



# GRANBURY QUILTERS' GUILD NEWS

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## 2022 OFFICERS

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## 2022 COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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Kathy Tingley  
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Quilt of Valor  
Kathy Cosand &  
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Door Prizes  
Karin Lewis &  
Tracy Rittenour  
Hospitality  
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Membership  
Jamie Skelton  
Newsletter  
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Spring Retreat  
Nancy Marsteller &  
Treva Starnes  
Fall Retreat  
Glenda Marsh &  
Joy Kelly  
Show n Tell  
Bonnie Rhoby  
Sunshine & Shadow  
Gail Olney &  
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Welcome Committee  
Mindy Drum,  
Lena Martensson &  
Sharen Gilleland  
Webmaster  
Joy Kelly

## President's Note . . .

Good Day Fellow Quilters,

It is August and the heat is still on. Some days when the temperature tops out at ONLY 100 I think we are having a nicer day than when the temps go well over 100. With being on water rationing our lawns are suffering from the extreme heat and lack of water. One of my neighbors said that their water bill was \$700 last month. I am leaning toward rocking in the areas that just die due to the lack of water. We are also losing shrubs. I am going to start looking at landscape idea from Arizona. Just need to change my paradigm when it comes to landscaping in this area.

Having to deal with the problems in my yard have made me aware of my need to change my paradigm about sewing. To be honest, I have no interest in making another bed quilt. There are so many ways to express my interest in working with fabric. There are lots of places to look for inspiration . Last month, during Show and Tell, Barbara Kile showed a beautiful wall hanging that had braiding on it. A couple of programs back there was a program on reimagining panels. So, I got out one of the panels in my stash. Instead of cutting it up for a throw I cut it up for place mats. I also did some braiding on them. I have made place mats in the past but they were plain and a single quilted design. I also go on line and look up quilters that have websites with a gallery. I do not want to stop creating projects with fabric but I am to a point that I want to do something other than piece a quilt top. I am so impressed with the beauty and quality of projects that are shown in our Show and Tell. I get lots of ideas each month. Our programs have really been interesting this year. Good job on a variety of ways to express our fabric art.

I hope that you have been as inspired as I have been this last year by our programs and the projects our fellow quilters show. In the next month the nomination committee will begin to meet to put together a slate of officers for next year. If they contact you please say yes. We have a talented and growing group of quilters. Please be willing to help us grow and be able to do more for our community.

*Linda Keithley, President*

### What To Bring:

- ⇒ Name Tag
- ⇒ Show N Tell
- ⇒ \$\$\$ for Door Prize tickets
- ⇒ Raffle ticket stubs & monies
- ⇒ Block of the Month
- ⇒ Hobbs UPC labels

Go to Facebook, Granbury Quilt Guild. Our Logo is in the lefthand corner and the profile picture is our 2019 raffle quilt. If you are on Facebook, LIKE our page!  
<https://www.facebook.com/granburyquiltguild/>



**Guild Meeting– Monday,  
August 15th 6:00pm  
@ United Co Op  
320 Fall Creek Hwy**

[www.granburyquiltguild.com](http://www.granburyquiltguild.com)

## Granbury Quilter's Guild Meeting July 18, 2022

President Linda Keithly called the meeting to order at 6:30.

35 in attendance, with 1 new member.

Program - "Christmas in July" was presented by member Brittney Megher. She patiently taught us how to make Christmas Ornaments for Harvest Moon. We had a fun and delightful workshop making ornaments. Those who did not complete the ornament were encouraged to complete at home and return to the next meeting. We were also encouraged to make more and bring to the August meeting. A "refresher" video can be found on YouTube: Video search; How to Make a Layered Christmas Tree Ornament | a Shabby FabricsTutorial

Winners of membership prizes awarded.

June secretary minutes and Treasurer report was accepted..

Door Prizes were awarded.

Community - Tracy Rittenour made dog bed covers for members to fill with fabric shreds/scrap. When filled and sewn closed, please return to her. Tracy will deliver to animal control.

