Volume 26 **Common Threads** Issue 9

Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc.



September 10 **Guild Meeting**

10:00 AM St. Andrew's Church 8231 Callaghan Rd.

New meeting spot . See page 15 for map

Program:

Dyeing techniques and use of fabrics by MARIT LEE KUCERA.

www.martistic.com

Remember to bring to the meeting:

- Nametag (wear it)
- Library books, videos & patterns
- Door prize if you won one
- Block party blocks
- QPC and Bright Hopes Projects
- · Smiles for your friends

My Trip

In a previous article I encouraged you to let us know if you spotted a special quilting place while on vacation. So far no word from anyone, but I have one special place to share with you. While on a trip to visit my family in West Virginia we took a short detour to visit Paducah, Kentucky.

But the wonderful experience I need to share with you was our visit to the Museum of the American Quilter's Society (MAQS). Many years ago I visited the museum, but it has grown a lot since then and my husband and I were both impressed with the professional exhibits. It made you believe that quilting has definitely moved into the art arena.

This museum is the only one dedicated to today's quilts and quilt makers. The main gallery is used to exhibit, on a rotating basis, the museum's permanent collection of over 200 quilts. The second gallery had a special exhibit of the works of Jane Blair, and the third had a collection of miniature and antique quits. All were stunning. My husband fell in love with one of Jane Blair's guilts, and is sure that I will make him a similar one. Dream on, Ken.

We also got to see a preview of the coming exhibit of guilts from Australia. Gee I wish I could have stayed another week!

The museum is dedicated to education and guilt making. They sponsor tours, lectures, demonstrations and workshops by well-known quilt artists. In addition they have outreach programs to schools, community groups, and quilt guilds, as well as creating unique handson projects for children.

The AQS is probably best known for their enormous collection of quilt books, most of which filled one entire room in their gift shop. I have never seen so many quilt books in one place – decisions, decisions, decisions!

I know that many of you have been to MASQ, but if you have not and if you have the opportunity, do not miss visiting this unique museum. You will be proud to be a quilter!

Your overwhelmed President, Ruth

Calico Rose Award

This month's calico rose goes to someone whose organization and positive attidude was instrumental in the success of the Auction. Holly Nelson took on the job when no one else volunteered and did a wonderful job.Renee Bradley nominated Holly.





SEPTEMBER — MARIT LEE KUCERA

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Program: Saturday 9/10 —— Dyeing techniques and use of fabrics following the meeting.

Workshops

Saturday 9/10 "Atmospheric Dyeing" Place TBA 1:00PM to 4:00PM \$15 plus \$32

Atmospheric Dyeing. 1/2 day introduction to subtle, mottled special effects dyeing of exciting variations and color combinations. Fabric is wrapped around a plastic tube, twisted, and scrunched. Perfect for realistic look in hand-appliquéd pictorials or avant-garde garments. 5 yards cotton, dyes, tube provided. \$32 supply fee.

Monday 9/12 "Echo Dyeing" Place Cavender Buick 9:00AM to12:00PM \$15 plus \$25 supply fee

Echo Dyeing. 1/2 day introduction to the colorful world of dyeing by fold-and-dip dyeing cotton yardage to create repeated patterns. The four basic folds are first practiced using paper, then yardage is folded and dyed. 3 yards cotton, dyes provided. \$25 supply fee.

Monday 9/12 "Dye Hawaiian" Place TBA 1:00PM to 4:00 PM \$15 plus 25 supply fee

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

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NEWSLETTER INPUT

DEADLINE: Midnight Monday after Guild Meeting)

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Or mail -Dea Jae Shore, 5903 Cypress Bend, San Antonio, TX 78247

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NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

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(Horizontal - 7 x 4 3/4 Vertical - 3 3/8 x 9 1/2)

1/4 page Ad \$15.00 Business Card (2 x3.5) \$10.00 Full page Insert \$70.00 Dye Hawaiian. 1/2 day of dyeing bliss. Hawaiians quilts are enjoying huge popularity again. Make yours vibrate using hand-dyed fabrics. Watch your appliqué pulsate with tropical splendor. These circle-dyed pieces are also great for exciting fusible appliqués. 3 yards cotton, dyes provided. \$25 supply fee.

