

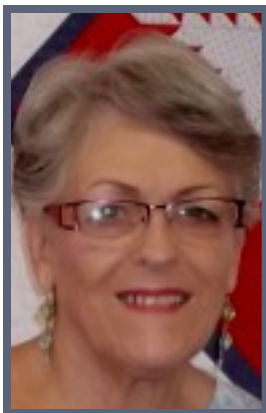
Quilters Guild of Plano, Inc.



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THE PRESIDENT SAYS



First I want to thank all the members that replied to the urgent e-mail about volunteering at the quilt show. The response was great. It just shows that if you explain the needs of the guild to the members, they always step up and fill the needs. We really do have a great guild and great members.

I am still working on quilts that I entered into the show. I hope to get them all done by the end of July. I know everyone is busy working on their quilts.

Don't forget to sell the raffle tickets for our donation quilt. This is one of the money makers for the guild. The monies that we make on the mini quilts, raffle quilt and the ticket sales at the show is how we pay for all the great speakers that we have at meetings. If you did not pick up your tickets please plan on purchasing them at the show.

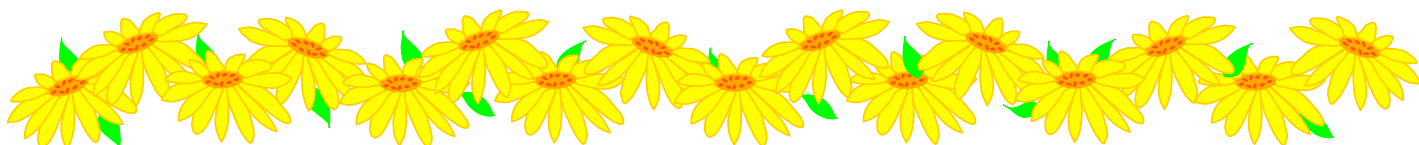
Congratulation to Jill Isakson for having a quilt accepted in the Houston International Quilt Show.

Don't forget that our next meeting is the Preview Night at the quilt show. This is when all members get to see the show with their family. Most members will be working the show both days and will not have time to look at all the wonderful quilts. See you at the show!

HAPPY QUILTING
M J Fielek, President

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Visit our website at: www.quiltersguildofplano.org

AUGUST—Quilt Plano 2013 Preview Night

**SEPTEMBER—Speaker
Harriett Hargrave**

Harriett will be teaching at Happiness is Quilting in McKinney on September 10th, 11th, 12th, & 13th. Look at Happiness ad on page 7 to see details.



**OCTOBER—Speaker
Trish Stuart**

___ Friday Oct 11
Workshop,

“Paint A Landscape”—

I have heard from so many people that they can not create art work that is painted because they have no ability. Well

learn this simple method and I will SHOW you how to create this landscape. Then take the same concepts to create any other image at your leisure. The process is learned in three hours as you work on the landscape. The rest of the day is spent completing the painted landscape as I assist anyone with questions or problems. YOU CAN DO THIS! It's almost paint by number easy. Learn the basics in this workshop. Full day workshop for ANY skill level.

___ Saturday Oct 12 Workshop: **“It's a New Day”**

**NOVEMBER—Speaker
Lenore Crawford**

___ Friday Nov 15
Workshop: **“Shredded Fabric Art Quilts”**

___ Saturday November 16 Workshop: **“Create Your Own Flower from a Photo”**



DECEMBER—

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope to receive the supply lists via USPS. Supply lists may also be printed from the website. Your telephone number and email are particularly important so we can reach you in the event of any last minute changes.

Workshops Fees:

\$40/day for members, \$50/day for non-members
Hours: 9 a.m.—4:30 p.m., doors open at 8:30 for setup
Location: Parkway Hills Baptist Church
2700 Dallas Parkway, Plano, Texas 75093

Member Bonus!!

Advance Registration and Multi-day Discounts

Prepayment of registrations received 35 days prior to the scheduled event, entitles enrollees to take a \$5.00 discount with each prepaid workshop. If you take both days offered by the instructor you may take an additional \$5.00 discount. Members can take two days of classes from a national teacher for \$65.00.

See the guild website at www.quiltersguildofplano.org and go to the *Upcoming Events* page for more information. Fees are refundable only in the event the speaker cancels her appearance. Questions may be directed to the workshop coordinator. Refer to our website for current email.

