

Quilters Guild of Plano, Inc.



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The President Says



This letter is going to be about **SAFETY** when sewing. We all have extension cords around our sewing machine and iron. Today we all seem to have an additional light attached to our machine. Well, what I would like for all of you to do is make sure the cords are out of your way when you are getting up and down. As I am sure all of you have heard by now I tripped over an extension cord that went to my additional light. I broke my knee in two places. I will be in a complete leg brace for 4 to 6 weeks with no driving. I'm sure you know how that puts a crimp in my life. I hope I will be able to go the December meeting but only time will tell. We always think this will not happen to me. I really don't think age had anything to do with the fall.

Let's talk about next year, it will be here before we know it. Tina is starting a new art quilt group. Maybe someone could start a modern quilt group (not really what is defined as a modern quilt). I really like the fact that there are members that are interested in something other than traditional. I must say I like it all but tend to like traditional. I would like to learn more about other quilt styles. If you have a group that you would like to start please let Tina or me know. Tina sends out the e-mails and can help get these groups together.

Hope to see everyone at the December meeting. It will be a "make and take" meeting as well as an opportunity to make personalized name tags. Donna will also be sharing about the speakers we have coming next year.

Thanks to everyone that helps on committees, at meetings, and those of you that do so much that we don't know about. We have a great guild because of our members.

MJ Fielek

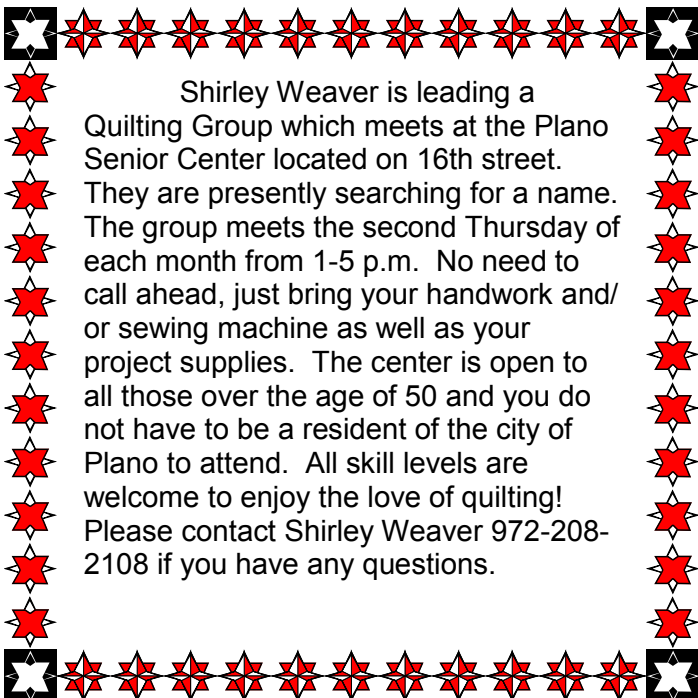


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Plano Senior Center Quilting Group—Shirley Weaver



Shirley Weaver is leading a Quilting Group which meets at the Plano Senior Center located on 16th street. They are presently searching for a name. The group meets the second Thursday of each month from 1-5 p.m. No need to call ahead, just bring your handwork and/or sewing machine as well as your project supplies. The center is open to all those over the age of 50 and you do not have to be a resident of the city of Plano to attend. All skill levels are welcome to enjoy the love of quilting! Please contact Shirley Weaver 972-208-2108 if you have any questions.

Do you have Christmas projects in need of quilting?

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taught by Eileen Urbanek

Jan 19 \$45 Pattern not included

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2012-2013 —*

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New Members—Dolores Williams

Wiant, Pat

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3416 Cross Bend Rd.
Plano, TX 75023

Home: 72-946-6750

Work:

Cell: 915-637-4825

Email: kandpwiant@gmail.com

Spouse: Ken

Birthday: 08/14

Joined: 2013

Small Groups:



Leathers, Leslie

Member Number: 786

4016 Hedgerow Drive
Plano, TX 75024

Home:

Work:

Cell: 828-400-3328

Email: leathers.leslie@gmail.com

Spouse: Tim

Birthday: 04/18

Joined: 2013

Small Groups:



Education News—Margaret Schafer

Good things are really beginning to happen in the Education Area. Shirley Weaver just started a new quilting class at the Plano Senior Center. Seven ladies attended the first day, and several more stopped by to see what they were doing. We are already scheduled for another “shapes” class with the students at the PISD Isaak Early Childhood Preschool in March with many more dates coming up for education opportunities. LaDawn Dalley continues to have great success with her work with the high school and college age Service Learning Group, and we are already working on the plans for our Quilt Plano 2013 quilting skills demonstrations.

