

THE QUILTING BEE

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November 2011

November Feature

Presentation

Sam Lamoreaux

“Confessions of an ADQ
(Attention Deficit Quilter)”

November 8, 2011

She is the owner, teacher and designer of The Quilter's Workshop in Carrollton. Her trunk show will feature some of her quilts starting with the first one she made in 1987.

December Feature

Presentation

Potluck Dinner and
Brown Bag Auction

December 13, 2011

Members please bring a salad or potluck food item to share. The board members will provide desserts.

**Donation Tickets
Due Back *Before* the
December Meeting!!**

**Renew Your Membership!!
NOW!!**

Membership Committee will be doing a new directory and we can all help by renewing our membership by Jan 10th!
Thanks!

In case of inclement weather:

In general, will do what the University of Texas of Arlington does. If they cancel evening classes we will cancel guild and board meetings.

Meeting Location

Bob Duncan Community Center
Vangergriff Park
Arlington, Texas

Guild Calendar

Nov 1 - Board Meeting - 6:30pm

Nov 8 - Guild Meeting - 7 pm
Sam Lamoreaux

Dec 6 - Board Meeting - 6:30pm

Dec 13 - Guild Meeting - 7 pm



Don't Forget to Bring:

Name Tag

Show & Tell Items

**Block Party, Linus, Patriotic
Blocks**

Refreshments - T, U, W, X, Y

Pizza Box Challenge

Safe Haven -

Children's Toys

Doors open at 6:30 ~ Meeting at 7:00

A Word from our President ~

Hi Quilters,

I would like to thank you for electing me as president of the QGOA for another year. I hope that means that you think I did a good, or at least an OK job in 2011. I think we are having a great year. I am looking forward to working with Susan FitzGerald as Vice President again, Katina Howe as Secretary and Terrie Kelly as Treasurer. There is a lot to look forward to in 2012. We have great programs and workshops already planned, the quilt show committee moving forward quickly, the Ronald McDonald Challenge has been issued and the donation quilt is ready. I hope you all are ready to participate more than you have before.

However, 2011 is not over and there is much more to enjoy with the guild. Be sure to remember to bring any Brown Bag items you may have. Also, select your recipe for the pot luck dinner in December. Looking forward to seeing you on November 8th!

Randa Dillon

November Birthdays

Emily Roney ~ 5

Vonya Worley ~ 8

Amanda Bodnar ~ 9

Vickie Bramblet ~ 11

Linda McPherson ~ 15

Debby Rake ~ 15

Sheila Kinsey ~ 17

Nancy Spell ~ 20

Joe Ann Glass ~ 21

Patricia Smith ~ 24

Carol Ramsey ~ 29



Sunshine~

Congratulations to Patricia Eckstrom! She has a new grandson named Gabriel Xander Eckstrom. Gabriel was born Friday, Oct 21st at 5:45 pm. He weighed 5 pounds and 10 ounces and was 18 inches long.



Guild Refreshments

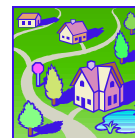
- January: C, T
- February: H, V
- March: M
- April: S, Z, E
- May: A, D
- June: POTLUCK
(Board-Desserts)
- July: G, L
- August: B, K, O
- September: F, I, J, Q
- October: N, P, R
- November: T, U, W, X, Y
- December: POTLUCK
(Board - Desserts)

Please help at the membership table; signing in & greeting members & guests during your assigned month. Please mark your calendars.

Joining a group like the guild can be overwhelming. Here are a few ways we can help our new members and guests feel welcome and get plugged in.

1. Look for the colored name tags at the meetings. They indicate a guest or new member. Introduce yourself, sit by them, introduce them to others are a few ways to make them feel a part of the guild.
2. Invite them to join you at one of our stitch groups.
3. Invite them to coffee to get to know them one on one.

Safe Haven Women's Shelter Donations



Please Bring Children's Toys

We will continue to accept travel size toiletry items throughout the year.

ALL items should be new and unused including toiletries

2011 Programs and Workshops at a Glance

November 8 **Sam Lamoreaux** - "Confessions of an ADQ"
(Attention Deficit Quilter)
Website: www.thequiltersworkshop.net

December 13 **Pot Luck Dinner and Brown Bag Raffle**

2012 Programs Sneak Preview

January 10 **Alice Wilholt** - "Crazy Patchwork Quilts"

February 14 **Su & Dwayne Bunch** - "Keeping the Piece"

March 13 **Kelly Monroe** - "Award Winning Quilts"

April 10 **Eileen Urbanek** - "Get Re-excited" (Judy Niemeyer
Certified)

April 11 **Workshop - Eileen Urbanek** - Judy Niemeyer's "Desert
Sky"

May 8 **Brenda Jeschke** - "Judging Criteria - Through the Eyes of
the Judge"

June 12 **Pot Luck & UFO Brown Bag Exchange**

WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM

(Please use this form to register for all upcoming workshops. You may photo copy this form).

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone # _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Workshop Desired: _____
Cost is \$40.00/members \$45/non-members - Form of Payment (circle one) Check Cash

Payment must be received to hold your space in the workshop. Enrollment is on a first come first serve basis. Please send your registration form with full payment to: QGOA (Quilters' Guild of Arlington), P.O. Box 13232, Arlington, TX 76094-0232.