OCTOBER Saturday 10/8 UFO auction following the meeting

Do you have a lot of new plans after the quilt show and a trip to Houston? Is it time to clean the sewing room. Do you have UFOs you know you will never finish? Start bringing them to the September meeting. Amy Cottrell will be our auctioneer and the money generated will go to the Ethel Howey Endowment Fund. Sales were over \$1200 last time.

Following the auction, there will be a new member orientation. Kitty will be calling officers and chairwomen for input.

NOVEMBER Jennie Rayment had to cancel, but she promises to come in November 2006. Kitty will have more data on a program next newsletter

Board Meeting Minutes August 11, 2005

Board Members Present: Ruth Felty, Mary Mc Carthy, Sylvia Jolet, Dea Jae Shore, Judith Miller, Lois Beauchamp, Barbara Gilstad, and Teresa Tijerina. Kitty Janiga was absent.

<u>President</u>: The meeting was called to order at 5:05. The July Board Meeting Minutes were approved as published. Holly Nelson was nominated to receive a Calico Rose for her enthusiasm and organization skills as the Chair for the 2005 Quilt Auction.

The Guild's insurance premium was discussed and information on coverage is forthcoming in September.

Ms. Noi Stringer has donated a quilt top and Sylvia will contact Kolodzie Harper and Anne Blake to inquire if they are available to complete it.

Lois motioned to purchase an additional quilt display rack, Dea Jae seconded and the motion passed.

A motion was made to approve Doris Patterson-Chair, Barbara Wofford and Valerie Arcement as members of the Ethel Y. Howey Endowment Fund program committee; and the motion carried.

<u>President Pro-Tem</u>: Lois motioned to designate all funds from the UFO Auction to the Ethel Y. Howey Fund, Sylvia seconded and the motion passed. Items received from a donation will be sold 9:00am-9:45am at the September, October and November business meetings. This information will be announced at the meeting this Saturday.

A motion to approve plan presented by Lois to board on the disbursement of donated quilt items was made, Dea Jae seconded and the motion passed.

<u>Secretary</u>: Twelve calls were received on the Guild's phone line this month, two were hang-ups, all other calls were returned.

<u>Treasurer</u>: Operating Fund \$22,799.34, Reserve Balance \$26,450.55, CD \$20,000.00 and ending Total \$69,249.89. The Guild yielded \$54 in interest from the CD in the last month.

<u>Special Events</u>: It was reported that a total of 246 quilts have been accepted for the September Quilt Show.

Newsletter: An ad will be placed in the newsletter asking for a volunteer with computer skills to assist taking photographs at the monthly business meeting. This information will be announced at the meeting on Saturday.

Dea Jae motioned to approve a request from Shirley Carter to purchase a storage box, a hand truck and the sale of videos at a later date, Sylvia seconded and the motion passed.

<u>Programs</u>: Report deferred due to Kitty's absence. <u>Services</u>: A letter will be mailed to the Horizon Church pastor this week to notify him of our final meeting in his facility. Several board members will meet at the new location on September 1 at 11:00 am to view meeting rooms and placement of tables and chairs. All board members were invited.

<u>Community Outreach</u>: Barbara met with the Computer Bee to discuss a plan for the 25th Anniversary Quilt. Item tabled for the September meeting.

<u>Unfinished Business:</u> Two more members are needed for the nominating committee and Lois will ask for two volunteers at the meeting on Saturday.

New Business: Susan Bradley has requested two "Fall" quilts for display at Frost Bank. Sylvia will call Ms. Bradley as well as Charlotte Keener. In addition, quilts at September show will be viewed for consideration.

Ethel Y. Howey Endowment Fund "savings account" was tabled for the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 6:30pm. Teresa Tijerina, Secretary

General Meeting Minutes August 13, 2005

<u>President</u>: The meeting was called to order by President Pro-Tem, Lois Beachamp at 10:00. The July minutes were approved as published. The Calico Rose this month goes to Holly Nelson for her

enthusiam and organizational skills as the Quilt Auction Chair.

A donation of books, patterns, fabric and kits was announced as well as the sale of these items to be held before the General meetings of September, October and November at 9:00am.

