SEPTEMBER 2019



JOIN US ON THE SECOND THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH—

WE MEET AT 7:00 P.M. AT

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NACOGDOCHES)

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From Your President

Hi Quilters,

Welcome, September. Fall is on the way, sooner or later. I can't believe that it is already September. I read the other day there are only 16 more Fridays before Christmas. How many of you have started your shopping? The AHQG Auction is just a month away. What a great time to do your Christmas shopping. I have a better idea. Invite a friend to join you so they can do their shopping too.

This month is our annual pot luck supper. Break out the cook books and find your favorite dish to bring to share. Don't forget to bring your spoon too. I love pot lucks. There is always so much wonderful food. Yum, Yum. The knife sharpening man will be there too. Bring the dull things in your life. If scissors have a screw they can be sharpened. Sorry he cannot sharpen dull husbands. He has his limits..

Like I mentioned earlier. The Auction is one month away. We are finalizing the preparations. There is still a need for volunteers. Please see Julie, Mona or Linda for things you can do. Let's make this a huge success.

Happy quilting,

Millie Moczygemba

AHQG Auction - October 12, 2019

The countdown is almost over - only 4 weeks until our AHQG Auction! Now the final push to get those **quilt-lovin'** and **quilt-buyin'** friends and family to purchase one (or more) of our many 'to die for' quilts. Keep spreading the word to all your friends, families, co-workers, and neighbors. Bring a stranger and make a new friend! We'll still have flyers and bookmarks at the meeting to pass out. The quilt shops are covered (thank you to all distributors!) but does you church, doctor or dentist office, stylist, etc., have a flyer in their business window?

Just a few reminders:

- Drop off your 2 ½" strips or yardage with Kathy Smith at the September meeting. As a reminder, Kathy has volunteered to cut your yardage into strips! Themes: 1) black and white; 2) red, white and blue; 3) Christmas.
- Amanda Thompson will have 25 yard signs for you to check out and place in your yard to advertise our Auction. Please return them at the November Meeting.
- If you are on Facebook, please share the AHQG Auction event on our AHQG Facebook page.
- If you are on the NextDoor App, please post the flyer on this app to spread the word!
- Susan Feeley, our Librarian, is canvasing the public libraries with our flyers. Thank you Susan!

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Remember - 4 <u>weeks</u> (double yikes!) to go!!

October 11 Set up for auction

October 12 Auction Day!

12:00 pm Preview, Silent Auction, Boutique

1:00 pm Live Auction

Thank you, thank you to all!!! Best Quilt Guild Ever!!

Joyce Boyd 210-865-6329 Mandy Thompson 210-394-0929 Julie Olson 210-854-7135 Auction Co-Chairs







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.

Maggie Oswald—medical treatments, along with her husband, Gary

Linda Clark's husband, Buddy—recovering from surgery

Mandy Thompson—medical treatments

Carol Bryant—knee replacement surgery

Michelle Anderson—surgery and serious illness

Victims of the Hurricane Dorian, especially those in the Bahamas

Victims of the dive boat fire in California

Chrysa Hefty and family—loss of her father

Judy Spencer—-loss of her husband

Ann Yeary and Kathleen Dunn-Cane—loss of their mother

Garnett Szurek—health issues

Geri Collins and family—health issues

Kathleen Slater's husband and family—health issues

Vickie Dubose and her family-Vickie's dad passed away recently

Julie Olson's mother—suffering through serious health issues

Parents of Rochell Couch & Lauren Seay—-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.

BULLETIN BOARD

Change to the AHQG Calendar

Please check the guild's calendar. Due to a change in the schedule for August, the Potluck Summer Salad Dinner has been pushed to the September meeting.

FRIENDS OF THE CHILDREN OF HAITI

(FOTCOH)

While working on the newsletter today I was looking at the prayer list and decided to check out FOTCOH—the organization that our member Julie DuBoise belongs to. I decided to Google the organization and found their blog. The link is below in case anyone is interested.

https://fotcoh.org/blog/

SPECIAL PRIZE AT SEPTEMBER MEETING

Linda Clark has promised a special prize to the winner of the game to be played at the



IN SEARCH OF ...

