



GRANBURY QUILTERS GUILD NEWS

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2019 OFFICERS

- President:
Wendy Foist
- 1st VP:
Karen Alexander
- Programs-
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Glenda Marsh
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2019 COMMITTEE CHAIRS

- Block Exchange
Wanda Greene-
Community Service
Pam Frye &
Connie Scott
- Door Prizes
Betty Curbo &
Cheri Mayes
- Hospitality
Treva Starnes,
Betty Laljer
- Membership
Kathleen Little &
Kathy Tucker
- Newsletter
Joy Kelly
- Publicity
Lucy Esposito &
Kay Makens
- Retreat
Renee Prince
- Show n Tell
Dorothy Bard
- Sunshine & Shadow
Nancy Marstiller
- Webmaster
Joy Kelly

Pres Points.....

At the March meeting we heard the plans being formulated for our Fund Raiser in October, it is very exciting. A new venture for our Guild. We have to thank Renee and Nancy for their hard work.

We will be handing out the Members Directory the April meeting.

The April General meeting had to be rescheduled due to a conflict at the Coop. The meeting will be Monday, April 22nd at the Coop with refreshments at 6:30pm. April's program should be very interesting when Dan the Woodman speaks about the history of the sewing machine and antique quilts. He is also bringing his wooden creations to include ruler racks and quilt hangers. Please reserve the date on your calendar, April 22nd.

In May, the program will be presented by Bill and Nancy Pugh and is about incorporating panels into your quilts. It should be interesting.



Wendy Foist

Bringing Snacks for April Meeting

Joy Kelly—hors d'oeuvres
Nancy Marstiller—hors d'oeuvres
Kay Maykens
Ellen McDonald—Pigs in a Blanket
Wanda Greene
Tracy Rittenour—Chips & Dips
Nancy Gillenger—Dessert

Thank you ladies,
Treva Starnes

What To Bring: to Guild Meeting

- ⇒ Name Tag
- ⇒ \$\$\$ for Door Prize tickets

Easter Is a Time of Love

Easter is a time of love,
A time of death and pain undone,
So we may know the power of
The love that lives in each one.
Each love we feel, unstained and free,
Redeems us-as with you and me.

HAPPY EASTER.....



Block Exchange: We are continuing with this new block project. Our numbers are small but the blocks are beautiful! I can't wait to begin a design wall with my new treasures. Wanda Greene

Granbury Quilters Guild

March 18, 2019 Meeting

REMINDER: PLEASE REFRAIN from wearing any perfume, scented lotions, etc. due to members' allergies/asthma/smell sensitivities!

Call to order: by Pres Wendy Foist at 7pm

WELCOME: Membership: Kathleen Little & Kathy Tucker

45 members present / 1 visitor Cathy Kuykendall / 3 new members: Dee Norris, Helen Fielden, Karin Lewis

Previous meeting minutes approved as printed. Previous treasurer report approved as printed

MEMBERSHIP DOOR PRIZES: Connie Scott: Patti's Last Resort & Nancy Dillinger: Sew Krazee

ANNOUNCEMENTS/committee reports:

-directory will be available March 19 at 11am or call Wendy or pick up at April meeting (cost is \$4.96/directory). Due to cost, members are encouraged to think about how/if to print next year. Suggestions included print directory only since bylaws, etc. are available on website.

Motion made by Joy Kelly & 2nd by Kay Makens to pay the additional amount for printing directory required this year.

Approved by members

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

*The Raffle quilt is at the quilters. The binding is made and will be put on as soon as the quilt returns from the quilter. The sleeve must still be made.

*quilt show exhibition report from Renee Prince & Nancy Marstiller: Cynthia James, coordinator of Harvest Festival, has offered guild a booth (or 2) (10x10 for \$200/booth) on the square. Cynthia 'really wants us to come' as it gives the festival a 'new' offering at festival (which also means free advertisement, etc. for our guild) There is a possibility that guild would have access to a 'premium booth' to show our raffle quilt at 'Celebration Hall' although this possibility is still being considered. Sherry Sullivan moved, Cynthia Moates 2nd, & members voted to proceed with this plan (booth to sell quilts such as baby, wall hangings, table runners + celebration hall for raffle quilt & additional Quilts as allowed). Members need to commit to donating various completed quilted pieces no later than our August meeting; sign-up sheet circulated.

