FEBRUARY 2019



JOIN US ON THE SECOND THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH—

WE MEET AT 7:00 P.M. AT

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From Your President

Greetings fellow AHQG quilters,

Happy February! Hope the month of Love finds you doing what you love. The weather has been good quilting weather.

Last month Suzi Parron gave us an entertaining evening of Barn Quilts. The workshop was great too. I think that all who participated had a good time and each of us took home a handsome barn quilt of our own. Those of you who took the workshop please bring yours to show off..

This month we have Cheryl Matzen with "Quilts in a Flash" using her rapid 1/2 square triangle method. I'm looking forward to learning something that will speed up my projects.

Remember, this is Auction year, please volunteer to help out. It will only be as good as we make it! Let's make it GREAT.

Hope to see all of you at the meeting,

Happy Quilting, Millie Moczygemba





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.

Kathleen Slater's husband and family—health issues

Ricki McGinty—health issues

Carla Richard still recovering from broken arm

Vivian Taylor and family—loss of her sister

Maggie Oswald and family—loss of her step-mother and her husband's illness

Shirley Carter—recuperating from hip replacement surgery in January

Julie Olson's mother—suffering through serious health issues

Beth Barron's family and friends in the loss of Keaton.

Josie Anderson—loss of her husbandl

Parents of Rochell Couch & Lauren Seay—health issues

Vickie Dubose and her family

Phyllis Shaw and family

Garnett Szurek—health issues

Michelle Hanus and Claudette Booker—-Mother's health issues

Members of law enforcement, their families and all other First Responders..

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 elected officials of our country —-that they make the right decisions to keep our country great and undivided

Victims of the recent worldwide natural disasters—many people need prayers as they face the unknown





AHQG 2019 QUILT RETREAT

There are still a few spots open for the retreat this coming spring. Check with Joyce Boyd if you are interested in attending.

Don't forget to see Joyce Boyd to make your payments on the 2019 Retreat. Complete payment must be made by April.



MEETING FORMAT

In order to provide sufficient time to the presenters at the meeting, the Board decided to try something new. The Show & Tell portion will be held after the presentation. This month is the second month of this trial.

Someone suggested that since we meet in a church, have workshops in another church, that we develop our very own electronic "Church Directory".

After several months, the pictorial directory is coming along. There are still some pictures missing. Hopefully, you can be at the January or February meeting and get your head shot taken.

Won't it be nice to be able to recognize everyone?!

ATTENTION FEBRUARY MEETING

John Matzen will bring his scissor sharpening equipment to the meeting on February 14th, and can sharpen scissors during the presentation.

NOTE: He will only sharpen sewing related scissors.



ALAMO HERITAGE QUILT GUILD FEBRUARY 2019

ALAMO HERITAGE QUILT GUILD RETREAT

MAY 2-5, 2019

SIGN UP STARTS AT OCTOBER MEETING

Deposit of \$50.00 required at sign-up – full payment due by March 1, 2019

John Newcome Tennis Ranch 325 Mission Valley off Hwy 46 in New Braunfels.

COST FOR THIS FUN WEEKEND

Signed _

Choice 1 – Thursday, Friday, Saturday & Sunday May 2 to 5, 2019 \$320.00 Choice 2 - Friday, Saturday & Sunday May 3 to 5, 2019 \$240.00

ACCOMODATIONS: Our accommodations are 2 bedroom condos with 4 people to a condo. 1 bedroom has 2 queen beds and the other bedroom has 2 twin beds. Parking is close to each condo and most things are handicap accessible. There is a lovely pool and tennis courts if you want to relax and play. If you have specific needs please let me know at the time of sign up, will try to accommodate special dietary requirements.

MEALS: Hearty meals will be served in the dining room starting with dinner at 6:00 the day of your arrival, either Thursday or Friday. Three meals will be served daily, other than Sunday, which will be only breakfast and lunch.

Beside the meals, morning and afternoon snacks will be served. Tea, coffee and water will be available all of the time. You may bring your personal choice of drinks, sodas are available at the bar or soda machines. A table will be set up for the fabulous snacks everyone seems to bring to share.

SEWING ROOM: You will have continuous use of the sewing room from 6:00 in the morning until 4:00 each night. Guards set the alarms around 4:00 am or when the last person leaves the room. The buddy system is strongly recommended.

You are welcome to come in around 10:00 am on your day of check in BUT you can not get into your condo until 3:00. All check in's are done thru the Ranch and you must sign their waiver.