Please make all checks payable to QGOA. Also, you must sign-up with Susan FitzGerald. Supply lists will be listed in the newsletter at the www.GQOA.org website or look for list at the Guild meeting.

Workshops are held at Pleasant Ridge Church of Christ Family Pavilion in Arlington. Located at I20 & Little Road NW of the Southwest Plaza Shopping Center.

~~ Nancy's Block Party Corner ~~

This is a **MONTHLY** Challenge! There is a new block pattern each month. Members may make as many blocks as they choose. *We would like for each member attending the meeting to turn in a least one block.* These blocks are collected at the meeting. Members get one ticket for each block turned in, placed in a box for a drawing. The member whose name is drawn, get all the Block Party blocks turned in. If there are 24 blocks turned in, 2 names will be drawn. We could have **MORE** winners if **EVERY** member in attendance turns in at least **ONE** block. We Average -- 60+ in attendance -- that would be 5 winners!!!

I have another challenge for you. Use the pattern to make the Block Party block. Then choose some fabrics to make another block each month. Keep this block. At the end of the year, you will have 12 blocks. Assemble the blocks into a sampler quilt and display the top in March. Everyone who show their sampler quilt from these blocks will receive a small gift. Or make a quilt using one or two of the patterns and show it at the March meeting.

Wounded Warrior Blocks ~~ We ask you to make the Block Party block in Red, White, and Blue fabrics. These blocks will be made into lap quilts for wounded soldiers. We have been taking them to the Military hospital in San Antonio.

Quilts By Men

Cooper Shade Tree Fine Craft Gallery

Oct 26 - Nov 20, 2011

Round Top, TX

Focus is on amazing art quilts created by 16 men from across the USA and Canada. The show will run in conjunction with the International Quilt Festival in Houston and the opening of Karey Bresenhan's Texas Quilt Museum in La Grange, TX. The men in the show include: Gerald Roy, Holice Turnbow, Bob Adams, Jack Brockette, John Flynn, Jim Vanderhoot, Joe Cunningham, Luke Haynes, Michael Michalski, Paul Burega, Paul Leger, Rex Watson, Richard Caro, **Larry Denning**, Richard Larson, and Scott Hansen.



Binding Party

Thursdays, Nov. 10th & 17th

9 am - 6 pm (or as long as you can stay)

6112 W Poly Webb Rd

Arlington, TX

(Sheila Parry's Home)

Bring: Needle, Thread, Scissors and a dish for lunch

Goal: Finish quilts for the Alabama tornado victims!

For more information contact Sheila Parry at 817-572-1931 or 817-526-1814.

QGOA Block Party December 2011

CHALLENGE!!!!

Let's try to have enough blocks to draw 2 names this month!

Use your stash of Christmas fabrics and make you **favorite** block. (12 1/2 inches unfinished)

Patriotic Soldier Blocks -- Make your favorite block in red, white and blue.

Project Linus Blocks -- Use pink and white. Construct 6 1/2 inch unfinished 9 patch blocks, using 2 1/2 inch squares.

October Day Retreat Huge Success!

Report by Libby McDuffie



What a wonderful three days! My heart just sang listening to all the conversations, sharing and teaching!

You are such a fun group and what makes our guild so very special. The room was vibrating with sewing machines, laughter and talking! Thanks to all of those that were able to attend for making it a wonderful retreat. Also the food... what can I say but WOW! So many yummy treats and even paninis hot off the griddles! Sign up for the March day retreat at the December meeting.



January QGOA Retreat

When : Thurs, Jan 20 ~ Sun Jan 23, 2012
What : Annual QGOA retreat
Where : Our House in Milford, Milford, TX

<http://www.ourhouseinmilford.com/index.html>

Cost : \$245 per person for all three nights. \$190 for Friday & Saturday nights only. Includes all meals (dinner on the 20th through brunch on the 23rd).

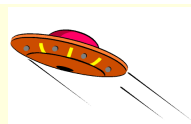
Forms are available at guild meetings or on-line.

See Libby McDuffie for more information.

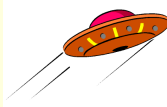
Membership News

*****REMINDER*****

Don't forget to renew your membership for 2012 and pay your dues for the new year. Membership form on page 15. You don't want to miss all the interesting speakers and exciting new workshops, retreats, and fun!



LAND YOUR UFO's in 2011



Every time you bring a finished quilt to show off at a guild meeting that was begun prior to 2011, sign Nancy's "Finished UFO Book". At the December meeting, she will draw a name from the book's entries and the winner will receive a gift certificate. The more UFOs that you finish, the more chances you will have to win! Now you have no excuse, **FINISH THOSE UFOs!**

Events Around the State

- Oct 8 West Texas: Sunsets, Wind & Black Gold
Midland, TX (for info & entry forms, midlandquiltersguild.com)
- Oct 14-15 Harvest of Quilts
Greenville, TX
- Oct 14-15 Grandma's Treasures
Gainesville, TX
- Oct 14-15 Baltimore's Country Cousins
Canton, TX
- Nov 3-6 International Quilt Festival
Houston, TX
- Feb 17-18, 2012 Bear Creek Quilt Guild Show
Hurst Conference Center
Hurst, TX
- June 8-9, 2012 Irving Guild Quilt Show
Holy Family of Nazareth Church
Irving, TX

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Wounded Warrior Quilts

One of our members will be taking Wounded Warrior quilts to Brooke Army Hospital in San Antonio right before Thanksgiving. Please finish any that you've started and get them to me no later than the Nov. 8 guild meeting. Please put a label on the quilt as we want our wounded heros to know that the Arlington Guild cares. You can word it any way you want, or put, "Quilted for An American Hero by Quilter's Guild of Arlington, Texas", (date) and then your name...if you prefer not to put your name...just put your first name.

