

February Newsletter 2020

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President's Ponderings

I'm excited there seemed to be enough interest by guild members in attendance at the January meeting to try a few new

programs this year. But who doesn't like having a chance to win a prize in a raffle! The UFO Challenge and the Vol-

unteer Recognition Raffle are both off and running based on your feed-back. I wanted to take a minute to explain how the board proposes to track entries for each of these new raffles.

<u>UFO Challenge</u> - Rather than messing with physical raffle tickets throughout the year, the board will track entries via the Show & Tell forms. When members complete their Show & Tell forms, Secretary, Mary Terrell collects the forms at each guild meeting and records the names, the number of UFOs presented, which then gets documented in the meeting minutes. Members will have the opportunity to cross-check and verify their raffle entries each month.

<u>Volunteer Recognition Raffle</u> - We accomplish most CCQG activities through our member volunteers. Tracking for this raffle will come from several different sources. We have your name for a raffle entry when you:

- Make donations and sign-in on the Charity Basket sheet
- Participate and sign-in at Happy Scrappers charity sewing session(s)
- Volunteer to sell raffle tickets for our charity quilt.
- Volunteer at other guild events such as Quilt Conference & Quiltfest

Each of these has a chairperson/coordinator who will provide the names and number of raffle entries each month for tabulation. Members will be able to verify their qualifying entries for the prior month with a review of the guild meeting minutes each month. We are planning multiple drawings and multiple prizes for the Volunteer Recognition Raffle.

If at any time you identify a discrepancy on either of these raffle counts, contact me or anyone on the board and we will work to get it resolved.

I will finish by asking you to think about this question: Can a member win more than ONE prize in a raffle? Expect an agenda item at the February meeting to give me your comments.

Thank you! Bonnie Walshe

Calendar

Programs

Feb Sylvia Schaefer—Designing with Negative Space

Mar Dawn Myers—Thread Paintings/Embellishing Quilts

Apr Joanna Marsh—Veer From the Linear: Straight Line quilting

May Quilt Conference—No General Meeting

Jun Member Presentation—Quilting Techniques & Skills

July Member Presentation—Quilting Techniques & Skills

Events

Quilt Displays

Boerne Community Theatre—Feb

PHPL—May

Bluebonnet Shop Hop March 26, 27, & 28, See Ad

Quilt Conference

April 29-May 1

Boerne Quiltfest &

<u>Vintage Truck Show—</u> <u>Agricultural Center</u>

May 2



Guild Meeting

2nd Thursday, 7:00 p.m.

Patrick Heath Public

Library

451 N. Main Street

Boerne, Texas

Monthly News



For many of us, every New Year's resolution includes a goal to de-clutter our fabric stash and finish our many projects. How many UFO blocks and Block-of-the-Month (BOM) kits are in your plastic bins? Isn't it time to see them finished?

CCQG can help disperse and redistribute your unwanted quilt blocks, unused fabrics, mismatched notions, unfinished projects, or any other items. Bring your items to our guild meeting and deposit them into our charity collection basket. Your contributions are a resource for our scrappy bees' and individual mem-

bers' efforts in finishing quilts, making blankets, and various charity projects for our community.

What can you do with ALL those Scraps? Many crafters organize their scraps and make beautiful scrappy quilts or repurpose them as embellishments. OR If you have a scrappy library, sew those scraps into squares to make crazy quilts or donate them.

Besides donating fabrics, use the charity basket as a place to collect items for our sales booth during Quiltfest. We can inventory and price the items before we are down to the wire! AND don't forget to add your name to the donation sheet next to the basket so we know who to thank!

Officers

President - Bonnie Walshe **President Pro Tem** - Kathleen Swafford

1st VP - Stacey Gilfillan **Secretary** - Mary Terrell

Treasurer - Carla Elswick

Committee Contacts

Birthday Club - Cindy Beeson Charity Baby Quilts – Hilda Jaehne Charity Bed Quilts - Laurie Valentino

Facebook – Susan Light
Publicity - Cindy Beeson
Newsletter—Elaine Stoecker
Quilt Conference - Judi Burr
Quiltfest – Lera Borden
Retreats - Lera Borden
Sunshine & Shadows - Mimi Markel
Webmaster - Kelly Leith



Sunshine & Shadows



Jennifer's Goodall's mother-in-law is having surgery on Tuesday. Unfortunately for amputation of part of her leg.

Ann Mola had gallbladder surgery on January 23.

Carolyn Coleman-having cataract surgery on both eyes.

Lera Borden had hip surgery Jan 20 and recovering well.

Carla Elswick's daughter was recently married. Congratulations to All!

If you would like to share your news with us, please email Mimi Markel at mimi.markel@gmail.com so we may all celebrate happiness with you and pray for things that weigh on your heart this year.

Birthdays February

Judi Burr Kelly Leith Brigitte Nelson

March

Janet Craig Stacey Gilfillan

Nametags

Please wear your nametags at our Guild meetings so we can put a name with your beautiful face!

Membership

Total Membership – 50 January Guild Member Attendance – 33 Visitors – 4

Welcome new members:

Elisa Fischer Donna Adkins

Membership Year 2020

Membership Dues for 2019/2020 were due at August Guild Meeting. We currently have 50 members. If you have not paid your dues, it is not too late. You can fill out your Membership Form and pay \$25.00 at February Guild Meeting or pay on our website with PayPal. Thanks!

