059

APRIL 13 - GUILD MEETING

10:00 am University United Methodist Church, 5084 De Zavala

APRIL 18 - QPC-AM

10 am-4 pm, at 5614 Brandemere Dr. (Susan Johnson's house) 645-6560

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