<u>Secretary</u>: Boxes of another set of donated items (magazines, dress patterns, knit fabric) were offered to all members.

<u>Treasurer</u>: July Report - Operating Fund \$22,799.34, Reserve \$26,450.55, CD \$20,000.00 and Total \$69,249.89.

<u>Special Events</u>: Volunteers are still needed for the September Quilt Show. Some vacancies still exist for the bus trip to the Houston show in October. Those interested are to contact Barbara Wofford.

<u>Newsletter</u>: Lois asked for volunteers with computer skills to assist with Bring and Brag photography.

<u>Programs</u>: Dorothy Williams is to present a Trunk Show in today's program which will be followed by a workshop on vests and rosettes. In September, dye specialist Marit Lee Kucera will provide a fabric dyeing program at Cavender Buick. The Auction and UFO sale is still on schedule for October, but in November the guest speaker has cancelled. Plastic or wood Coats and Clark spools are needed for the December program.

<u>Services</u>: The meeting in September will be held at the new site at St. Andrew Presbyterian Church on Callaghan Road. Directions were in the August newsletter.

<u>Community Outreach</u>: Sylvia displayed a new quilt made for the book "Under the Quilt of Night" and three new books have been donated to the Storybooks and Quilts to Go project. Members interested in making quilts to compliment these new books were invited to visit Barbara's table.

Debra Pavelka announced that Grace Richardson received a large donation of fabric and asked members to contact her if interested in helping to make tote bags. She also announced that she has quilt tops that have been pieced and need to be completed for Bright Hopes.

<u>Unfinished Business</u>: Betty Tope and Mary Ruth Flores volunteered for the Nominating Committee.

There were 100 members and six guests present. Name tag fines collected - \$4.60.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30 am. Teresa Tijerina, Secretary

Nominations for the Board of Directors

At the October meeting, the Nominations Committee will present a slate of candidates to the general membership. Voting will be at the November meeting. We are currently looking for volunteers to run for the following positions:

Position

President Pro-Tem

1st VP for Special Events

3rd VP for Programs

Treasurer

Currently held by

Lois Beauchamp Mary McCarthy Kitty Janiga Sylvia Jolet

The duties of each position are listed in the Bylaws (starts on page 45 of your Guild Directory) or you can contact the person who currently holds the position and ask them about their responsibilities. The term for all positions is 2 years, starting January 2006.

Please contact any of the Nominating Committee members if you are interested in running for a Board position.

Tess Weaver, Chair, 696-5609 Sharon Ross, 695-5988 Shirley Carter, 479-4072 Mary Ruth Flores, 694-6059 Betty Tope, 696-4138

Sale of Donations to Guild Members

The guild recently received a marvelous donation of more than 300 patterns, fabric lengths and kits. In order to give everyone an opportunity to share in these, we plan to sell them at the Sept., Oct. and Nov. meetings in one of the classrooms at our new location on Callaghan Road. The sale will open at 9:00 am each time and will continue until 9:45. Then open again at break. You will need to have paid for your purchases by the time the program starts. The fabric is packaged in marked collections and lengths and will be sold as packaged—there will be no changes. All items are sold as is—we cannot guarantee anything about them.

The kits will be sold via silent auction with bidding closing each meeting day at the start of the program. We have opened a few of the kits, and some do not seem to be complete, few are missing patterns, which have been noted. Each kit is marked with the opening bid. All bids will be in even dollar amounts. The winners will be announced at the end of the program and the items must be picked up at that time. If you cannot be there, you must have someone else pick up your winning item.

All sales will be final, no exchanges, cash or check only.

Looking for the Computer Literate

If you are good with computers or are interested in learning and are not intimidated, the

guild needs you. We have many different positions that require skills that are easily learned if you are willing to give it a try. Email Dea Jae Shore at quiltnews@satx.rr.com with your abilities and interest in learning.





AUCTION 2005 After-Action Report

Right now, all of us are focused on the upcoming Quilt Show. But it wasn't so long ago that we were all facing the auction deadline. Because that was such an all-Guild effort, I thought you'd like a quick recap of how it went. (It's also required by the bylaws...)