Thanks to Carol Ramsey for offering to take this group of quilts. It really helps. If you still want to participate in this project but haven't yet, see Nancy Conner for patriotic blocks from the Block Party. That will be a good start for you.

For any new member that is interested in this project, we try to make the quilts 50" X 50", but a little larger or smaller is ok. They don't have to be red/white/blue, any color will work. Thanks for everybody's help on this project.

Jolene Mershon

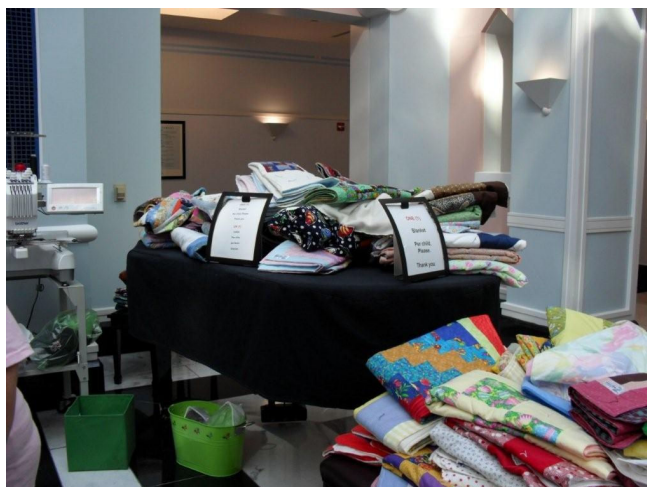
Project Linus Sit & Sew at Cook's Children's Hospital

A good group of ladies were on hand at Cook's Children's Hospital on October 11, 2011 to make quilts for the children. Many quilts were given out that day.

Cook's is just one of many places these quilts will be going to. They will also go to John Peter Smith and Harris Hospitals, CASA (Children's Advocate), Catholic Charities, Snowball Express (children of wounded soldiers), children in need of Fireman, Policemen, EMTs, and US Military.

Thanks from Project Linus.

Photos taken by Elaine's daughter, Barbara, who was visiting and helped us.





The Alzheimer's Art Quilt Initiative (AAQI)
Raising Awareness & Funding Research Through Art

Our January 2010 guest speaker, Ami Simms, of Flint, Michigan is the founder and executive director of the AAQI, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit operated entirely by volunteers. She is a quilter, and her mother had Alzheimer's.

Make finding a cure for Alzheimer's disease a priority. QGOA would like to challenge you by creating mini art quilt in any theme with a maximum size of just 9" x 12" (so that it fits a USPS Priority Mailer without folding.)

This project is an ongoing event.

There are an estimated 5.3 million Americans with Alzheimer's disease. We believe we can help Ami and AAQI make a difference, one quilt at a time.

For more information visit www.AlzQuilts.org website
or contact, Susan FitzGerald

Guild Volunteer Positions

There are still a few positions open on our guild board!

We need your help and input. We need you to volunteer for a position. We need you to assist those that do volunteer. We need you to accept the responsibility of your membership in that at some time in your membership you volunteer. We need you to again volunteer if it has been years since you last volunteered for a leadership position.

Look at the list of officer positions for the guild and also for the Festival of Quilts. All of those positions also need to be filled for us to continue our fine traditions as the Quilters' Guild of Arlington.

The following positions are still open on the board and committees:

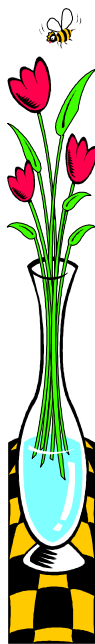
- Guild Products
- Sunshine and Shadow
- Community Outreach
- Susan G. Komen



Other News:
Dec meeting is our **Brown Bag**. We are taking donations now!

October Meeting Attendance

Members	67
Visitors	8



Membership Information & Volunteer Hours

Don't forget to record your volunteer hours each month when you sign-in. This information is important to our guild's non-profit status and helpful with grant application for funding of the quilt show. Remember anything you do to promote the guild or quilting or community outreach through quilting counts.

Don't forget to renew your membership for 2012. Our guild membership year begins in January. Remember that the directory you received is a permanent one. Updates will be made to it after the beginning of the year, including new yearly information pages to replace the ones you have.

“Attention Members”

We need you to donate items for the Brown Bag Auction! We are looking for household miscellaneous, books, stationary, candles, knick-knacks and quilt related items.

Please bring your items to the November 8th meeting and place on the designated table in the back of the room. Thank You!

2012 Donation Quilt Recipient
Safe Haven Women's Shelter

Del Jeanne Mathews will be doing the donation quilt for 2013!

