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JOIN US ON THE SECOND THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH—
WE MEET AT 7:00 P.M. AT
ST. MATTHEW'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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NACOGDOCHES)

From Your President

Ladies and Gents,

Look fast! We are expecting a cold front on Guild Meeting Day! Highs in 70's! I just love the Fall! Reminds me of the years I taught at Alabama while Bear Bryant was still coaching the Tide. My office was in a huge old drafty building right on University Blvd close to the band practice field. The crunch of leaves and sound of a marching band in the distance takes me back every time. By the time we meet.... we will know the Alabama vs Tx A&M score. Ya'll go easy on us!

Congratulations to the Members of the Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild for their outstanding show! I know that was a lot of hard work! The show quilts were absolutely beautiful! That was some tough competition! Double congratulations to our own members who had quilts accepted into the show and to the ribbon winners!!

Just in case you have been on an outer space adventure, this is AUCTION month at Alamo Heritage Quilt Guild! This is our only fundraiser held every other year. After taxes, 100% of the proceeds fund our charity expenses, guild speakers, workshops, and equipment/supplies. Our Auction Chairperson, Janet Daniel, and her team have worked very hard to put together the largest number of items we have had to date. The event is loads of fun with a professional auctioneer. So bring Hubby and your sewing buddies and come on out and join us! PS: We accept payment by cash, check or credit card for this event!

October 14th at Holy Trinity Presbyterian Church at 16245 Nacogdoches Rd, San Antonio TX 78247. Preview, silent auction and boutique shopping open at noon. Live auction starts at 1 pm till everything is gone!! (probably 3-3:30ish).

I look forward to seeing you all at the meeting Thursday night where our own Kathy Hayson will show us how to do Gelli Plate Printing. I can't wait to see it!

See you soon!

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PRAYER LIST

The AHQG Board feels we can all benefit from prayer. If you would like to raise someone in prayer-for whatever reason-please contact one of the board members. No specific reason required.

Rochell Couch's loss of her 2 year old granddaughter

Katherine Slater's family in the loss of her mother-in-law

Maggie Oswald's 3 year old great niece Ava Wohltman is facing neurosurgery.

Parents of Rochell Couch & Lauren Seay—health issues

Julie Olson's Mother—health issues

Nephew of Geri Collins—very ill

Vickie Dubose and her family

Phyllis Shaw and family— her parents are elderly and suffering from poor health

Garnett Szurek—health issues

Michelle Hanus and Claudette Booker—Mother's health issues and for Michelle as she moves into her new home.

Michelle Anderson—health issues

Diann Arnold — health issues.

Beth Barron's grandson, Keaton—in treatment again. Please remember him and his family.

The family of Joanne Krepps — her nephews—in law enforcement, and all other law enforcement personnel.

Our military members as they work to keep our country free. Please pray for their families left at home.

The guild members we haven't seen recently, or those who just need a little more encouragement with whatever is going on in their lives.

The leaders of our country —that they make the right decisions to keep our country great.

MEMBERSHIP

Hello To everyone,

Our attendance in September was:

66 Members

8 Visitors

74 Total Attendance

The total Membership is 134

Thanks for bringing your friends, see you at the October meeting.

We will begin accepting 2018 membership dues of \$20.00 at our November meeting.

Marie

Membership Chair/Membership Lady

NAME TAGS

One good way for everyone to get to know each other is to wear our name tags. Joyce Boyd was kind enough to make several and all they need is your name. If you don't have an AHQG name tag ask for one when you sign in.



CHARITY

It has been a busy time and I hope to be back on track with the monthly meetings soon. You have all been doing a great job and I'm really proud of you. Keep up the great work.

Hope to see everyone at the guild meeting.

Joanne Krepps
Charity Chair



OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Rosa Raymond	2nd
Laura Reilly	3rd
Kim Pietszak	4th
Chrysa Hefty	7th
Phyllis Shaw	10th
Julie Olson	11th
Rochell Couch	18th
Jennifer Hall	20th
Pam Miller	21th
Carol Bryant	22nd
Karon O'Ferrall	25th
Denice Brockmeyer	27th
Vicki DuBose	27th

Quilters' Blogs and Other Resources

www.thesplendidsampler.com

For Local Quilt Shows Check out — www.quiltersresources.net

[Tips, Tricks, and Tuts Tuesday - Round Robin Quilts by Margie](#) Posted: 26 Jan 2016 07:07 PM PST

B. Bumble & Company Blog <http://buzzingandbumbling.blogspot.com/>

Our own Doris Rice's blog is at <http://quiltingqueenonline.com> The Queen's Rustic Retreat can be found at <http://www.queensrusticretreat.com>

<http://www.oneblockwonder.com>

“Fabric Mutt” at <http://fabricmutt.blogspot.com/>

FROM THE PARLIAMENTARIAN

Elections for the 2018 Board of Directors were held at the September general meeting. The members of the Board are listed below—be sure to show your support.

