

Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc.
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Next Guild Mtg Nov 8, 2025

9am Doors Open
9:30am Guild
Services Open
10am Program &
Gen Bus Mtg

Meeting Location:
St Andrew
Presbyterian Church
8231 Callaghan Rd
San Antonio, TX 78230

Mailing address:
Greater San Antonio
Quilt Guild, Inc
P.O. Box 380522
San Antonio, TX
78268

**November
Program**

**Veterans'
Quilts
Presentation**

President's Letter

Gobble, gobble, gobble - A time for thanks!

After the October meeting, I started to think a little more about the “what if” statement. And, we live in a “what if ...” world. “What if” is all around us - beginning with our relationships with others to the inventions that have been created. What if there was a different way to get from one point to another - from walking, to horseback riding, to carriages, to cars, to trains, to planes! Who would have ever thought ‘I can sit on a horse's back and have it take me where I want to go?’ That just makes me laugh! But without those thoughts, where would we be? What if there was a better way to treat ... from alcohol to penicillin, to all of the medications, procedures and technology today. This hit home with me after the meeting - I left the meeting to be with a family member as they had their ruptured appendix removed.

Now look at it from a different perspective. How has our craft changed over the years from the “what if”. There's numerous ways to list (and I won't bore you!), from using animal hides for clothing and thread to the development of the fabrics and threads we use today. What about scissors and rotary cutters? Or even going from hand sewing to a machine and farther with sergers and longarm machines? And at the same time as technology grows, so do our techniques. All of these changes allow us to be “playfull” and experiment in our own way. Don't be afraid to try something new - even if it doesn't work, you learned something!

It's time to give thanks and have some fun and ask “what if”.

Melissa



Renew Your 2026 GSAQG Membership Dues!

Pay at the November General Guild Meeting. The cost of your annual dues are:

Regular Dues	\$28
Senior (65+) Dues	\$21
Youth (6-18 yrs)	\$ 7



To pay your dues online, go to the guild Membership page.

2025 Programs

November 8 Veterans' Quilts Presentation is the month we remember our veterans. The Community Quilt Angels will be presenting a short program.

December 13 Holiday Party where everyone can visit with one another and spread the joy of the season.

Check out the "HOLIDAY BINGO BLOCKS" instructions on page 4 of this newsletter to participate in the Holiday Bingo. *YOU* create your own bingo cards to play for door prizes.

\$35 for 6-hour Friday Workshops; \$25 for 3-hour Saturday Workshops
Scholarship Applications are available for every workshop.

- - **Mary McCarthy, 3rd VP for Programs**



November Block of the Month - Blue Star

Bring your BOM blocks to the next meeting for a chance to win them all. Make as many blocks as you like. For every block you submit, you get a chance to win ALL the blocks turned in. No restrictions apply to what you do with the blocks – use them for a your own quilt, create a charity quilt, let them sit in their UFO box waiting for inspiration to strike.

If you didn't get a copy of the instruction sheet, no worries. You can find the BOM instructions on the home page under the "Project Instructions" link. Good luck!



Holiday Bingo Blocks

courtesy of the Coastal Prairie Quilt Guild of Texas

- You create your own BINGO “cards” using 2.5” squares of fabric.
- Each “card” has 25 squares, five vertical columns and five horizontal rows.
- The fabrics going down are all the same color but *not* the same fabric.
- The five vertical columns should be in the following colors -
- Red, Blue, Green, Yellow, Purple
- The columns can be in any order of color across the “card”.
- There are fourteen patterns of fabrics that can be used:
 - Batik
 - Dot
 - Floral
 - Geometric
 - Heart
 - Holiday
 - Leaf
 - Metallic
 - Novelty
 - Paisley
 - Plaid
 - Reproduction i.e. Civil War, 1930s, etc.
 - Solid
 - Stripe

The center square should always be black on each “card”.

It is the pattern on the fabric that is more important than the color so as an example a bit of green on a square in the orange column is okay.

You will need to bring buttons or beans or poker chips to use as markers.

You may play as many “cards” as you have space for.

Once a pattern is called and you have marked it, you cannot change it.