We are still taking nominations for Golden Spool. We will award the next Golden Spool in December. Turn your nominations in to Nancy Spell.



*Be Courteous to our Speakers and Members and **TURN OFF** your **CELL PHONES** during the meetings!*



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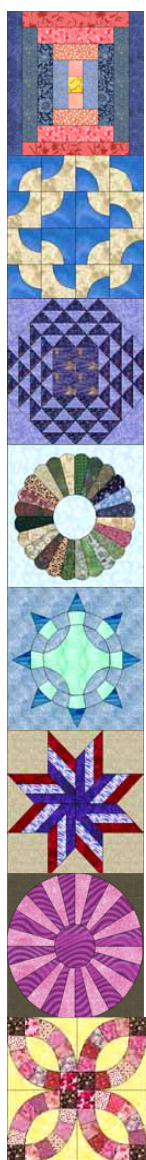
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Vice President	Susan FitzGerald
Secretary	Debbie Rake
Treasurer	Janice Farris
Parliamentarian	Libby McDuffie

STANDING and APPOINTED COMMITTEES

PROGRAMS

Vice Chairman	Susan FitzGerald
	Elizabeth Cooper

MEMBERSHIP

Guild Products	Janice Christy
	Larry Denning

HOSPITALITY

Door Prizes	Charlotte Humphrey
Volunteer Hours	Malorie Harper
Golden Spool	Judy Liston
Librarian	Sandra Boice
Welcoming	Pat Madrid

PUBLICITY

Permanent Quilt Coll.	Peggy Billingsley
	Sherry Livingston

NEWSLETTER

Historian	Linda McPherson
Sunshine & Shadow	Sheila Parry
	Billie Breecheen

QUILT SHOW 2011

	Lauren Crespo
	Kelly Monroe

GUILD ACTIVITIES

Block Party	Nancy Conner
Presidents Blocks	Nancy Conner
Display Case	Nancy Conner
Retreat Coordinator	Nancy Spell
TAQG Rep.	Libby McDuffie
	Carolyn Troupe

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Comm. Outreach	Carolyn Hill
Susan G. Komen	Carolyn Hill
Project Linus	Susan Buckner
Safe Haven	Patsy Martin
Ronald McD 2011	Del Jeanne Mathews
	Peggy Billingsley

WEBSITE COORD.

DONATION QUILT

Donation Quilt 2010	Flossy Loop
Donation Quilt 2011	Janice Mowery
Donation Quilt 2012	Patricia Eckstrom

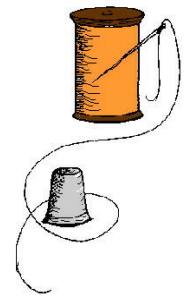
Webmaster

Art Parry

Email address to contact officers:
support@qgoa.org, or refer to the current
directory for specific information.

STITCH GROUPS

Guild members are cordially invited to join a sewing group for fellowship and stitching. Most groups have room for new members.



Friendship Stitchers

Meets the 1st & 3rd Thursdays
10:00 a.m. at First Christian Church
Contact: Helga Smith

Etcetera Art Quilt Group

Meets @ Lone Star House of Quilts
1st Thursday of the Month
7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Contact: Denny Cornett

The Piecemakers - full at this time

Meets at Bob Duncan Community Center
2nd & 4th Thursdays
6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
Contact: Linda McPherson

Sew-N-Sews

Meets @ Quilt Among Friends
1st Monday of the Month
10 AM to 3 PM
Contact: Randa Dillon or Carolyn Bowden

Please let us know if you've formed an open group or want to do so
support@qgoa.org.

QGOA NEWSLETTER AD RATES

SIZE	1 MO	3 MOs	1 YR
1/8 page	\$7.50	\$22	\$ 85
1/4 page (3?"x4?")	\$15	\$40	\$150
1/2 page (4?"x7?")	\$30	\$75	\$ 270
1/2 page (9?"X3"?)	\$30	\$75	\$270
1/2 page (back page)	\$40	\$105	\$378
1 page (7 x 9)	\$60	\$150	\$540

All ads must be print ready and fit the size requirement. Ads must be received by the 15th of the month prior to the desired publication month.
Email preferred.

QGOA Executive Board & Standing Committees - 2012

Executive Board

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	Pearly Nettles	

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Monthly Clubs

Nimble Thimbles - 1st Tues Crazy Quilts - 2nd Tues Novel Quilters - 2nd Fri
 Snippets - 3rd Tues Wool-works - 4th Tues

November 2011 Classes

Sat, Nov 12	10:00 - 4:00	Fusible Applique Christmas Tree
Mon, Nov 14	10:00 - 4:00	Large Christmas Wreath
Wed, Nov 16	10:00 - 4:00	Flip Flop Snowflakes

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OCTOBER SHOW & TELL

Susan FitzGerald	Memories of a Sales Consultant
Lauren Crespo	Patriotism - Maker & Quilter - Lauren Red Hot Chili Peppers - Maker & Quilter - Lauren
Jolene Mershon	End of Summer - Maker & Quilter - Jolene Pasie Chain - Maker - Jolene, Quilter - Susan Corbett
Terrie Kelly	Crazy in Love - Maker & Quilter - Terrie
Nancy Conner	Block Party Sampler - Maker & Quilter - Nancy
Kathy Kaju	Mom's 80th Birthday Quilt - Maker & Quilter - Kathy
Judy O'Polka	Headless Horseman - Maker & Quilter - Judy
Linda Jo Williams	Stars & Stripes Soldier Throw - Maker - Linda, Quilter - Katina Howe
Del Jeanne Mathews	Big Bag - Maker & Quilter - Del Jeanne Nursery Rhymes & Alphabets - Maker & Quilter - Del Jeanne Dancing Rails - Maker & Quilter - Del Jeanne Floral Log Cabins - Maker & Quilter - Del Jeanne

COMMUNITY SERVICE AND VOLUNTEER HOURS

The tracking of the Volunteer Hours is just a means to tally hours spent in community service by our members. This record is to celebrate with you a job well done and in no way is used to compare or judge.