... Charlotte Angotti's 2nd quarter mystery quilt kit . I think it is called *Carolina Rose*. If you are interested in selling it, please let me know.

Thanks,

Mandy Thompson

Update on the Photo Directory

Our guild has some very photogenic members and there are still a few whose pictures are not available. I hope to complete the directory project soon. So sorry I missed the June deadline.

Since this is strictly an electronic version, I'll be able to add new members and replace pictures for those who are able to loose the extra pounds or change the color or style of their hair, etc.

So, if you know I don't have your picture or just can't remember and you can't make it to the meetings, I'll be happy to use any photo you can email (r.a.will@hotmail.com).

Thanks, Ruth





MEMBERSHIP

There were 48 of 132 members present at the August meeting. We had 2 visitors and 2 new members at the August Meeting. The new members are: Jodi Anderson and Lori Wadsworth. Welcome, Jodi and Lori! As of August 2019, total membership is 132 members.

Remember to wear your name tags.

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

Hope everyone is staying cool. One sure way to stay out of the heat is to join us on the 3rd Wednesday of the month for the Charity Bee. We had a good group again this month and got a lot done.

I delivered 140 quilts to the Children's hospital and they seemed pleased to get it. Attached is the thank you letter I received from them.

The Bee ladies sewed labels on 50 or more quilts that I have received from Kathy Horne. She is a fantastic quilter who loves to do little quilts for the babies. The bee loves her work. These quilts will go with others probably in December. I am going to try to make two deliveries a year instead of one big one. (storage can become an issue).

Hope your summer was a good one. See you at the September meeting. I have a need for quilters to quilt some of our charity quilts. Hopefully you can help me after the auction quilts are done.

Joanne Charity Chair



THIS MONTH'S BIRTHDAYS

Shirley Carter	2nd	Tina Hibbard	18th
Kathleen Dunn-Cane	3rd	Mary Ann Kocurek	20th
Cyndi Salomon	3rd	Cindy McCord	20th
Deborah Wilder	5th	Toni Proksell	21st
Gretchen Johnston	10th	Jodi Spencer	22nd
Marge Duffy	11th	Susan Thornhill	23rd
Ellen Coke	13th	Geri Collins	27th
Ann Alderete	16 th		



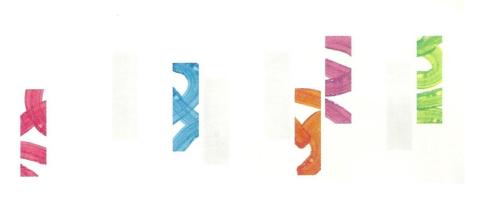
Alamo Heritage Quilt Guild,

On behalf of the patients and families of The Children's Hospital of San Antonio, thank you so much for your donation! Your generosity helps us support our patients and families, and we are appreciative of your gift! We couldn't do what we do without people like you! Thank you for helping us accomplish our mission of extending the healing ministry of Jesus Christ.

Sincerely,

Jessica Clayton, Child Life Coordinator

& The CHofSA Child Life Team



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.xblocks.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/

Beth Barron is at it again! She shared the following information:

There is a Harry Potter quilt along running simultaneously on two different blogs ..It is once a week on Saturday, and is a 12-13 week thing. All the patterns are still up on the websites. The first one is Sew Fresh Quilts and the other is on think It Needs Stitches. Beth claims it is a lot of fun.

https://sewfreshquilts.blogspot.com/

https://www.kellifanninguilts.com/

Jordan Fabrics (Shared by Kathy Hayson)

Matt & Donna Jordan's Precision Hand-cut Quilt Kits + HUGE fabric inventory! Log Cabins, Jelly Rolls, and more! Free patterns and video tutorials.