We are really excited that so many of you have indicated an interest in serving in the education area. There will be an Education Committee Meeting on Thursday, January 24 (changed from the 17th as announced at the meeting) at 1:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Plano. If you have not received notice and would be interested in finding out more about our education plans for 2013, please join us for this meeting. More details will be available about the meeting at our January Guild meeting, or contact Margaret Schafer for more information. Just let Margaret know you are coming so she will have plenty of chairs set up. Her telephone and e-mail address are in our brand new directory.



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Minutes from November 8, 2012 - Julie Schaefer

Guild President, MJ Fielek called the meeting of the Quilters Guild of Plano to order at 7:00 p.m. All members and guests were welcomed and asked to please turn off their cell phones. MJ reminded members that the "Have a Cup Friday" would be on Friday the 16th of this month at 10:00 at the La Madeleine's Café on the corner of 15th and 75. Everyone is welcome. The next general meeting will be December 13th at Parkway Hills Baptist Church with the business meeting starting at 7:00 p.m.

There were no changes, deletions and/or additions to the Treasurer's report or the Secretary's Minutes. Both were accepted as written in the Newsletter.

Committee Reports:

Community Service: Terri Mendelow reported on the donations during this last month. LaDawn Dalley reported that she had already given 647 stockings to the Soldier's Angels for service families here and overseas. She will continue to take completed stockings and stocking stuffers (adult and child items/package food) through the December general meeting on December 13th. She also needs flannel fabric for the Service Learning students.

Education: Margaret Schafer reported that Shirley Weaver was starting a quilting group for senior sewers at the Plano Senior Center. Class presentation at Isaacs Elementary is set for January. Starting on January 17th there will be an

Education workshop and meeting.

Quilt Plano 2013: Pam Walsh will be Kemberly's assistant for this year and then she will be the show chair in 2014. Pam is retiring as treasurer so now this position is open.

TAQG: Next TAQG meeting will be on the 27th in Lewisville. The committee sharing groups will be on the issue of Programs.

Membership: Kaye Dunn and Dolores Williams reported there were 73 members present with two new members (Pat Wiant and Leslie Leathers). There were 6 visitors – Terri Vogds, Emily Dobbs, Lisa Terry, Teena Broadhead, Karen Russell and Donna Demby.

Door prizes were given.

Nine Patch Report: Debbie Seher reminded members to make nine-patch blocks. We need at least 100 to send to Gayle Thurston.

Guild Activities: Jo Ann Hudgins informed the members that there would be a Guild Challenge this year instead of the Block of the Month program. There will also be individual nametags for members next meeting.

Show and Tell: Dee Ann McFarlin lead the Show and Tell with Suzy Boyle, Barb Root, Pamela McReynolds showing their recent completed quilts and vests for Pamela.

The business meeting was adjourned so the program by Ellen Ann Eddy could be presented.

December Birthdays—Dolores Williams

Jill Isakson	12/07
Sherry Kelly	12/10
Kemberly Wilshire	12/10
Emily Armstrong	12/11
Julia Haun	12/11
Lyn Jennings	12/12
Paula Washler	12/14



Jerri Penney	12/15
Judy Williamson	12/19
Mickie Warrington	12/20
Aurora Chancy	12/22
Sharon Schenke	12/23
Donna Lobelson	12/24
Kaye Dunn	12/27



*Board Meeting Minutes
November 5, 2012—Julie Schaefer*

MJ Fielek, Guild President, called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. at Tino's Restaurant. The next Board meeting will be December 10, 2012 beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Collin Creek Mall Tino's Restaurant. Those wanting to eat first should arrive early.

Issues discussed:

- Allocating monies from alley sale and sewing machine sale.
- Guild having well known speakers for November and January meetings.
- Directory has been printed and ready for distribution.
- Shirley Weaver set up informal classes at Plano Senior Center.
- Debbie Skorepa needs help in tracing blocks for coloring and red work.
- Guild Challenge is taking the place of the Block of the Month Program.
- Font has been changed on Guild official stationery.
- Quilt Plano 2013 meeting at 6:30 November 26th at Kemberly Wilshire's home. Pam Walsh will be Show Chair for 2014.
- TAQG monthly meeting in Lewisville the 27th.

