

# The Quilting Bee 

## Meeting Location

Bob Duncan Center -- Vandergriff Park
2800 S Center St Arlington, TX 76014
Meetings 2nd Tuesday each month
Doors open at 6:30 ~ Meeting at 7:00

June Meeting<br>Members Potluck

Every year about this time we have a potluck dinner. We will be hearing from the Sew Touching group about Alzheimer's fidget quilts among other enjoyable things. It is an exciting night for everyone.

Members are to bring those delicious dishes to share and board members will bring desserts. It would be nice if you could bring your recipes on cards or sheets of paper so we all can enjoy your dishes at home. If your dish is in cookbook let us know what the name is and page number.

Hope to see you there!

## 2018 Donation Quilt Wanted

A request to our very talented, creative guild members: Which of you will take up the challenge of creating our 2018 fundraising quilt? You can do it all yourself, enlist a few friends or your stitch group for an exciting group project with plenty of time to complete it. Interested? Contact Sharon Ligon for more information or to accept the challenge.

## May Meeting <br> 2016 Quilt Show Winner's Circle! <br> 

Join us as we celebrate our 2016 entries and winners with special recognition. It's a great time to see their talent and workmanship, and to hear the stories they may share of making their quilts and fabric art. You can ask questions, ooh and ah and just see them once again. Come show your support to the many inspirational quilters within our guild.

We also ask that those attending the April Workshop with Flavin Glover bring their quilts for Show \& Tell. It was a great workshop, and we would love to see what everyone made!

See you there!

Workshop Registration
Name: $\qquad$
Address:
City:
State:
Zip:
Phone:
Email Address:
Workshop Name:
Workshop Date:
Form of Payment: (circle one) Check Cash
Cost is $\$ 40$ for members/ $\$ 45$ for non-members. Please make all checks payable to QGOA.
Payment must be received to hold your space in the workshop. Enrollment is on first come first serve basis.
Please sign-up at a meeting at the Program Section of the Sign-In Table or send your registration form with full payment to:
Quilters' Guild of Arlington
PO BOX 13232
Arlington, TX 76094-0232.
Notify the Vice President, Cynthia Berend or Carol Hoes, that you wish to sign up.
Please pick up your supply sheet at the Guild meeting or check the newsletter on the website www.QGOA.org
(Please use this form to register for all upcoming workshops. You may photocopy this form)

## The Golden Spool Award

QGOA members, did you pay close attention to all of our hard working volunteers during our quilt show? Take notes and complete the form below to submit your vote for the $1^{\text {st }}$ Golden Spool Award of 2016! Please submit form to Sherry Livingston, email: artandquilts@yahoo.com or you can hand it to me at the guild or quilt group meeting. Thank you and stay alert for more possible honorees!
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do submit into nomination,
for the honor of the Golden Spool Award, as recognition of this nonimee's outstanding service to the Quilters' Guild of Arlington and its supporting community. Nominee and submitter must be QGOA members.
The following are just a few traits that have been recognized in past nominees.
Please feel free to check those that most apply.

| Guild Morale Building | Guild Volunteer |
| :---: | :---: |
| Program Development | Educator/Teacher |
| Implementation of Programs | Community Outreach |
| Hospitality | Leadership |
| Problem Solving | Guild Management |

Please elaborate as to why you feel motivated to make this nomination.

Please elaborate as to why you feel motivated to make this nomination. Please submit this form to the Golden Spool Committee Chairperson or a member of the QGOA Executive Board. The Golden Spool Award is announced and awarded at the June and December Guild meetings.

Or mail to: Quilters' Guild of Arlington
P.O. Box 13232, Arlington, TX 76094-0232

## Safe Haven Donations

January: Diapers, baby wipes
February: Children's socks
March: Children's underwear
April: Shampoo, brush, comb, etc.
May: Toothbrush, toothpaste, floss
June: Women's underwear
July: Feminine hygiene products
August: School Supplies
September: Soap and towels
October: Prepackaged snacks - Granola bars,
Goldfish crackers, etc.
November: Children's toys
December: Mittens, scarves or hats
**We will accept travel size toiletry items throughout the year. ALL items should be new and unused including toiletries.

## Guild Refreshments

## January: C

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)

## Sunshine

3/12/16-Rhonda Weddle granddaughter Mila Kennedy

## Barnett was born.

5/7/16- Rhonda Weddle son Chris getting married.
Chris and new bride Amy moving to Washington DC to begin his internship at Walter Reed Military Medical Center. Chris will graduate with his medical degree fro UT Southwestern June $1^{\text {st }}$.

