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Quilters Guild

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March Meeting Photos



The President Says ...

It feels like Spring! And this time of year and the wonderful flowers that bloom have inspired so many quilt designs. I've known so many quilters that also love to garden or are even Master Gardeners that they seem to go hand in hand.

Spring also means that our kick off meeting for Quilt Plano 2017 is just around the corner and summer will be here before we know it! Volunteering for the show is such a good way to get to know other guild members and create some wonderful memories. If you're not sure what to volunteer for, you'll find out more at the May Guild Meeting.

Congratulations to Linda Chappell, winner of the special door prize last meeting – a complimentary registration for the Ricky Tims Quilt Luminarium coming up in May. Linda will have to let those of us that will not be able to attend know how it goes.

Hope you didn't miss the One-Yard Rip-Off at our last meeting, it was so much fun! Thanks, Janet Plotkin for so many creative ideas. Can't wait to see what everyone makes from all the Polka-Dot fabrics!

Pam Wingate,
Guild President



Our Next Meeting
Rose-Clair Fletcher
"Portraits in Thread
and Pencils"
Thursday, Apr 13 6:45 pm
Hunters Glen Baptist Church
4100 Custer Road
See map on page 13



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April 2017

VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT: www.qgplano.org

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Quilters Guild of Plano

COMMON THREADS

Programs

Join us on Thursday, April 13th to hear our own guild member, Rose-Clair Fletcher. She will speak on **Portraits in Thread and Pencils**.

Rose-Clair has provided biographic information below:

"I was born in Tulsa, Oklahoma, and came to Texas when my husband left the Air Force in 1988. I have a Bachelor's Degree in Art Education and an Associate Degree in Graphic Design.

"When I was little I watched my grandmother sew on her treadle sewing machine. She could look at a picture of a dress in the Sears Catalog and sit down and make it. I started sewing as soon as I could pick up a needle and not stab myself. I quilted a few things after having kids, but believe me, they were nothing to get excited about!

"Then my son Todd married Tiffany, the daughter of Linda V. Taylor of Linda's Electric Quilters, which introduced me to "real" quilting. (I have been working at LEQ since 2007 as a graphic designer, designing ads, newsletters, digitizing patterns, and making some of my own.)

"A friend of mine introduced me to Art Quilts, and I really enjoy making them. At first I made quilts based on a theme - "Cinderella's Night at The Ball," "Robin Hood," and "The Princess and the Pea." They took so long to make - 2½ years for Cinderella - that I wanted to make some that would not take as long so I could make more than a hand full in the next 10 years. I then tried portrait quilts, which I love and have been doing ever since.



"I'm also a member of Art Quilters of Plano, which is a part of the Quilters Guild of Plano. You can see our display at the Quilt Plano Show. I believe I joined the Quilters Guild of Plano in 2004. I enjoy making the graphics for ads, designing show T-Shirts and pins for the Guild. I also love the friendship of the members and small groups and classes."

Those who attended last month's meeting saw Rose-Clair's beautiful quilts. On Saturday, April 15th, Rose-Clair will offer a workshop on **Portraits in Thread and Pencils**.

Our **May** meeting will be the **Quilt Show Roll-Out and Skill Builder Demos**. This is always a fun and informative meeting.

We have two workshops in May. On the 12th MJ Fielek is offering her workshop on **bindings**. On the 13th Sherry Worley will teach **Dyeing Socks and Fabrics**.

Workshop Location

April and May workshops will be held at Pam Wingate's new retreat center -- **The Best Little Quilt Retreat Center in Texas**
Location: 7989 Beltline Road #168, Dallas, TX 75248 at Coit Rd.

(See map on page 13)

Set-up: 8:30am, Start: 9:00am



Quilt Plano 2017

Hope you all enjoyed the Dallas Quilt Show! Looking at the Calendar, the Dallas Show, Saint Patrick's Day, and Spring Break helps to remind us that it is the season when our Show Committee really kicks in gear preparing for Quilt Plano 2017!

I hope you are all getting your quilts ready for entry. Please make sure and visit the website to review the forms – there have been some changes to our entry categories and on the placement of the sleeve(s) for hanging your quilt.

Lisa Erlandson, will be providing her appraisal services again this year. Forms will be available on our website and at Guild Meetings prior to the Show.