Sunshine and Shadow - Gail Olney indicated no cards were sent in June. We were notified that a past member, Tricia Mosser, passed away.

Summer Quilt Guild Retreat - August 18-21st at Compass Center (just outside Waco in Mt Calm, TX). 21 members have signed up. We were reminded, do NOT arrive before noon.

BOM was won by Jamie Skelton. Next month's block is "Anything Goes!" Blocks should be 10.5". Please contact Kathy Tingley for any questions.

Quilt Show - Carolyn Sponsky needs vendors. Please let Carolyn know of any shops who may be interested in participating. She will send the necessary information.

Raffle Quilt - Postcards with picture and quilt information available for members to carry and show potential Raffle ticket buyers the beautiful quilt. Please see Gail Olney.

Volunteers are needed to visit various quilt guilds/clubs to display quilt and sell tickets. Many members have already volunteered.

Jewett Quilt Show - Applications for the show, September 30 - October 1 are available. Please see Linda Keithly if interested.

Quilts of Valor - Gail Olney and Linda Kiethley presented a Quilt of Valor to a Navy Veteran. Linda noted he was very grateful for the kindness, as he has been experiencing hard times. Tracy and Kathy are requesting patriotic string blocks, 10" square (on muslin). Quilt of Valor sew-in Thursday, July 21, at the Co-op from 9 am - 3 pm.

Quilts for Ukraine - Jamie Skelton's church will have a guest speaker from Ukraine, August 3. Please contact Jamie for time and details.

Ice Dyeing Fabric - Brittany Meaghar will have a workshop at her home Saturday, September 17, 10 am - 3pm. Registration form and details included in the newsletter.

Show & Tell presented - Fun and beautiful as usual! More quilts for Uvalde students have been donated. Meeting adjourned at 8:30

*Respectfully submitted by Suzi Johnson*

# Treasurer's Report

## July 31 2022



<b>Beginning Balance</b>		
Operating Account	\$ 1,854.67	
Savings Account	5,032.03	
<b>Total Checking/Savings</b>		<b>\$ 6,886.70</b>
<b>Revenues:</b>		
Raffle Ticket Sales	915.00	
Membership Dues	25.00	
<b>Total Revenues</b>		<b>\$ 960.00</b>
<b>Expenditures:</b>		
Harvest Moon Entry Fee	35.00	
Sunshine & Shadows	25.75	
Christmas in July	209.61	
<b>Total Expenditures</b>		<b>\$ 270.36</b>
<b>Ending Balance</b>		
Operating Account	2544.31	
Savings Account	5,032.03	
<b>Total Checking/Savings</b>		<b>\$ 7576.34</b>

## Membership Report

We had 35 members at our July Guild meeting. Thanks to each of you for getting out in the heat to attend the meeting. We had one new member: Karen Richhart. Her information is below to be added to your directory.

This months door prize winners were: Suzi Johnson ( Patti's Last Resort) and Bonnie Rhoby (Sew Much Love). Remember to thank them for their generosity when you go in to shop.

Karen Richhart, 1204 Bentwater Parkway, Granbury, 76049;

541-690 6948; [hawaiiitutuwahine@yahoo.com](mailto:hawaiiitutuwahine@yahoo.com); Terry; 7/6

Hope to see you at next month's guild meeting!

**Jamie Skelton** Membership Chairperson



### Sunshine and Shadow

Gail Olney - (972) 875-8304 and [flohmarkterin@yahoo.com](mailto:flohmarkterin@yahoo.com) and  
 Lisa Pinguelo - (925) 219-2224 and [golisa@mac.com](mailto:golisa@mac.com)

# JULY BLOCK OF THE MONTH

## AUGUST BLOCK—LEAVES

Make any 10" (10 1/2" raw) block. Using colors that match AND this leaf print provided. The photo is just an example. Make any block.

Please make sure your finished block measures 10 1/2". Can be pieced or applique. (More complicated than a four patch.)

