



Quilter's Guild of Parker County

President's Piece
by Phyllis Thornton

Can you believe it's February? I'm still loving this cold weather. It's been a wonderful year, and as my time comes to an end, I want to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of you for a terrific year! Our Guild has given so much to the community over the last year, new friendships have been made, and old ones rekindled. It is so nice to be able to share the **love of quilting** with those who know and appreciate one another. You guys have been great. As the new Board takes over, I hope you remember to enjoy one another, as we come together for a common cause. Again, a person couldn't hope for a better membership. I hope this coming year is filled with inspiration and FUN. Thanks again for making the past year a memorable one!

We have a lot of planning in place for this years quilt show, I'm counting on all of you to help us get the word out about our shows new location, and times. Please remember it will take a lot of volunteer work for the show to be a successful one, so don't be shy about signing up, there are jobs for everyone!

Happy Quilting!!!

Phyllis

Sunshine and Shadow

Grace Jackson's husband is in the hospital

February greeters:

Eva Schrader and Linda Poer

Workshops:

February

Eileen Eubanek

Feb 26 & 27

(details inside)

QUILTER'S GUILD OF PARKER COUNTY

GUILD MEETING MINUTES January 14, 2010

President Phyllis Thornton called the meeting to order at 7:10 pm. She thanked everyone for donating to the canned food drive and thanked Jeannie Garvin for being the greeter. February greeters will be Eva Schrader and Linda Poer.

Judy Fitzgerald moved we accept the minutes as written in the newsletter, Willetta Bumpas 2nd the motion, motion carried.

Under new business, Phyllis announced that the budget for 2010 has been approved. To see a copy of the treasurer's report or the budget see Beverly Lindsey.

Willetta Bumpas conducted Sunshine and Shadows. Dianna Carter acting for JoLynn O'Neil announced that winter retreat is full. It will be February 4th-7th.

At the retreat there will be 2 strip exchanges, one will be yellow and blue 2 ½ " strips and light and dark 2 1/2" strips. If you are signed up for retreat information will be sent to you via email or regular mail.

A quilt made by friends of the Guild was shown, and will be put in the April auction. Judy McDonald conducted show and tell with many outstanding quilts shown by members.

There will be a workshop Saturday, Jan. 16, 2010 with Ami Simms at Harburger Hill at 9:00 am. The technique will be "Twisted Sister" blocks. On February 26-27 a workshop with Ilene Urbanek will be held on "Magic Stack and Whack" using Bethany Reynolds book and method. See Judy Fitzgerald to sign up for workshops.

Andrea Killius drew for the block of the month and it was won by Judy McDonald. Nanda Hall presented Phyllis Thornton a card and picture CD in appreciation for her work as president this past year.

The program was by Ami Simms from Flint, Michigan. She is the founder and executive director of Alzheimers Art Quilt Initiative. Blocks are available to be signed in memory of someone who had alzheimers and will be included in a quilt exhibit. For more information check out www.alzquilts.org.

Ami (who rhymes with salami) started quilting in 1975 and is a former 2nd grade teacher. She has produced many beautiful quilts and gave a funny and informative talk and slide show about her quilts.

Cynda Ewing reported 60 members present, 11 visitors and 2 new members. Meeting adjourned 9:00 pm.

Show and Tell

Donna Williams	Stack and Whack , Texas My Texas
Kathlene Poznick	Needlework Shadow Box
Bob Poznick	Snowballs and Arlington Quilt
Minda Meadows	Baby Bargellos (EIGHT OF THEM!!)
Donna Stewart	Nursery Rhyme Comfort Quilt
Kristin Doughty	Ties and Shoes Turning Twenty
Linda Poer	Civil War Quilt and Baby Quilt
Pat Elam	Tossed 9–Patch
Jean Lolley	Comfort Quilts
Donna Napier	Civil War Log Cabin
Joyce Coney	Block of the Month Star Quilt
Dianna Carter	Minkie Quilt
Barb Calderon	Fighting Frogs (TCU)

A Word of Thanks...

We have received a letter of accommodation from the Parker County Committee on Aging thanking us for our contribution to the Weatherford Senior Center that will help the continuation of programs such as Meals on Wheels that ensure a quality of life for seniors of Parker County.

So thanks to all who contributed in any and all ways!