Please don't forget to pick up your Raffle Tickets -- remember it is the responsibility of each Guild member to buy/sell one packet (total of 24 tickets).

How about those Mini Quilts? This is one of the best ways to not only share your quilting talent, but help your Guild. Our Mini Quilt Auction that will take place during Quilt Plano 2017 is a very successful fundraiser and something our attendees really look forward to. The entries that have come in so far are wonderful, but we really need your help – please make sure you bring your "Minis" to our Regular Guild meetings.

Here are a few important dates to remember:

- Tuesday, March 28 – 6:30: Show Committee Meeting at "Best Little Retreat Center in Texas"
- Thursday, May 11 – General Guild Meeting – Quilt Plano 2017 Kick-off Meeting
- Thursday, June 8 – General Guild Meeting – Show Quilt Entry Deadline
- Tuesday, August 1 – Last chance to withdraw show quilts without penalty.
- Tuesday, August 8 – Quilt Plano 2017 – Quilt Turn-in Day (no entries accepted after 1pm)

- Thursday, August 10 – Quilt Plano 2017 Preview Night – 6:15 PM at The Plano Centre
- Friday and Saturday, August 11 and 12 – **Quilt Plano 2017**
- Saturday, August 12 – Quilt Pick-up after Show Closing

Happy quilting,
Rose Davis
2017 Show Chair



TAQG News

submitted by Sherry Worley

The Special Interest Meeting for the May 30th TAQG meeting will focus on Quilt Shows. A questionnaire will be sent out about May 1st that will be filled out by member guilds and used to stimulate conversation in the Special Interest meeting. If you have any specific items to include on the questionnaire I would welcome input.

Rally Day edges closer every day! Please make plans to attend. Our featured speaker is Cynthia LeBlanc Regone from the Houston area. Cynthia is originally from Louisiana and holds her Cajun roots near to heart. You can visit her website at www.cajunclassicsquilts.com. Cynthia has a book and many magazine articles to her credit. As usual, Rally Day on July 8th will feature a full day of quilt related fun. It is a free event to every member of a member guild. One of the fundraisers on Rally Day is a silent auction. TAQG will accept any high quality fiber item for the auction. Members of the Quilters Guild of Plano have already been very generous, but there is always room for more. If you have an item to donate please see Sherry Worley. If you have any Rally Day questions please visit the TAQG Table that will be set up at every meeting through June. We will have some information handouts beginning in April.

Quilt Plano 2017 Special Exhibits

submitted by Jeanne Smith and Janet Carver

Last year, we displayed completed projects from our guild workshops as part of our Special Exhibits. These were very popular with our guests and members. Everyone could see examples of the new and exciting ventures we are accomplishing in quilting. After seeing workshop projects, we even had several show visitors join the guild and sign up for workshops. Some members also wished they had signed up for the workshops!

To inspire both guests and members, we want to hang completed workshop projects again. If you attended a workshop during the past year, please complete your project and allow us to display it. Specifically, we are looking for projects from:

- Silk Screening the Easy Way – Ginny Eckley (September)
- Color Your Stash – Ginny Eckley (September)
- Texas Two Step – Lynn Roddy Brown (October)
- Triangles: Endless Possibilities (October)
- Adire: African Indigo Resist and Dye – Lori Lee Triplett (November)
- Freedom in Motion – Trish Stuart (January)
- Curves Made Easy – Trish Stuart (January)
- Portraits in Thread and Pencils – Rose-Clair Fletcher (April)
- Dyeing Cotton Socks and Fabrics – Sherry Worley (May)
- Stitch a Connection: Sashiko – Alice Kolb (June)
- Tiny Treasures: A Small Art Piece (June)

We would like to hang at least 4 examples from a workshop. The quilts do not need to be completed until quilt turn-in time (Tuesday, August 8, 2017), but we will need to have a count of the committed quilts by the June 8th guild meeting in order to

plan the exhibits. **Remember, the quilts hung in Special Exhibits are not judged.** They are hung to inspire our guests and to show the new techniques we have tried, but not necessarily mastered, during the year.

If you have completed a project from an earlier workshop that you would like to display, please let us know. For more information, contact Jeanne Smith or Janet Carver at specialexhibits@qgplano.org.

Forms to enter your project for display will be available on the Quilt Show/Special Exhibits page on the website by April 1, 2017.