## Shadow

Sharon Ligon-Dad hospital cancer of bladder.
Sharon Dodson-Father passed.

## HELP! HELP! HELP! <br> TAQG Goodie Bags

Rally Day is July $9^{\text {th }}$ and the guild is responsible for making 500 mug rugs to go in the goodie bags. It has been requested that each member make at least 5 or more.

Get your stitch groups together to make a bunch like Sew and Sews has done. There will be another group that will get together on May 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ at $10 a m$ at Susan Fitzgerald's house anyone is welcome. Please look her address up in directory.

We only have about 80 at this time. Here is a link where you can download a pattern. http://allsorts.typepad.com/allsorts/2006 /11/crisscross coas.html

They need to be 4-5' square, don't need batting unless very thin, flannel would work if you would like. You can also use your own pattern as well.


## 2016 Guild Officers



> May Birthdays
> 4-Darlys Davidson 8-Shelly Cassata 13-Debbie Panton 21-Jane Owens
> 23-Libby McDuffie 25-Cyndy Allen 28-Zoeanna Blodgett 28-Ching-Ling Herbert 30-Sandra Boice 30-Elizabeth Starr 31-Kathie Thompson

In Case of Inclement Weather:

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

We need your input! Please go to the QGOA website home page and follow the link to Program Polls to give feedback on our speakers and workshops. Thanks to everyone who does the surveys! www.qgoa.com

## 2016 Festival of Quilts - Ties that Bind

The 2016 Quilt Show was amazing! There were so many outstanding quilts. The quilt show was a great showcase of the level of talent our guild has.

Many thanks go out to our quilt show committee members for all of their hard work. Our guild members go above and beyond to make this show possible and deserve our many thanks. We heard so many nice comments about how great the show was, from the exquisite quilts, to the hospitality shown to our vendors and members. The vendors are always so impressed by the meals that our members serve them during the show.

Next year the show dates will be April 7 and 8, 2017. Put these dates on your calendar and get ready to create some more beautiful entries to share with our visitors.

Again, we thank you for all that you do for QGOA!
Rhonda Weddle and Libby McDuffie
2016 Quilt Show Co-chairs

## QGOA 2016 Meetings and Workshops

| Date | Speaker | Title of Program |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| January 12 | Deborah Boschert | Getting From Start to Art |
| January 13 | Deborah Boschert | Captivating Compositions for Art Quilts |
| Workshop |  |  |
| February 9 | Maria Hall, Longarm Quilter | Bringing Out the Best in Your Quilt |
| March 8 | Shannon Page | Modern Quiliting Basics and Improvisation |
| April 12 | Flavin Glover | A New Look at Log Cabin Quilts |
| April 13 | Flavin Glover | Log Cabin Patchwork Houses Workshop |
| May 10 | Members | 2016 Winner Circle |
| June 14 | Members | Potluck Dinner |
| July 12 | Debbie Panton | Round Robin Adventure |
| August 9 | Members | Members Demonstrations |
| September 13 | Winnie Fleming | Trunk Show |
| September 14 | Winnie Fleming | Lone Star Table Runner Workshop |
| October 11 | Shelley Clauss | How to Make a T-shirt Quilt |
| November 8 | Robin Williamson | Modern Quilting |
| November 9 | Robin Williamson | Round Robin Improv Workshop |
| December 13 | Members | Potluck Dinner \& Brown Bag Auction |



## Quilt Shows and Shop Hops

May 13-14, 2016 TBD
Mayfest 2016: A symphony of Stars!
Presented by Lakeview Quilter Guild
Victory Camp, 1407 Victory Lane, Alvin, TX
Admission \$8, Children under 12 free

June 10-11, 2016
Annual Stars Over Abilene Regional Quilt Show
Civic Center, 1100 North 6 th St .
Main Event Hall, Abilene, TX
Contact shaulap@featheredstarquilt.com
www.abilenequiltersguild.org

June 14-17, 2016
Retread: Sue Spargo-Bird Dance-Creating with Hand-Dyed Wool \& Textural Fabrics
Quilting Adventures
Jordan Ranch, Schulenburg, TX
Contact: Debby Walters at debby@quiltingadventures.com or 281-610-2543