Condo check out is noon but we may stay in the sewing room until 2:00pm. Please turn your key into the Ranch's front desk. Please bring your room problem to me and I will notify the appropriate personnel. Thanks, Joyce

Please detach this portion and bring to guild meeting for sign up - REMEMBER the retreat fills up the first night

Please check choice	•	\$320.00 \$240.00			
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Checks Payable to AHQG

MEMBERSHIP

There were 77 guild members, 4 visitors and no new members present at the January meeting. As of January 31st, 75 members have paid their 2019 annual dues

Please pay your dues at the February meeting. The guild dues are \$20 for the year. We would prefer checks if you can, made payable to "AHQG." If you cannot pay your dues at the February meeting, please call David Duque at 210-560-7855 to make arrangements.

Thank you,
David Duque and Tom Dengler
Membership Co-Chairs

Nametags....wear them and ask for one if you don't have one.



NAMETAGS

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

As usual we had a great bee in January, there were 10 of us. We went thru some newly donated material and sorted again. The material was sized and lots of it cut up. Tom Dickens cut more bonnets for us. Hopefully next month we will have new kits. I still have a few plus some bindings and quilting. COME SEE ME.

Hope you guys stay warm. Ron and I have families in Missouri, Ohio, and New York. They are FREEZ-ING. Talked to Barbara R, who as you may remember is a member, she now lives in Arlington, VA. I told her to stay warm and she stated "I am under a quilt reading a book". For a Texas girl she has learned the best way to stay warm.

See you all soon.

Joanne Krepps Charity Chair



THIS MONTH'S BIRTHDAYS

Brenda Reynolds	3rd
Carol DeArment	4th
Millie Moczygemba	4th
Janet Daniel	8th
Rosario (Micah) Duque	8th
Linda Ethridge	12th
Sally Gay	12th
Marque McKay	13th
Loleta Jeffcoat	19th

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

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

Our own Doris Rice's blog is at http://www.quiltingqueenonline.com/?m=1
The Queen's Rustic Retreat can be found at http://www.queensrusticretreat.com/
And to xblocks: http://www.xblocks.com/

http://www.oneblockwonder.com

"Fabric Mutt" at http://fabricmutt.blogspot.com/

Beth Baron provided a little information for free block patterns. Thanks It's a new freebie block of the week from Moda—3 sizes of blocks. 12",6",3". Could be fun! Check out the first of 52 blocks at: http://blog.modafabrics.com/2018/06/block-heads-2.

Betsy Chutchian's Blog: http://betsysbestquiltsandmore.blogspot.com/



ALAMO HERITAGE QUILT GUILD FEBRUARY 2019

Alamo Heritage Quilt Guild Calendar 2019

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

Most Saturday workshops held at Holy Trinity Presbyterian Church, 16245 Nacogdoches Rd, SATX. See notes for exceptions

January	10	Program: Suzi Parron, The Barn Quilt Presentation Suzi will take us on a journey along the quilt trail, beginning with the very first barn quilt, through over one hundred stunning photographs of barn quilts, some of which rival cloth quilts in their intricacy.
	12	Workshop: Making a Barn Quilt Block
February	14	Program: Cheryl Matzen, Quilt-N-A-Flash Rapid Fire HST's and More
March	14	Program: Charlotte Angiotti Why aren't you making more Quilts, I know you have the fabric Renowned speaker who tells it like it is! Come enjoy the evening!
	16	Workshop: "Let Me Surprise You" Mystery Quilt Schertz Community Center Building 3
April	11	Program: Charity Night.
May	2 - 5	AHQG Quilt Retreat at John Newcomb Tennis Ranch
May	9	Program: Jen Eskridge: Free-Motion Framework learn approaches for finishing your quilting with quilting.
June	13	Program: Debby Walters, Strips and Curves 30 years of Mother/Daughter Quilting Trunk show
	14	Workshop: Strips and Curves
	** 15	Part 1: Friday, June 14, 2018 Strip Strata preparation Part 2: Saturday, June 15, 2018 Making the quilt
July 11		Program: Jackie Hillman: "The Goose is Loose on the Ranch"
	13	Workshop: Disappearing Flying Geese Tablerunner
August	8	Program: Potluck Summer Salad Dinner
September	12	Program: Stephanie Hackney, Director of Sales and Marketing Hobbs Bonded Fibers
October	10	Program: Auction Preview
	12	AHQG Quilt Auction
November	14	Program: MJ Fielek: Quilts on your Bucket List
	15 **	Friday Workshop: Binding at Patty's Sewing Center Saturday Workshop: Orphan or Swap Blocks Quilt
	16	Holy Trinity Church
December	12	Program: Christmas Party /TBD Exchange

PROGRAMS

What a way to kick off the year! Suzi Parron, the **Barn Quilt Lady**, gave a very interesting and entertaining presentation. Then we had 22 members participate in the Barn Quilt Painting workshop. BEST part of the whole workshop was taking home a complete project!! No UFOs!s. Check them out at the February meeting during Show 'n Tell!

