
OUR MONTHLY QUILT TALK

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President's Message

Dear Quilters:

This has been a very blessed day for me as it was the day for my spinal tap to drain excess fluid from my spine. The results were immediate. I can walk normal, however, this is a temporary fix as I will need a shunt at the base of my brain to make it a permanent fix. I should get that appointment one day this next week.

I hope all of you were able to take in the Hot Springs Village Quilt Show at the Benton Event Center.

Please see the newsletter for upcoming events and workshops. Old Fashioned Day is Oct. 15th from 9:00-2:00. We need volunteers to work our booth, if you can please contact Pat Wade for time slots.

Thank all of you who prayed for me, sent text, called and sent cards. Please continue to pray until we see this through. God is so good.

I wish all of you could experience the joy that the quilts bring to the charities we support. I cannot begin to convey how much they are loved and appreciated.

Until next time, Happy Quilting
Sondra

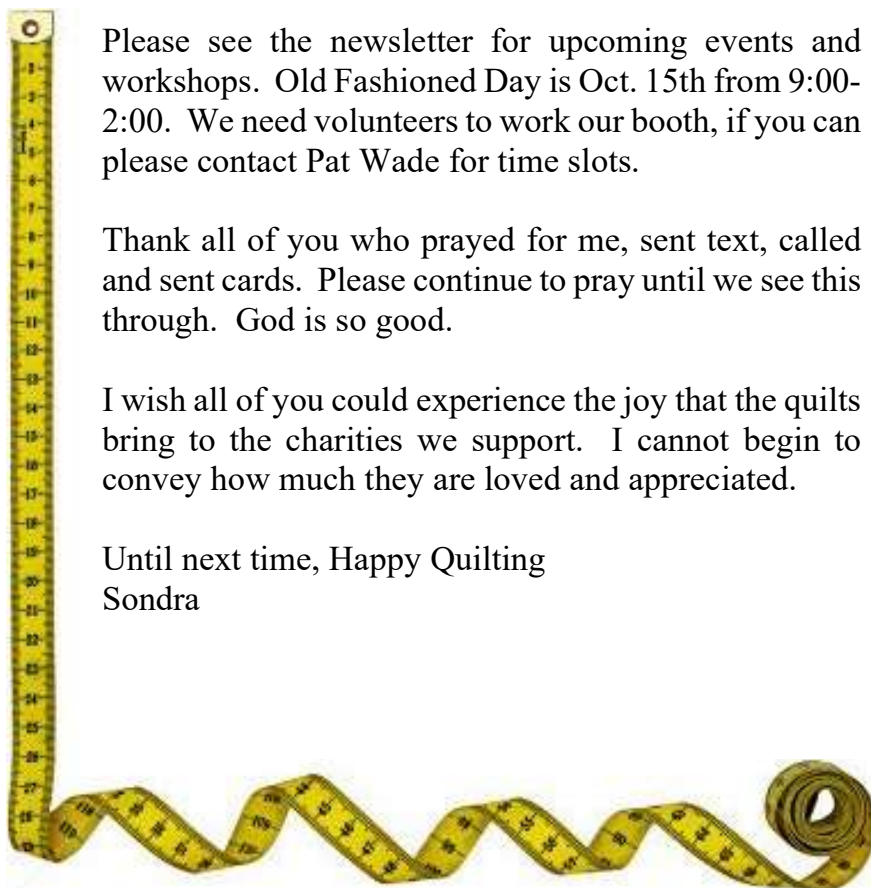
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Secretary: Jerri Psuka
(Backup: Debbie Wright)
Treasurer: Pat Wade

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS:

Workshops:

Professional: Cheri Johnson
5:30: Guild Members
Librarian: Myrna Yandell
Fund raising:
Door prizes: Cely Slover
Membership: Toni Shockey
Programs:
Website: Eddie Landreth
1st Wednesday: Judy Huggins
Charity Quilts: Sidney Morris
Sunshine: Judy Anderson
Newsletter: Eddie Landreth
Hostess: Twyla Moore
Publicity: Debbie Susky
Quiltmania: Pat Wade,
Jane Hammonds,
Ola Bramlett,
Sheila Bird



October Calendar of Events

		Event
13	Thu	Charity Quilts at Sidney's Studio, Come work on quilts to be given away
17	Mon	Guild meeting at Calvary Church. 5:30
21	Fri	Due date for articles for the newsletter to be sent to the editor.
26	Wed	QOV meets the 4th Wednesday of every month at Johnston's Home Center.
27	Thu	Charity Quilts at Sidney's Studio, Come work on quilts to be given away.
29	Sat	Applique and whatever you want to work on at Sidney's Studio.