June 21-25, 2016
"Memories of Home" Quilt Show
Happy Hearts Quilt Guild
Giddings High School
2337 North Main St, (Hwy 77N), Giddings, TX 7894
Contact: Bererly Lee at 979-542-3006

June 3-4, 2016
Tulsa Quilt Show
Presented by the Green Country Quilters Guild
3Location: Tulsa Fairgrounds
14145 East 21st, Tulsa OK 74114
GreenCountryQuiltersGuild.com

June 10-12, 2016
Annual Bosque Arts Center Quilt Show Bosque Arts Center
215 S. College Hill Dr, Clifton, TX 76634
www.bosqueartscenter.org
www.carthagetexas.com/MainStreet/quilt.htm or
contact dphinney@bosqueartscenter.org

## June 21-September 6, 2016

Row by Row Experience
www.rowbyrowexperience.com

July 15-16, 2016
The Creative Quilters Guild of Ellis County
Annual Quilt Show
Midlothiean Coference Center
1 Community Circle, Midlothian, TX
www.elliscountyquilters.com

## Quilt Shows and Shop Hops

July 25-28, 2016
Retreat: Michelle Wats-It's Simple with Stencils Quilting Adventures
Jordan Ranch, Schuldenburg TX
Contact: Debby Walters at debby@quiltingadventures.com or 281-6102543

August 12-13, 2016
"Quilt Plano 2016"
Plano Center
2000 East Spring Creek Pkwy, Plano, TX 75074
www.qgplano.org

## September 2-3, 2016

Vereins Quilt Guild 9th Biennial Quilt Show
First United Methodist Church
1800 N Llano, Fredericksburg, TX
www.vereinsquiltguild.com

July 22-24, 2016
Fort Worth Quilt Guild Annual Quilt Show
"American Scrapbook"
Arborlawn United Methodist Church
5001 Briarhaven, Rd, Fort Worth, TX 76109
www.fwqg.org or judi.janes@yahoo.com

## August 25-26, 2016

Sizzlin Summer Shop Hop www.sizzlinsummershophop.com

September 16-18, 2016
Capital of Texas Quilffest
Austin Area Quilt Guild
Palmer Event Center, 900 Barton Springs, Austin, TX 78704 www.captxquilffest.org

## September 16-17, 2016

Trinity Valley Quilters Guild 33rd Anniversary Show Amon Carter Exhibit Hall-Will Rogers Complex 3401 W. Lancaster Ave, Ft. Worth, TX 76107 www.tvag.org quiltshow@tvgg.org

## Display Case

Billie Brecheen who has done a wonderful job on the guilds display case has some requests from us. She is looking for orphan blocks, mini quilts or blocks from different members.

## May-Flowers, birds, butterflies.

June-Summer, bbq, picnic.
**Please put your name on your things. So Billie can get them back to you.

## QGOA Day Retreat

Note on your calendar for our Fall Day Retreat which will be September 29-October 1, 2016.

Registration will begin at the July 12 th guild meeting.

Dear Ones. Another month of collecting incredibly beautiful Linus quilts/blankets donated by our guild for children in need. Our donations go to JPS, Children's, Harris, CASA, HCA, and so many other locations. Project Linus offers quilts of comfort to children $0-18$ years of age. Of course Linus also gives to Snowball Express. These blankets are delivered by devoted volunteers that piece, assemble, sandwich, label, store (in every nook and cranny at their respective homes), sort, account for (Linus requires record keeping) and deliver your donations for distribution to children enduring treatments and illness. Please accept their thanks for your kindness.

Special thanks this month to Janice and David Mowery for a most generous donation of 17 full bolts of fleece, Dell Rutledge, 2 afghans; Rose Redding, 2 fleece; Jane Owens, 1 top; Ella Rushing, 2 tops; Janice Farris, 3 complete quilts; Shelly Uggen; 1 quilt; Nancy Doers, 4 tops; Jolene Mershon. 7 kits; Elizabeth Carr, 1 top and borders for 2 tops; Patty Hofer, 1 quilt; Susan FitzGerald, 1 quilt; Rosine Barnett, Robbie Colley and my apologies to anyone I did not get written in my log.