-Compass Centre Retreat: Renee Prince reported we currently have 21 signed up (35 spots available) for Aug 1-4 retreat; cost 3 nights: \$299.30; 2 nights: \$201.20

-Sherry Sullivan: report on her Kenya Mission Trip: 76 receiving blankets were taken; THANK YOU to all

-Block exchange: Wanda Greene, 'still time'

-Community Service: Pam Frye & Connie Scott: last month 32 quilts, dog bags, hats submitted; SAVE your Hobbs Batting UPC labels...turn these in as 10 are needed to get 2 rolls of batting from the Hobbs Waco facility for charity batting. The Board of Directors also approved adding Glen Rose Medical Center for charity lap/wheelchair quilts, etc.

Door Prizes: Virginia Pyles, Jeri Sharkey, Lucy Esposito, Reeva Rundell

Hospitality: Treva Starnes & Betty Laljer: signup sheet circulated for April & May

PUBLICITY: Lucy Esposito reports the Raffle Quilt was printed in the Hood County News; she will submit a monthly 'show 'n tell' photo for publication & to announce our meeting time/date.

Sunshine/Shadows: Nancy Marstiller: cards to Lou Bates & Lena Martinsson (who is recovering from surgery & would appreciate visits &/or cards/calls)

REMINDER: please remember to 'THANK' our local businesses who donate monthly to our door prizes; esp. Patti's Last Resort & Sew Krazee when you shop &/or visit their business!!

PROGRAM: beginning at 8:05pm Carol Morrissey: quilt inspirations including slide show presentation, quilts & postcard projects for workshop in AM. (she is featured in 'Quilt Show' Episode #1908 with Ricky Timms & Alex Anderson)

Meeting adjourned at 9:10pm

Minutes respectfully submitted by Glenda Marsh Secretary.

Granbury Quilter's Guild
 Monthly Treasurer's Report
 For the Month Ended March 31, 2019

BEGINNING CASH BALANCE - February 28, 2019 **\$ 9,911.85**

INCOME

<u>Date</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
03/18/19	Membership Dues	\$ 140.00
03/18/19	Member Retreat Deposits	849.30
03/19/19	March Workshop	315.00
03/29/19	Interest Earned From Bank	1.07
	TOTAL INCOME	\$ 1,305.37

EXPENSES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Check No.</u>	<u>Payable To</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
03/18/19	2120	Treva Starnes	Hospitality	\$ 12.83
03/18/19	2121	Joy Kelly	Postage for Newsletter	44.00
03/20/19	2122	Print One	Membership Books	318.75
03/20/19	2123	Carol Morrisey	Program	777.72
		TOTAL EXPENSES		\$ 1,153.30

ENDING CASH BALANCE - March 31, 2019 **10,063.92**

OUTSTANDING ITEMS

<u>Check No.</u>	<u>Payable To/Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
DEP	Membership Dues	\$ (140.00)
DEP	Member Retreat Deposits	(849.30)
DEP	March Workshop	(315.00)
2117	Treva Starnes	46.15
2120	Treva Starnes	12.83
2121	Joy Kelly	44.00
	TOTAL OUTSTANDING ITEMS	\$ (1,201.32)

RECONCILED BANK BALANCE **\$ 8,862.60**

	<u>2019</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>March</u> <u>2019</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>Remaining</u> <u>Budget</u>
Programs	3,400.00	(777.72)	(777.72)	2,622.28
Community Service	600.00	-	-	600.00
Membership	450.00	(318.75)	(351.08)	98.92
Newsletter	50.00	(44.00)	(44.00)	6.00
Hospitality	450.00	(12.83)	(58.98)	391.02
Sunshine & Shadow	400.00	-	-	400.00
Publicity	200.00	-	-	200.00
Quilt Show & Sale	1,125.00	-	-	1,125.00



Granbury Quilters' Guild meets on the third Monday of the month at 7 pm at the United Co-Op, 320 Fall Creek Hwy) Granbury. Membership is open to anyone interested in quilts and quilting. Annual Dues are \$25 per calendar year (+\$5 if newsletter can't be electronically sent monthly). Guests may attend two meetings before joining.