FEBRUARY WORKSHOP

The workshop for February will be Eileen Eubanek who will be doing the Stack and Whack. She has several patterns that she will demonstrate and teach. The class starts Friday evening at Harbarger Hill at 5:00 and will go until everyone gets their fabric cut. You don't need to bring your sewing machines until Saturday morning. Bring you fabric, cutting mats, rotary cutters, rulers and basic supplies. For Saturday, bring all the above, sewing machines, basic supplies and book. The book is Magic Stack n Whack Quilts by Bethany S. Reynolds. The class is from 9:00am to 3:00pm on Saturday. If you don't have the supply list, stop by the Quazy Quilt Shoppe and pick up one. They will be there on Tuesday.

There will be a Sew In in March. It can be comfort quilts or projects of your own or maybe you would like to work on some things for the Country Store for the quilt show. I know it's early but the more we have the more we can sell. We will have a surprise program at the guild meeting in March. More will be coming in the next newsletter. So be sure to look for the information.

Out and About

Stars Over Abilene 16th Annual Regional Quilt Show

Sponsored by the Abilene Quilters' Guild, Abilene, Tx.

Abilene Civic Center

June 11-13, 2010

Admission \$ 5

Hoffman Challenge, Snack Bar, Quilt Display, Vendors, Demonstrations, Raffle Quilt and Classes

For more information visit their website: abilenequiltersguild.com or call Sandy Nash, Quilt Show Chairman 325 – 673-9920

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Reminder for Newsletter: It's time to renew your membership. The Membership Desk will be accepting your dues at the next meeting. Also, if you do not have e-mail, please check with us to be sure we have your correct contact information.

Correct email address are needed

for:

Linda Behrens

Bonnie Miller

Dawn Deal

Jo Ann Sullivan

Dora Long

Joyce Bratcher

Kristie Smith

Patty Miller

Karen Williams

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Pat Elam



Bee Buzz

Bluebonnet Bee: Meets every Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to about 2:00 p.m., in the Weatherford Public Library Auditorium. Contact: Mary Vaughn 817-598-0280 or Katherine Dykes 817-596-5147

Bee Old Timey: Meets at the Quazy Quilt Shoppe on the 4th Saturday of each month at 10:00 a.m. Contact: Kathleen Poznick 817-598-0760 or Susan Wynne 940-769-2797

Library Quilter: Meets 2nd Tuesday night of each month in the Weatherford Public Library Auditorium at 6:00 p.m. To 8:00 p.m.

Millsap Bee: Thimbles & Thumbs 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Contact: Robbie Evans 940-682-4200 or Barbara Davis 940-682-4448

Nu-Bee:

Will meet on the following days: Friday, Feb 12 and Friday, Feb 26 @ 10am at Joyce Coney's house: 402 W. Lee Ave. Bring sack lunch. Joyce assures us the utility stitch is easy and anyone who wants to join in is welcome! This is a hand-quilted project for the Auction next year. Any questions, call Jeanie: 817-341-0052.

Exercise Your Brain Today

ROTARY CUTTER	LOG CABIN	SUNBONNET SUE	REVERSE APPLIQUE
BATTING	NEEDLE	CRAZY QUILT	TRAPUNTO
PATCHWORK	QUILT FRAME	APPLIQUE	ALBUM QUILT
BACKING	PIECING	QUILTING BEE	BINDING
TEMPLATE	FABRIC	PINEAPPLE	BLOCK
FOUNDATION BLOCK	BORDER	MITER	SET
FRIENDSHIP QUILT			

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The Quilter's Guild of Parker County, a 501c3 non-profit organization, meets on the third Thursday of each month at 6:30 to 7:00 for fellowship and 7:00 to 9:00 for the program/business meeting. We meet at the Senior Center of Weatherford. Non-members may attend twice as our guests. The Executive board meets the first Thursday of each month at 6:30 at the Senior Center of Weatherford. Members are welcome to attend. Membership is open to anyone interested in quilts or quilting. Annual dues are \$24.00. For more information call 817 594-1426.

WEBSITE:

www.quiltersguildofparkercounty.org.

Advertising Rates:

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Business Card	\$7.00	\$15.00
¼ page	\$10.00	\$25.00
½ page	\$15.00	\$40.00

To place an ad: contact Alice Shrader at:
817-733-3374 or alicequilts@live.com

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**Next Meeting February 18, 2010
6:30 pm at the Senior Center**