- We sold 69 quilts and 3 unfinished tops, for a total of \$5,677.00.
 - After expenses, we netted \$2423.44.

The profits were less than last year, primarily due to a smaller attendance and fewer people who were non-members. Our analysis concluded that the culprits were the Spurs (how dare they celebrate their 3rd Championship on our Saturday, when we'd planned it first!) and the hot weather (something Kitty definitely has to work on for next year). Still the pluses far outweighed the disappointment of not beating Renee's record results from last year (it's all about competition, isn't it?).

So, I'm celebrating more than the fact that it's over until next year, and here are the reasons why:

- 1. The quality of the quilts was excellent and we had a large number of quilts submitted. I believe it is no coincidence that the growing number of long-arm quilters in the guild influences the number of completed quilts.
- 2. The boutique was the best yet, with good quality merchandise and a professional display.
- 3. Our Auctioneer, Joey Tomlinson, sure makes this fun. He is an enthusiastic and entertaining presence.
- 4. The excellent turnout of quilts by the membership underscores your commitment to giving something back to the guild and working toward a common goal. Many people made blocks, tops and quilts. QPC and the GAAS put together a lot of kits for people to complete. And, we had 30 volunteers who helped put on the show.
- 5. The auction gave our bees a joint project goal which they met beautifully - and it generated both enthusiasm and great quilts.
- 6. There were a large number of QPC and block exchange projects. This is an outlet for items that otherwise remain UFOs – and the education purpose of the guild is being met.

The bottom line: We made a profit, indulged in our love of quiltmaking, and had fun in the process. Thanks to all of you for making it possible! Holly Nelson

Quilt Show Boutique

Inventory sheets will be available at the meeting. Call me at 681-2276 or email me at janicef@stic.net and I will get to sheets to you. Please bring your items to the September meeting. I will be there by 9 a.m. and I will stay after the meeting if necessary.

Janice Frankenberger 681-2276











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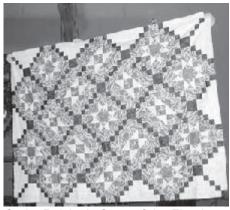
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Learn the secrets of picking out fabrics for Blended Quilts from Lois Smith. Lois is teaching the beautiful Parisian Garden Blended Medallion guilt on Sept. 22 and Oct. 6. She will help you pick fabric on Sept. 8 from 10-12.

Come see our newest batiks - we've ordered lots of wonderful light batiks, great for backgrounds or contrast pieces.

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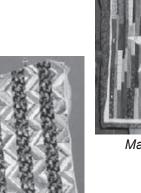


Cathy Baisley's Case of the Flamingo

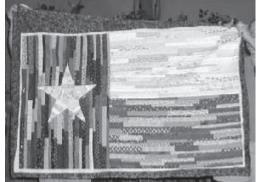
Bring and Brag



Gundy Cleven's Original Design



Charlotte Keener's Bright Falls



Marge Swaney's Texas Flag



Cathy Baisley's Hello Kitty ragtop



Jane Hurley's Black and Scraps -1300 pieces



Meliis Allo's Twisted Mountain



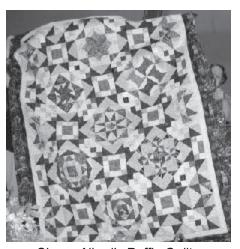




Melissa Allo's Red, White & Blue



Mona Stewart's Vienna Stars



Sherry Allred's Raffle Quilt



Kolodzie Harper's Christmas runners



Sherry Sorbera' Chirstmas blocks

GSAQG 2005 Quilt Show Volunteer Sign-Up

Our success depends on our faithful members volunteering their time and skills to the management of our show.

Place an "X" in the box for the position/shift(s) that you can work.