Project Linus meets the $2^{\text {nd }}$ and $4^{\text {th }}$ Thursdays of the month at Southcliff Church at 4100 SW Loop 820. Just Northwest of the old Granbury Rd exit off 820. We meet from $9-3$ ish and bring our own machines, knitting, crochet, sewing notions, sack lunches and whatever "show and Tell" we have. Please try to join us on our meeting days- we park in the church parking lot and chat and solve world problems while our machines are whizzing along those seam lines. If you are not able to join us and have a donation, please stop by to drop off you item and see the beehive of activity.

The Hospitals request little one's quilts size $40 \times 44$
Big kiddos size $57 \times 40$. These sizes as a minimum.
Project Linus can use your donations of fabric, batting, notions, just about anything that you are tired of looking at (well fabric wise-we don't want any relatives or such) and if like me, you are tired of moving stuff around think of Linus to repurpose it.

If you are looking for a reasonably simple or darling new quilt pattern www.projectlinus.org/patterns has some precious ideas. Quiltmaker magazine graciously creates a new pattern every year specifically for the children of Project Linus and this year's and past year's can be found at www. quiltmaker.com/patterns/projectlinus.html.
Hope these sites will inspire and motivate you to attempt something new that is not too intricate and can go together rather quickly.

The kit fairy has been busy buzzing out some kits and all that fleece will be made into adorable fleece cover-ups.

Please remember the work we do for the guild and our community enriches us and generations to come.
Sew Happy,
Elizabeth Cooper

## Quilters' Guild of Arlington Celebration Block



Makes One Twelve Inch Finished Block
Please review all instructions before making the block. Must be a light star in dark/medium background, block may be no larger than 12.5".
Need: 1. FABRIC A - $4.5^{\prime \prime} \times 36^{\prime \prime}$ - MEDIUM TO DARK 2. FABRIC B - 2.5 " x $20 "$ " plus $4.5^{\prime \prime}$ square - LIGHT that is suitable for name to be seen, no strong prints; 200 ct. muslin or plain fabric is suggested. 3. Batting - 13 " square $4.13-14$ "
square backing fabric 5 . Binding fabric - two $40-42^{\prime \prime}$ widths of fabric; cut 2.5 " strips, miter for one strip, double fold
Cutting Instructions
*If you are going to heavily quilt, embellish or appliqué the block you may want to cut the pieces 4.5 "x 5 ", then square up block to 12.5 ". Be careful to put star points on $4.5^{\prime \prime}$ side.

Cut $8^{*}-4.5^{\prime \prime}$ squares of medium to dark fabric - FABRIC A If using a fat quarter, cut along short side (18") must be at least 18 "; two strips of $4.5^{\prime \prime}$. This will allow for 13 " square for backing.
Cut $1^{*}-4.5$ " square light fabric - FABRIC B You may wish to embroider your name and „Member Since " line before constructing the block
Cut 8-2.5" squares of same light fabric - FABRIC B
Cut 1-13-14 " square of backing fabric, may be same as A or different
Cut two 3 " squares of either your backing or binding material, for „hanging corners"
Cut 1-13" square batting
Cut two (2) widths of fabric (40-42") cut 2.5" strips for binding.
Assembling Block - sew all seams with $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ accurate seam width

1. The star points are made using the stitch and flip method: Place a 2.5 " sq. of fabric $B$ in the corner of $A$ with the right sides of the fabrics facing each other. With a pencil and ruler, mark a diagonal line on $B$ from the corner to corner as shown. Sew on the line.
2. Trim patch $1 / 4$ " from sewn line. Press it gently to corner.
3. Repeat with another B patch on adjacent corner to create star points. Make total of 4 matching units for each of the star point units.
4. Join the matching units into rows with A patches as shown above; press the seams allowances toward the A"s; middle row to B patch. Sew the rows together to complete the star block. Finish
5. Quilt the block. You may embellish and quilt as desired to personalize your block! It cannot be larger than 12.5 " square, so do nothing to extend size or 'dangle' off block.
6. Please make two "hanging corners"c, see below for instructions.
7. Sew on the binding to the block.
8. Sign block in at least $3 / 4-1$ " lettering in middle of center square with permanent fabric pen or embroidery. Include this line under your name: Member Since - fill in year you joined QGOA!
Hanging Corners - Corner Triangles for Hanging a Small Quilt
9. Cut two 3 " squares of your backing or binding material.
10. Fold in half diagonally. Press.
11. Align the folded triangles on the back of the quilt to the TOP right and left corners, raw edges even. Pin. Double check you placed the corners on the top corners!
12. Sew on the binding in your usual method.

Blocks will be retained by the QGOA for future exhibits.