The print is from Hobby Lobby called Leaves item 206868 (On the selvage reads 2021 Brother Siter Design Studio)

If you need a piece of this focus fabric ask Kathy Tingley 817-825-2320 to mail one. (You can repay the forever stamp at the meeting if you want to.)

Thanks,

*Kathy Tingley*



## Program Notes 2022

If you are interested in teaching something at a guild meeting, please feel free to reach out to me (Brittany) and I can get you on the schedule. Programs do not have to be long but we request something that is between 20-45 mins. I can even help with technology if need to help set up a PowerPoint or have a camera so people can see what you are doing. Please consider volunteering and help share your knowledge with your fellow members. Below is the program schedule for the next few months.

**August 15<sup>th</sup>: Why the 1/4 in. is sew important.**

**September 17<sup>th</sup>: Saturday Ice Dyeing workshop and luncheon (class size limited see registration form for more details).**

**September 19<sup>th</sup>: Ice dyeing results and possible workday for Harvest moon if needed.**

*Brittney Meagher* - 1st VP & Program Chairperson

## QUILTS OF VALOR

I have secured the United Coop Meeting room for the Quilts of Valor Committee the third Thursday of every month. 9:00 am til 3:00pm.

Thank you to all the members that have put squares together and help us get this group going!

*Kathy Cosand*



**Ice Dyeing Workshop**  
**Presented by Brittany Meagher**  
**Saturday September 17, 2022: 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.**  
**Location: Brittany's House**  
**Class limited to 8 students**

In this class we will be ice dyeing our own fabric. The cost of the workshop includes 1 yard of ready to dye fabric, all supplies needed to dye, and lunch. Please make sure you wear clothes you don't mind possibly getting dye on or that you have an apron to protect your clothes.

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**Ice Dyeing Workshop Registration**  
**(Please Print)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Dietary  
Requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

Brittany Meagher  
1204 Pala Dura Ct  
Granbury, TX 76048  
Phone: (817) 863-7887

E-mail: [BrittanyMeagher@gmail.com](mailto:BrittanyMeagher@gmail.com)

**REGISTRATION MUST BE POSTMARKED OR HAND DELIVERED**  
**AFTER July 18, 2022.**

**DEADLINE FOR REGISTERING IS September 10, 2022.**

Granbury Quilters' Guild meets on the third Monday of the month at 6:00 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 5th of every month.

**Contact:** Joy Kelly at [joykelly@charter.net](mailto:joykelly@charter.net) or call 817-919-0467.

# Community Service Committee (CSC)

## 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.

## **Quilts of Valor:**

60" x 80" with minimum of 55' x 65" and max of 72" x 90". Width of 55' - 72" and length of 65" - 90"

## **Nursing Home 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. Their eyes light up when they see them and appreciate their service being recognized.

Twin and larger size quilts will be used for disaster relief.

We recognize that Community Service donation quilts IS an important part of the Granbury Quilters Guild. Therefore, to help facilitate the process of charity quilts, we ask that all members submit their COMPLETED QUILTS of various sizes along with the donation slip (s) at the monthly meetings. The CSC will be responsible for the delivery of such quilts. Please designate on the contribution slip which agency CSC should deliver.

The charities we currently support & the designated contact person include:

Ada Carey Shelter for Women and Children: Jan Smith  
CASA—Court Appointed Special Advocates: Jan Smith  
Habitat for Humanity: Lou Bates  
Harris Hospital Neonatal unit: Jane Lane  
Local Granbury & Glen Rose nursing homes: CSC  
Quilts of Valor: Kathy Cosand and Annette Worthington

If your unable to quilt your own creation, you may contact one of our long arm quilters. Possible quilters include:

Lou Bates                      Darlena Burnett                      Donna Eyre  
Jamie Skelton                      Carolyn Sponsky

Please remember to save your HOBBS BATTING UPC labels from their batting packages. Our guild can order batting for charity projects at a discounted price through their facility in Waco. CSC will be responsible for picking up such batting in Waco.

Thank you for your continues participation in our charity quilts.

Carolyn Sponsky 817-776-2410—thomassponsky@yahoo.com



## 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)