Quilt Show Days/Times: Fri & Sat 10-6, Sun 11-5

	Fri 9/16			Sat 9/17			Sun 9/18				
	10-12	12-2	2-4	4-6	10-12	12-2	2-4	4-6	11-1	1-3	3-5
Admissions											
Floaters											
Boutique											
Quilt-In (Machine)											
Quilt-In (Frame)											
White Gloves											
Guild Sales											
Membership Booth											
Vendor Floaters											
Silent Auction											

Pre-Show Days/Times: Tue 7am-6pm, Wed & Thu 8:30-6, Sun 4:30pm-7pm

	Tue 9/13		Wed 9/14		Thu 9/15		Sun 9/18		
Check-In	7a	-9a	9a-11a						
Verification			9a-2p						
Hanging	10-12	12	2-2	2-Done					
Wearable Set-Up		12	2-2						
Judge Scribes					8:30-12	1-6	8:30-12	1-5	
Award Scribes								4-5	
Check-Out									6-7p
Take-Down									4:30-6p
Door Security									4-7p

Volunteers get free admission to the show on the day of your shift(s).

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Please arrive at l	east <u>15 minutes early</u> so th	e person you are replacing can train you a	nd leave on time.
Your NAME		Phone Number	_
Turn in this form	at the September Guild me	etings or mail to:	
Tess Weaver	11355 Candle Park	San Antonio TX 78249	

Name	Day/Shift/Duty
Allred, Sherry	Tues 7a-11a, Check-in
Baisley, Cathy	Sat 2p-4p, Admissions; Sun 1p-3p, Vendor Floater
Bellows, Marilyn	Fri 10a-12p, Admissions; Sat 10a-12p, Admissions
Blankenship, Ida	Wed 8:30a-12p, Judge Scribe; Fri 10a-12p, White Gloves
Bonner, Jennifer	Sat 12p-2p, Vendor Floater; Sat 2p-6p Admissions;
	Sun 11a-3p, White Gloves; Sun 3p-5p, Membership Booth
Bradley, Renee	Tues 12p-done, Hanging; Fri, Sat, Sun - Raffle Quilt
Branson, Lori	Fri, Sat, Sun – Quilt-In (Frame)
Brister, Betty	Sun 1p-5p, Floater; Sun 5p-6p, Take-Down
Collins, Dot	Sun 4:30p-6p, Take-Down
Condrey, Mimi	Tues 10a-12p, Hanging; Fri 10a-12p, Floater
Efron, Joyce	Fri 2p-4p, Boutique; Sun 3p-5p, Boutique
Gard, Nancy	Fri, Sat, Sun – Quilt-In (Machine)
Fear, Helen	Fri 10a-12p, Quilt-In (Frame)
Jay, Jeanette	Fri 10a-4p, Boutique
Johnson, Susan	Fri, Sat, Sun – Quilt-In (Machine)
Johnson, Yvonne	Wed 8:30a-12p, Judge Scribe; Thurs 8:30a-12p, Judge Scribe;
	Sat 10a-12p, Admissions; Sat 12p-2p, Floater
Jones, Alan	Sun 4:30p-6p, Take-Down
Jones, Shirley	Tues 9a-2p, Verification; Tues 2p-done, Hanging; Wed 8:30a-6p, Judge Scribe
Keener, Charlotte	Fri, Sat, Sun – Quilt-In (Frame)
Lively, Mae	Fri 10a-12p, Admissions; Fri 12p-2p, Quilt-In (Frame);
	Sat 10a-12p, Quilt-In (Frame); Sun 11a-1p, Quilt-In (Frame)
Lyons, Carrie	Fri 10a-12p, White Gloves
Martin, Stephanie	Fri, Sat, Sun – Boutique
Matonak, Ann Marie	Sun 11a-1p, Floater
McDonald, Marie	Fri 10a-12p, Membership Booth
Mitchell, Mike	Sun 1p-3p, Admissions
Morrow, Sharon	Fri 10a-12p, Floater
Nanos, Karen	Wed 8:30a-12p, Judge Scribe; Additional shifts pending
Nelson, Holly	Fri 10a-12p, Admissions; Sat 10a-12p, Admissions; Additional shifts pending
Nunley, Lani	Sat 10a-12p, White Gloves
Paoletti, Dawn	Fri 10a-12p, Admissions; Sat 10a-12p, Boutique
Patterson, Doris	Tues 9a-2p, Verification
Prevost, Alice	Wed 8:30a-12p, Judge Scribe; Thurs 8:30a-12p, Judge Scribe
Reinhard, Candy	Sat 12p-4p, Boutique; Sun 11a-5p, Boutique
Retzloff, Sandra	Tues 9a-2p, Verification; Additional shifts pending
Richardson, Carolyn	Sat 10a-12p, Membership Booth
Ross, Sharon	Sun 1p-3p, Quilt-In (Frame)
Schladoer, Carla	Fri 10a-12p, White Gloves; Fri 2p-4p, Quilt-In (Frame)
Sherrill, Dusty	Fri 12p-2p, White Gloves
Shore, Dea Jae	Tues 10a-12p, Hanging
Snyder, Jan	Fri 10a-12p, Floater
Staats, Shirley	Tues 9a-11a, Check-In; Fri 10a-12p, Admissions
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Starkey, Kathy	Fri 10a-12p, Membership Booth
Swaney, Margie	Thurs 1p-5p, Judge Scribe
Szurek, Garnet	Sun 3p-5p, White Gloves; Sun 5p-6p, Take-Down; Sun 6p-7p, Check-Out
Vazquez, Belinda	Thurs 8:30a-5p, Judge Scribe
Waitschies, Fern	Tues 9a-11a, Check-In; Fri 10a-12p, Admissions
Wall, Eileen	Sat 10a-12p, Quilt-In (Machine); Sat 12p-4p, Membership Booth
Williams, Ellie	Fri 10a-12p, White Gloves
Wofford, Barbara	Fri 4p-6p, Admissions; Sat 2p-4p, Admissions; Sun 11-1, Admissions