## Block Party

## Churn Dash (8-1/2" unfinished block)

June 2016

Fabric 1: Cut two (2) 4" squares for half square triangles
Cut four (4) 2 " $\times 2-1 / 2$ " rectangles
Fabric 2: Cut two (2) 4" squares for half square triangles
Cut four (4) 2" $\times 2-1 / 2$ " rectangles
Fabric 3: Cut one (1) 2-1/2" square for center

Assemble half square triangles and square to 3-1/2". (Instructions for making HSTs are at the end of this document).

Assemble 4 units made of one each of the rectangles.
Assemble following the diagram.
Make 1 block.


Now that you have your 12-1/2" center square, and your first border that includes half-square triangles, let's talk about a floating border.

A floating border is often a strip of fabric that is used to make a pieced border fit. If your half-square triangles were 2" square, you now have a 16 " square medallion. Let's say your next pieced border is 18 " long, you'll want to add a floating border so it will fit. With smaller dimensions it's pretty easy to figure, because for this scenario you'll want a 1 " border all the way around. But as your quilt grows, it can be more complicated to figure, especially if you're working with a rectangular quilt, rather than a square quilt.

There is a nifty formula you can use, and it's really quite easy. I'm math phobic, but I have learned to trust the math, and it really works!

You'll want to go ahead and make whatever pieced border you are going to make, just be sure to make it larger than each side of the center you're adding it to. Here's the formula:

Square Quilt
((Length of pieced border without corner block — width of quilt) $\div 2)+1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ seam allowance $=$ cut size of floating border

## Rectangular Quilt

((top and bottom pieced border without corner block — width of quilt) $\div 2)+1 / 2^{\prime \prime}=$ size to cut the side floating borders

## THEN

((side borders without corner blocks - length of quilt) $\div 2)+1 / 2^{\prime \prime}=$ size to cut top or bottom floating borders

For July, add a floating border and any kind of pieced border you'd like.

To show appreciation for our past president's, guild members make a block of the president's choosing to give to her. Barbara Cain, our president in 2015, has decided on a Bow-Tie Block, in shades of blue or gray on a white or white on white background. These blocks will be going into a quilt for a boy, so please use fabrics that are not overly feminine. The block should measure 6-1/2" unfinished.

Directions are below:
White Fabric

- Cut two 3-1/2" squares

Blue / Gray Fabric

- Cut two 3-1/2" squares
- Cut two 2" squares


## Sewing Instructions

- Draw a diagonal line on the back of the 2" squares
- Place the 2" squares right sides together with the white squares, matching one corner.

- Stitch along the diagonal line, and fold back, matching corners. Trim seam allowance to $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$. Make 2.


Assemble your squares to make block.


## Quilters' Guild of Arlington 2016 Donation Quilt



## Scheduled Events:

Jan 19 - Bear Creek Quilt Guild - Elizabeth Cooper Feb 1-6 - Kathy Dunnigan Appliqué Academy - Carol Ramsey, Randa Dillon, Linda McPherson \& Nancy Shortino
Mar 12 - Storytelling Event - Jay McLaughlin
April 1-2 - Quilter's Dream BOM - Susan FitzGerald, Darleen Jordan \& Julie Schmidt
April 22-23-QGOA Annual Quilt Show - Please Sign-up to work the show
May 6-7 - Country Stitches - Linda McPherson
May 17 - FtWQG - Nancy Shortino \& Linda McPherson
July 9 - TAQG 2016 Rally Day - Speaker Kimberly Einmo Susan FitzGerald
Aug 18 - IrvingQG - Volunteer needed
Oct 12 - SafeHaven's Legacy of Women Awards Luncheon, 9:30-2:30, FW Hilton -

Members, I need your help selling tickets!
I challenge each member to sell 4 packs of tickets, that's only $\$ 20$, and buy 4 packs of tickets! Offer your friends and family the opportunity to win this beautiful quilt! Just ask them to buy a ticket!

Tickets are available at QGOA General Meetings.
If you know of any events where we can sell tickets or have any ideas on how we can increase our sales, please contact Susan FitzGerald.

Please sign-up to sell tickets at different events.
Donation quilt ticket monies benefits QGOA's Continuing Education Programs and SafeHaven. The drawing will be December 13, 2016.

