



MAY 2024

JOIN US ON THE SECOND TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH
WE MEET AT 6:30 P.M. AT
ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
(1416 NORTH LOOP 1604)

From Your President

Good morning fellow quilters. I hope you've had a productive month. I am so excited about our new meeting location. From everything I heard and observed St Thomas Episcopal Church was a perfect choice for our guild. We had plenty of room to visit and have a little fun stuffing cancer pillows. I'm looking forward to Joanne's report on our efforts at our May meeting.

Before I forget, I would like to apologize to everyone who brought their Barn Quilts for Show and Tell last month. I forgot to ask you to show off your fabulous, finished projects! Let's try it again this month and I promise not to forget....but Janet may have to remind me again.

I received a note from David Richardson, the former repair tech at The Quilt Haus in New Braunfels. He advised he is still in business and will continue to service any domestic, longarm, industrial or multineedle embroidery machines. He can be contacted on his cell @ (469)442-7313. He does have a web-site but as of publication it has not been confirmed.

Also, Susan Feeley, our long time librarian, recently purchased 83 quilting books for the guild. She will bring "some" of them to our upcoming meeting. Please plan an extra few minutes to check out our new additions.

We will be hosting Gina Tell this month. I am looking forward to learn of her quilt journey. We all have one, a quilt story to tell. I'm confident we share many similarities, but we are also unique in our experiences. What motivates one of us may intimidate another, one of us may love traditional quilts, another may lean towards the more modern designs. Believe it or not some still prefer hand piecing and hand quilting while some of us love the time savings we gain from machine piecing and quilting. Even more time savings if we rely on others to machine quilt our tops. Can you remember what the quilting world looked like when you began your journey? We use tools today that could not even be imagined years ago. Look at the advances our craft has made over the past 5, 10, 20+ years. We have all come so far. Let's take a minute to celebrate our growth and the future of our craft. I am as excited today when I'm working on a new project as I was fearful when I tip toed hesitantly into my quilting journey. I would love to hear some of your stories. Who wants to be the first to share?

Until then, Happy Quilting,
Vicki

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PROGRAMS

MAY 2024

Hello Quilters! We have posted the 2024 calendar for monthly programs. I hope you take the time to review and look at some of the great quilters coming to our guild in 2024. You won't want to miss any of the programs because they will offer trunk shows, new quilting techniques, unique quilters with special talents and fun workshops. We also have an opportunity to help with charity quilty items and pot luck dinners fellowship. All of our presenters are bringing their very best of pattern designs, trunk shows and quilt journeys to share with our quilt guild.

Program – May 14th Gina Tell (thread-graffiti.com) has been a quilter for 20 years is self-taught because when she started quilting there was no YouTube videos OR Facebook and she did not know anyone near her with any sewing skills. She studied art in college and worked as a floral designer, and she always had a knack for design and creativity and working with color. Now she has a long arm quilting service in

Austin, TX with 2 long arms, a pattern designer (Teddy Tell) and a new binding ruler and her newest adventure in YouTube (@GinaTellThreadGraffiti) long arm videos! Gina has so much energy and enthusiasm for quilting, she will be fun to listen to. We look forward to knowing more about Gina and her quilting journey and admiring her quilt trunk show. NO WORKSHOP

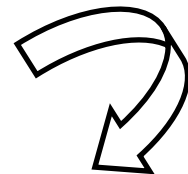
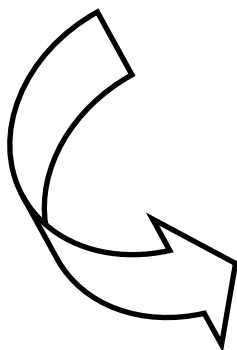
Program – June 11th Quilted Spaces. Our program will be presented by guild members regarding a home decorated with quilts. We will go through every room to show innovative and traditional ways to display quilts of every color, every pattern, and every size. Many photos will be of our own guild member homes and quilt displays. We hope to inspire you to dress your home in quilts! NO WORKSHOP

Program – July 9th Scarlett Lady - Rosie deLeon-McCrady (scarlettoday.com) Rosie is a redwork enthusiast and collector of antique redwork quilts and tea towels which were her inspiration for her redwork designs. Redwork, an almost forgotten part of our quilting and needlework history but is now enjoying a revival! Antique Redwork coverlets and other Redwork linens are sought-after items these days. Rosie will have trunk show of her antique redwork quilts for us to enjoy. NO WORKSHOP

COMING SOON SEPTEMBER 12TH: PANEL PALOOZA WORKSHOP WITH CYNDI McCHESNEY. Please look for more upcoming information on a great new workshop!