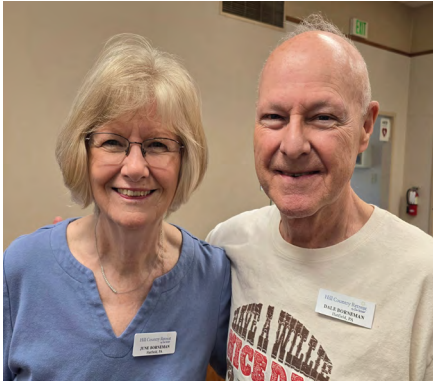
Do not make all your “cards” the same since only one “card” per person can win a game.

There will be prizes.

If you have extra 2.5” squares bring them as a donation.

The “cards” will be given to Bright Hopes or Quilt Projects Finishing Committee.

Welcome to our Guests!



**Guest Dale B(R)
with June B(L)**



**Guest Shirley B(L)
with Teresa R(R)**



**Guest Pamela L(L)
with Vickie O(R)**



**Door Prize Winner
David G**

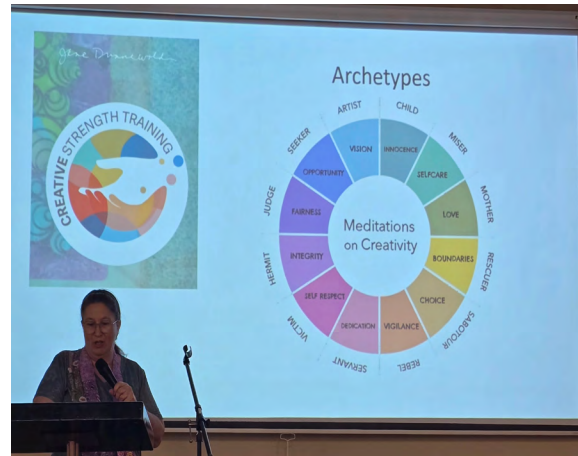


**Congratulations
Block of the Month Winner
Patrick S**



**Congratulations
Golden Carrot Winner
Trixie S**

Ethel Howey Recipient: Melissa Allo's Program "It's Time To Play" and Workshop "Make and Paint"



2026-2027 GSAQG Election of Officers Ballot of Candidates

The candidates listed for the GSAQG 2026-2027 open board positions are:

President Pro Tem: Dea Jae Shore

1st Vice President Special Events: **OPEN**

3rd Vice President Programs: Kim Wilkerson

Treasurer: Cindy Shutt

Anyone interested in the OPEN candidate for 1st VP of Special Events can contact **David de la Garza no later than November 3rd** to be placed on the ballot.

All positions will be open from the floor on the day of election if you don't get on the ballot.

FUN FINDS

American the Beautiful Quilt Challenge - Honoring the 250th Anniversary of America.

https://www.brandywinevalleyquilters.org/challenge.html?fbclid=IwdGRleANan61leHRuA2FibQIxMQABHgS2PcQ7xNai92k025s6SEpMoRXcaY_INfT1dHhkpHvJ2qWDVoXT73JxC0ko_aem_UZZf9d-5NoRSsoFV9xxU4Mg

Stitched by Susan has a bunch of YouTube videos, but this one will intrigue you.

How to make the backing fabric a little wider.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Mxtx2XLnSXU>

Want to know which YLI threads to use for your project?

See this blog post: https://ctrk.klick.com/l/01K83FBDVTKXCAJCH78JKTKNVQ_1

A big THANK YOU to Sandra L for consistently sharing fun and helpful articles.

Dear Fellow Quilters,

The Bright Hopes committee collects donations of quilt tops, fabric, completed quilts and tote bags. Each month we donate 10 large quilts and 15 tote bags to the Roy Maas Youth Alternatives or RMYA. RMYA is an organization that provides support and clinical services to children and young adults who have gone through severe trauma and neglect. When the children and young adults arrive at RMYA, they are given a quilt, clothing, and toiletries in the tote bags that we donate. We need to make the tote bags large enough to fit these items. The Bright Hopes committee provides tote bag kits that are cut to the appropriate size to fit all the items that they will give the children or young adult adults.

If you choose to make tote bags from your own fabric, they should be at least 24 inches wide by 22 inches deep when finished. They should have these three items sewn on the outside:

1. A large pocket on one side
2. A Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild label and motivational sayings fabric sewn on the opposite side, also on the outside.