President:	Millie Moczygemba
1st Vice President	Linda Clark
2nd Vice President:	Susan Hall
Treasurer	Phyllis Shaw
Secretary	Julie Olson
Parliamentarian	Pam Miller

PROGRAMS

Hello Everyone! I hope you were able to join us this past month when Kimberly Jolly and some of her team from the Fat Quarter Shoppe in Manchaca, Texas were our guests. Kimberly had lots of lovely quilts and patterns to share with us. In addition, she shared several stories which gave us insight into a busy quilt designer's life and her highly successful online business. We also learned about their recently launched monthly subscription quilting box and had the opportunity to see some of the treasures that were included in some of the boxes. What a fun and creative job Kimberly's team has at the Fat Quarter Shop!

You will not want to miss our Guild meeting on Thursday, October 12th either as Kathy Hayson, one of our very own Guild members, will be presenting a demo on Gelli Plate Printing on fabric. Kathy showed me some neat examples of this technique she used to create her own fabric which she then used to create some beautiful quilts and journal covers. I am looking forward to learning more about this technique! And then of course, on Saturday, October 14th, we'll have our Auction – and you definitely do not want to miss this big event! I am sure there will be some last-minute announcements from our Auction Chair, Janet Daniel and opportunities for everyone to volunteer as we get ready for the auction on Saturday.

I also have the class sample and supply list for our November 11th workshop. We will be making an appliqued sampler using the Leaves Galore template and pattern from Sue Pelland Designs. The picture of this sampler just does not do it justice! Janie Alonzo from Zo-Ray Creations in Austin, Texas, a certified Sue Pelland instructor, will be conducting the workshop. I am taking sign-ups for the workshop now. You can also preorder a kit for the workshop or provide your own fabrics. If you provide your own fabric Janie has asked that you have the applique fabrics fused before the workshop. She shared that in order to get the most from the workshop, it helps to have the applique fabric fused before class. In addition, if you are providing your own background material, it has to be prewashed before the workshop. Please see me to sign up and help you make your decision about whether to pre-order the kit with just the pre-fused applique fabric and/or the background fabric or whether you will provide your own pre-fused applique fabric. I have to turn in a final number for kits after our October meeting so Janie can have the kits ready for the November workshop. You will not want to miss Janie's program at our November Guild meeting either! We saw some lovely examples of the shapes you can make using the template in her booth at the Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Show this past month.

Have you started looking for your "to die for" yard of fabric for the Guild's Christmas Party on Thursday, December 14th? Our 1st Vice President, Linda Clark, has a fun evening planned for us in addition to our usual potluck Christmas party. I am definitely looking forward to seeing what she has in store for us!

And be sure to check out our Alamo Heritage Quilt Guild 2017 calendar to see what else we have planned for the rest of this year. I hope you are able to join us for some of those events. And, as always, please send me any suggestions for next year's programs and workshops since often speaker's calendars are booked well in advance. I could not pull this all together without your support and suggestions so please keep them coming!

We hope you are able to join us at our next Guild meeting on October 12th, you won't want to miss it, and we look forward to seeing you there.

v/r,

Kathy

2017 AHQG CALENDAR

All Thursday evening programs held at St. Matthew's UMC.

All Saturday workshops held at Holy Trinity Presbyterian Church, 16245 Nacogdoches Rd, SA TX.

January	12	Program: Denise Green, Holl Dee Quilts, Luling, Texas. Lecture and Trunk Show • Judy Niemeyer Trunk Show - quilts made by Denise using Judy's patterns and techniques.
	14	Workshop: Denise Green, Holly D Quilts, Luling, Texas. "The Cactus Flower" Table Runner Foundation Paper Piecing Workshop.
February	9	Program: Peggy True, San Antonio, Texas. Program, "Fascinations – a Quilter's Exploration of Designing with Radial Symmetry" with a trunk show of about 45 quilts. In addition, Peggy will share with us information on the "Threads of Love" charity.
	11	Workshop: Designated to be Auction Sew In
March	9	Program: Michael Young, AHQG Member, San Antonio, Texas. Trunk Show.
	11	Workshop: Michael Young, AHQG Member, San Antonio, Texas. "One Block Wonder" quilt workshop.
April	13	Program: Charity Night.
Retreat		May 4-7
May	11	Program: Guild Show and Tell; a Special Show and Tell from AHQG Retreat attendees and a Trunk Show by Kathy Smith featuring Machine Embroidery.
	13	Workshop: None.
June	8	Program: Heidi Staples, Boerne, Texas, Presentation/Trunk Show sharing projects from her book <u>Sewing Organized for the Busy Girl</u> and her blogspot "Fabric Mutt".
	10	Workshop: Designated to be Auction Sew In.
July	13	Program: Guild Skill Builders Stations for Demos set up such as Y-Seams, Mitered Borders and Applique.
	15	Workshop: Doris Rice, The Quilting Queen. McQueeney, Texas, "Sweet Liberty" or "Flying Free" table runner, placemats or small wall hanging – the choice is yours!
August	10	Program: Potluck Summer Salad Dinner NOTE: Tony Hansen will have his Mobile Sharpening Unit set up in parking lot for all of your sharpening needs.
September	14	Program: Kimberly Jolly, Fat Quarters Shop, Manchaca, Texas, Trunk Show featuring "It's Sew Emma".
	16	Workshop: Designated to be Auction Sew In.
October	12	Program: Kathy Hayson, Demo on Creating Your Own Unique Fabric using Gelli Plate Printing
	14	AHQG Auction
November	9	Program: Janie Alonzo, Zo-Ray Creations, Austin, Texas, Certified Sue Pelland Designs Instructor, Lecture and Trunk Show "Fast and Fabulous" with quilts made using the Leaves Galore Template.
	11	Workshop: Janie Alonzo, Zo-Ray Creations, Austin, Texas. Leaves Galore Technique Rotary Cut Applique Class.
December	14	Program: Christmas Party / TBD/Exchange