Name: _____
Address: _____
City and Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____

Bring Completed Form to a Meeting, or mail to: Donna Lobelson, 18828 Haddington Lane, Dallas, TX 75287

COMMUNITY SERVICE—TERRI MENDELOW

Community Service made a donation of 15 quilts to West, Texas in July for the victims of the terrible fertilizer plant explosion. After tracking the donation site, my husband and I drove down to take the quilts to the West Long Term Recovery Center. It was a good feeling to know some of our quilts will assist some of the people of West.

A delivery was also made to My Friend's House, where I met the two volunteers who had made the quilt top for their silent auction and fund raiser being held on September 7, for their founding agency, City House. Our guild had agreed to assist them with backing, batting and quilting. Because the quilt top was made with micro-suede and beaded trimmings, it required special handling. Fortune was with me, as I had seen Richard Larsen in an appliqué class. I asked him about the quilting needed for the top. Richard advised me to contact him if there were any problems. After some discussions with another generous quilter, we decided we needed Richard. He was very gracious in accepting this task for the guild and for City House. Thank you, Richard!

At the July meeting there were 18 quilts, 5 tops, and 2 cuddles turned in. The meeting was the Christmas in July program and members sewed Christmas stockings for the Soldiers Angels program. There will be more stockings available at the Community Service

table between now and November. We need all stockings back by the November meeting so they can be distributed to Soldiers Angels and out to our service men, women and families by Christmas. Thank you all for your participation. Also, thank you to Julie Schaefer for filling in for me while I was out of town.

The next Community Service Sit & Sew will be on August 13, from 10-3 p.m. This will be the Tuesday after the Quilt Plano show. Please join us and bring your sewing machine and supplies. Pre-cut kits will be available for us to sew a quilt top. We meet at the Plano Sewing Center at Custer and Spring Creek Parkway. Contact Karen Christoffer at karen.christoffer@tx.rr.com so she can have a space and a kit for you.

Your service hours to the guild are valuable in helping the guild function and will earn you service award pins, including the Presidential Volunteer Award. Please keep track of your hours and put them in the Log Book, at the Community Service table, or email them to Julie Schaefer at juliescha@sbcglobal.net.

Thank you to all who donate your time and talents and supplies to Community Service!

DRAWING FOR THE RAFFLE QUILT WINNER

The drawing for this year's raffle quilt winner will be done on Sunday at 3 p.m. Yes, that is after the show has closed—there was a misprint in the printing of the show materials so the drawing must be in compliance with what is publicized. The winner will be notified.

Raffle tickets are currently available and can be purchased throughout the show.



We held our second Junior Quilting Group Class at the Texas Quilter on Saturday, July 20, and we had a great time. The junior quilters have already done a traditional nine-patch block as well as crayon block butterfly. This month they were able to embellish the butterfly block with embroidery and glitter paint. A good time was had by all. Our next Junior Quilting Class will be on Saturday, August 17. We are so grateful to the Texas Quilter for allowing us to use their classroom for the Junior Quilters of the QGP. Please remember to thank them for all of us for their generosity in opening their doors to us on several occasions for meetings and classes. We need to appreciate and support all of our quilt shops. We could not do without them.

We are all, of course, looking forward to Quilt Plano 2013, and none more than the Education Committee. We will have the children's area which is always popular. We are also working hard to have a great group of demonstrations for our quilt show visitors. All the volunteers who are doing this are just the greatest! We have had to drop a few demos due to inability of some of the instructors to be there, but we do have two great days planned. If you have a few minutes free during the quilt show, be sure to drop in to the Northbrook Room to see

our demos. Shhhhh...be quiet though; we do not want to disturb the classes in progress.

The next meeting of the Education Committee will be coming up on Thursday afternoon, September 19 at 1 p.m. You will hear more about this later, but our meetings are always open to any guild member who is interested in Education. We are losing two of our committee chairs in Education. Debbie Skorepa who has been so active with the children's activities for so many years is resigning due to a work schedule commitment. Shirley Weaver who has conducted several of the activities for senior adults is moving to Georgia. We are looking for replacements for these two ladies, so if you have an interest in either area and would like to serve on the Education Committee, please let us know.