Please do not add any beads or sequins that a child may pull off and swallow. Also, for safety reasons, please double check your finished work for straight pins or needles. We have been finding several pins lately. If you have pets, please make sure to clean your finished work with a lint brush. Some children might have allergies to pet hair or pet dander.

If you make quilt tops, they should be between 50 to 60 inches wide and 70 to 75 inches long. We would like some quilts oriented for girls and some for boys and they should be non-religious. We will deliver Christmas themed quilts to RMYA in early December. If you have a favorite pattern, you may start it now so we can get it all quilted and bound early. **The deadline for collecting all the Christmas quilts is the November 8, 2025 quilt guild meeting.**

Thank you for all the wonderful ways that you donate your time, talents, and efforts. We really appreciate your help.

Frances Contreras
Bright Hopes Committee Chair

Happy NOVEMBER Birthdays!

BEVERLY UHL	11/03	KAREN LAMBDIN	11/18
CARRIE BELTRAN	11/01	KATHLEEN CLENDENNEN	11/10
CATHY WALLACE	11/10	LILIA GONZALEZ	11/15
DONNA ANDERSON	11/25	REBECCA ZOELLICH	11/29
ELAINE ASCHBACHER	11/15	SANDY MILLER	11/25
EMILY NAASZ	11/30	VALARY PATTERSON	11/12
JODEL NIX	11/14	VIRGINIA GARCIA	11/30



Monthly Spotlight Melissa Allo President



Melissa Allo is our Guild President. It is a big job to be guild President. Melissa sets the agenda for every meeting, looks for ways to keep the team moving forward, works to enhance and improve our processes, and is willing to try new things. Her monthly President's Letter is a reflection of her personality, always looking for ways to make everyday challenges, successes, and wonderment relevant to the art of quilting.

If you have not already noticed, she is quite a busy lady. They say if you want to get things done, ask a busy person. This year, Melissa has worn many hats that supported our guild in many capacities. Not only is she our President, she has been organizing our guild Winter Retreat for many years, she was the 2025 Quilt Show Chair which is a HUGE undertaking, and was the recipient of the Ethel Howey Grant and was our October program and workshop educator. Melissa looks for opportunities to collaborate with other quilters such as meeting up with quilters from New Zealand! She dabbles in several creative arts and her passion for learning and teaching is evident in all that she does and contributes to our guild.

THANK YOU MELISSA FOR LEADING OUR GUILD!

2026 Auction Committee Chair Needed

Interested in being the committee chair for our 2026 Auction?

Contact Kami Ricks for more information.

Reach out to any of our prior committee chairs if you have questions regarding this role and responsibilities.

This is an important assignment for our guild as it is one of two of our largest fund raisers that keep our guild operational.



Did you read the article in this newsletter on Ida B.'s Quilting Guild Enrichment SCHOLARSHIP Fund?

Recipients awarded a scholarship can have a retreat paid for!

Find the *Application for Scholarship* form at the end of this newsletter -or- see your respective Retreat Chair.

2026 Winter Retreat

Thursday 1/22/26 - Sunday 1/25/26

Location: John Newcombe Ranch,
New Braunfels, TX

4 days @ \$350, 3 days @\$260
BALANCE DUE AT NOV MEETING!

RETREAT IS FULL!
IF YOU'RE STILL INTERESTED, JOIN THE WAITLIST.

Retreat Co-Chairs: Melissa Allo, Carrie Beltran



SAVE THE DATE!

2026 Summer Retreat
Valley Ranch Retreat & Event Center
June 14-18, 2026
Details coming soon!
Co-chairs: Linda Casias
& Linda Maldonado

11.2025 Pieces of the Past, 186: **BZ Reily** by Ellen Hernandez

BZ (Barbara) Reily is not a quilter but she was influenced by Amish quilts growing up in Pennsylvania. She began her career as a visual arts teacher in the 1980s in Massachusetts. Many of her 3-D projects are inspired by traditional quilting and she especially loves crazy quilts. She has carried her theme of

whimsical repurposing as a sculptor, printmaker, collage artist, painter, muralist, draftsman, and puppeteer. BZ often works with schools and community group projects and guest lectures at the University of Massachusetts. Her works are displayed in many New England museums and galleries. This 3-D project is called *Baseball Glove Crazy Quilt* using some of her personal gloves. BZ is a softball player.