Need not be present to win.
Raffle tickets are $\$ 1$ each or $6 / \$ 5$.
You can also buy tickets via mail by sending a check to:
QGOA, P.O. Box 13232, Arlington TX 76094.
Outstanding Volunteers for April were:
Janice Farris, Carolyn Troupe, Darleen Jordon \& Julie Schmidt. Thank you to members who sold tickets during the show: Sherry Livingston, Elaine Grasher, Janice Richardson, Ann Jones, Carol Ramsey, Judy Liston, Nancy Shortino, Kathy Sisney, Janice Farris, Kathy Kaju, Gayle Krengel, Jolene Mershon.

## Congratulations

## Best in Show, Spirit of Arlington and Judge's Choice Winner

"Papercuts"
Maker-Kathy Crane
Quilter-Jackie Brown


## Susan G. Komen

> We had 31 quilts donated and the grand total of proceeds from silent auction....drum roll please......... \$1,194.

Yes, it is more than we made last year!

Thank you to all that donated quilts for silent auction! We can't wait to see all those beautiful donated quilts for next years show. So, get sewing.

## A big "THANK YOU" to the following for

 donating door prizes to the Guild:Suddenly Sewing
Common Threads
Sew Fabricated
Members, Punkin' Patch
Bestitched
Peggy's Quilt Shop
Crabtree's Creation
Jenny Bugs Quilting
Unique Fits \& Furnishings
Martelli's Notions
Dottie \& Sarah

## TAGQ RALLY DAY <br> JULY 9, 2016

Rally Day 2016 will be a day filled with quilting fun, a great nationally know speaker, lots of Raffle Quilts and mini quilts, and as always PRIZES.

Arrive at Mimosa Lane Baptist Church at 9:00 a.m. for registration (1233 North Belt Line Road, Mesquite, TX). Admission is free with your Guild name badge or membership card. You can bring non-guild members but admission will be $\$ 5.00$ for the guests. The first 500 people through the doors will receive a goodie bag. You will have until 10 a.m. to look at the other member guild's raffle quilts and purchase your tickets. It would be a good idea to bring address labels to quicken the fill in process. You may also take this time to bid on the silent auction, purchase Rally Day pins, purchase raffle basket tickets, look at and purchase our speaker's wares, buy YLI Thread and find your seat. Be sure to look up at the big screen at pictures of your guild and fellow TAQG member guilds. The program will start at 10 a.m. with Kimberly Einmo as the speaker. There will be approximately one hour for lunch so it is a good idea to purchase tickets for lunch from your guild rep or download the form from the website and send it to the address on the form. You are welcome to bring your lunch as well if you like. During the lunch break you have another opportunity to purchase raffle tickets, bid on the silent auction items, buy YLI Thread and purchase Kimberly's wares. A drawing will be held for the rally day raffle basket at the end of the day. Door prizes will be drawn throughout the day. The day should end around 3 p.m.