Guild Retreat 2018

submitted by Pam Walsh

Guild retreat will be held from Thursday 2/22/18 through Sunday 2/25/2017 at the Hilton Garden Inn in Denison, Texas.



We already have over 90 people signed up with their \$50 nonrefundable deposit. Due to the popularity of retreat under the leadership of the outgoing chairs, registration will be capped at 105 until September 15th. Only guild members and members of their immediate families (mother, sister, daughter) may register until then.

If you would like to register now, please email your name and roommate (if known) to retreat@qgplano.org and mail your \$50 NONREFUNDABLE check to:

Carol Long
716 Country Meadow Drive
Murphy, TX 75094.

Community Service Thank You Note

submitted by Sandy Buttine

At the Guild Retreat this year, we had a “food and hygiene items” drive for an organization in Denison. Attendees were asked to bring a bag of items. We had a wonderful turn out – over 100 bags of items. The Service Fraternity from Austin College came by to pick up the items and delivered them to Helping Hands. I received a thank you note from Helping Hands that I would like to share.

Dear Sandy and Plano Quilters Guild,
WOWS!!!!

Thank you so much for the wonderful donation of personal hygiene items. Your generosity is much appreciated by us; and will be when the clients receive all their goodies. We are making Blessing Bags for the families using the items donated, and also dividing the laundry detergent into 16 ounce water bottles so that more families are able to benefit.

Thank you, Sandy, for searching for a worthwhile project. It's amazing how seeds planted years ago have come to fruition (via Austin College Service Station).

We appreciate the opportunity to help those less fortunate.

Sincerely,
Ammie Overtaif

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COMMON THREADS AD RATES

<u>Half Page:</u>	<u>Quarter Page:</u>	<u>Business Card:</u>
5.2" wide x 7.6" tall	5.2" wide x 3.8" tall	3.5" wide x 2" tall
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
media@qgplano.org.

Beekeeper Buzz

Attention New Members Seeking a Bee



A new members' gathering is planned for **April 13** before the regular Guild meeting. Come after **5:15 p.m.** It's an opportunity to meet other new members, some of the Board members, and the Beekeeper. Come learn who shares your quilting interest or may live nearby. We're eager to help you form groups.

More Meeting Photos



The Color of Light

submitted by John Worley

I'm starting with the obvious: Light comes in many colors.

The color of the light striking an object affects what color that is "observed". Imagine you are looking at what appears to be a blue ball floating in front of a black background. With this little information, we could either be looking at a blue ball lit with white light or we could be looking at a white ball lit with blue light. Luckily most scenes are not this limited, and consist of many different colors of things we recognize.

Our vision system is fascinating. It does many things to simplify the many complicated sights so our brain can process thoughts efficiently. Imagine that you go outside and pick up a red ball. The sun goes behind a dark cloud and (voila!) the ball turns purple. You walk in the kitchen and (voila!) the ball turns orange. It might be a bit disconcerting, right?

Our vision system "color corrects" so we don't get confused by things like this. Had you taken photos of the ball, you would see that it really does "change colors".



The left photo was taken of a print, under incandescent light. The right image was corrected on my PC (one button – make the white stripes on the neck look white). The original really does look like the right image (to me) under any light source.

The photos of a pair of quilts below were taken about 4 minutes apart. In the left photo, the sun was out fully in a blue sky. (In this case, the rendered colors are more accurate: the yellow sunlight is balanced by the blue skylight, making white light.) In the right photo, the sun went behind a small, but dark cloud. (Here, blue skylight overpowered the filtered sunlight, leaving a blue tint, almost eliminating yellow from the quilts.)



Sun Fully Out ↑

↓ Sun Behind a Small Dark Cloud in Blue Sky



Notice the difference is the color of the garage door on the right. Photos taken in the shade (whether the sun is behind a small dark cloud or the subject is under a shade tree) will tend to have a bluish tint.

Look at the shadow area in the following images. In the center image, I brightened only the shadow to match the brightness of the sunlit walkway. Notice how much more blue (and less red) the brightened shadow area became. In the right image, I added reds and yellows to the shaded area only. Notice how well the colors match the original.



Original

Brightened Shadow

Added red and yellow

The original partial quilt photo below left was taken at Market Hall without flash. (Flash is also white light.) Market Hall has fluorescent lights (with something called a Green-Magenta shift). I was asked to fix the colors. I had the quilt available, and could see that anything I did to balance the colors affected the white areas (which were fine in the original) as well. I had to carefully select all of the discolored magenta and correct only it.