Treasurer's Report - July 2005							
	July	Year to date	Budget				
INCOME	5 55						
Auction	\$0.00	\$6,521.00	\$12,000.00				
Bus-Houston	\$-	\$-	\$1,200.00				
Classes	\$0.00	\$45.00	ψ.,_σσ.σσ				
Dues - Memberships	\$245.00	\$2,478.00	\$5,000.00				
Interest	\$82.53	\$314.39	\$500.00				
Newsletter/directory ads	\$125.00	\$685.00	\$1,000.00				
Other	\$0.00	\$4.50	\$400.00				
Quilt Show	\$3,088.00	\$22,411.25	\$45,975.00				
Retreat - Summer	\$0.00	\$9,460.00	\$10,800.00				
Retreat - Winter	\$0.00	\$685.00	\$3,300.00				
Style Show	\$0.00	\$0.00	0				
Workshops	\$0.00	\$625.00					
Total Income	\$3,540.53	\$43,229.14					
EXPENSES	ψυ,υπυ.υυ	Ψ-15,225.1-	ψ05,075.00				
Administration	\$95.95	\$1,164.40	\$4,500.00				
Auction	\$810.61	\$4,171.64	\$3,000.00				
Bright Hopes	\$0.00	\$725.41	\$900.00				
Bus-Houston	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,200.00				
Community Ed/Books/	φυ.υυ	φυ.υυ	\$1,200.00				
Storybook Quilts	¢0.00	ው ሰላ	¢500.00				
Donations	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$500.00				
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Facility Falls Life Factives	\$0.00	\$2,841.00	\$4,500.00				
Folk Life Festival	\$12.25	\$12.25	\$15.00				
Institute of TX Culture	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$10.00				
Library - books	\$0.00	\$16.45	\$300.00				
Library - magazines	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00				
Library - videos	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$250.00				
Membership	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$250.00				
Newsletter/Directory	\$258.10	\$1,661.53	\$3,000.00				
Other	\$0.00	\$7.40	\$500.00				
Patterns	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200.00				
Postage/Bulk	\$0.00	\$550.00	\$1,000.00				
Programs	\$0.00	\$2,337.78	\$7,200.00				
QPC - AM	\$0.00	\$10.48	\$500.00				
QPC - PM	\$0.00	\$19.25	\$350.00				
Rent (meetings)	\$100.00	\$775.00	\$1,200.00				
Retreat - Summer	\$9,452.00	\$9,452.00	\$10,800.00				
Retreat - Winter	\$0.00	\$9,435.00	\$3,300.00				
Sales Tax Expense	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300.00				
Quilt Show	\$563.82	\$4,449.78	\$26,170.00				
Style Show	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$ -				
Telephone	\$149.76	\$421.67	\$600.00				
Welcoming	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$15.00				
Workshops	\$0.00	\$979.73	\$4,500.00				
Webpage	\$0.00	\$251.35	\$400.00				
Total Expenses	\$11,442.49	\$40,282.12	\$75,560.00				
Ending Jefferson Operatin	•		\$22,799.34				
Ending Jefferson Reserve	Balance		\$26,450.55				
Ending Jefferson CD			\$20,000.00				
Ending Total Guild Funds			\$69,249.89				
Sylvia Jolet, Treasurer							