Newsletter Ad rates: Business card: \$5; 1/4 page: \$10; 1/2 page: \$20; Full page: \$30

Deadline is the first Monday of the month.

Contact: Joy Kelly at joykelly@charter.net or call 817-919-0467.

Membership

What a nice meeting Monday night—lots of conversations, sharing, helping, visiting and of course something everyone enjoys, sharing a meal together.

It doesn't matter what the weather is doing or will do, my plant-lings are going outside this week. I started moving them out of their winter quarters yesterday. I believe they need the cool breezes and the sunshine. I hope God sees it my way.

We had 45 members sign up Monday night. That's a good turn out for us.

Our brand new members, welcomed at the March meeting are Helen Fielden and Karin Lewis. Cathy Kuykendall was our only guest and she is from Granbury. With Helen and Karin and Dee Norris joining our membership, that brings our numbers up to 69.

I owe two ladies a huge apology: Reva Rundell and Martha Manuel. Their membership forms were in the folder to be given to Renee after I turned in the February newsletter article andI forgot. Again ladies I do apologize. I've included Reva's information here so that everyone can record it in your membership books. Reva Rundell; 6108 South Lakeside Hills Ct.; Granbury, TX 76048; husband Joe; cell 817-894-9347; email doublenotions@yahoo.net; yes to newsletter by email; birthday 4/9. And Martha's \$5 for the newsletter by snail mail has been paid.

Show and Tell was impressive as always! I was particularly taken with Renee's cow with it's huge, sweet face! And Lucy's gift of a beautiful and colorful bed quilt to a couple who lost....everything. They will be able to keep warm under this lovely quilt; a gift of loving support..Way to go Lucy!

The ladies who celebrate their birthdays in the lovely month of April in which we have the much anticipated arrival of Spring plus the joy of Easter, are noted, Jan Smith—2; Reva Rundall—9; Darlena Burnett—20; Lynne Schoenenman—29. Happy Birthday Ladies!

Helen Fielden 9610 Taxiway Dr; Granbury, 76049; husband Don; 817-279-1763; hfielden@charter.net; birthday 7/18

Karin Lewis 3110 White Horse Ct; Granbury, 76049; husband Ken; 432-230-3333; kklewis@sbcglobal.net; birthday 8/22

June Johnson has rejoined the guild; 9403 Monticello Dr; Granbury, 76049; 817-573-8685; birthday 10/16; newsletter by snail mail.

Respectfully, Kathleen Little

Show And Tell March 18, 2019

Sheri Sullivan	3 Pillow, Bag, seat belt
Wendy Foist	3 Charity Quilts
Kay Makens	T Shirt Quilt
Renee Prince	Texas Tech Walkabout Quilt, Low Abstractions Quilt
Debbie Daugherty	Wall Hanging and table runner
Nancy Marstiller	Bunny Family and 1 quilt
Nancy Gillinger	Quilt
Jeri Sharkey	Granddaughters Quilt
Cathy Kuykendall	2 quilts
Jan Smith	1 NICU quilt
Glenda Marsh	1 pillow/bug Quilt/10 pair of shorts
<i>Dorothy Bard, Show and Tell Coordina-</i>	

PROGRAMS and WORKSHOPS FOR 2019

April 15	Dan the Woodman
May 20	Using Panels
June 17	Pot Luck & Mercy Thread
July 15	TBA
August 19	Kits to Custom
September 16	Brazilian Embroidery
September 17	Brazilian Embroidery Workshop
October 21	Mini Schoolhouse
Date TBA	Beginners Workshop
November 18	Borders
November 19	Borders Workshop
December 16	Pot Luck & Homemade Ornament Exchange



Sunshine and Shadow Report for March

April.....The month for Easter this year. It is very late this year, so we hope you can hold off on wearing white pants, and those white Easter shoes! Remember that old wives tale? My name is Nancy Marstiller and I am your point of contact for the "Sunshine and Shadow" Committee for 2019.