What does it matter? For one, it is used if we apply for grants. It was also used to help justify our IRS status. What counts? Well, anything that promotes quilting.

Our guild regularly offers opportunities to use quilting for the community for members wanting to participate. We participate in:

- Wounded warrior quilts
- Linus project
- Ronald McDonald quilts
- Susan G. Komen miniature auction.

All the hours spent on making those can be recorded as volunteer hours. Also, hours spent on guild business and selling donation quilt tickets. In addition, there are members who teach friends and neighbors to quilt without monetary compensation, and those hours count. If you make quilts for victims of disasters-that would count. The time spent making a quilt that is donated to a charity for its raffle I think could be reported.

We all want to help the community and this is a way to do it. Many of us have other avenues of giving and that is a wonderful thing. Many of us have little time to devote to such activities for a variety of reasons-working, caring for family, our own projects, etc. I also know that we do not necessarily want recognition for what we do.

Just know that what ever you do for others is appreciated and we just want to celebrate our efforts together.

So, record those hours.

Quilter's Guild of Arlington 2012 Proposed Budget

Revenue/Expenses (Committee Chair)	Proposed	
Membership Committee		
Revenue Membership Dues	\$ 4,000	
100 @ \$30; 50 @ \$25		
Expense Directories/Prtg.	- 250	
Expenses New Member Packets	- 25	
Revenue Sale of Guild Products	1,000	
Expense Purchase Guild Products	- 1,000	
Expense Office Supplies	- 35	
Expense Sunshine & Shadow	<u>- 30</u>	
Total	\$ 3,660	\$3,500
Quilt Show		
Revenue	\$10,700	
Expense	<u>- 7,500</u>	
Total	\$ 3,200	\$4,000
Donation/Raffle Quilt		
Revenue (50% of net sales donated to local charity)	\$ 3,125	
Expense Printing Tickets	<u>- 175</u>	
Total	\$ 2,950	\$1,500
Newsletter		
Revenue Subscriptions	\$ 300	
Revenue Advertisements	800	
Expense Postage, Copies, Etc.	<u>- 1,100</u>	
Total	\$ 0	\$ 0
Miscellaneous Income		
December Dinner & Fons/Porter Sub.	<u>\$ 550</u>	
Total	\$ 550	\$ 550
Program Committee		
Expense Speakers (Fees, Trans, Meals)	-\$4,500	
Expense Workshops	- 3,000	
Revenue Workshops	<u>2500</u>	
Total	\$ 5,000	-\$5,000
Annual Retreat		
Deposits Received from Attendees	\$ 5,000	
Expenses	<u>- 5,000</u>	
Total	\$ 0	\$ 0
Hospitality		
Hospitality	\$ 125	
Librarian	100	
Publicity & Web Page		
Publicity	- 50	
Web Page	- 250	
Special Projects		
Golden Spool Award	\$ 0	
TAQG	- 100	
Block Party	- 50	
Volunteer Hours	<u>- 50</u>	
Total	\$ 725	-\$ 700
Administration		
Miscellaneous	-\$ 100	
Bob Duncan Community Center	- 2520	
Colonial Storage	- 936	
Post Office Rental	<u>- 72</u>	
Total	\$ 3,628	<u>-\$3,700</u> \$150

ENTRY FORM
Quilters' Guild of Arlington
Festival of Quilts, May 11 & 12, 2012

A separate *Entry Form* must be completed for each item entered.

Entry Forms may be turned in at a guild meeting or must be **postmarked by April 11, 2012.**

Mail *Entry Forms* to: Carolyn Bowden, 2700 Monarch, Arlington, TX 76006.

The facility size limits the number of quilts that can be displayed, *first come first served*, so please submit your entry as early as possible! Please refer to *Quilt Entry Instructions* for more information and rules.

SECTION A: ENTRY IDENTIFICATION Please print LEGIBLY. Information in ***BOLD** will be published

***ENTRANT'S NAME:** _____ ***TITLE OF ENTRY:** _____

***MAKER'S NAME:** _____ ***QUILTER'S NAME:** _____

Address _____ City/State/ZIP _____

E-Mail Address _____ QGOA MEMBER (circle one): Yes No

Day Phone _____ Evening Phone _____

Year Completed _____ Quilt size: width _____ in., length _____ in. ***Garment** (type): _____

QUILTER'S STATEMENT (Will be published.) Describe your inspiration for this quilt. We reserve the right to edit for clarity and/or length (Print legibly, 25 words or less):

 _____*

DESIGN SOURCE - Original design or did you use a published book or pattern? If yes, please give credit:

ATTACH COLOR PHOTO TO THIS FORM A color photograph or digital print of the quilt must accompany each entry. Please print your name, address and phone number on the back of the photograph or digital print. Entry item need not be finished, but must be recognizable by color and pattern.