Other items used in her found object quilts include dominoes, tin cans, metal hardware and tools, wood scraps, toy parts, coins, and sea glass. One project started with worn blue jeans and a collection of whatever was in the pockets of family and friends, like a guitar pick, coins, and keys. Another personal project developed as BZ cleared out her mother's house. She just couldn't throw out all the old board games like Scrabble and checkers or old children's books so the pieces became part of her *Evening Star Quilt*.



BZ enjoys transforming family treasures and memorable items. *Winter Totem ribbon quilt* was created after looking at a pile of donated wooden skis. Rather than have a heap of wood, BZ committed to fashioning art with a delightful makeover. Using stitching, bolting, riveting, and white glue means no toxic adhesives are used in her work. See more of her work at bzreily.com



GSAQG BOARD MEETING MINUTES October 6, 2025

President Melissa Allo called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

Present: Elaine Staller, Dea Jae Shore, Linda Casias, Mary McCarthy, Lena Ariza, David de la Garza, Cindy Shutt, Judy Hood; **Not Present:** Kami Ricks

President – Melissa Allo

1. September Board Meeting Minutes approved as written.
2. An email will be sent for Calico rose nominations.
3. Thanks to David de la Garza and Mary McCarthy who went with the New Zealand tourists on their shop hop and to Janet Miller for the Quilts of Valor Presentation and Stich-In.

President Pro Tem – Dea Jae Shore

1. Nothing to report.

Secretary – Lena Ariza

1. Seven calls in September.

Treasurer - Cindy Shutt

1. \$98,767.67
2. Profitability of the show certain but not yet exact. There were donations of money, skill, fabric, and time.

Marketing Chair - Linda Casias

1. The Vendor Report stated they appreciated the care they received and that issues were addressed quickly. Additional food trucks requested.

1st VP Special Events – Kami Ricks (not present)

1. Auction Chair is needed for 2026.
2. Winter Retreat scholarship to Shannon Moore will be presented in November.
3. Auction Chair needed.
4. 1322 people came to the Quilt Show.

2nd VP - Information - Linda Casias

1. Membership dues for 2026 will open in November.
2. There will be a new focus on Newsletter Ads.
3. There are 20 new members that signed up at the quilt show.

3rd VP for Programs – Mary McCarthy

1. October – Melissa Allo - Make & Paint
2. November - Business Meeting and Veterans Quilt Presentation.
3. December - Holiday Party.
4. Discussion of possible pot luck for 2026 December Meeting.

4th VP for Services – Judy Hood

1. David de la Garza is taking over Magazines & Books.
2. Still need a QPC leader.

5th VP for Community Outreach - Elaine Staller

1. Vickie Gillespie's group in Encino Park will now meet at the Julia Yates Semmes Library, 15060 Judson Road, from 1-5 p.m. on Sundays.
2. Frances Contreras will do one more year as Bright Hopes chair. Sheryl Beckman will be her Co-Chair and take over at the end of the year.
3. David de la Garza's group will now meet on the first Friday of the month.
4. Storybook Quilts was happy to have their own booth at the Quilt Show.

Parliamentarian - David de la Garza

1. The October meeting is the last chance for the ballot but anyone can run from the floor in November.
2. Still looking for someone to run as 1st VP.

Unfinished Business:

1. Questions for November's round robin.

New Business:

1. All committees should have Co-Chairs.

Announcements: Quilt 904 was found within the hour and an apology email was sent.

Meeting adjourned: 8:04 p.m. Minutes submitted by: Lena Ariza, Secretary

GSAQG Guild Meeting October 11, 2025

Program: Time to Play by Melissa Allo.

President Pro-Tem Dea Jae Shore called the meeting to order at 10:46 a.m.

President - Melissa Allo (not present)

1. The corrections to the August minutes were explained: corrections included misunderstandings of names and titles.
2. Approval of the September General Meeting Minutes as written.
3. Welcome 20 new members and three guests.
4. The YLI Thread survey needs 49 more participants for the guild to receive gift cards. Watch out for the e-blast.
5. The New Zealand quilters meet-ups were both successful. Thank you to Janet Miller for sharing our Quilts of Valor program and David de la Garza for being lead on the Shop Hop this weekend.
6. There are scholarships available for all classes and retreats so please apply!