This month, February, our speaker will be **Cheryl Matzen**, **from Austin**, **presenting her Quilt-N-A-Flash methods and a trunk show**. There was a lot of excitement about Cheryl's methods at the Austin Quiltfest so I am really looking forward to hearing her presentation!

In March, Charlotte Angiotti will talk about surprising ourselves with great ideas for using up our stash! She will be teaching her "Let Me Surprise You" Mystery Quilt workshop on Saturday, March 16, 2019. We have 44 paid kit reservations. This workshop will be held at the Schertz Community Center Building 3 on Schertz Parkway. Specific address is 1400 Schertz Parkway, Bldg. 3 Schertz, TX 78154. The \$35 workshop fee is due by February for those who haven't already paid. See supply list in this newsletter.

April will be our charity night. JoAnne Krepps and the Bee will have lots of projects for us to work on. It is a great opportunity to meet new people and get to know our members.

In May, we will have Jen Eskridge of ReannaLily Designs. She is a quilt designer, blogger, and has written a book titled Free-Motion Framework with innovative whole cloth quilt designs and 8 skill-building lessons. Jen is teaching these techniques at Patty's Sewing Center for those who want to get a hands-on experience with these techniques. You can find more information about Jen's process by checking out her Blog at http://reannalilydesigns.com/blog/

Heads up: Our June Program and Workshop will be Designing with Strips n Curves by Debby Walters (who bought Louisa Smith's company). She provides a 2-day workshop starting on Friday, June 14th, you can finalize and sew your strata in preparation for the Strips n Curves Class on Saturday. This isn't a mandatory day, you can still take the 1-day workshop on Saturday at our usual location at Holy Trinity Church. I will start taking signups for this workshop in March!

You all are our primary source of suggestions for great programs and workshops. Please feel free to text, email or talk to me about any ideas you have for 2020 programs and workshops since often speakers' calendars are booked well in advance. I look forward to seeing you at our February 12, 2019 meeting!

Thank you, Susan Hall 210-288-8205 -- text me your ideas!

PROGRAMS (CONT'D)



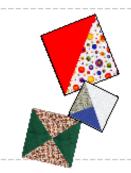


Half-Square Triangle Stencil System

Come learn how you can create very accurate half-square triangles in record time using the HSTSystem method. This very fun and easy method is faster than the *Bias Strip* method, the popular *8-at-a-Time* method, and there's no paper tearing!

We might change the way you make quilts forever.

Join us to see for yourself!



WHERE: ALAMO HERITAGE QUILT GUILD MEETING

St. Mathew's United Methodist Church 2738 MacArthur View San Antonio, TX 78217

WHEN: Thursday, February 14, 2019 7:00 PM

Why not bring a friend!





You Can Make Rapid-Fire ..

- Half-Square Triangles
- Quarter-Square Triangles
- Flying Geese
- Square in a Square
- and much, much more ...



We cordially invite you to join us and meet the founder and owner of Quilt-N-A-Flash, Cheryl Matzen from Austin, Texas. Cheryl is an award winning quilter, lecturer, teacher, quilt designer, and the inventor of a revolutionary set of quilting tools, the HSTSystem.

PROGRAMS (CONT'D)

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You are also invited to join us at the AHQG March Guild meeting where Charlotte Angiotti will also be our guest speaker. Our Guild meeting will be held on the second Thursday of March, the 14th, at 7:00 pm at St Matthew's United Methodist Church (2738 MacArthur View between Broadway and Nacodoches. Recommend arriving early as we expect a full house for the presentation. Church is open by 6:30.

Feel free to text or email me with questions. Reply to all in case others have the same question.

