



April Newsletter 2020

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President's Ponderings



It's been an interesting few weeks and I can only pray you and your families stay healthy and comfortable while we wait this out. The board has made some decisions I need to share with you. If you have any questions or concerns, you are welcome to call, email or text me.

We have **cancelled our March 25 board meeting and April 9 guild meeting** at the library. Currently, the library is closed and scheduled to reopen on March 30. They are watching the situation and may have to adjust that reopening. We hope to reschedule the planned speaker for later this year. Our **Quilt Conference April 29 - May 1 has also been cancelled**. Our speakers are not traveling and two of the three asked us to reschedule for next year. If you had already paid for anything related to the Quilt Conference, your checks will be returned. We have not yet heard if Boerne Parks & Rec has made a decision about going forward with Quiltfest on May 2. We will let you know when we hear something.

Please know these have not been easy decisions to make. We are very disappointed to cancel the Quilt Conference but the health and safety of speakers and our guild members is most important. You may have heard the Bluebonnet Shop Hop and the Wildflower All Around Shop Hop have both been postponed as was the City wide Garage Sale and Bierfest at the Ag Center.

If you haven't seen this going around, I thought it was a good reminder that even hard times have bright spots!

Conversations will not be cancelled.
Relationships will not be cancelled.
Love will not be cancelled.
Songs will not be cancelled.
Reading will not be cancelled.
Self-care will not be cancelled.
Hope will not be cancelled.
May we lean into the good stuff that remains."

Stay safe and keep sewing!
Bonnie Walshe



Calendar

Programs

- Apr Cancelled to be Rescheduled
- May **Quilt Conference Cancelled- Quilt conference payments will be refunded or returned.**
- Jun TBD—Member Presentation—Quilting Techniques & Skills
- July Member Presentation—Quilting Techniques & Skills
- Aug Member Presentation—Quilting Techniques & Skills

Events

- [Bluebonnet Shop Hop](#)
and
[Wild Flowers All Around Shop Hop](#)
Postponed - dates TBD

CCQG Quilt Conference Cancelled



Guild Meeting

April Meeting Cancelled
2nd Thursday, 7:00 p.m.
Patrick Heath Public Library
451 N. Main Street Boerne, Texas

Monthly News



The Thread Painting/Embellishing Quilts workshop with Dawn Myers was a fascinating free-motion quilting experience. We learned how to add BLING and make our quilt designs stand out and POP. It was a wonderful workshop morning at PHPL.



Officers

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Quilt Conference - Judi Burr
Quiltfest - Lera Borden
Retreats - Lera Borden
Sunshine & Shadows - Mimi Markel
Webmaster - Kelly Leith



Birthdays

April

Ann Adams

Carla Elswick

Brigitte Wastermann

May

Elisa Fischer

Donna Forrest

Yolanda Gonzalez

Hilda Jaehne

Sue Mellard

Cathy Mitchell

AnnLea Mola

Mary Terrell

Sunshine & Shadows



Judi Burr's mom is recovering at Menger Springs Rehabilitation. She fell and broke her hip and several ribs. Please keep Judi's family in your prayers



Regrettably, our 2020 Quilt Conference is cancelled due to the community-wide Coronavirus-19 pandemic. .

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



Nametags

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

Membership

Total Membership – 54
March Guild Member Attendance – 22
Visitors – 3

Welcome new member:
Marcia Anthony

Membership Year 2020

Our guild Membership year runs from August 1st to July 31st the following year as stated in our by-laws. The guild recently changed Board member terms to begin and end on the calendar year (Jan 1st – Dec 31st). The Board is looking into the impact of changing our membership year to start/end on a calendar year as well. We will keep you updated!

Quilting Bees



Happy Scrappers Bee -- April 1—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 (April 27) at 9:30 at Deanie Jones (Meet at 9:15 at N Main Parking Lot) **Contact Deanie Jones**

Appliqué Bee -- Will meet on April 16 at Jennifer Goodall's house **9am (new time) Contact Jennifer**

Whatever Bee—Fourth Thursday of the month—Apr 23 at Carolyn Coleman's house 9am **Contact Carolyn**

Board Meetings

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

PHPL—(Boerne Library)
Conference Room,
2nd floor.

All members are welcome to attend.

2020 Raffle Quilt

CCQG Board recommends we cancel raffle ticket sales and not expose our members at the following events:

March 26 & 27 – Bluebonnet Shop Hope - postponed Date TBD

March 28 - Boerne City Wide Garage Sale

April 4th – Beer Fest





UFO Retreat

This year's UFO retreat was wonderful!! Lots of projects were completed in addition to learning from our fellow quilters as well as spending time with each other.

The 2021 retreat is set for Feb. 18-21 at Valley Ranch Event Center in Camp Wood, TX. The daily rate may increase to \$90-92.50/day. Even with the increase, the event center is a bargain and includes meals. The sewing space and lighting are fantastic. The bedrooms are nicely done. The big bonus is having a wonderful 2nd floor quilt store at the event center!! Lera will be accepting \$50 non-refundable deposit checks at the next meetings.

Workshop Coming in September..

J Michelle Watts

From **Roswell, New Mexico**

Location: PHPL—Boerne Library
451 N. Main St, Boerne, TX

Contact *Stacey Gilfillan*

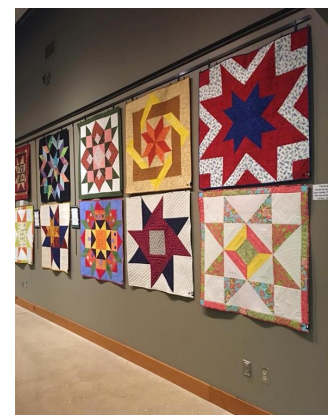


Member Information

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 (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.

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111 Parkway, Suite 101, Boerne, TX

(830) 331-2886 -

Sign-up for classes on-line

Color Theory class w/Jan Mathews - April 29

Baby Bella 36x36 table topper: 2-day paper piecing class w/Jan Mathews-Apr 30-May 1

Intermediate Applique w/H Nelson May 20; June 17; or July 15 (10-3)

Accuquilt Basics Workshop w/Tish

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

Adult Sewing/Machine Lessons w/Tish

Accuquilt Club—First Saturdays Apr 4—Call to confirm

Elna 780 Club -1st Tuesday Apr 7—Call to Confirm 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.

She is always glad to help you.

FREE

Sewing machine with fitted fold-up table

Carla Heath is giving away a sewing machine that she hopes someone will use. It has a fold up table to fit the machine also. Machine works. 830-249-3215