President Pro Tem - Dea Jae Shore

1. Nothing to report.

Marketing Chair - Linda Casias (not present)

1. Our Facebook had 66,425 views over the last 28 days. 2,623 engaged with posts.

Secretary - Lena Ariza

1. 7 calls in September.

Treasurer - Cindy Shutt

1. Current balance \$98,767.67.
2. Show expenses are still outstanding, a full report will be presented in November.
3. Committee budget items need to be sent to Cindy for the annual budget review.
4. The scholarship fund has grown. Thank you Ida!

1st VP for Special Events - Kami Ricks (not present)

1. The 2026 Auction needs a chair.
2. Winter retreat is full with a waitlist starting - see Carrie Beltran if you are interested in participating in secret pals for the retreat. You will need to fill out a form.
3. Quilt Show 2027 Chairs - Emily Naasz & David de la Garza. Theme: Breaking All the Rulers. The theme should inspire new perspectives and new mediums.
4. Mini Retreat - see Deborah Woodward for information.

2nd VP for Information - Linda Casias (not present)

1. Please submit your newsletter articles and updates NO LATER THAN Saturday 10/18.
2. New memberships and renewals will be open in November and January in time for the 2026 Directory.

3rd VP for Programs - Mary McCarthy

1. January - Guild Committee
2. February - Award winning guild member Karen Lambdin
3. March - Julie from Intrepid Thread in New Braunfels

4th VP for Services - Judy Hood (not present)

1. A volunteer is needed to take over for QPC, the Quilt Project Committee. They assembled quilt kits, make, or ask other members to make, toppers and finish quilts. These quilts eventually go to auction.
2. BOM winner - Patrick Shell (21 Christmas Tree Blocks!)
3. Door Prize - David de la Garza; Golden Carrot - Beatrix Shell

5th VP for Community Outreach - Elaine Staller

1. Bright Hopes - Frances Contreras will do one more year as Bright Hopes chair. Sheryl Beckman will be her Co-Chair and take over at the end of the year. Bright Hopes delivered 30 quilts and 45 totes to Roy Maas this quarter. Please bring donation holiday quilts to the November meeting.
2. Community Outreach - Contact Sandy Doyle to start a new group.

Parliamentarian - David de la Garza

1. Elections are in November for four offices. 1st VP is open. The 1st VP is in charge of special events but does not necessarily run each/any of these events.
2. You can run from the floor in November. On the ballot are: Pres Pro Tem-DeaJae Shore; 1st VP Special Events-OPEN; 3rd VP-Kim Wilkerson; Treasurer-Cindy Shutt.

Unfinished Business: none; New Business: We will be looking for Co-chairs for all committee positions.

Announcements:

1. Barb Shrout - Christy Wagner is selling a Janome M7 Quilter's CollectorSeries machine (regular price \$5,000) plus all sewing accessories, Koala desk, and Tutto rolling tote for one low price of \$3,500.
2. David de la Garza is taking over Books & Magazines.
3. Barbara Sumlin - offering lunch at her house for help embroidering Calico Roses

Members present: 83; On Zoom: 4; Guests: 3. \$2.25 in name tag fees.

Adjournment 11:21 am; Minutes submitted by Lena Ariza, Secretary.

Bees: groups of friends who share their love and quilting

Contact each for more details.

Contact **Ida Kujawski, Beekeeper**, if you would like help to start a new BEE.

ibkbbk@yahoo.com

Morning Bees

Bee	Day	Time	Location	Contact
Great NW Library Bee	3rd Saturday	10 am – 1pm	SA Library 9050 Wellwood St. SA, TX 78250 Grissom//Culebra	Alicia Santiago 2109138508@spectrum.net
Villa Bees	2 nd & 4th Monday	1-3pm	Villa de San Antonio Retirement Home	Linda Nash 1014lindanash@gmail.com
Queen Bees <i>closed</i>	Every Friday	9:30 a.m. - 12:30	Members take turns hosting	Elaine Staller restaller@aol.com
Piecemakers (charity quilts)	2 nd & 4 th Fridays	9am-1pm	St. Andrew Presbyterian Church	Lani Nunley booandpiesmom@yahoo.com
Crazy...Bee	1 st & 3 rd Fridays	9am-1pm Low Bldg Fee	St. Andrew Presbyterian Church	Lani Nunley booandpiesmom@yahoo.com
Finishing Bee	4 th Friday	11am-1pm	Members' home	Jean Hardies ljhardies@gmail.com