The photos below right are from Quilt Plano a few years ago. The quilts in the foreground are illuminated by the camera flash, and the colors are fine. But notice the colors in the lights on the ceiling. They all looked white at the time. But Plano Centre must use what bulbs that are available to replace burned out ones.



Original photo

Correct Coloring

Plano Centre Lighting

Guild Activities

Spots in my Eyes

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Polka Dot one-yard rip-off. As with many things it did not go as smoothly in real life as it did in my imagination. Reviewing it I see where I failed, and I did make improvements to the imagined plan for next time. One person told me her group was not participating, but had a blast watching the “process”. (I interpreted that as chaos, lol!). But, I had such nice feedback from people; we will definitely do it again. If you have a particular theme you would like, batik, stripes, floral, etc, please let me know.



I have been plotting and planning my polka dot project. So far, I have reviewed and rejected a dozen ideas, and am down to the top three. If only that last rip off was just a little bit bigger...but that is part of where the challenge lies. I have a limited resource (an aqua polka dot) and I must use it, so my design muscles are working hard, and I like it. I hope your design muscles are enjoying a little workout. I am excited to see what fabulous things everyone comes up with and please remember to bring them for our special show and tell, and to be entered in the drawing for a prize.

Speaking of working hard, I am working with the Dallas Games Marathon center to schedule a weekend day retreat in May. We have the tentative dates of May 26, 27, and 28. This is a Friday, Saturday, Sunday day retreat, and yes, Monday is Memorial Day. For those of us with weekday jobs, this means we can enjoy the days, and nights of retreat, and still have Monday to recover before heading back to the workday world. Please pencil this in your calendar, I will send out a message and post the details on the website and Facebook pages as soon as I have confirmation. We will schedule some weekday retreats later in the year.

If you have not been to a day retreat yet, it is lots of fun. You set up on Friday morning, sew all day, and into the night, lay down your seam ripper, unplug your iron and go home and sleep in your own bed. Then on Saturday you are already set up to go right to work, only packing up on Sunday afternoon. There is lots of space to spread out, cutting and ironing stations are available, many local restaurants nearby, and a fridge to use for snacks, lunches, and cold drinks. I find I get more done at the day retreat than at any of the other retreats I attend. And it is such a wonderful and relaxed way to get to spend time with old friends, and make some new ones.

Remember to keep inviting friends to come to the new location of the Guild, you can still get a gold star-fish for being such a good friend, and promoting your Guild. We had 4 people receive gold star-fish last month, but I forgot to take names so I cannot celebrate them here in writing, but hope they know they are appreciated.

And, as always, I appreciate being allowed to serve you,

Janet Plotkin.

Membership

submitted by Diana Florence and Jeanne Vogel

Have you noticed? The Membership table is covered with donated fabric from a member. It is covered with bees!

We were happy to welcome back 79 members and add 5 new members and 5 guests for a total of 89 quilters at the March meeting! Thanks to the members that brought a friend to introduce them to the guild fellowship.

New members are: Sharon Russell, Peggy Woodside, Charlotte French, Tamre Wambsganz, and renewing Tracy Spruell.

Visiting were Evelyn Brown, Geri Campbell, Katy Tribe, Shirley Fought and Nancy LaVerdere.

Door prizes were given from Quilt Country, Not Your Mama's Quilt Store, Trish Stewart and from members.

A special door prize drawing was held for the May 12 & 13 Quilt Luminarium by Ricky Tims. 19 members tested their Irish luck, and Linda Chappell won-- her Leprechaun name was Lucky McMuffin!

Our Ms. Hospitality, Donna Strongin shared an icebreaker on the tables to learn our Leprechaun names. So we were: Dreamy McNoodles and Jolly McMuffin. Aka Diana and Jeanne

We are revising the membership renewal application form to include some information to help us fill the many volunteer positions and form new small groups while using your talents in areas other than quilting.

Needing to enlarge your circle of friends? We are planning another new member's tea to help form some small groups. Watch for the upcoming plans from the Bee Keeper.



At the April meeting we will have The Cotton Patch Guild coming from Greenville, Texas with their raffle quilt that will be held Oct. 7, 2017.