BEST OF SHOW

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|  | Title of Entry <br> Papercuts | Maker's Name Kathy Crane | Quilter's Name <br> Jackie Brown | Entry Category Number 204 Master Two-Person Quilt | Quilting <br> Method <br> Machine |
|  | OUIDA BOST AWARD |  |  |  |  |
|  | The Tropics | Jolene Mershon | Jolene Mershon | 203 Master Wall Quilt | Hand |
|  | PAST PRESIDENTS' AWARD |  |  |  |  |
|  | Wind Blown Roses | Annis Clapp | Annis Clapp | 203 Master Wall Quilt | Machine |
|  | SPIRIT OF ARLINGTON AWARD |  |  |  |  |
|  | Papercuts | Kathy Crane | Jackie Brown | 204 Master Two-Person Quilt | Machine |
|  | JUDGE'S CHOICE AWARD |  |  |  |  |
|  | Midnight Snows | Sunisa Cote | Mona Levingston | 204 Master Two-Person Quilt | Machine |
|  | JUDGE'S CHOICE AWARD |  |  |  |  |
|  | Papercuts | Kathy Crane | Jackie Brown | 204 Master Two-Person Quilt | Machine |
|  | NACQJ AWARD OF MERIT |  |  |  |  |
|  | Ties of Time | Libby McDuffie | Libby McDuffie | 304 Theme Quilt | Machine |
|  | Members Choice |  |  |  |  |
|  | Fire Island Hosta | Jacquelyn Pedersen | Fran Dornan | 204 Master Two-Person Quilt | Machine |
|  | Viewer's Choice |  |  |  |  |
|  | Wind Blown Roses | Annis Clapp | Annis Clapp | 203 Master Wall Quilt | Machine |
|  | SGK NANCY'S PINK CHALLENGE | MEMBER'S CHOICE |  |  |  |
|  | Diamonds are a Girl's Best Friend | Randa Dillon | Randa Dillon | 402 SGK Nancy's Pink Challenge | Machine |
|  | EXEMPLARY HAND QUILTING |  |  |  |  |
| First | Grandmother's Trunk | Elizabeth Rinks | Elizabeth Rinks + | 302 Group Quilt | Hand |
| Second | Birds in my Backyard | Jean Dodson | Jean Dodson | 202 Master Appliqued Quilt | Hand |
| Third | Winter | Judy Liston | Judy Liston | 103 Artisan Wall Quilt | Hand |
| H.M. | Zig Zag Slash | Sharon Dodson | Sharon Dodson | 101 Artisan Pieced Quilt | Hand |
| First | EXEMPLARY MACHINE QUILTING <br> Richard Doesn't Wear Ties Anymore | Brenda Perry | Richard Larson | 304 Theme Quilt | Machine |
| Second | Songbirds' Trill | Jolene Mershon | Susan Corbett | 204 Master Two-Person Quilt | Machine |
| Third | Wing and a Prayer (for Bella) | Kathry M Watson | Susan Corbett | 104 Artisan Two-Person Quilt | Machine |
| H.M. | Family Ties | Kathey Youngblood | Sabine Thompson | 104 Artisan Two-Person Quilt | Computer Assisted |
| H.M. | Umbrellas in the Rain | Nancy Spell | Nancy Spell | 202 Master Appliqued Quilt | Machine |
| H.M. | Friendships' Garden | Charlene Seifert | Sheri Mecom | 304 Theme Quilt | Machine |
| H.M. | Earth, Wind \& Fire | Lazara D. Abernathy | Lazara D. <br> Abernathy | 307 Modern Quilt | Machine |
|  | Title of Entry | Maker's Name | Quilter's Name | Quilting Method |  |
|  | 101 Artisan Pieced Quilt |  |  |  |  |
| First | Asian Ladies | Denny Cornett | Denny Cornett | Machine |  |
| Second | Zig Zag Slash | Sharon Dodson | Sharon Dodson | Hand |  |
| Third | Hooah, AJ! | Sheila Parry | Sheila Parry | Machine |  |
|  | 102 Artisan Appliqued Quilt |  |  |  |  |
| H.M. | Autumn Burst | Evelyn Scaff | Evelyn Scaff | Hand |  |
|  | 103 Artisan Wall Quilt |  |  |  |  |
| First | Winter | Judy Liston | Judy Liston | Hand |  |


|  | Title of Entry | Maker's Name | Quilter's Name | Quilting Method |
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| First | 103 Artisan Wall Quilt | Judy Liston | Judy Liston | Hand |
| H.M. | Winter | Ellen Hasty | Ellen Hasty | Machine |
|  | Reminder to self |  |  |  |
| First | 104 Artisan Two-Person Quilt |  | Ming and a Prayer (for Bella) | Kathryn M Watson |
| Second | Family Ties | Susan Corbett | Machine |  |
| Third | Red and White Dresden Youngblood | Sabine Thompson | Computer Assisted |  |
| H.M. | Rose Garden for Hope | Ella Rushing | Sharon Schroeder | Machine |
| H.M. | My Feathered Star | Janie Singleton | Sabine Thompson | Computer Assisted |
| H.M. | Two-Person Quilt | Joyce Clark | Carol Hoes | Computer Assisted |
| H.M. | Garden Party | Pearl Nettles | Dwain Edwards, | Custom Quilters |


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| H.M. | Mosaic | Randa Dillon | Randa Dillon | Machine |
| H.M. | Buttons \& Lace | Sheila Parry | Sheila Parry | Machine |
|  | 304 Theme Quilt |  |  |  |
| First | Richard Doesn't Wear Ties | Brenda Perry | Richard Larson | Machine |
| Second | Anymore | Marcia Brenner | Marcia Brenner | Computer Assisted |
| Third | Friendships' Garden | Charlene Seifert | Sheri Mecom | Machine |
| H.M. | Texas Heritage | Sherry Livingston | Sharon Schroeder | Machine |
| H.M. | Friendship Ties Past to Present | Friendship Stitchers | Nancy Spell | Machine |
|  | 305 Kits or Block of the Month |  |  |  |
| Quilt | Two Radiant Stars | Gayle Lacerda | Sabine Thompson | Computer Assisted |
| First | My Renaissance | Sabina Thompson | Sabine Thompson | Machine |
| Second | Amazing Grace Il | Elaine Grasher | Elaine Grasher | Machine |
| Third | Moon Glow | Bea Michael | Sabina Thompson | Machine |
| H.M. | Chalkboard Fun | Sarah Grace DeBona | Sarah Grace | DeBona |