~ October Birthdays ~

Name	Day
Gilmore, Cathy	3
Todd, Laura	4
Paulette, Melissa	6
Curtis, Sondra	7
Miller, Shirley	7
Boardman, Kathie	13
Martone, Lisa	20
Bennett, Linda	25
Phillips, Ida	27

~ Name Tags ~

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~ Upcoming Quilt / Craft Shows ~

Hot Springs Arts and Craft Fair- Oct 7-9
Garland County Fair Grounds, 4831 Malvern Ave,
Hot Springs AR.

Old Fashioned Day- Benton Courthouse lawn on
Saturday Oct 15, 9am-2pm.

Autumn in the Ozarks Quilt Show- Oct 14-15 at
1507 Fairgrounds Dr. Mountain Home, AR.

Quilt Congress- Oct 19 & 20, 2022. Baxter
Fairgrounds, Mountain Home, AR 72653. For info
contact. jenniembride@hotmail.com
Website: [https://hillnhollowquilters.com/2022-
quilt-congress/](https://hillnhollowquilters.com/2022-quilt-congress/)

~ Quiltmania ~

Anyone who is planning on going to the Quiltmania is requested to bring something that:

1. Bring a gift for the door prize exchange, that way everyone who brings a gift, leaves with a gift.
2. Is quilt related, either something that they have made or can be used for quilting, i.e., 5 fat quarters.
3. Also something that they would like to receive as a gift/door prize.

If anyone has any questions please contact Barbie Small at 360-440-8780, or barbie1844@gmail.com

~ Programs ~

Month	Program
October	Judy Johnson, Ola Bramlett, Cheri Johnson
November	Quilts on Parade
December	Christmas Party Need a person to be in charge

~ Saturday Workshop ~

We will have a Saturday workshop at the church on Saturday Oct 1st from 10:00am until 2:00pm. If you like, bring a sack lunch. A supply list is attached to the newsletter. I will have a limited number of kits at the September meeting for the Santa's fabrics. Please text or email me if you want to purchase one. Cost is \$5.00 (501.529.0282 or patwade1313@gmail.com). The class will teach fusible raw edge applique. The cost of the class fee is \$5.00 and is paid to the Guild. If you have an idea for a Saturday workshop or would like to teach one let Gwen Rogers or Pat Wade know.

~ Old Fashioned Day ~

We will have a booth to sell tickets for our Donation Quilt at Old Fashioned Day, Saturday Oct 15, 9am-2pm. We have a sign-up sheet for members to register for a one-hour shift to work the booth. See Gwen Rogers to register. The quilt will be given away at 2:00 that day, so get you tickets turned in before that time. Good Luck if you have tickets entered.

~ Meeting Minutes ~ September 19, 2022

5:30 Workshop

Tips – Fay Poe

Fay missed the Tips and Tricks sharing so contributing a couple of hers prior to the quilt block. She uses the project boxes, but she also puts dividers into them, using anything that she can recycle that will fit. The plastic holder within packaged cookies, egg cartons, anything she finds.

Jagged Xs – Fay Poe

Pattern for this quilt is free online from Jordan Fabrics, recommend you search for the name and Jordan Fabrics together to find it. There are only two pieces, a light and a dark, each one 2.5" x 3.5". Fay chose to work with a large size piece, using 3.5" x 5" instead. This pattern is also called twisted rail by www.auntemsquilt.com.

<https://auntemsquilts.com/tutorials/how-to-make-a-twisting-rail-fence-quilt-block>

6" block exchange –

Set up in the front room, remember to sign in and distribute your donation squares. At the end of the meeting pick up the bag with your name.

5:30 workshops for 2023 will need a new sponsor! Please consider volunteering.

Guild Meeting Minutes -

The 2022 September meeting was held at 5:30 pm at Calvary Baptist Church. Sondra Curtis called the meeting to order with 37 members and 3 visitors in attendance.

Minutes from prior meeting

Minutes were distributed last month with the newsletter. They are approved as written.

Treasurer's Report - Pat verbally provided treasury report, look for it as an attachment with the newsletter email with a couple of revisions as she noted.