Afternoon and Evening Bees

Bee	Day	Time	Location	Contact
QPC Bee	1 st Monday	1-4 pm	Western Hills Christian Church 8535 Huebner	Mary-Ruth Flores mrlf357@gmail.com
Hand Bee	Every Wednesday	12:30 p.m.- 3:00 p.m.	Encino Branch Library on Evans Road	Beverly Uhl mikebevu@gmail.com Naimah Ahmad naimah_k@yahoo.com
Landa Bee	1 st Sunday	2-5pm	233 Bushnell	Viki Ash vikiparis13@gmail.com
Shavano Bee	2 nd Monday	2-4pm	Member's home	Ida Kujawski ibkbbk@yahoo.com

2026 Texas Quilt Shows

- Jan 30-31 Pieces of Paradise, Piecemakers by the Bay, Rockport
- Feb 13-14 Looking To The Stars, Rio Grande Valley Quilt Guild, South Padre Island
- Feb 21-22 Stars Over Texas, Friendship Quilt Guild, Brehnam
- Feb 27-28 2026 Quilt Show & Market, Golden Triangle Quilt Guild, Beaumont
 Celebration 20 Quilt Show, TriCounty Quilt Guild, Cypress
 2026 Jewett Quilt Show, Jewett Quilt Guild, Jewett
 The Best Little Quilt Show in Texas, Colorado Valley Quilt Guild, LaGrange
- Mar 20-21 Spring Into Quilting, Shiner Heritage Quilt Guild, Shiner
- Apr 24-25 Stitched in the Stars, Quilters Guild of East Texas, Tyler
- Jul 24-25 Texas Our Texas, New Braunfels Area Quilt Guild, New Braunfels
- Jul 31-Aug 2 There Is No Place Like Home, North Texas Quilt & Sewing Expo, Multiple Guilds, Irving
- Aug 14-15 Quilt Plano 2026, Quilters Guild of Plano, Plano
- Aug 20-23 Quiltfest 2026, Austin Area Quilt Guild, Austin
- Sep 4-5 Stars, Stripes and Stitches, Vereins Guilt Guild of Fredericksburg, Fredericksburg

Ida B.'s Quilting Guild Enrichment SCHOLARSHIP Fund



One MISSION of GSAQG

- To stimulate an interest in quilts and to advance the art of quiltmaking.

Recognizing the importance of active participation in quilt guild events and activities, Ida Blankenship Kujawski has provided funds to establish a Scholarship Account. This scholarship fund will enable guild members to apply for financial assistance to cover fees for workshops and retreats, further encouraging engagement and skill development within our community.

PURPOSE

- Enhance Guild Membership Experience: Foster greater enjoyment of guild membership by promoting skill development and friendships through active participation in guild activities.
- Encourage Participation: Motivate members to attend workshops and retreats, enhancing their skills and connections within the guild.
- Financial Support: Provide financial assistance to members who may be on a tight budget, helping to alleviate the costs associated with workshops and retreats.
- Establish a Donation Fund: Create a Scholarship Fund that can receive additional donations in the future. These donations can come from anyone for various reasons, further supporting the guild's activities and members.

ELIGIBILITY

- Applicant must be active member of GSAQG for the (1) year preceding the date of the event.
- Special consideration to "First-time attendee"
- Scholarships for guild workshops and retreats are available each year. Workshop required kit fee provided by instructor could be included in Scholarship amount.
- Guild Workshops offered as 2 sessions (Friday/Saturday) would qualify for two scholarships, to help two members.
- One scholarship per member in a calendar year.
- Scholarship recipients are ineligible to reapply for:
 - 3 years for Winter or Summer Retreat
 - 2 years for Mini-Retreats
 - 2 years for Guild Speakers' workshops

Paper copy of Applications available by chair at onset of enrollment.

Applications must be submitted to the individual retreat chair, or guild program chair, who will present to the guild board for final approval. Each chair should have committee of 2-3 to help evaluate applications.