Let Me Surprise You Mystery Quilt Workshop Supply List Charlotte Angiotti

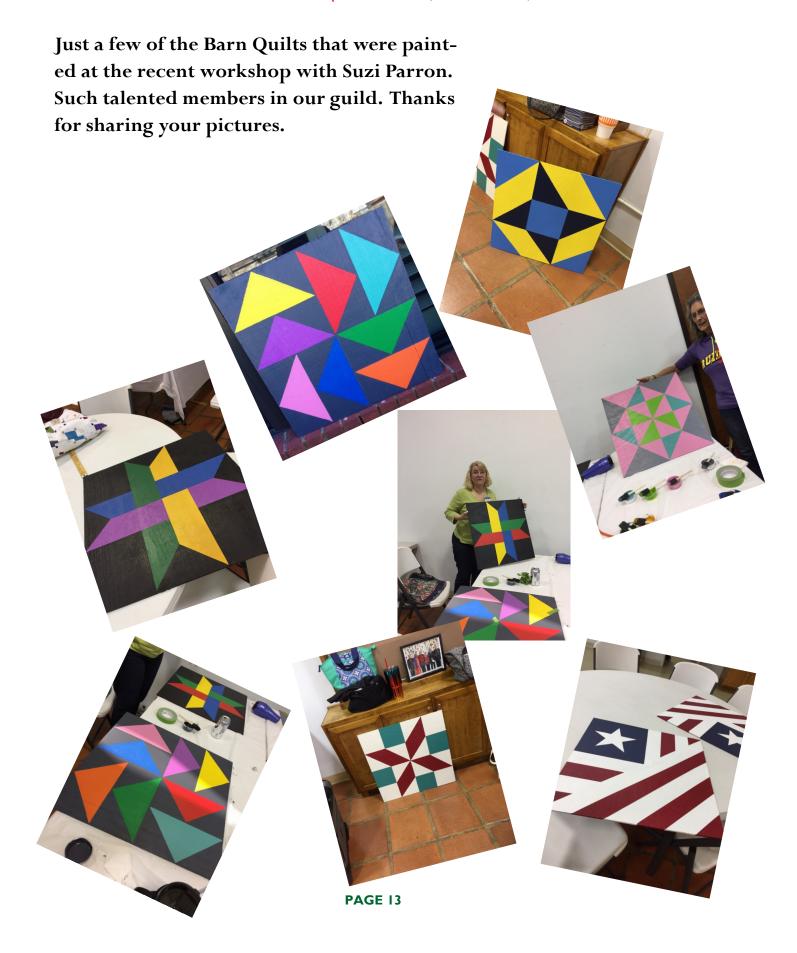
Bring a smile, a kind word, a happy face and you will enjoy the day much more! Cameras are welcome in all my classes. Show and tell of other projects done in my classes are always a treat. Basic supplies that make you happy during class are things you can bring. If you like a chair, bring it, but if you can't, then understand the one you get to use in class is one you didn't have to lug. This goes for lots of other things, too.

If you are taking a class at a show or special location be sure that this list hasn't been changed to suit the location. Such as irons, kit prices, tools to bring...these can change with the venue.

Let Me Surprise You!

- Seam ripper
- Neutral thread
- Pins
- If sewing machine isn't provided, sewing machine and all that makes it run, new needle and bring extras.
- Iron/ironing surface.
- Kit is required for this class.

PROGRAMS (CONT'D)



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- * Custom quilt patterns
- * Sewing classes for ladies or children
- * Alterations

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- * 100% cotton fabric from quilters' stashes sold at \$5.00/yd
- * Scissor sharpening
- * Reasonable prices
- * Local Long arm references

After shopping you could even stop by Rosebud's Artisan Alley, next door for coffee, special teas, cappuccino, or old-timey sodas. You'll be thrilled with the hand-crafted items on display, also. While you're here take a step back in time at Hensel's Hardware and have lunch at our Veteran inspired cafe, Highway 77 Cafe.

Hope to see you soon! From the Gals at the Fabric Barn,

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SHINER HERITAGE QUILTERS

"Spring Into Quilting" Show

March 8-9, 2019
Friday & Saturday
9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
Admission \$5.00



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CBQ has LOTS of new fabric to show you—-including Black and Cream Gold Metallic Mixers, a totally cute new line called "Love is..." by Hannah Dale for Maywood Studio, Limoncello for those who can't get enough yellow and gray!! and Dragonfly Dance yikes!! Aunt Grace BOM available to start anytime - \$25 for reg/pattern/\$24/month. You choose Queen or King size. 20% off kit if purchased all at once.

New Tonga Batik Block of the Month from Daniella Stout that uses her Strip tube ruler! Multi sizes Throw, Queen and King available as complete kits. The 6 Part (month?) BOM is only available as a Queen size.

Our usual walk-in shopping appt hours are Tues - Fri 10 am - 4 pm and Sat 10 - 3 pm (call for availability on Saturdays)

HOWEVER, CBQ will be closed Thursday, 14 Feb through Monday, 18 Feb for the South Padre Quilt show. If you are in the area, stop by to say HI.

As usual, Website is open 24/7 and we ship orders next business day we are in town. Please feel free to text me at (210) 288-8205 if you have questions.

THANK YOU SUSAN Susan R. Hall Cotton Boll Quilting 457 Silver Buckle Schertz, TX 78154 (210) 566-7619 (210) 288-8205 (cell phone/text messages)











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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.



Next Meeting: FEBRUARY 14TH



Quilt Angels



Quilt Angels are AHQG members who greet visitors at our monthly meetings and lanswer 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.

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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