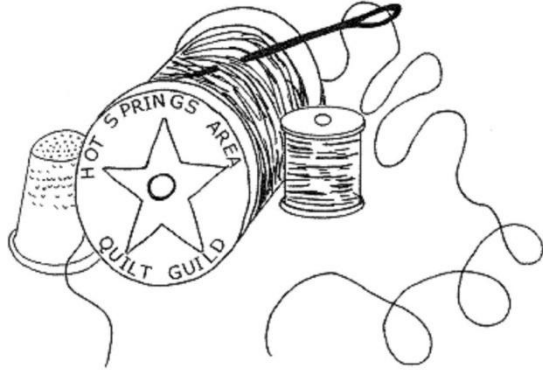


Hot Springs Area Quilt Guild



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HSAQG 2011 Officers and Team Leaders:

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Fat Quarter Exchange:
Oleta Looney

Refreshments: Mary Ann Kerr/
Jan Martin

Sunshine: Bobbie Richardson

Quilt Show Committee: Beth Wynn
Chairperson

Our Next Meeting

Thursday, September 22nd

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:

"Eighty Years of Quilting"
Presented by
Margaret Bustard

Fat Quarter Drawing:

"Autumn Prints"
(100% Cotton Fabric)

Family Quilt

A family is like a patchwork quilt
With kindness gently sewn
Each piece an original
With beauty all its own
With threads of warmth and happiness
It's lightly stitched together
To last in love throughout the years
A family is forever.

---Author unknown



Hot Springs Area Quilt Guild – Minutes – August 26th, 2011

The meeting was held in the Fordyce Room at National Park Hospital on August 26th, 2011. President Julie Schrader called the meeting to order at 6pm. The refreshment committee thanked the members who provided our refreshments for the evening.

Dottie Atkins- membership- announced that we had 35 members present and one new member.

We reminded members of the children's quilts that are needed for the Dec. meeting. The representative from the Monticello Children's Home comes to our meeting each Dec. and receives the quilts that we have made. We asked for a show of hands and twenty members said they are making quilts. A few years ago we gave them 31 quilts, so hopefully more members will make quilts. They are so appreciated by the home.

The previous minutes were approved with a motion by Meryl Black and Renee Etie. The previous treasurer's report was approved with a motion by Patti Janis and Holly Vanhaverbeke.

Jan Taylor- newsletter writer – has asked that all information be in her hands or set to receive by the tenth of each month.

A nominating committee is needed for next year's officers. This is comprised of three guild members and two board members. Willie Shuck volunteered to be on the committee. Please call and offer to serve on the committee.

Dottie suggested we should start planning about making the next donation quilt for the quilt show. If we have this finished much sooner, it can be taken to various guilds and businesses and we can sell more tickets. Norma suggested each member should take a set amount of tickets and either sell them or buy the tickets themselves.

We need a fundraiser to help the guild so we do not have to raise the dues. We will have a discussion next month on ideas for fund raisers. Please come with some great new ideas.

Carol Frazier introduced Wilma Blair as our program speaker for the evening. Wilma's main topic was borders on your quilts.

Some suggestions were:

1. Borders help to extend the size of your quilt
2. Borders need to blend with the colors of your quilt.
3. To make the correct size of your border strips- measure from top to bottom and side to side.
4. Many striped fabrics make pretty mitered borders but you need to experiment with each piece to make sure that they meet in the correct lines.
5. Depending on the pattern, you do not always need a border.
6. Many borders are appliquéd or pieced.

We thank Wilma for all her information and enjoyed seeing the difference a border can make in the entire quilt.

Fat quarters were won by Jan Taylor, Susan Davis (3), Barbara Vann, Meryl Black and Betty Williams.

Door prizes were won by Dave Fustin, Susan Davis (2), Beth Wynn, Meryl Black, Peggy Young and Polly Orr.

Show and Tell participants included: Polly Orr; Clarice Marker; Wander Mahn; Linda Jester and Meryl Black.

Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by:

Beverly Stenzel, Secretary



“TRADING PATCHES!”

Everyone should have or be very close to having enough patches to start putting your quilt together!!! Since there was such a wonderful response with this project, Norma would like everyone to think about continuing this idea of “Trading Patches”. She would like all interested members to brainstorm on what to do next, and we will discuss at the next meeting. This would be a great time for those who did not get in on the previous trade to start out new with this one! If you want to talk with Norma (Welch) directly please contact her at (501) 701-0464.



Treasurer’s Report

GENERAL FUND CHECKING AVAILABLE- 07/28/2011 \$6,236.13

GENERAL FUND INCOME:

Name Tag Fines	0.75
Door Prizes	42.00
Dues	15.00
Boutique Income-Show	661.25
Boutique Income- Guild Meeting	<u>97.00</u>
<u>Total Income</u>	<u>\$816.00</u>

GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

Door Prizes	<u>42.00</u>
<u>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>\$42.00</u>

General Fund Checking Available 08/25/11 **\$7,010.13**

Submitted by Peggy Young, Treasurer

NOTES AND REMINDERS:

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

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!

Saline County Quilt Guild Quilt Show will be held at the Bob Herzfeld Memorial Library on Smithers Drive, Benton AR, on September 22-24, 2011.

NWA Quilt Congress hosted by Belle Point Quilter's Guild, Fort Smith, AR. Sept 23-24th, 2011 at the Fort Smith Convention Center. Contact Linda Wight, chairperson, 918-427-5926 or email montea.wight@wiglinmo@sbcglobal.net for more information.

"Autumn in the Ozarks" Quilt Show October 20-22, 2011 in Mountain Home AR. Check out the website for more details- www.hillnhollowquilters.com or Carol Lewis at 870-425-1105 Email: cbleiws@suddenlink.net

First Annual Quilts & More Show & Sale November 11-12th, 2011 at the Hot Springs County 4-H Youth Center 1407 MLK Blvd , Malvern AR 72104. Contacts: Lois Hughes- 501-337-9170 or Cheri Bailey 501-467-8018.

QUILTING BEES

Appli-Q-Ties will meet the 3rd Friday at the Irwin Agency at 12:30pm. Anyone interested in coming or have any questions, contact Wilma Blair at (501) 767-6956 or email at wjmblair@prodigy.net

Open Bee will be held the 3rd m Wednesday at the Irwin Agency from 10am to 3pm. Contact Clarice Marker at (501)760-1601 or email at claricemarker@aol.com for current projects.

If there are any more groups that would like to post their meeting times, please let me know....jan taylor (taylor.janice@gmail.com)

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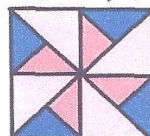
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