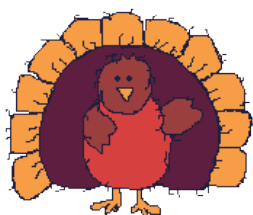


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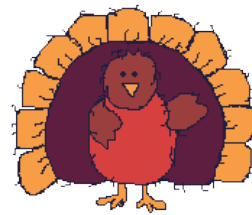


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Happy Thanksgiving Everyone



NOVEMBER 2011

Hello all, I hope you all have a wonderful Thanksgiving with friends and family around your table. We will have Thanksgiving on Friday due to the last football game on TV the Aggie's will not play Texas in the future. Due to their change of venue they will not play Texas again. So may the best team win!!

Thank all of you for participating in our Auction this year. It was wonderful with Kathleen as our auctioneer. She was so good. Please let her know when you see her. The Auction was a great success with us making what we expected.

With Christmas just around the corner I want to thank each and every one of you for participating in the AHQG this year. Each one of you have been wonderful and each one of you that volunteered it has been wonderful.

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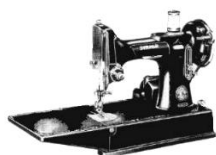
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Our November program will be the quilt giveaway with so many of you already making your quilts. If they are as nice as last year you should be congratulated. Each quilt with its book will be donated to a very special child. They are children from the Children's center that we have been donating to all year. This will be the finale for this year's festivities. Please don't forget there are older children as well as little ones there. There will be ribbons passed out to the winners.

And please bring your show and tell for everyone to see. This is one of our best parts of our meetings.

Happy Thanksgiving to all of you.

Dea



OCTOBER BOARD MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Alamo Heritage Quilt Guild board was called to order at 6:01pm on Monday, October 3rd, with President Dea Heller presiding. Also attending were Vice-President Vickie DuBose, Second Vice-Presidents Jackie Ledford and Joyce Boyd (also serving as Treasurer), Charity Chair Joanne Krebs, Secretary/Librarian Susan Feeley, Newsletter Editor Ruth Willey, Publicity Chair Michele Hanus, and Refreshments Chair Carole Van Buren.

Vickie asked questions about the Christmas party arrangements, as far as food and funding are concerned. Jackie and Joyce had ideas and suggestions for programs for 2012, and will make announcements when plans are confirmed. There were no secretarial or library reports this evening. Joyce passed out copies of the treasurer's report for the past month and we went over the items listed. Joanne reminded us that November will be the book/quilt challenge program. Dea has ribbons available for the most popular quilts displayed next month. Ruth had no report to give this month. Michele reported that our auction posters were available at the GSA quilt show this past month. Carole said that the birthday celebrants for October will be bringing goodies for the refreshment table, but that she will supplement because it will be the auction night and we could have more people present than at our regular monthly meetings.

Jackie, Joyce, and Joanne all want to speak at the October meeting. Joanne would like to get back all the charity quilts by November's meeting.

This past month we received a brochure from Craft Guard Company of Utah with quilt display racks available. We voted to buy one for the guild. Dea is going to buy one for herself and check at the monthly meeting to see if anyone else is interested, as the savings are greater when more are ordered.

The board voted to wave receipts for the auction night, for the actual auction and the boutique table. One table was sold to a non-member to sell goods on the night of the auction. Anything left over from the auction will be donated to charity.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:37pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Susan S. Feeley
Secretary

CHARITY

It is getting close to the holidays, everyone gets really busy and as a result they have less time to do charity. This is the time of year that the children need to feel special. So let's make it happen for them. If you have any quilts unfinished that you may need help with, or just feel you don't have time to finish, let me know and I will take it back or get you some help. Also, I always have charity kits to do. You can do just the top, or quilt the quilt or even just bind. Remember every little bit helps.

November is going to be the last meeting I will be collecting the box tops. If you have any, please bring them on in.

JoAnne

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**BEEKEEPER**

Linda Clark has volunteered to be AHQG's Bee-keeper. She'll keep up with news about bees (open or closed) connected to AHQG, help members find bees that suit their needs, and facilitate the formation of new bees.

If you're in a bee, please make sure that Linda has information about it. And if you want to belong to a bee, contact Linda!

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(Grocery Basket)November Holiday Items, Boxed Dressing,
Instant Potatoes, Mac & CheeseDecember Holiday Treats (Cookies, Candy,
Juices) Anything you think some-
one would enjoy.**NOTE FROM FUND RAISING CHAIR**

Our Boutique is having a clearance sale and prices will be reduced (\$1 to \$5).

We have aprons, coasters, various sewing notions, books patterns, etc.

Remember we still have bags for \$10, pins and key chains for \$5 each.

Thanks for your continued support of our guild boutique.

Bebe Ramos

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November Birthdays

6th	Jackie Ledford
10th	Mona Jones
20th	Jacqueline Prather
26th	Janice Cutrer

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Texas Quilt Shows and Related Events

The following information is provided as a service. Please confirm it before you set out on your trip

'International Quilt Festival'

November 3 - 6, 2011 George R. Brown Convention Center Houston, TX

For more information: Visit <http://www.quilts.com?>

TEXAS QUILT MUSEUM—

La Grange Texas - Opening in November Visit <http://www.texasquiltmuseum.org>

NOVEMBER GUILD MEETING

Don't forget the November meeting is for Charity!!

Bring your quilts with the children's books for a child that has very little. A quilt to snuggle under while they read may be a turning point for some little one.

Please bring food for the Children's Shelter or the Church's Food Bank. It is that time of year that we can help the less fortunate and there is great need.

Bring your Show and Tell - everyone loves to see the pretty things.

DECEMBER MEETING

The 'slight' chill in the air reminds us it is time to mark our calendars for our annual Christmas celebration on December 8. Can you believe Christmas is only two months away? Once again we will enjoy a Pot Luck dinner with games and fun to follow!



SUNSHINE & SHADOWS

Please keep the following in your thoughts and prayers:

Lenice Larkin , Susan Feeley's Dad, Jackie Ledford's Niece, and former member Linda Brown.

Remember the less fortunate, especially as the holidays near. There are many military members , some deployed in distant places, and the wounded as they struggle to recover.

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Quilt Angels



Beverly Ramos, has offered to coordinate the Quilt Angels as well.

Quilt Angels are AHQG members who greet visitors at our monthly meetings and answer questions about the guild. They also mentor new guild members.

Please take visitors and new members "under your wing" by volunteering to be a Quilt Angel. See Carole at meetings, or call her at 210-822-4486.

ATTENTION:

If you have anything of interest to share with the guild members please be sure to let the newsletter editor know. There's always room for sharing in the newsletter.

Next Meeting: November 10th

Remember to bring your...

Name Tag

Show and Tell Items

Library Books

Charity Items

Please don't forget that Newsletter articles are due the 15th of every month!

Thank You!

Ruth Ann Willey

Newsletter Editor



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