www.jordanfabrics.com

ALAMO HERITAGE QUILT GUILD SEPTEMBER 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 1400 Schertz Parkway, Schertz, Tx 78154, 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 ** 15	Workshop: Strips and Curves 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: Stephanie Hackney, Director of Sales and Marketing Hobbs Bonded Fibers
September	12	Program: Potluck Summer Salad Dinner Scissor Sharpening Guy will be here at 6 pm
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
	16	Saturday Workshop: Orphan or Swap Blocks Quilt Holy Trinity Church
December	12	Program: Christmas Party /TBD Exchange

PROGRAMS

How cool was **Stephanie Hackney**, the **Director of Sales and Marketing for Hobbs Bonded Fibers**? Those who stayed to the end got a chance at lots of batting goodies!! And Hobbs sent us 2 Queen Quilt Bats for Auction door prizes. So, you still have another opportunity to win a Cotton/Wool or a Wool batting!!

This month we have the Summer Salad Supper. Also, Tony Hansen with Circle H Mobile Sharpening will be setting up in the parking lot by 6 pm so be sure to bring knives, scissors and your finest silver toothpicks!! I already have my list started!! Panel scissors, batting scissors, kitchen shears, paper cutting scissors. I don't cook enough to have dulled my kitchen knives but I know some of you do!! He can sharpen anything that can be taken apart (aka has blades screwed together) so yard clippers, etc. Be sure to remember to pick them up after the meeting since the alternative is to pick them up in Boerne!!

In October we will have an Auction Preview and tie up some loose ends. Be sure to bring a friend with you to the meeting AND the Auction on Saturday the 12th!

For our November meeting we will have MJ Fielek presenting **Quilts on our Bucket List**! This will be a great opportunity to compare your own list with her assessment and edit accordingly!

Friday Workshop: Binding at Patty's Sewing Center

Saturday Workshop: Making a Quilt with Orphan/Swap Blocks or Leftovers from your last project at Holy Trinity Church

We will be taking signups for both Workshops at the Sept meeting!

HEADS UP! Save the dates Our February 2020 Meeting Speaker will be Betsy Chutchian talking about 19th Century Patchwork Quilt Divas. She will be teaching a workshop on Saturday, Feb 15th on a quilt from her books about the Patchwork Divas. 2 suggestions have been the Pine Tree Quilt or the Carolina Lily. Which do you prefer??

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 speaker's calendars are booked well in advance.

I look forward to seeing you at our Sept 12th, 2019 meeting!

Thank you

Susan Hall

210-288-8205 -- text me your ideas!

BINDING CLASS SUPPLY LIST MJ Fielek

Machine in good working order and a full bobbin

(So you don't take time in class to wind bobbin)

Long ruler for cutting binding, cutting mat & rotary cutter.

Small ruler with 45 degree angle

Fabric marking pen (pencil, water erase or heat erase)

Binding clips

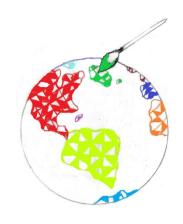
Hand sewing needle and thimble if you use one.

Will need ironing stations to support the number of people in class.

You will receive a prequilted piece of fabric and instructions for applying binding using a different method on each side.









Color the World

with QUILTS

2019 Quilt Show
Sept. 20-21, 2019

Greater San Antonio Zuilt Guild

San Antonio Event Center
Marbach @ 410

Friday 9-6 Saturday 9-5

Admission \$8 (10 & under free) www.sanantonioquilt.org

QUILTS OF VALOR

Quilts of Valor Foundation (<u>www.qovf.org</u>) is having a Summer Mystery Quilt for the next six weeks, started on the 16th of July. Anyone who would like to make a QOV for a Veteran of their choosing, can expect to have their quilts completed GRATIS (by me). If you would like to complete a top and donate we will use it in our pool for local Veterans. You can find the fabric requirement and the first clue at www.govf.org. Thanks to all.