April Birthdays

Donna Petrick	04/02
Linda Dansereau	04/03
Charolette Loncar	04/03
Jayne Eshbaugh	04/04
Connie Ryan	04/04
Karen Bethel	04/05
Terri Mendelow	04/06
Julie Brooks	04/07
Sara Lindsay	04/08
Tina Connolly	04/09
Maggie Hetzel	04/14
Carolyn Bond	04/15
Beverly Geise	04/17
Rose-Clair Fletcher	04/18
Leslie Leathers	04/18
Anne McDougal	04/23
Mary Jo Ferril	04/24
Suzy Boyle	04/25
Norma Coleman	04/28
Patricia Fowler	04/29
Deborah Skorepa	04/29



Community Service

submitted by LaDawn Dalley

I am so excited to be able to deliver so many quilts again this month! Thank you, thank you all for all your efforts, no matter which stage of the process you participate in.

Sad news: our Saturday Community Sew group is homeless. We are looking for another location that can accommodate up to ten quilters and sewing machines and an ironing board one Saturday a month. If you know of any place, please let Sandy Buttine know! Until we can find a new home, we will not be meeting.

The Tuesday community sew group is still up and running strong. If you would like to attend, please let Donna Petrick know so she can be ready with the correct number of kits and such.

Thank you also to those that donated some flannel for me. I still need more! And if you are interested in making the receiving blankets or "taggies" that I showed at the meeting, the instructions are now up on the website! These are donated to the Children's Medical Clinic of Plano and also the PISD school-age parent program.

Which reminds me....the next donation for the PISD program will be in June. Remember this is the program that teaches these young parents how to be good parents, take responsibility for their child, and still finish their schooling. Twice a year, at Christmas and Graduation, they hold a celebration in which the students can "purchase" (with points they have earned throughout the semester) supplies for their child such as quilts, diapers, etc. If you would like to donate a quilt or blanket or a box of diapers (I've been told they always need toddler size), I will be collecting these items at the next two guild meetings.

Dog Beds from Community Service

submitted by Donna Petrick

A friend recently suggested another use for tee shirts that you can't give away due to the logo on the shirt. Either cut out the logo and then sew closed the tee shirt on 1,2 or 3 sides, depending on where you had to cut off logos. Ex: cut the logo off on the on the upper chest. Sew closed the two arm holes and top of the shirt below the cut off logo. Proceed to fill the body of the shirt with cut off portions of quilts. When full, sew closed the bottom edge of the tee shirt. A little different way to use both trimming from the quilts and get rid of tee shirts that you can't give away. Or you can sew closed the neck and armhole holes of the tee shirt, turn the shirts wrong side out, stuff and sew closed the bottom of the shirt. The dogs and cats will not care which side is out.

I will continue to deliver the finished dog beds to the animal shelter, but I do need each of you to complete your own project. Thanks to all of you who help with this project.



New Workshop Registration Form

Workshops Fees: \$35/day

See the guild website at www.qgplano.org and go to the **Programs page (on the Activities tab) for more information.** Fees are refundable only in the event the speaker cancels her appearance. Questions may be directed to the Programs team via email to programs@qgplano.org.

Hours: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm Set Up – 8:30 am

Location: The Best Little Quilt Retreat Center in Texas, 7989 Beltline Road #168, Dallas, TX 75248 (See map on page 12)

If an alternate location is being used for a particular workshop, it will be specified on the Programs page of the Guild website.

Supply lists may be printed from the website. Your cell phone number and email are particularly important so we can reach you in the event of any last minute changes.

Bring Completed Form to a Meeting, or mail to:

Dena Smith
1402 Marlboro Ln
Richardson, TX 75082

Upcoming Workshops

Rose-Clair Fletcher

Location 7989 Beltline Road #168, Dallas, TX 75248
 Saturday, April 15 – Portraits in Thread and Pencils

MJ Fielek

Location 7989 Beltline Road #168, Dallas, TX 75248
 Friday, May 12 – Bindings

Sherry Worley

Location 7989 Beltline Road #168, Dallas, TX 75248
 Saturday, May 13 – Dyeing Cotton Socks and Fabric

Alice Kolb

Location 7989 Beltline Road #168, Dallas, TX 75248
 Friday, June 9 -- Stitch a Connection -- Sashiko
 Saturday – June 10 -- Tiny Treasures – a Small Art Piece

Check the website (www.qgplano.org) for more information

Workshop Registration Form

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

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____

Instructor	Class	Day	Date

General Meeting Minutes

March 9, 2017

Hunters Glen Baptist Church, Plano, TX

President Pam Wingate called the meeting to order at 6:50pm.