SECTION B: ENTRY DIVISION AND CATEGORY NUMBER: Refer to *Divisions and Categories* page to determine where your quilt should be placed. Should you have any questions as to the placement of your quilt, please call Carolyn Bowden (817.860.4424 or ckbowden@sbcglobal.net) or Libby McDuffie (817.483.0694 or LibbyMc137@aol.com). The Quilt Show Committee places entries based on the information you supply. If it is deemed that a quilt has been placed in the wrong category after the quilts have been hung at the show, the quilt will remain as hung. It will not be judged in either category. It is your responsibility as the entrant to place it in its proper category. Please make certain that you place it correctly!

Entry Division and Category NUMBER: _____ ***Quilting:** Hand _____ Machine _____
 (example: 101 or 302) Must be specified

SECTION C: SHIPMENT OF QUILT

Out of town entries may be mailed / shipped to Carolyn Bowden, 2700 Monarch, Arlington, TX 76006. Out of town entries must be received by May 7, 2012. Entry must be accompanied with prepaid return shipping fee and label. Please advise Carolyn Bowden (817.860.4424 or ckbowden@sbcglobal.net) when to expect a shipment.

EARLY DROP-OFF: May be arranged by contacting Carolyn Bowden (817.860.4424 or ckbowden@sbcglobal.net).

SECTION D: RELEASE FORM (MUST BE SIGNED)

By my signature below, I agree to abide by all conditions stated on this *Entry Form* and the accompanying instructions. I also grant Quilters' Guild of Arlington (QGOA) the right to display and to photograph this entry for QGOA files, publicity or promotional purposes in either print or electronic media. I understand that I am responsible for my own insurance on any and all items. I understand that no responsibility for loss or damage to my entry will be assumed by the Quilters' Guild of Arlington, its officers, agents or volunteers. QGOA will take all reasonable precautions to protect your entry.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

SECTION E: CHECK LIST Please include these items, where applicable, with your *Entry Form* (one form per entry):

_____ Signed and Completed *Entry Form* for Each Entry

_____ Photograph or Print of Each Entry, Required

_____ \$10 Non-member Entry Fee (if applicable), Check Payable to: QGOA

_____ \$40 for Quilt Appraisal to be done by an AQS Certified Appraiser. Check Payable to: QGOA

QUILT ENTRY INSTRUCTIONS
Quilters' Guild of placeCityArlington, Festival of Quilts 2012
'Texas Gone Crazy!'

DEADLINE

Entry Forms may be submitted at any guild meeting or must be received or **postmarked by April 11, 2012**. The facility size limits the number of quilts that can be displayed, 'first come first served', so please submit your **Entry Form** as early as possible! You will receive email confirmation of receipt, no USPS mail confirmation will be sent.

BASIC RULES

- ❖ All entries must be clean, in excellent condition and must be displayed for the duration of the show. All entries must have been completed within the last five (5) years and may not have been previously entered in a QGOA show.
- ❖ Please enter finished quilts that represent your best work. We are proud of our members' needlework. Quilts must be complete and finished by check-in on Wednesday, May 9, 2012. Please do not enter unfinished quilts, tied quilts, cheater cloth, preprinted kit quilts, comforters, or double knit quilts. The Quilters' Guild of Arlington reserves the right to refuse any entry that it deems inappropriate or that does not meet requirements.
- ❖ Each entrant may submit a maximum of five (5) entries, with a limit of 2 per category. Donation quilts such as: Ronald McDonald House, Susan G. Komen Auction and Nancy's Pink Challenge quilts do not count in this total.

PHOTOGRAPHS

A color photograph or digital print of the quilt must accompany each entry. The show committee understands that an entry may not have its quilting or binding completed when the entry photo is taken. Please print your name, address and phone number on the back of the photograph or digital print. All photographs or prints become the property of QGOA and will not be returned.

DIVISION AND CATEGORY

Choose one Division and Category *number* for your quilt (refer to **Division and Categories** page). If you have any questions, please contact Carolyn Bowden (817.860.4424 or ckbowden@sbcglobal.net) or Libby McDuffie (817.483.0694 or email: LibbyMc137@aol.com)

FEES

Members of the QGOA do not pay an entry fee. Non-members must pay a fee of \$10.00 per entry. Children submitting quilts are exempt.

INSURANCE

Entrants are responsible for their own insurance on all items. Your completed *Entry Form* releases QGOA, its officers, agents or volunteers from any and all liability. QGOA will take reasonable precautions to protect all entries. All *Entry Forms* must be signed or they will not be accepted.

IDENTIFICATION LABEL

A cloth identification label is required on each entry. It must be sewn to a lower corner on the back of each quilt or the inside of a garment, no pins will be accepted. Stitch or print with indelible ink, your name, address and phone number.