Our next big event after the quilt show will be the Plano International Festival which is held in Haggard Park every October. You will be hearing more about this in the weeks to come. The Festival is scheduled for Saturday, October 5, 2013 from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. We hope you will plan to participate in our children's booth during the festival. See you at Quilt Plano 2013.



MEMBERSHIP—DOLORES WILLIAMS

Its Quilt Show time which means it is getting close to renewal time. The membership form is on the web. I will also have forms at the Preview Night meeting and at the Quilt Show.

Last year we changed the directory to one-page-per-person, which allows us to only update the directory pages that have changes. If you have no changes from last year, your page will not be reprinted. I would still like to have a form filled out just to verify that the information I have is correct. There will be a camera person at the show so you can get your picture taken if you have not done so yet. It is very helpful to be able to match names to faces. It is helping us get to know each other. So please, please, if you do not have your photo in the directory, have your picture taken at the quilt show.

JULY BOARD MEETING MINUTES JULIE SCHAEFER

MJ Fielek, Guild President, called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. at Fabric Fanatics. The **next board meeting** will be **Monday July 29, 2013** beginning at **1:30 p.m.** in the classroom of Fabric Fanatics.

Issues discussed:

- Acquiring a Guild credit card.
- Budget was sent to Board members as information. The Show budget is in good shape.
- Junior quilt group is wonderful.
- Quilts were delivered to West, TX; Pamela McReynolds will quilt the City House fund raising quilt.
- There are now 228 members in the Guild. Nomination list has been prepared.
- Programs for next 3 months are set to go.
- There are 275 entry quilts for Show. A motion was presented by Donna Petrick that, "Kemberly Wilshire has approval to purchase needed materials to make shelving in the storage facility on Coit." Margaret Schafer seconded the motion and it was passed with acclimation. We presently have August 15th and 16th of 2014 for the next Show dates. Only 75 of over 200 members have picked up their raffle tickets.
- Granbury will have their raffle quilt at the July general meeting.

Adjourned at 2:22 p.m.

Those in attendance:

MJ Fielek	Julie Schaefer
Donna Lobelson	Pam Walsh
Terri Mendelow	Mickie Warrington
Donna Petrick	Dolores Williams
Margaret Schafer	Kemberly Wilshire

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Sept. 12 & 13
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COMMON THREADS AD RATES

Half Page:	Quarter Page:	Business card:
1 month = \$40	1 month = \$25	1 month = \$15
3 months = \$90	3 months = \$60	3 months = \$35

Please make ads in "jpg" files and email to Mickie Warrington at media@quiltersgroupofplano.org—
quiltersguildofplano.org

EMAIL CHANGE—DOLORES WILLIAMS

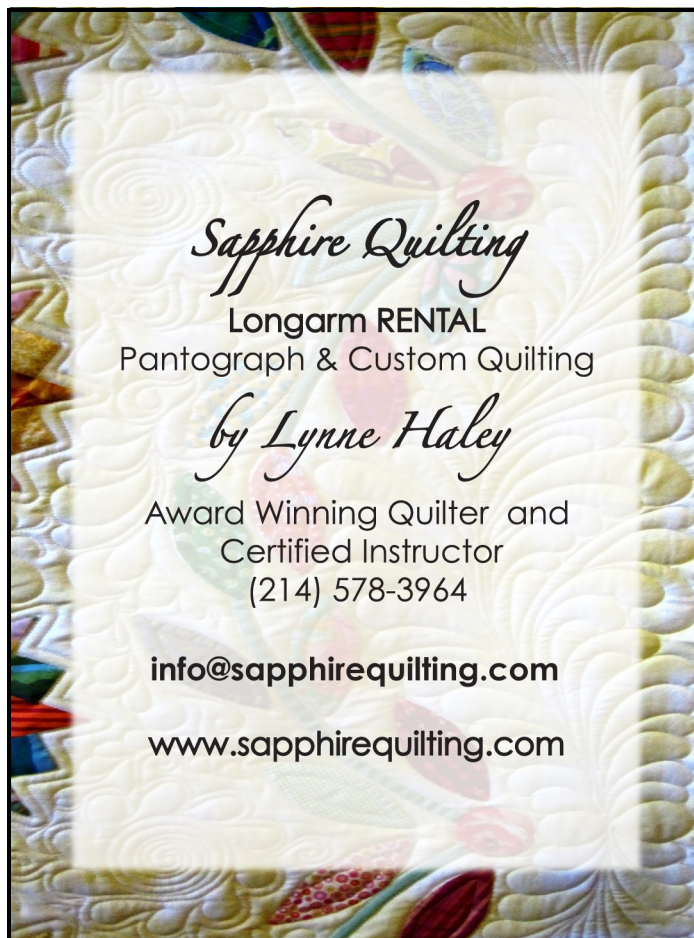
Stephanie Hanson	Mbr. # 819
206 South Bass	Birthday: 02/04
McKinney, TX 75069	Home: 972-548-9560
Small Group: Sit and Sew	
Email: shanson.54@gmail.com	