Those in attendance:

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| Aurora Chancy | Julie Schaefer |
| Tina Connolly | Debbie Seher |
| Kaye Dunn | Debbie Skorepa |
| MJ Fielek | Pam Walsh |
| Jo Ann Hudgins | Mickie Warrington |
| Donna Lobelson | Shirley Weaver |
| Terri Mendelow | Dolores Williams |
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October 2012—Donna Petrick*

Bank Balance 9/30/12 58,629.23

INFLOWS

Adm Cash Donations	303.10
Membership fees	1,075.00
Membership late fees	28.00
Workshop Income	690.00
Quilt Show products	189.38
Quilt Show Deposits Sponsors	600.00
Retreat fee collected	355.00
Sales Tax collected	15.62
TOTAL INFLOWS	<u>3,156.10</u>

OUTFLOWS

Adm CPA Expense	95.00
Education Supplies	86.83
Program facilities rent	50.00
Workshop facilities rent	75.00
Quilt Show Exp-Postage	28.98
Quilt Show Exp-Printing	58.99
Quilt Show Exp-affle Quilt	800.00
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	<u>2,764.80</u>

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Bank Balances	9/30/12	10/31/12
Operating Acct	29,511.55	29,902.85
Money Market Acct	<u>29,117.68</u>	<u>29,117.68</u>
	58,629.23	59,020.53

Have a Cup Friday

Have a Cup Friday

We will resume on January 18.

We meet at 10 a.m. at La Madeleine on 15th near 75 in Plano. Come join us for a cup of tea or coffee and conversation.

This is a come and go monthly event designed to get to know our new members and each other better.

Community Service—Terri Mendelow

It is so hard to believe the holidays are upon us! I have stacks of quilts to deliver, thanks to all your hard work. In November you turned in 26 completed quilts, 7 quilts to be bound, 10 tops, 3 cuddle quilts and 2 huggies. Six afghans were also given to Community Service in November. Also, thank you for turning in the finished Christmas quilts that I will soon deliver.

In November, the first delivery of 9 quilts was made to the PISD School Age Parent Program. I know they will be greatly appreciated by the students and their program mentors.

If you still have Christmas quilts or stockings, please turn them in at the December guild meeting so they can be delivered in time for the holidays.

The 2nd Tuesday Sit and Sew will not have a regular meeting in December. We will

resume our regular sew day on January 8, 2013, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Plano Sewing Center. If you would like to join us for fun and a good cause, please contact Karen Christoffer at: karen.christoffer@tx.rr.com so she can plan a seat and a kit for you to sew. If you prefer not to sew, but would like to come, we can always use people to iron.

Remember to record your guild service hours, including travel time, in the Service Hours Log at the guild meetings or other events. You may be eligible for guild recognition awards or the Presidential Volunteer Award depending on the number of hours you work for the guild.

Finally, I wish everyone a peace-filled, safe and happy Christmas and Holidays. Thank you for all your support for Community Service.

Programs—Donna Lobelson

I apologize for the technical difficulties at November's meeting. I really did test it at home the week before the meeting and it worked. I haven't taken the time to determine what caused the problem, but will before next month.

December is the guild holiday party featuring snacks and a "make and take". Be prepared to have some fun.

I also have two requests; first if you have any Texas fabric could you bring a small piece to the December meeting for Sherrill Lewis. You know Sherrill from The Bead Ranch as a vender at our show. She also presented a program on crazy quilting last January. She has agreed to make another mini crazy quilt for the show auction and requested Texas fabric to add to it.

The second request

involves next year's Programs. I would like each of you to do a little on line research about our upcoming guests. There may be a quiz.

2013

JANUARY – Barbara Olson

FEBRUARY – Sally Ashbacher

MARCH – Brenda Jeschke

April – Karen Eckmeier

MAY – Kathy Dunigan

JUNE – Pat Sloan

JULY – Community Service

AUGUST – Show Preview Night

SEPTEMBER – Harriet
Hargrave

OCTOBER - Trish Stuart

NOVEMBER – Lenore

Crawford

DECEMBER 12 –

Christmas Party





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December 13th

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**SOCIAL TIME—6:30 p.m.—MEETING TIME-7:00 p.m.
(Only board members will be admitted before 6:30 p.m.)**