2005 Quilt show Sleeve requirement

2005 Quilt Show is near and it is time to complete all your projects for display. This includes the all important hanging sleeve/rod pocket. It is very important that your quilt be displayed safely and in an attractive manner.

All quilts entered into the quilt show must have a 4" rod pocket / hanging sleeve attached, running the entire width of the quilt.

The only exception to the 4" rule is a miniature or a very small quilt, which should have a 2" sleeve or a garment where a sleeve is not required.

Please be aware that the rod pocket is all that supports your quilt during the duration of the show. Therefore the sleeve should be FIRMLY attached with stitches (not basted or pinned).

How to construct a quilt sleeve: Cut a strip of fabric 8.5" wide and the length equal to

SLEVE 90"

the width of your quilt. Make a narrow hem at each end of the strip. With wrong sides together, sew along the long edges using a 1/4" seam allowance to make a fabric tube. Stitch the tube down (top and bottom) to the top of the guilt. The rod goes through the tube, so do not stitch the ends of the tube closed.

We look forward to sharing your work for all to enjoy.

Silent Auction

We are looking for items for the Silent Auction at the quilt show in September. We would like small wall hangings, and possibly, crib quilts. You can give them to me at a guild meeting, or call me at home and I will pick them up, or other arrangements can be made. I do need them by the Sept. guild meeting, so that the sign up sheets can be made.

Lois Beauchamp 561-0719.

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CONTACT PERSON: BARBARA WOFFORD, 525-8410, 1441 YOSEMITE OAKS CIRCLE SAN ANTONIO

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DATE: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29,2005

PLACE: HOUSTON'S GEORGE BROWN CONVENTION CENTER

DEPARTURE TIME AND PLACE: 6:45 (BEGIN BOARDING AT 6:30) CROSSROADS MALL PARK AND RIDE

(NORTHSIDE OF MALL NEAR 110)

HOUSTON ARRIVAL TIME: 10:00 AM ESTIMATED HOUSTON DEPARTURE TIME: 6:45 PM ESTIMATED SAN ANTONIO RETURN TIME: 10:00 PM ESTIMATED

COST: \$42.00 PER PERSON. INCLUDES: TRANSPORTATION, ENTRANCE TICKET, MORNING SNACK (YOU BRING THE DRINK), BOX SUPPER FROM JASON'S DELI, AND WATER, DRIVER'S TIP, PRINTING & MAILING, LONG DISTANCE CALLS, AND GIFT BAG TO HOLD MORNING SNACK, ETC.

DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 1 OR WHEN ALL TICKETS ARE SOLD

CANCELATION: AFTER SEPTEMBER 1, REFUNDS WILL ONLY BE IF SOMEONE TAKES YOUR PLACE.

SUGGESTIONS: WALKING SHOES, SHOPPING BAG, YOU MIGHT BRING A SACK LUNCH AND DRINK. CARTS & TOTES ON WHEELS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN EXHIBIT AREAS AISLES ARE CROWDED WHICH MAKES IT DIFFICULT FOR FRIENDS TO STAY TOGETHER. CONSIDER SEPARATING TO MEET LATER IN THE DAY.

BUS WILL RETURN TO CONVENTION CENTER FROM 3:00 TO 3:30 FOR PACKAGES TO BE LEFT ON THE BUS.