SLEEVES

Entries must have a four (4) inches wide double casing/sleeve stitched to the reverse side. Garments, miniatures and 'Other Quilted and Textile/Fabric Items' do not require a sleeve unless they need to be hung up by a rod for display. If the quilt is longer than 90 inches, lower the sleeve along the back until the top of the sleeve is 90 inches from the bottom edge of the quilt so that the quilt will not drape onto the floor. If the sleeve is not placed accordingly it is an acknowledgment that it will drape on the floor. Please be aware that a quilt wider than 90 inches may not hang correctly; please put a sleeve with a split (or gap) in the middle to allow some easing on the crossbar.

QUILT APPRAISAL

If desired, your quilt may be appraised while it is hung in the **Festival of Quilts** by an AQS Certified Appraiser. Please attach a \$40 check payable to **QGOA** for each quilt appraisal you are requesting. If you would like an appointment to have the appraisal done in your presence, and/or for other quilts not hung in the show, please contact: Denny Cornett (682-553-3483 or denisec@mhmrtc.org) for an appointment time.

DROP-OFF TIME

Quilt drop-off is on Wednesday, May 9, 2012, 4:00 to 6:00 pm at Bob Duncan Community Center, 2800 S. Center St., Arlington, TX, 76014.

No entries will be accepted after 6 pm, May 9, 2011. Enclose each entry in a clean pillowcase or similar sized fabric bag. No entry will be accepted rolled or on a hanger. Your name must be highly visible and written or sewn on the outside of the bag. No pinned ID information. Please remember only one item per bag. Do not submit entry in any other form (rolled, on hanger, plastic bag, etc.) You will receive a **claim check** for each entry at drop-off.

OUT OF TOWN ENTRIES

Out of Town entries should be shipped to Carolyn Bowden, 2700 Monarch, Arlington, TX 76006. Out of Town entries must be received by May 7, 2012. These entries must include pre-paid return postage/shipping and a self-addressed mailing/shipping label to be sure the quilts return home. Remember to ask the shipper about insurance. Please contact Carolyn Bowden (817.860.4424 or ckbowden@sbcglobal.net) when to expect the shipment.

PICK-UP TIME

All entries will be released between 5:45 to 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 12, 2012, at Bob Duncan Community Center, 2800 S. Center St., Arlington, TX, 76014. No entry will be released without the completed claim check. **You must have your claim check.** If you cannot be here to pick-up your quilt, please make arrangements with someone to help you with this. **Unclaimed quilts** will receive loving foster care until they are reunited with their owners. An after-show care fee will be charged at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 12, 2012, and again at 6:00 p.m. on each subsequent day of foster care. The fee is \$10.00 per day per quilt. This fee does not apply to out of town entries with prepaid return postage/shipping. All shipped entries will be return shipped as soon as possible.

Divisions and Categories

Quilters' Guild of placeCityArlington, Festival of Quilts 2012

'Texas Gone Crazy!'

The Quilt Show Committee places entries based on the information you supply. Should you have any questions as to the placement of your quilt, please call Carolyn Bowden (817.860.4424 or ckbowden@sbcglobal.net) or Libby McDuffie (817.483.0694 or LibbyMc137@aol.com). If it is deemed that a quilt has been placed in the wrong category after the quilts have been hung at the show, the quilt will remain as hung. It will not be judged in either category. It is your responsibility as the entrant to place it in its proper category. All entries must be hand or machine quilted, no tied or tacked quilts allowed.

DEFINITIONS The quilt top maker's status determines the division (Artisan or Master), not the quilter's status.

Artisan: If **ALL** of the following statements are true, you may enter under the 'Artisan' Division: never classified as a Master in the past; never have engaged in a quilt event or activity for monetary profit (more than \$2,000 per year); never formally taught quilting, quilt related or wearable arts techniques; and never published a pattern or book on quilting, quilt related or wearable art techniques.

Master: If **ANY** of the following statements are true past or present, you must enter under the 'Master' Division: have been classified as a Master; engaged in a quilt event or activity for monetary profit (more than \$2,000 per year); taught quilt related or wearable arts techniques; published a pattern or book on quilt related or wearable art techniques; or have won a Best of Show and/or total of two Blue Ribbons in QGOA shows, or a combination of other quilt shows.

Two-Person Quilt: A quilt to which a person contributed **ANY** work in completing the quilt such as: blocks pieced or appliqué, and/or was machine or hand quilted by another person.

Group Quilt: Any quilt to which 3 or more people contributed **ANY** work in completing the quilt such as: blocks pieced or appliqué, and/or was quilted by others, either by machine or hand.

ONE-PERSON QUILTS

The following categories are quilts made by one person. NO other person contributed **ANY** work in completing the quilt such as: blocks pieced or appliqué by another; and/or was quilted by another individual, either by machine or hand.

Artisan Division

- 101. **Artisan Pieced Quilt** - A quilt larger than 60" on any one side and is predominately pieced or patchwork, machine or hand quilted.
- 102. **Artisan Appliquéd Quilt** - A quilt larger than 60" on any one side and is predominately appliqué, machine or hand quilted.
- 103. **Artisan Wall Quilt** - May be pieced, appliqué or a combination, machine or hand quilted. Not to exceed 60 inches on any one side. Includes miniature quilts that are not donations.