## STITCH GROUPS

Guild members are cordially invited to join a sewing group for fellowship and stitching. We have plenty of space for new members in our groups

## **Friendship Stitchers**

Meets the 1st \& 3rd Thursdays 10:00 a.m. at First Christian Church Contact: Helga Smith
**Etcetera Art Quilt Group**
Meets @ Sew Fabricated
1st Thursday of the Month 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Contact:
Denny Cornett
**The Piecemakers**
Meets @ Bob Duncan Community Center 2nd \& 4th Thursdays
6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
Contact: Nancy Shortino-817-466-1279
**Sew-N-Sews**
Meets @ Trinity United Methodist Church 1200 W Green Oaks Room A208
1st Monday of the month unless it is a Holiday 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Bring your lunch and $\$ 3$ per person per meeting as a donation to the church
Contact: Randa Dillon or Carolyn Bowden

## QGOA Newsletter Ad Rates

| SIZE | 1 MO | $3 M 0$ | 1 YR |
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| 1/8 PAGE | $\$ 7.50$ | $\$ 22$ | $\$ 85$ |
| 1/4 PAGE | $\$ 15$ | $\$ 40$ | $\$ 150$ |
| 1/2 PAGE | $\$ 30$ | $\$ 75$ | $\$ 270$ |
| 1/2 PAGE (BACK) $\$ 40$ | $\$ 105$ | $\$ 378$ |  |
| FULL PAGE | $\$ 60$ | $\$ 150$ | $\$ 540$ |

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Meets @ Quilt Among Friends
2238 Michigan Ave. Suite A
2nd Monday of the Month 10:00-3:00
Contact: Sherry Livingston

Show \& Tell

| Presented by | Name of Quilt | Quilter | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Debbie Boice | Clowning Around | Sharon Schroeder | Ronald McDonald Challenge Quilt |
| Happy Johns | Pretty In Pink | Happy Johns | Made for neices new step daughter 12 yo, she loves pink. |
| Patsy Martin | Ahoy Mate | Patsy Martin | Quilt for Cook's Chldrens |
| Randa Dillon | Soldier Quilt | Randa Dillon | Another member made the center and I added borders and quilted the quilt. |
| Charlotte Humphrey |  | Charolotte Humphrey | Nickle quilt in 30 's prints in blues and yellows |
| Susan Sloan | Applique Bird Quilt | Susan Sloan | Quilt kit from Modern Patchwork Magazine. Mde for my daughters birthday |
| Debra Ware | Members of QGOA Block Party 2015 | Debra Ware | Blocks from January 2015 I asembled them during the first New Member sist and sew. Contributin member blocks by Machelle Athon, Brenda Aigner, Nancy Conner, Randa Dillon, Dwain Edwards, Jolene Mershon, Sharon Ligon, Kim Olmedo, Sheila Parry, Tammy Reidy, Glorid Speakman, Debra Ware. |
| Susan Corbett | Grey Wholecloth | Susan Corbett | A college riend commissioned this wholecloth nature scene 14 months ago. The figures are from a Dover copyright free coloring book. I quilt them in contrasting threads. They're threadplayed, trapuntoed and machine quilted. Biggest challenge I've attempted. |
| Patty Hofer | Linus Donation | Patty Hofer | Shower curtain |
| Patty Hofer | Nursing home donation | Patty Hofer | Orphan blocks from 80's skirt |
| Liz Cooper | Jungle | Pat Madrid | Piece from a repurposed pillowcase from Cook Children's Hospital with wild animal prints. |
| Liz Cooper | Safari Summer | Pat Madric | Piece from a repurposed pillowcase from Cook Children's Hospital with wild animal prints. |
| Liz Cooper |  | Pat Madrid | Kit provided by Jolene Mershon. 4 inch blocks and 4 inch four patch. |
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Maker of Quilt:

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