RETURN THIS SECTION TO BARBARA WOFFORD, 1551 YOSEMITE OAKS CIRCLE, SAN ANTONIO, 78213. PHONE 525-8410

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO BARBARA WOFFORD FOR \$42.00

NAME	_PHONE
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DR. NAME	PHONE
ANY MEDICAL INSTRUCTIONS? LIST	

Community Outreach update

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BRIGHT HOPES

Would you like to help Grace Richardson make tote bags from fabrics recently donated to Bright Hopes? In addition, a number of quilt tops have been pieced and need to be completed for Bright Hopes. If working on these projects would interest you, please give Grace or Debra a call. **Debra Pavelka, Chair, Bright Hopes Committee**

STORYBOOKS AND QUILTS TO GO

Awareness of our guild's Storybooks and Quilts to Go project is spreading far and wide. Thanks to Nadine Darby's enthusiasm for our program, Ruth Felty was invited to present an overview of our project and to display all of the storybook quilts and books in our collection to members of the Country Patches Quilt Guild of Longview, Texas, at their August meeting. Our project was so well received that members of Country Patches Quilt Guild are now considering starting their own storybook and quilts program. Thank you, Nadine and Ruth! Barbara Gilstad, Chair, Storybooks and Quilts to Go Committee



Ruth and Barbara presenting at the Country Patches Guild

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Storybooks and Quilts To Go Committee Chair: Barbara Gilstad



In 1999 the Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild began its Storybooks and Quilts To Go Committee. Inspired by a project of the Quilt Guild of Metro Detroit, its purpose is to stimulate an interest in quilts and to foster an appreciation of quilts and of the quilting process among elementary school age children.

Books with a quilting theme which are suitable for reading aloud at one sitting are purchased by the guild or donated by guild members. Volunteers from the guild make either the quilt depicted in the story or one that complements it. The storybooks and their accompanying quilts are then loaned to the school librarians for use in classrooms. During the summer, they are available to libraries, museums, and children's groups.

The Storybooks and Quilts To Go Committee is presently chaired by

Barbara Gilstad. When a book and its corresponding quilt are received, the committee places them and a feedback form into a zippered cloth bag. Four or five bags make up a set. Each set is placed into a large plastic box with a tight-fitting lid. Every autumn these plastic boxes are distributed among the participating schools. At the end of the fall semester, the boxes are collected, the quilts and their books are checked for condition, and the feedback forms are read and their numbers noted. After the winter holidays, the quilts and books are redistributed. The final pick up is usually in May, just before the end of the school year.

In the Spring of 2005, twenty-five campuses in five school districts and two private schools participated in this program. The Storybooks and Quilts To Go were shared with 11,135 pupils. These amazing numbers are a reflection of the project's success.

At present there are thirty-seven books and thirty-four quilts in the committee's inventory- three of the books are resource texts. Since January of this year, eight books have been donated and two quilts completed. Currently, five quilts are in the process of being made and five books are awaiting someone to make their corresponding quilts. A complete list of titles may be found at www.sanantonioguilt.org.

If you would like to make a quilt for this committee, suggest a book title, or if you seek more information, please contact Barbara Gilstad at 210 493 2404 or storybooks@sbcglobal.net. She would welcome your help and you would know that you are passing the love of quilts and quilting onto a new generation.

(Picture: Teacher Kay Dahle and students in the library at Saint Mary's Hall, San Antonio, TX, enjoying a quilt made by Ethey Howey to complement **Luka's Quilt**, a story about a grandchild's changing relationship with her grandmother.)





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PLEASE REMEMBER..... SEPTEMBER MEETING SITE AT NEW LOCATION

The members of the Guild voted at the July meeting to change our meeting site to the St. Andrew Presbyterian Church located at 8231 Callaghan Rd. Located just 2/10 of a mile off of I-10 at the Callaghan exit. The bus route # 602 has a stop right across the street from this location.



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September Schedule

September 8 BOARD MEETING-5 PM Home of Ruth Felty 14127 Gertrudes

September 10 GUILD MEETING-10AM St. Andrew's Church 8231 Callaghan Rd

September 18 - CQDBee Cancelled to due Quilt Show Memories by the Yard 6816 Huebner Road Coordinator - Barbara Gilstad

September 16 - QPC-AM 10am-4pm Alamo Stitchin Post Hostess - Loveta Fowler 656-6700

September 20 - Wearable Arts 6:30pm Creative Sewing Center 11777 West Ave. Hostess - Ida Tyson Blankenship

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