Committee Reports

Membership Report – Toni Shockey - Adding two more new members for October.

Sunshine – Judy Anderson - Sent a sympathy card to Cheri Johnson and a get well card to Sandy Morris this month. Please send any requests for cards to Judy at 501.743.1076 or email hape2sew@gmail.com. Request for sympathy card to Charlotte Williams, her sister died. Sondra Curtis requested prayers for procedure on Friday.

Saturday Workshops –

September 27 (rescheduled from August 20 cancellation) – Sandy Morris - Bags for Beads of Courage – Arkansas Children's Hospital gives patients glass beads of courage for each procedure that is done. There is a program for making bags for these beads, kits come with 50 labels and bag instructions. The bags need 2 pieces of coordinating fabric large enough for 2 - 9" X 12" outside, 2 - 9"x12" inside, and 2 - 26" cord. More information can be found at Beadsofcourage.org. Plan to come 9/27 to Sidney's workshop, 4113 Alcoa Road, Benton, 9:00 am, bring fabric, sewing machine and supplies and we will see how many bags we can make! Sack lunch. We have plenty of fabric. If you do not want to bring a machine to sew, there will be cutting, ironing, and other hand work available. Sign out in front of the building has "Goheen Legal Services", there is parking on the side and back of the building, enter on the right side end.

October 1 - Pat Wade - Raw Edge Applique – Class will teach how to raw edge applique a wall hanging with

3 Santas for Christmas decorating. The cost of the class is \$5 and Pat will provide kits for the applique pieces for \$5. You will need to provide your own background fabric 22" X 19" and some scraps to practice on. Since this project will require a lot of pressing, if you have small iron and board you may want to bring. Sack lunch. Let Pat know if you intend to participate as she will not cut up fabric for your kit unless you commit. Signup will be done at the Sept. meeting, supply list will be provided in the newsletter.

Daytime Stitchers – Laura Todd - Doing a field trip on Monday, 9/26 to see a quilt collection at the Crystal Hill Antique Mall in North Little Rock. Routinely meets on the 4th Monday of the month at 9:30, yellow house out highway 5. Bring hand work; contact Laura for more information thequiltedchicken@gmail.com.

First Wednesday Sewing – Judy Huggins - Due to lack of interest, 1st Wednesday is being discontinued. When there is interest, restarting will be considered.

QuiltMania/Retreats – Pat Wade - Our QuiltMania 2023 retreat has been reserved, mark your calendar April 4 – 6, 2023. Make a plan to attend; Ferncliff accommodations were wonderful. Toni Shockley has agreed to co-chair. Kris is working on a design for a t-shirt. Barbie is handling donations for door prizes, bring a sewing/quilting related gift that you would like to receive, wrapped in a paper sack. There will be 2 short classes taught, more information as the date approaches. Save your dollar bills, you will need some! Door prize instructions are available in the newsletter.

Charity Quilts – Sidney Morris - Brought quilts - need volunteers to bind. Brought 3 yard quilt kits, patterns and fabric included. If you need fabric for donation quilt, contact Sidney and she will meet you at the studio on Alcoa. Regular sew days are the 2nd and 4th Thursdays, meeting around 9:30. Planning to sew this Saturday, 9/24 for those who want to come out.

Professional Workshops – Cheri Johnson - The Quilted Cow is coming April 17, 2023, more information as the date approaches.

Publicity – Debbie Susky No update.

Fundraising – Chair person - Vacant, need a volunteer to take over fundraising.

Silent Auction for November meeting – 12.5" blocks to be made and donated for the auction. Other finished items may be donated – table runners, placemats, wall hanging. Theme should be Fall and Winter or Whatever shows up!

2021/2022 UFO Challenge – Judy Johnson - UFO #4 due tonight, #2 is the UFO due in Nov.

Library – Myrna Yandell - Library book sale has generated \$430.50. Remaining books will be available for sale at our booth in the HSV quilt show this Friday and Saturday, 9/23 & 9/24. Any remaining will be donated.

Programs – Gwen Rogers - November's program will be Quilts on Parade, focusing on Fall and Winter themes. You do not have to sign-up; just bring your favorite Fall and/or Winter quilts to show us. Tell us something about the quilt. Did you have fun making it? Would you make it again? What would you do different?