If you have any questions, please feel free to ask me.

Happy Quilting My Friends,
Janet Daniel,
Program Chair



Alamo Heritage Quilt Guild Calendar 2024

All Tuesday Evening Programs and Workshops held at San Pedro Presbyterian Church

14900 San Pedro Ave San Antonio TX 78232

Workshops will be held on Wednesday or Saturday

January 9	Program: Carrie Wikander - Trunk Show and Lecture about ombre fabrics, color design and how to take a piece from concept to design
	Website: thezenquilter.com
	NO WORKSHOP
February 13	Program: Fran Morgan - Fabric Café 3 yard quilts—Putting the Fun Back in Quilting!
	Website: www.theFabriccafe.com
	NO WORKSHOP
March 12	Program: Janet Plentl - Javibe Barn Quilts: Journey into Barn Quilts and Hill Country Quilt Trail
	Website: JaVibeBarnQuilts.com
March 13	Workshop: Barn quilt painting Cost: \$95.00
April 9	Program: Charity projects such as Help with stuffing breast cancer pillows. JoAnne Krepps brings all the supplies needed.
	NO WORKSHOP
May 14	Program: Gina Tell -Quilt Journey -On being a Long armer, Pattern designer (Teddy Tell), new Binding rulers
	Website: Thread-graffiti.com
	NO WORKSHOP
June 11	Program: Quilted Spaces
July 9	Program: Scarlett Today - Rosie Deleon-McCrady-Everything Redwork! Trunk Show of new and vintage redwork quilts.
	Website: redworkplus.com
	NO WORKSHOP
August 13	Program: Salad Potluck Dinner Bring your favorite dish to share with all!
	NO WORKSHOP
September 10	Program: Cyndi McChesney - Author of <u>Panel Palooza</u> , quilt shop owner, custom quilt maker, and quilt instructor
	Website: www.cedarridgequilting.com
September 11	Workshop: Panel Palooza Bring a panel you would like to work with-any style is great. Pre-washing is recommended. Cost \$35.00
October 8	Program: Cynthia England - England Designs - International fiber artist, pattern designer and author.
	Website: www.englanddesign.com
	Workshop: Picture Piecing Cost \$35.00
November 12	Program: Janella Macbeth - Author of <u>Scrapstashtic Quilts</u> , organizing your scrap stash
	Workshop: Scrapstashtic Series Cost \$35.00
December 10	Program: Christmas Party Potluck - Take the time for holiday fellowship with your quilty friends.

CHARITY

Quilters,

We had a very good charity month with the pillows. I took approximately 275 pillows to SLEW. The ladies were so excited to see me. They had a basket of 6 pillows left from last year. It really is a good feeling for me when I see our items being used and appreciated. In fact, they were getting ready to call us to see if we had any.

We will be getting kits ready and more pillowcases and cancer items for the guild to work on. Come to the back and see if I have anything you would like to work on.

Please, I am in need of quilters. Nothing fancy needs to be done. Simple stippling or just straight lines are fine.

Thanks for all the help
Joanne Krepps|
Charity Chair

MEMBERSHIP

There were 40 members present at the April 2024 meeting, with 2 guests and no new members. As of March 24, 2024, 85 (75%) out of 114 members have paid their dues for 2024. Please pay all unpaid 2024 dues as soon as possible.

Thank you,
Cindy McCord
Membership Chair

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.

Ann Wickholm—Recovering from health issue

Deborah Wilder and family—Loss of her husband

Mona Jones—Recovering from surgery

Phyllis Shaw—Continued recovery from health issues

Joanne's sister — Recovery from major surgery

The husband of another of Susan Hall's sisters is suffering health issues

Ellen Cook's Son—Health issues

Kathleen Dunn-Cane's Husband—Health Issues

Health and unity of our country

Members who are suffering in silence and may need encouragement with whatever is going on in their lives.

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

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

Dixie Bradbury, former member and owner of 7th Heaven Quilt Shop—has been moved into a memory care facility.



Trish Nicholson	3rd
Amalia Garza	11th
Susan Graham	14th
Stephanie Cady	16th
Tom Dickens	19th
Dawn Cochran	21st
Nancy Troyer	23rd
Heidi Hendry	28th

The image displays two identical posters stacked vertically. Each poster features the text 'We Out-teachers' in a playful, distressed font. The word 'We' is in red, 'Out' is in green, and '-teachers' is in brown. A small red heart is positioned at the end of the word 'teachers'. The background is white with faint, repeating watermarks of the word 'Shutterstock' and small square icons.