Quilting Bees



Happy Scrappers Bee -- Feb 5—First Wednesday of the Month at Sew It Fabulous. Contact Laurie Valentino for more information.

Fiber Arts Bee -- Meets on the fourth Monday of the month (Febrary 24) at 9:30 at Deanie's (Meet at 9:15 at N Main Parking Lot)

Appliqué Bee -- Will not meet in February (All at UFO Retreat) Next meeting is March 19 at Jennifer Goodall's house **9am (new time)**

Whatever Bee—Fourth Thursday of the month—Feb 27 9am location (TBD)

Board Meetings

Board Meetings are the fourth Wednesday of the month 10:30 p.m.

Patrick Heath
Public Library
Conference Room,
2nd floor.

All members are welcome to attend.

2020 Raffle Quilt

Volunteers Needed—Contact Kathleen Swafford: k.swafford@sbcglobal.net

Hill Country Antique Show: Feb 22 & 23
Sew Special Quilts Shop in San Antonio: Fri, March 6 & Sat, March 7.
Sew It Fabulous Shop Hop —Boerne—March 26 & 27
Community Garage Sale: Saturday, March 28





UFO Retreat

Dates: Feb 20-23

Valley Ranch Event Center3
Camp Wood, Texas

Final payment was due at the January meeting. If you have paid a deposit - your balance is \$205. If you have not paid you deposit - your balance is \$255. Several have had to drop out so if you are interested, please contact Lera Borden at lborden@gvtc.com and bring a check for \$255 made out to Valley Ranch Event Center.

Workshops

Sylvia Schaefer

"Rainbow Sun Workshop"

Date: Friday, February 14, 2020

Time: 9 am — 1 pm

Contact: Stacey Gilfillan

Location: Sew It Fabulous

111 Parkway, Suite 101, Boerne, TX(830) 331-2886

(street right past Wheelers that runs from I10 Frontage Rd over to Old San Antonio Rd)





Member Information

Copies of the monthly *Guild Meeting Minutes*, *Treasurer's Report*, and *Board Meeting Minutes* are available to members on our website.

The website also provides downloadable copies of Guild forms, videos of Member Moments, calendar of events and registration to classes and lectures. Check it out at www.cibolocreekquiltersguild.com. If you need help accessing or logging into the website contact the CCQG webmaster.

Webmaster email: peacecity@hotmail.com



Newsletter Submissions

If you would like to have something placed in the newsletter, please email it to Elaine Stoecker at or mail to her (see membership roster) no later than the first Wednesday of the month. Please put the month and newsletter in the subject line (March Newsletter). Thank you. Our Newsletter will be published/sent out the Saturday before our Guild Meetings. If you do not receive yours before Monday morning, please contact Elaine and let her know. Make sure your email addresses are correct with our Membership Chairperson.

ADVERTISMENT



Sew It Fabulous

111 Parkway, Suite 101, Boerne, TX (830) 331-2886

(street right past Wheelers that runs from I10 Frontage Rd over to Old San Antonio Rd)

Beginner Applique w/Holly Nelson Feb 18 or Mar 19 (10-3) Intermediate Applique w/H Nelson May 20; June 17; or July 15 (10-3) Project Bag w/Sara Feb 22 (10-2) Accuquilt Basics Workshop w/Tish

Pieced Heart Quilt w/Sara Feb 12

(10-3)

Adult Basic Sewing (10-1 or 2-5)

Adult Sewing/Machine Lessons w/Tish

Call for more information

Accuquilt Club—First Saturdays

Feb 1

Elna 780 Club -1st Tuesday Feb 4

Open to Anyone

We have a great classroom for your Bee meetings. Come by and check it out.

http://www.sewitfabulous.com/

newsletter.htm

Call Tish for questions or requests.



Bluebonnet Shop

Join in the 22nd annual Bluebon-

net Shop Hop!

Save the dates:

Thursday March 26, 2020 - 9 am to 8 pm Friday March 27, 2020 - 9 am to 7 pm Saturday March 28, 2020 - 9 am to 6 pm

Grand Prize - Basket of Goodies, including 1 \$100 gift certificate from each shop. Basket values at > \$2000!

20 Prize Baskets! Demos at all shops! Receive a fat quarter at each shop you visit!

Daily Shop Winners! \$22 gift certificate - one per day per shop!

Special Gift for all shop hop finishers that go to all nine shops!

Exclusive Texas Fabric Panel, available for purchase only at the shop hop shops during the hop!

Memories by the Yard 8015 Mainland Drive San Antonio, TX 78250 210-520-4833

A Quilter's Folly 8213 Brodie Lane #100 Austin TX 78745 512-899-3233 Gone Quiltin' 1115 Cedar Street Bandera, TX 78003 830-796-4360

Sew Special Quilts - San Antonio 5139 N Loop 1604 W San Antonio, TX 78249 210-698-6076 Mesquite Bean Fabrics 6708 N New Braunfels Ave San Antonio, Texas 78209 210-281-1256

Sew It Fabulous- Boerne 111Parkway, Suite 101 Boerne, TX 78006 The Quilt Haus 651 N Business IH35 New Braunfels, TX 78130 830-620-1382

B&B Quilting 410 East Loop Street Buda, TX 78610

Holly Dee Quilts 509 E. Davis Street Luling, TX 78648