Minutes were approved as distributed. After a brief discussion concerning the holding of any funds until after our upcoming quilt show due to several expense increases this year over last year's show costs, the **Treasurer's Report** was approved as published.

The quilters from Farmersville brought their raffle quilt, "Cabin in the Woods". The drawing for this quilt will be April 12th.

Pam gave us an informative explanation of her experiences with a detached retina and shared warning signs with us.

V-P **Finance**, Jane Schwarz has resigned. Pam has appointed Carol Long and Donna Petrick to assist Treasurer Chanda Smith, until our next election of officers.

Pam also reported the appointment of Donna Petrick as chair of the nominating committee. Those on her committee now are Lynne Frische, Julie Schaefer, Dolores Williams, Sharon Schenke, Marty Crouch (alternate) and Dena Smith (outgoing Board Member). Anyone interested in serving as the second alternate is asked to contact Pam Wingate or Donna Petrick. Positions to be filled at the next election are President, Vice-Presidents of Finance, Programs, and Education as well as Secretary.

V-P **Membership**, Jeanne Vogel and Diana Florence announced 75 members, 4 new members and 4 visitors present. Door prizes were given from Quilt Country, Not Your Mama's Quilt Shop, Trish Stewart and from members.

V-P **Programs**, Peggy Burrell, announced there would not be a workshop in March. However there is still room to sign up for the workshops in April and May. The cost is just \$35 per person.

New **Guild Retreat** chair Pam Walsh complemented the wonderful 2017 retreat, and reported work on the 2018 retreat has begun. Very few spots are available for those who have not already signed up with a \$50 non-refundable deposit. There will be a waiting list. The dates will be Feb 22-25, 2018.

V-P **Activities** Janet Plotkin had everyone participating in the "One Yard Polka Dot Rip-Off Challenge". Next meeting we are to bring an item we

made with this fabric and try for the secret ballot victory of the best challenge project.

Quilt Show progress is being made and everyone was asked to sell at least one book of raffle tickets. Kaye Dunn and Valerie Salter reported we now have approximately 38 mini quilts for our show & auction. The winner of the drawing for those who donated tonight was Germaine Reconnu.

Lori Hutyra reported the **Art Quilters** meet on the 4th Saturday of the month at 9 am. They meet at Fabric Fanatics and have a wonderful times sewing, sharing and learning.

LaDawn Dalley reported the **Saturday Sew Day** will not meet until a new location is found.

TAQG president Sherry Worley reminded all about the upcoming Rally Day on July 8. She will accept registrations for workshops, and is selling pins and taking orders for lunches at the back of the room.

Show N Tell continues to showcase the varied and great talent of our members.

After the door prize drawings, Pam announced a special drawing after our break for one free registration at the upcoming Ricky Tims' presentation. Those persons wanting to attend his program were asked to sign up during the break. The winner was Linda Chappell.

This evening concluded with an extremely informative program by Lisa Erlandson about how each of us can work to make our own best quilt.

Respectfully submitted,



Denise Green, Secretary

Board Minutes

Members can find the Minutes for the Board Meeting on the Web Site under **Members/Documents/Board Meeting Minutes**

Financials

The Monthly Financial Report can be found on the website under **Members/Documents/Cash Flow**

Officers & Committee Chairs

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Quilters Guild of Plano

The Quilters Guild of Plano exists to bring together people who share a love of quilts and quilting, preserve the heritage of quilting, promote the knowledge and understanding of all aspects of quilting, and provide opportunities for continuing education among those interested in the art of quilting. Together we learn from national and local quilt teachers and speakers, and share our work with each other and the community. All levels of quilters are encouraged to join us, including beginners. We are a 501 (c) 3 organization.

The Quilters Guild of Plano meets at **Hunters Glen Baptist Church, 4001 Custer Road**. The church is on the west side of Custer Road between Parker Road and Spring Creek Parkway. We park on the South end and enter through the South Entrance. The meetings are held in the Fellowship Hall, on the right as you enter. The Guild meets the second Thursday of Each month. Meetings start at 6:45 pm with a social time from 6:15pm to 6:45pm. Guests are always welcome at the meetings.