BULLETIN BOARD

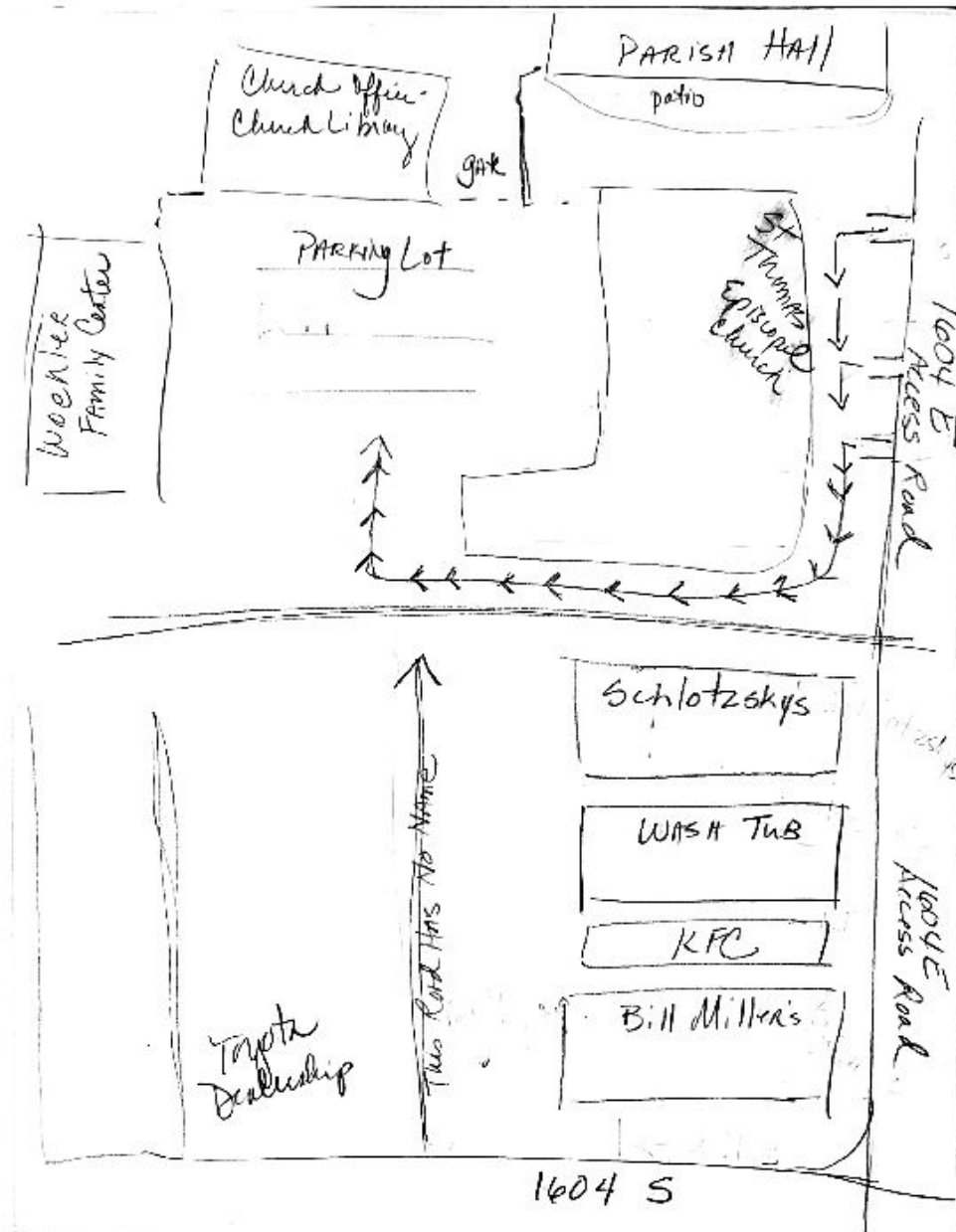


REMINDER - REMINDER—REMINDER

It's official, we will begin holding our monthly guild meetings at **St. Thomas Episcopal Church on April 9th**. Their address is **1416 North Loop 1604 East**, San Antonio, TX 78232. Our monthly meetings will be held in the **Parrish Hall**. When you enter the parking lot to the church from 1604 East take a left and follow the drive around to the side of the church. As you travel around the church you will see the **Woehler Family Center**. (A large two story building.) Please park in this lot facing the **Church Office and Church Library** located to the **right of the Woehler Family Center**. You will enter through the **gate** located on the right adjacent to the **Church Office and Church Library**. The gate is programed and will be open from 5:30 pm until 8:30 pm. After entering the gate follow the sidewalk and it will lead you straight to the **Parrish Hall** on your right. We will have guild members available to help you along the way. *** If you are traveling 281 South access road there is an entrance that leads directly into the parking lot described above. If you are not familiar with this area it is a little tricky to describe because the streets have no names. For the sake of simplicity I am not going to try to describe it today but will be very happy to explain on the 9th when we are all together. We are so excited to show off our new meeting location!