SCQG BOM – Cheri Johnson - Each month a BOM is selected, members are asked to make blocks. At the next meeting, everyone brings their blocks and turns them for the drawing. One block = 1 ticket. Out of the tickets, 1 person is the lucky winner of all the blocks. This month's winner is Valarie Nichols winning 18 blocks collected tonight. Pattern for next month was provided, Yin Yang.

Donation Quilt – Jane Hammonds - Tickets are available for purchase to give away or sell to others. Need to sell more tickets. Quilt will be given away at Old Fashion Day Saturday, Oct. 15th, in Benton. Need volunteers for table at Old Fashion Day, hours are 9-2, will be selling tickets and then drawing for the quilt.

Door Prizes - Cely Slover conducted door prize activities.

Old Business

Hot Springs Village Quilt show, Friday and Saturday, September 23-24 at the Benton Event Center. We have a booth and have sign-up sheet for people to man the booth in 2-hour increments. Note: Bed Warmer Quilt shop has a discount in the quilt show brochure and is located across the shopping center on the other side of Tinseltown from the Benton Event Center.

Old Fashion Day Booth 10/15/2022 – Old Fashion Day has not been held for the last two years in Benton. It is scheduled for 10/15/2022 from 9 am – 2 pm. For more information about the event checkout mysaline.com. We have rented a booth and will be selling tickets and displaying the donation quilt. A lucky winner will be chosen at the end of the event. Need volunteers to man our table!

Name tags – if you want a magnetic name tag, they are \$9 each and will be shipped directly to you from the vendor. Vendor information is provided in the newsletter each month. Please wear a name tag to help us all learn each other’s name.

New Business

Officers for 2023

Nominating Committee report - The following slate of officers has been submitted to the group for consideration at the November meeting.

President	Sharon Vanover
1 st Vice President	Cheri Johnson
2 nd Vice President	Amy Snodgrass
Secretary	Jerri Puska
Alternate Secretary	Myrna Yandell
Treasurer	Pat Wade
Alternate Treasurer	Toni Shockey

SCQG Directory – The nominating committee struggled with knowing who folks were, with new members, etc. Recommendation was made to create a directory that will include a photo and your contact information. The distribution will be controlled within our membership. Valarie Nichols is a photographer and has equipment set up tonight to take pictures for the directory if you do not have a photo to submit. (note: submitted photos need to be fairly current, not one from 20 yrs ago!)

T-Shirts for Sale – Valarie Nichols - T-shirt designed for sale at Hot Springs Village Quilt Guild show displayed. Order has been placed and received to have shirts at the show. Anyone in our guild wanting a shirt asked to order only and wait until after the show this weekend. Plan is to sell what we have and order more

as needed. Shirts will be \$22.50 and are the Comfort Colors brand.

Nominating committee – suggestions discussed

- Quilt show 2023 – Membership present 9/19/2022 voted No quilt show by a show of hands.
- Monthly Saturday workshop or open sew day – Idea was received well, add to the newsletter calendar each month. Recommended it be the standing Saturday following the monthly meeting
- Facebook page – Page was set up by Tiffany a long time ago. Need to revisit and see what we can do to increase our presence, advertise our activities. How many friends do we have? Ideas for increasing our posts
- Opportunity for visiting – Meetings are full of activities and hearing is an issue. Want to encourage microphone usage and potential setup a time for visiting, sharing, or working on projects. Potential to open the church early on meeting day so members have more time together prior to the meeting. Interest was limited, suggested maybe in a few months.

G-tube covers – Judy Huggins This is a charity need for Children’s Hospital infants and small children who have feeding tubes. It is a circular disk with a slit to go around the tube and a snap. There are demos on You Tube, search for g-tube button pads. Quick to stitch up with scraps.

Program - Dianne Edelhuber and Sharon Vanover - History and Evolution of quilts, review of Diane’s collection and the techniques and fabrics utilized. How historical events influenced quilting.

Show and Tell – Members displayed some of their recent creations.

Meeting adjourned – See you next month at the church.

Jerri Puska, Secretary



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Reminders:

- The membership list will be sent out with the newsletter following the February meeting. A few hard copies will be available at the March meeting.
- No additional funds are due if you joined the Guild in October, November, December 2021.

Membership form and payment may be mailed to:

Toni Shockey
219 Cynthia Circle
Hot Springs, AR 71913

Return Address:
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c/o Sondra Curtis
1918 E. Reed Street
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