Master Division

- 201. **Master Pieced Quilt** - A quilt larger than 60" on any one side and is predominately pieced or patchwork, machine or hand quilted.
- 202. **Master Appliquéd Quilt** - A quilt larger than 60" on any one side and is predominately appliqué, machine or hand quilted.
- 203. **Master Wall Quilt** - May be pieced, appliqué or a combination, machine or hand quilted. Not to exceed 60 inches on any one side. Includes miniature quilts that are not donations.

TWO-PERSON QUILTS

A quilt to which one other person contributed **ANY** work in completing the quilt such as: blocks pieced or appliqué, and/or was machine or hand quilted by another person. (If more than 2 people contributed to the completion of the quilt, it is a Group Quilt - 302, in Open Division below.)

- 104. **Artisan Two-Person Quilt** - Two people were involved in making the quilt. May be pieced or appliqué, machine or hand quilted. The quilt-top maker's status determines the division (Artisan or Master).
- 204. **Master Two-Person Quilt** - Two people were involved in making the quilt. May be pieced or appliqué, machine or hand quilted. The quilt-top maker's status determines the division (Artisan or Master).

THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES ARE NOT CLASSIFIED BY ARTISAN, MASTER, ONE PERSON, NOR TWO PERSON

OPEN DIVISION

- 301. **Mixed / Other Technique Quilt** - Any quilt, which has used any or more than one technique and does not fit into any other categories; such as whole cloth, yo-yos, crazy quilt, redwork, digitized printing, painted and embroidery; either machine or hand quilted.
- 302. **Group Quilt** - Any quilt to which 3 or more people contributed ANY work in completing the quilt such as: blocks pieced or appliqué, and/or was quilted by others, machine or hand quilted. This includes quilts created with blocks received in a block exchange.
- 303. **Art Quilt** - Original design; any technique or combination of techniques or materials used in a non-traditional way; either machine or hand quilted.
- 304. **Quilted Garment** - Constructed with piecing and/or appliqué contains 3 layers and some form of recognizable quilting.
- 305. **Theme Quilt** - Any construction method but must denote the quilt show theme. The theme for 2012 is *'Texas Gone Crazy'*. May be constructed by one or more persons, either machine or hand quilted.
- 306. **Kits or Block of the Month Quilt** - Quilt composed of patterns and fabric, packaged as a unit for retail sale, either machine or hand quilted. This includes pre-printed whole-cloth quilt tops.
- 307. **Other Quilted Items** - Such as: Placemats, handbags, totes, table runners, and tree skirts, either machine or hand quilted.
- 308. **Textile/Fabric Non-Quilted Items** - Such as: dolls, rugs, totes, bowls, ficklesticks. No wearables, must be predominately made of fabric.

DONATION DIVISION

- 401. **Miniature Quilt** - To be donated for the Susan G. Komen silent auction. No block may be larger than 4" square, either machine or hand quilted. Must have at least 9 blocks, unless it is a whole cloth or medallion style quilt. Quilt not to exceed 24" on any one side.
- 402. **Nancy's Pink Challenge Miniature Quilt** - To be donated for the Susan G. Komen silent auction. Quilt not to exceed 24" on any one side. 75% of the quilt must be PINK. No block may be larger than 3" square. Must have at least 9 blocks, either machine or hand quilted.
- 403. **Ronald McDonald House Quilt** - To be donated to the Ronald McDonald House; not to exceed twin size, must be washable and have no buttons or similar items attached that could be accidentally swallowed by young children. Do not attach a sleeve. May include a matching pillowcase.

NON- JUDGED DIVISION

- 501. **Non-judged Quilt** - Any quilt you do not want judged but would like to have hung and shown, either machine or hand quilted.
- 502. **Youth Quilt** - Any quilt created by person aged 3 - 17, non-judged but will be critiqued. May be pieced or appliqué and either machine or hand quilted. Tied quilts are allowed in this category. Others may contribute work to complete this quilt.
- 503. **Novice** - First time a quilt has been entered in a quilt show by the maker, either machine or hand quilted. The quilt will not be judged but will be critiqued.

QUILTERS' GUILD OF ARLINGTON 2012 MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION FORM

Items in **BOLD** print will be published in directory.

Name _____ (**Nick Name**) _____

New Member _____ Renewal _____ Please check if your information has not changed _____

Member Since: _____ Quilting how many years? _____

***Please Provide a Photo of yourself, new or updated if not previously submitted; attache to form.

Please fill out or check where indicated and print large!

Spouse's name _____

Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Home _____ **Cell** _____ **Work** _____

Email address _____

Birthdate (month/day) _____ **Stitch group** _____

Favorite: Color _____ **Quilt Book** _____ **Quilt Author/Teacher** _____

Special Quilt Interests _____ **Skills to share** _____

I am a: New _____ **Intermediate** _____ **Mater Quilter** _____

Program Ideas: ex, subject, speaker

Membership fees:

() Membership	\$30	
() New () Renewal		
() Junior Member	\$15	
* see standing rules for limitations		
() Senior (65 - 84)	\$25	
() Super Senior Saver (85 and older)	\$ 0	
() Printed Newsletter Subscription	\$15	
	Total	

Cash _____ Check # _____ Amount paid _____ Date _____

Check the box if you do not want your information in the Guild Directory.

Signature _____ Date _____

Photos will be taken at meetings if you prefer, just ask at the membership table.

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