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Christine Myers Mbr. #825
 2147 Crow Bridge Drive, Spouse: Mark
 Frisco, TX 75034 DOB: 12/31
 Home #: 214-918-1821
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Diana Harvey Mbr. #826
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 Cell #: 214-793-8832
 Email: dgh55glh@verizon.net



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS— DOLORES WILLIAMS

Susan Mankus	08/02
Joellen Brill	08/03
Linda Wilson	08/03
Sandy Buttine	08/05
Lorraine Morse	08/07
Alex Bradley	08/09
Renee Baron	08/10
Lizabeth Dougherty	08/12
Mary Bishop	08/13
Pat Dashner	08/13
Julia Hirsch	08/14
Ruth Shriner	08/14
Cindy Vance	08/14
Pat Wiant	08/14
Pam Wingate	08/18
Lynn Fritsche	08/19
Patricia Kopeck	08/22
Lut DeMeulder	08/23
Mary Francis O'Neil	08/25
Fran Buckaloo	08/26
Jo Ann Hudgins	08/27
Charlotte Kieliszek	08/27
Christine Cessnun	08/30
Karen Christoffer	08/30



Lenore Crawford will be our speaker in November. Above is one of her many show quilts that appears on her web site. She will be having a workshop on Friday, November 15 and Saturday, November 16.

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES—JULY 10TH—JULIE SCHAEFER

Guild President, MJ Fielek called the meeting of the Quilters Guild of Plano, Inc. to order at 7:00 p.m. at the Parkway Hills Baptist Church. The minutes and treasurer's report of June 13th were approved as published in the July newsletter.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Education: Margaret Schafer still needs some skill sets to be taught at the Show: Paper Piecing, Flying Geese, Fusible Appliqué.

Membership: There were 59 members present, 3 new members (Diana Harvey, Mooi Liel, Christine Myers) and 3 visitors (Elaine Dalley, Karlotte Watts, Lori Hutyra). Shirley Weaver is moving to Georgia and we need 100 nine-patch blocks. Directions for making them are in the Directory.

Door Prizes: There were 15 total donated door prizes from: Minding My P's & Q's—Denton; Quilters Connection—Dallas; Quilt Country—Lewisville; Alford Inn Quilt Shoppe—Van Alystene; The Quilt Asylum—McKinney; Quilt Ideas—Plano; Blue Ribbon Quilt Shoppe—Wylie; Stitched With Love—McKinney; Lone Star Heritage Quilt Guild—Sulpher Springs; The Texas Quilter—Plano; Happiness is Quilting—McKinney; Sew Lets Quilt It—Dallas; Thomas Sewing Center—Mesquite; 2 from the Quilters Guild of Plano.

TAAG: Rally Day is this upcoming Saturday.

Block of the Month: The three members presenting their Block of the Month were: Kay Dunn, Aggie Meszaros and Marti Crouch.

Retreat: The site at Mitchell's Resort and RV Park in Perrin, TX is handicap available.

Media: Any information for the August (next) newsletter should be given to Pat Fowler by Friday the 19th.

Quilt Plano 2013: Pam Walsh will be selling tickets for meals at the Show for \$15.00 per meal until August 1st. Saturday our Raffle Quilt will be going to the TAQG Rally Day. The last meeting for the Show Committee members will be on Monday the 15th at 6:30. Kemberly needs a truck for the Show. Please have your husbands sign up to volunteer at the show for security. There are many members that haven't picked up their raffle tickets; please pick them up so that we won't have to mail them to you. More mini quilts were donated for the Mini Quilt Auction at the Show. The more that we sell the more money we have to put into the budget for next year.