Make sure your fellow members and friends are aware of the new meeting place.

NEW MEETING LOCATION



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Quilters' Blogs and Other Resources

www.accuquilt.com

<https://www.quiltinghub.com/>

<https://jacquelynnesteves.com/>

www.thesplendidsampler.com

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

[Tips, Tricks, and Tuts Tuesday - Round Robin Quilts by Margie](#)

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/>

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

This is a short list of **YouTube Videos** where you can get inspiration, instructions and lots of free patterns. Just open the YouTube app and type in the names below and you will find hours and hours of fun!! Until we meet again....

Just Get it Done Quilts

Pat Sloan

Power Tools with Thread – fairly local

Sewspire – she makes bags, purses and organizers

Fat Quarter Shop

Laundry Basket Quilts

Quilt Addicts Anonymous

Vicki Lee Bags/ by Lynne- another bag maker

THE QUILT SHOW

Most of these videos also have Facebook, Instagram and Web pages to browse.

Treads of Love website is www.threadsoflovessa.org or you can call them at 210-279-1717.

<https://www.ifoundaquiltedheart.com/>

Quiltville.blogspot.com

I've been working on the above list and will continue to do so to make sure the websites are current, Thanks.

Ruth

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thought it was too
striking not to share.

Ruth

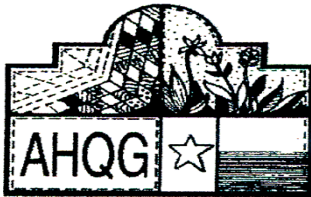
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ATTENTION:

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.

Meeting:

May 14th

Remember to bring your...

Name Tag
Library Books
Trading Post Items

Show and Tell Items
Charity Items

Please don't forget that Newsletter articles are due the 3rd of every month!

Thank You!

Ruth Ann Willey
Newsletter Editor



NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

Rates (Non-Members))

▶ Business card size	\$5.00
▶ Quarter page	\$10.00
▶ Half page	\$20.00
▶ Full page	\$40.00

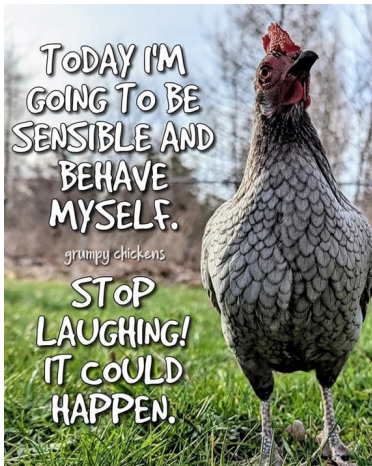
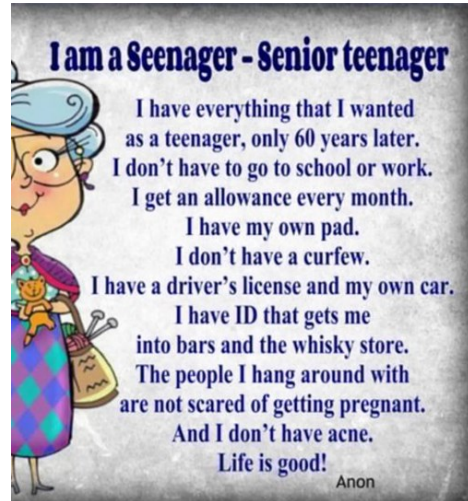
Deadline

1st of each month for current month's issue

Contact

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FUNNIES



Being a kid:

The children were lined up in the cafeteria of a Catholic elementary school for lunch,

At the head of the table was a large pile of apples. The nun made a note, and posted on the apple tray, "Take only one. God is watching."

Moving further along the lunch line, at the other end of the table was a large pile of chocolate chip cookies.

One child whispered to another, "Take all you want. God is watching the apples."

Being a quilter means:

Irons are not used on clothes

Talking about fat quarters is not offensive

Alone is a dream come true

Playing with blocks is not just for kids

Hoarding fabric is perfectly acceptable

Saying no to hemming pants is expected

I'm fat because I'm full of experiences. And most of those experiences took place at Mexican restaurants.

14 muscles are activated when you pour a cup of coffee. Fitness is my passion.



A word of thanks to those of you who post

Thanks