Cards sent this past month include:

Lena Martensson – A "Get Well Card " along with a \$25.00 gift certificate to Sew Crazy was sent on March 15th. Lena was in the hospital having gall bladder surgery. She spent a week in re-hab, and is now back home.

Lou Bates – Brother passed away and a "Sympathy Card" was mailed on March 19th. Pam

Frye – She is undergoing some medical tests, so a "Thinking of You" card was mailed on March 19th.

Dee Norris – "Hope You Are Feeling Better Soon" card was sent on March 19th.

Nancy Marstiller – I did not send myself a card, but sure wanted to....my husband Bob has been jaundiced, and really sick for over month. He was sent to Baylor, Scott and White in Ft. Worth, and came home from the hospital this week.

If you know of someone in the Guild who has something to celebrate, or is need of a little cheer, and/or a few welcomed prayers, please let me know. **Thank you.**
My contact info is:

Nancy Marstiller
(512) 461-1461 phone and/or text
Email: nbmarstiller@gmail.com

Sunshine and Shadow



Community Service

March 2019 Donations

Brazos Pregnancy Center—1 CASA—6 Nursing Homes—12
Harris Hospital NICU Quilts—1 Hood County Children's Charity—1 TOTAL—21

Thanks for all you do!

Pam Frye & Connie Scott

Just as a reminder, the following are suggested sizes for our community service projects:

For Harris Texas Health Resources Neonatal units:

(Any and all sizes are greatly appreciated) Preemie quilts (can be pastel or bright colors) 18" square to 36" square. Soft cottons or flannel on top and backing. No batting is needed for quilts using flannel. No tied quilts for these tiny ones. No fleece is allowed in the hospital, as fleece can harbor germs even after washing. Isolette covers 36"x46" made with batting. According to the NICU Neonatal Supervisor, Stephanie Eidson, the quiet darker environment of a covered isolette help the babies sleep and grow better. Please give your completed items to Guild member, Jane Lane.



For CASA Babies and Children:

These are suggested finished lengths of the quilts for our CASA children. They are sized so they are about 10 inches longer than the average height of a child at that age. Children's quilts don't have to be fancy. Please make them in BRIGHT, CHILD APPROPRIATE FABRICS. They will be dragged around, machine washed and loved to pieces.

Newborn through 1: Up to 44" or 42" square — Age 2 through 4: 45" to 47" length (44-45" wide)
Age 4 through 6: 47" to 52" length (45-46" wide) — Age 7 through 8: 53" to 55" length (46-48" wide)
Age 9 through 10: 57" to 59" length (50" wide) — Age 11 and older: 62" length (50" wide)

The width of the quilts should be no more than 50" for the older kids. These quilts are just for loving and dragging around, not for their beds. These are approximate sizes. We frequently have children that are only one year apart in the same family, so it is nice if the 3-year-old child has a quilt that is smaller than a 4-year-old sibling, for example. We will happily accept any quilt, but these suggested sizes make it easier to have the right size and age appropriate quilt available.

Nursing Home/Veterans Throws and Wheelchair Quilts:

Suggested sizes for wheelchair 38"-40" wide by 40"-46" long and for lap 50"-55" wide by 60"-70" long. (However, we will find homes for any size you make.) We need patriotic quilts for veterans. Twin and larger size quilts will be used for disaster relief.

COMMUNITY SERVICE SLIP

Name: _____ Date: _____

Item: _____
(i.e. quilt, quilt top, blanket, dog bed, etc)

Date item donated: _____

Donated to: _____
(name of organization or individual)