



January 2011 HSAQG Newsletter

Our Next Meeting

Thursday, January 27

5:30pm sign-in and social time,
Meeting starts at **6:00 pm**

In the **Fordyce Room** of the
Ouachita Professional Building --
1900 Malvern Avenue
Hot Springs, AR

Program:

"Getting Things Square"
by Reta Lawrence

Fat Quarter Drawing:

Quilter's Choice
(100% Cotton Fabric)

HSAQG 2011 Officers and Team Leaders:

President: Julie Schrader

Vice President: Carol Frazier

2nd Vice President: Dotty Atkins

Secretary: Beverly Stenzel

Treasurer: Peggy Young

Membership: Dotty Atkins

Newsletter Editor: Jan Taylor

Workshops:

Historian: Linda Jester

Publicity: Shirley Caylor

Door Prizes: Renee Etie

Fat Quarter Oleta Looney
Exchange:

Refreshments: Mary Ann Kerr/
Jan Martin

Sunshine: Bobbie Richardson

Quilt Show Committee: Beth Wynn
Chairperson

President's Message

I'd like to thank everyone for a great year and for putting up with me. I was so proud of our guild and all the great looking quilts that were donated to the Vera Loyd Home. My time as president was a great learning experience for me and I had a wonderful time. Thank you so much for the Christmas gift. It was greatly appreciated.

All the best wishes for the New Year!

Happy Sewing for 2011
Dottie☺

Hot Springs Area Quilt Guild – Minutes – December 2011

President Dottie Atkins called the meeting to order and invited everyone to enjoy our Christmas potluck. As usual, we had an abundance of good food and it was enjoyed by all.

One of our guests was Brenda Mauldin from the Vera Lloyd Children's Home and she told of how the facilities have grown over the years. They have a campus on 60 acres and have five homes which eight girls or eight boys and two house parents live. This was her third year to come to our guild Christmas party and this year she took back to the school a total of 21 beautiful quilts. She said the children would be so appreciative of our quilts.

Birthdays for December were recognized; they were Maxine Salmon, Kathy Hull, Holly Vanhaverbeke, Rosemary Lechak, Norma Welch and Nancy Murders.

The minutes from the previous month were approved.

We will continue to work at the Irwin Agency on the 3rd Monday of each month until you are notified of any change. In January, we will be working on wallet and checkbook covers in a class taught by Jackie Peake.

Treasurer Peggy Young announced that our dues need to be paid for the following year; they are \$15.00 per year. Peggy also presented Dottie Atkins with a gift card as a thank you from the guild for being our president this year.

Bobbie Richardson will be the new sunshine chairperson. Thank you to Barbara Vann for doing the job this last year.

The next quilt show committee meeting will be at the library on the 3rd Saturday in January at 10 AM.

The members bringing "Show and Tell" were: Barbara Vann, Beth Wynn, Polly Orr, Beverly Stenzel, Connie Partain and a group

consisting of Jackie Peake, Mary Ann Howe, Patti Janis, Maxine Salmon, Betty Williams, Diane Case and Brenda Williams made a quilt to be given to the Quilts of Valor group to send overseas or to a hospital where it is needed.

Fat-Quarters were won by Nell Osbahr and Susan Davis. Door prizes were won by Polly Orr, Rita Michau, Oleta Looney, Peggy Young, Bobbie Richardson and Ann Sutton. Everyone brought a gift for our Christmas exchange game. This year the story was read by Julie Schrader about Lefty, the Elf and Santa. After much passing around with the gifts and also confusion because we did not know our right from our left, we all ended up with a nice gift and had a lot of fun.

Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by,
Beverly Stenzel
Secretary

******January Workshop changed to February!******

**Wallet and Checkbook Covers
Monday, February 21st
at the Irwin Agency (307 Carpenter
Dam Road)**

This workshop is being taught by Jackie Peake.

SUPPLY LIST:

2 Fat quarters contrasting colors
Small square of fleece batting 10" X 10"
Machine, sewing supplies
Rotary cutter, cutting board if you have one
32" binding, cut 2 ½", folded and pressed lengthwise.

Treasurer's Report

GENERAL FUND CHECKING AVAILABLE- 11/18/10	\$3,498.28
TEACHING FUND BALANCE – 11/18/10	\$1,617.48
HANDWORK TEACHING FUND BALANCE – 11/18/10	<u>\$476.62</u>
GENERAL FUND CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE – 11/18/10	\$5,592.38

GENERAL FUND INCOME:

Door Prizes	\$42.00
Name Tag Fines	2.25
Dues	<u>15.00</u>
<u>Total Income</u>	\$59.25

GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

Renee Etie - Door Prizes	42.00
Darlene Garstecki – Nov. Program	30.00
Mary Ann Kerr – Refreshments/ Coffee Pot	24.51
Gift for Outgoing President	<u>54.00</u>
<u>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</u>	150.51

GENERAL FUND CHECKING AVAILABLE- 12/16/10	\$3,407.02
TEACHING FUND BALANCE – 12/16/10	\$1,617.48
HANDWORK TEACHING FUND BALANCE – 12/16/10	<u>\$476.62</u>
GENERAL FUND CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE – 12/16/10	\$5,501.12

Peggy Ann Young, Treasurer

Welcome New Members!!!!

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QUILTING BEES: *These groups are currently accepting new members:*

EQ6 User Group – Wednesday from 1pm to 4pm at Hickory Hill Quilts --User group for Electric Quilt Software meets on the first Wednesday of each month. Bring your laptop computer with EQ loaded.

Paper Dolls– Monday, from 10am to 3pm at the Irwin Agency-- meets on the second Monday of each month and invites everyone to come and sew.

Strictly Hand Work – This group meets in Margaret Bustard's home. Please contact Margaret at (501-609-0523) for more information.

Appli-Q-Ties – Friday, from 12:30 pm to 3pm at the Irwin Agency - The Appliqué Bee meets on the third Friday of each month.

**NOTE: I do not have information on the current projects for these groups. If you will send to me, I will include in the next newsletter. Thanks! jan

NOTES AND REMINDERS:

Mark your calendars: Our HSA Quilt Guild's "Quiltfest 2011" is fast approaching! Remember that you can find raffle tickets to sell on the website, as well as details on the event. The Quiltfest is July 8th and 9th at the Hot Springs Convention center. For more details, to get handouts or any other questions regarding the event, call or email Beth Wynn at 501-318-094 or at quiltshow@hsaquiltguild.com .

Membership Information: Make sure to contact Patricia Janis for any new or changed information for our membership list, especially phone/address/email changes.

Next Quilt Show Committee Meeting: will be held on the third Saturday from 10am to Noon at the Garland County Library. All interested persons are invited to attend .All committee chairs are expected to attend and if not able to attend should notify Beth Wynn of absences.

Please Submit Items for the newsletter to Jan Taylor at taylor.janice@gmail.com or call me at (501) 529-0257. Also, please let me know of any corrections or additions as I may miss something, since this is new for me!

Do You Have a Good Book or Website to Suggest to other Guild Members? _ Sharing information among members benefits EVERYONE! If you have reviewed a book, DVD, new pattern or website, call or email me with your comments and I will include in the next newsletter for all to share. Phone-(501) 529-0257 or email taylor.janice@gmail.com.

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