Applications should be submitted at beginning of enrollment for each event. Awards can then be announced early enough to allow recipients and chair to plan accordingly.

GREATER SAN ANTONIO QUILT GUILD, INC.

APPLICATION for SCHOLARSHIP

Today's Date _____

Applicant must submit all requested information as needed and stated by the chair.

Application available as digital document on website : copy and print.

Application presented in guild newsletter; paper copy available from event chair at onset of event.

Present paper copy application to specific chair.

NAME of Workshop or Retreat _____

DATE of Workshop or Retreat _____

\$\$ amount Requested _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ email _____

Number of years as a member of the GSAQG _____

-----FOLD HERE by committee to enable anonymity-----

Have you attended workshops? _____ retreats? _____ How many? _____

Tell us what you'd like to accomplish at Retreat or Workshop.

GREATER SAN ANTONIO QUILT GUILD, INC.
Members Who Provide Quilting Services
Information Form

Information provided below will be shared on the GSAQG website sanantonioquilt.org – Quilting Services Listing page. The GSAQG does not sponsor or assume responsibility for any services provided by those listed on our website. Businesses listed are fully responsible for their own goods and services and do not in any way represent the GSAQG organization.

Your Name	
Business Name	
Business Address	
Business Email address	
Business Phone Number(s)	
Business Website	
<p>Quilting Related Services Provided</p> <p>Quilting services: Such as longarm E2E, custom, FMQ, computerized, binding, personalized quilt labels, longarm rentals, quilt repairs, hand quilting, etc.</p> <p>Other: Experience level, lectures and/or workshops offered, judging, appraisal services, embroidery, fabric photo printing, etc.</p>	
<p>Online Shop: Etsy, Shopify, Squarespace, etc.</p>	



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NOVEMBER 15, 2025 | 10AM - 3PM

956 FM 2325

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Piecemakers By the Bay Quilt Guild

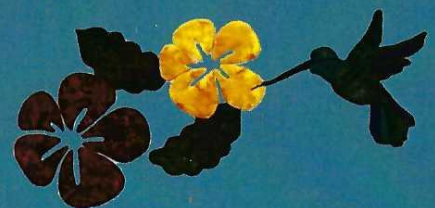
Pieces of Paradise



- * Vendors
- * Guild Country Store
- * Famous Scrap Dive
- * Door Prizes
- * Opportunity Quilt Raffle
- * Silent Auction
- * Quilt Exhibits

Friday 8-5
Saturday 8-4

January 30th and 31st, 2026
Friday and Saturday 10 am to 5 pm
First Presbyterian Church
301 Texas Business North
Rockport, Texas
Admission \$10



piecemakersbythebay.org

Facebook: Piecemakers By The Bay Quilt Guild Group

Board of Directors



Top Row:

Melissa Allo - President
 Kami Ricks - 1st VP Special Events
 Lena Ariza (not in photo) - Secretary
 Linda Casias - 2nd VP Information
 Elaine Staller - 5th VP Community Outreach

Bottom Row:

Cindy Shutt - Treasurer
 Dea Jae Shore - President Pro Tem
 Judy Hood - 4th VP Services
 Mary McCarthy - 3rd VP Programs
 David dela Garza - Parliamentarian

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 GSAQGParliamentarian@gmail.com

Next Meeting Schedule

November 3 Board Meeting 7:00 PM on Zoom
November 8 General Meeting 10:00 AM
 Saint Andrew Presbyterian Church
Zoom starts at 9:30am: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88054868999?pwd=RHU1d3BMMzNlOCV9RkhpS2VlaHJHdz09>
Meeting ID: 880 5486 8999

See the guild Calendar on our web page for Bee meetings and other guild related events.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP INFO

REGULAR DUES	\$ 28
SENIOR (65+)	\$ 21
YOUTH (6-18)	\$ 7

Sign-up at: <https://www.sanantonioquilt.org/pages/Membership.html>

Pay Online -OR- Send Check to:
GSAQG
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NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

	Monthly	Yearly
Full page ad	\$60	\$660
1/2 page ad	\$30	\$330
1/4 page ad	\$15	\$165
Business card (2 x 3.5)	\$10	\$110

Guild members may run a business card sized AD for one month free each year.

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