Barb Steers





Friendship Stars for El Paso

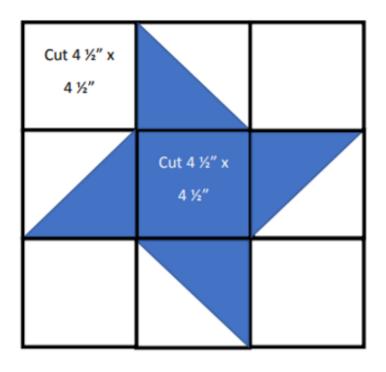
The El Paso Quilters Association posted on Facebook a request for help with their project to provide lap quilts to those affected by the shooting in their town. The directions can be found on the next page.

Personally, I was drawn to donate blood but was afraid I would be denied. Instead, I made four blocks and mailed them as soon as I could.

Ruth Ann Willey

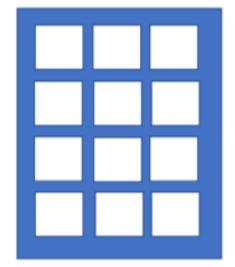
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Friendship Stars for El Paso



Half Square Triangles- Cut 5" square in half diagonally from color and background white. Sew and trim to 4 1/2".

If you would like to make a completed quilt: We are looking for lap sized quilts. **3x4 blocks** with 3 ½ "sashing and 5" border

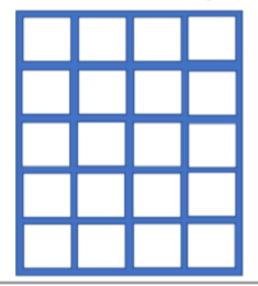


El Paso, Texas suffered a terrible tragedy on Aug 3rd where 22 people lost their lives in a hate filled shooting. The El Paso Quilters Association is reaching out with Love and Quilts to those affected by this tragedy.

We want to make Star quilts (to represent the star on our mountain) and will be making Friendship Star blocks, any colors on a white background, 12 1/2 inches, unfinished.

Please mail blocks or finished quilts to: El Paso Quilters Association Rachel Garibay 4905 Vista Grande Circle El Paso, TX 79922

4 x 5 blocks with 2 1/2"sashing only



We will happily accept any star quilts in lap size! Thank you for helping us make this happen!

Memories by the Yard

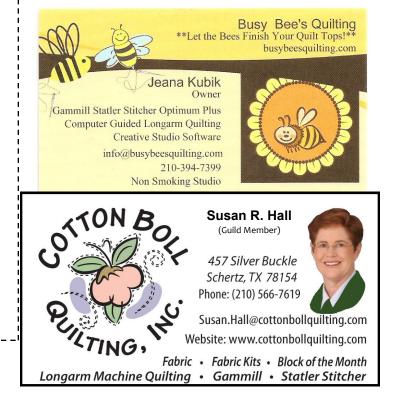
"Helping you make memories that last" 8015 Mainland Dr.

(right off Bandera Rd.)

San Antonio, JX

210-520-4833

www.memoriesbytheyard.com



Heads up!! We will have a booth at the

Color the World with Quilts 2019 Quilt Show

Greater San Antonio Area Quilt Guild Show with LOTS of new quilt samples and kits! See ad in our newsletter for the show Sept 20 - 21st at the San Antonio Event Center. We will be closed during the show and also Thursday, Sept 19th, to get the booth setup. Hope to see you there!

As usual, https://www.cottonbollquilting.com is up and running 24/7 during my absence! Online orders are filled in order received. Feel free to order and select in-store pickup if you are in San Antonio TX area.

Regular in-store shopping hours (T - F 10 - 4 and Sat 10 - 3)

Thank you!
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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.

Meeting:

SEPTEMBER 12th

Remember to bring your...

Name Tag Show and Tell Items

Library Books Charity Items

Quilt Angels



Quilt Angels are AHQG members who greet visitors at plants of the land and land and land and land and land are the land and land are land and land are land and land are land

Please take visitors and new members "under your wing" by volunteering to be a Quilt Angel. See Ann Barnett at the meeting.

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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