OLD BUSINESS (cont.): Have a Cup with MJ at La Madeleine's at 15th and 75, will be on Friday July 19th at 10:00. Both new and old members are invited.

New business was called for but none was entered.

Show and Tell: Dee Ann McFarlin facilitated the following people with their finished (or soon to be finished) quilts: LaDawn Dalley—a wedding quilt; Victoria Wilshire—"Twilight Sparkle"; Lynette Dalley, Elaine Dalley and Karlotte Watts—"Lois and Clark"; Lynette Dalley—"Navy Seal".

The business meeting was adjourned at 7:39. The remainder of the meeting was spent in sewing Christmas Stockings to be given to Soldiers Angels.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 20 - 22, 2013

Friday & Saturday 10-5
Sunday 11-4

21ST CENTURY QUILTING TRADITION WITH A TWIST

Trinity Valley Quilters' Guild of Fort Worth
31st Annual Quilt Show

Amon Carter Exhibit Hall-Will Rogers Complex
Fort Worth, Texas

SEPTEMBER 27 & 28, 2013

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

BUSY BEE QUILT SHOW

Community Building,
Schmittou Rd at FM Road #2127
Post Oak, Texas

Directions: Post Oak (in Jack County) is located
off FM Road #2127 between Jacksboro & Bowie
(off Hwy 59) or between Jacksboro & Henrietta
(off Hwy 148)

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14995 Post Oak Road, Bowie, TX 76230-8242

Phone: (940) 567-2771

E-mail: busybees@postoakquilters.com

October 4-5 2013

Friday 10 a.m.—6 p.m. &
Saturday 10 a.m.—5 p.m.

GRANBURY QUILTERS GUILD SHOW

"Heritage on the Brazos"

Admission \$5 with can of food
or \$6 without can

Somervell County Expo Center
202 Bo Gibbs Blvd- Hwy 67
Glen Rose, TX

For info contact

info@granburyquiltguild.com

www.GranburyQuiltGuild.com

CASH FLOW COMPARISON JUNE 2013—DONNA PETRICK

Bank Balance 5/31/13	60,615.51
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INFLOWS

Bank Interest	1.12
Community Service Donation	150.00
Membership Guest Fees	85.00
Membership Dues	320.00
Membership Products	18.48
Workshop Income	65.00
Raffle Ticket Sales	274.00
Registration Fees	966.00
Program Ads	75.00
Retreat Fees Collected	1,360.00
Sales Tax	1.52
Vendor Booth Income	<u>1,009.00</u>
TOTAL INFLOWS	4,325.12

OUTFLOWS

Administration PO Box Rental	118.00
Administrative TAQG Rally Day	461.00
Community Service Moving Expenses	422.56
Community Service Quilt Supplies	292.74
Media Website Expense	94.40
Speaker Lecture	650.00
Speaker Travel Expense	325.00
Quilt Show Awards Expense	12.50
Quilt Show Facility Rent	8,600.00
Quilt Show Printing	120.78
Quilt Show Publicity	100.00
Quilt Show Registration Expense	<u>53.95</u>
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	<u>11,251.93</u>

Bank Balance 5/31/13	53,688.70
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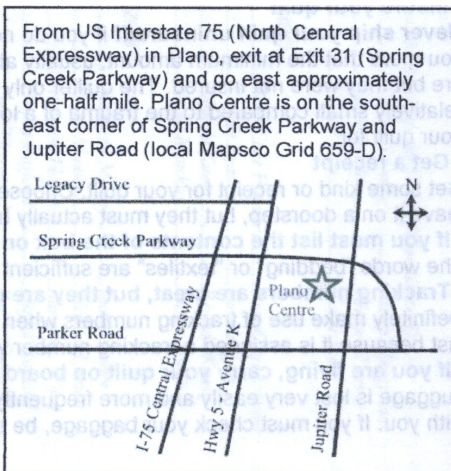
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	<u>60,615.51</u>	<u>53,688.70</u>



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Map to the Plano Centre



QUILTERS GUILD OF PLANO

Presents

“Quilt Plano 2013 Preview Night”

August 8th, 2013

7:00 — 9:00 p.m.

PLANO CIVIC CENTRE
2000 East Spring Creek Parkway
Plano, TX 75074