AHQG AUCTION

We are down to the week before the auction. It has been an exciting time preparing for our big event, but the real fun will take place on the 14th. I hope you bring your checkbook, plastic or cash —- we can handle all three types of payment. Remind your friends and family members that there will be over 60 items in the live auction and over 20 in the silent auction. Also LOADS of fantastic treasures in the boutique just waiting for you to grab them up for your use and or wonderful Christmas gifts. It's never too early to get started. On our WAY to an Awesome Auction!! See ya'll there!!

Janet Daniel
Auction Chair



SIGN UP SHEET FOR AUCTION FOOD

Small Fruit Tray	Mary Ann Allar	Ann Barnett	Kay Perez	
Small Cheese Tray	Mona Jones	Shirley Carter	Judy Spencer	
3 doz cookies	Joyce Boyd	Esther Jo.	Cindy M.	
2 doz Bar Cookies				
(or Brownies)	Michelle G.	Amanda Dove	Janice Cutrer	
Potato Salad	Mary Lou Oviedo	Nancy Troyer	Doris Rice	
Med Bag Tortilla Chips	Joyce H.	Carol DeArment	Marque Makay	
Med Bag Potato Chips	Pat Brookes	Vickie D.	Barb Steers	
Veggie Tray	Linda Clark			
Green Salad	Josie Anderson			
1 pint Dip	Trina Hibbard	Eileen Pape	Veronica (Vee) Benson	
1 pint Guacamole	Millie	Pam M	Sherry Cornelise	
Bundt or Sheet Cake	Marie E.	Vicki D.	Ruth Ann W.	
1 Gal Iced Tea	Tom Dengler	Dave Duque	Geri Collins	Ellen Coke
	Linda Etheridge	Tom Dengler		
Bags of Ice	Joyce B	Millie	Jan Owens	Pam M.
	Sally Gay			
Sandwiches	Maggi Oswald			
Muffins	Janet Daniel			

Guild Hospitality will provide coffee, plates, napkins and silver

Please contact Linda Clark or Maggi Oswald by October 12 if you are unable to bring the item you signed up for.



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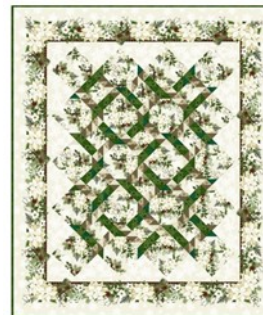
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Quilt size 72 1/2" x 96 1/2"

Thank you all for visiting Cotton Boll Quilting at our Booth at the Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Show!

We only have 6 spots left in the new Block of the Month that will start in November. Floral Menagerie is a 12 month Animal Applique Quilt that finishes at 72 by 96 inches...perfect for a Twin/Full bed! Registration Fee is \$26.40 and monthly fee for 11 payments will be \$18.00/month plus tax and shipping(if applicable).

So much for making space!! New fabric arrivals: Tula Pink's Spirit Animal, Amy Butler's Soul Mate, Haute Zahara by Dena Designs, Ellery by June Bee for Ink and Arrow and Bookshelf Botanicals! Oh yes and new Northcott Mystic Gradations! Most new fabric lines also have precuts!

Cotton Boll Quilting will be closed Wednesday, Oct 25 through Tuesday, Oct 31st while we attend the International Quilt Market in Houston. I realize that is a long time gone!! But we want to stay to see the Iron Quilter competition this year. Where six teams of teachers/quilters (led by Pam Holland, Charlotte Angotti, Gyleen X. Fitzgerald, Catherine Redford, Marti Michell, and Karen K. Stone) face off to create the most delectable small quilt in just two hours! I am so curious about how they do this!! I will tell you all about it in November!

See you in the funny papers!

Thank you
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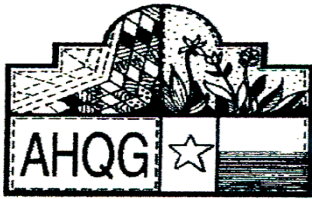
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ATTENTION:

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.

Quilt Angels



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 Ann Barnett at the meeting.

Next Meeting: October 12th

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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