



The Patchwork Pipeline

Baytown Area Quilt Guild

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President's Pen

Gina Miller



Hello Quilting Friends,

I hope you had a wonderful time at our annual Christmas Party. Many thanks to Rhonda Lawrence for the beautiful decorations and fun game of Quilt-O.

It is extremely hard to believe that the year is ending. Special thanks to all the officers and committee members that served in 2023. I really appreciate all their help and dedication to the Guild. It has been a pleasure to serve as President and look forward to next year.

I appreciate everyone who stepped up to be an officer or committee member for 2024. I am looking forward to working with each of you.

There are so many great programs and workshops booked for next year. And, you can reserve your spot in the workshops now! I hope each of you will attend.

Wishing each of you and your families a wonderful Holiday Season.

If you have any questions or issues, please let me know.

Happy quilting,

Gina

Programs

Linda Hord



Our speaker for January is Nicole Lester from League City. Nicole started sewing at an early age with her Grandmother Mimi who instilled in her a love of sewing and quilting. Nicole now specializes in tee-shirt and memory quilts as well as fabric weaving, modern quilting, and portrait collages.

Nicole prides herself on not being a cookie cutter quilter and feels honored that her clients choose her to create something meaningful and special. She loves to inspire, teach, and share her love of the quilting process. What started as a hobby has turned into a career.

Please join us on Tuesday, January 2 to learn more about Nicole's journey in quilting.

Happy New Year and Welcome to Workshops 2024!

Our first class of 2024 is just about full. I will make a waiting list in case someone cannot attend. What is new this year is that you can sign up for all four classes now. Payment secures your spot. One thing is sure, I promise it will be fun.

The workshops planned for the year are:

- Tuesday, February 6, 2024 - **“Striking Stars” with Paula Barnes.**
Workshop fee \$45
- Tuesday, April 2, 2024 - **“Log Cabin” with Brenda Asmus** representing Marti Michell (known for templates and patterns) Workshop fee \$35
- Tuesday, June 4, 2024 - **“Starquar Scrap Quilt” with Diane Harris** (Stash Bandit)
Workshop fee \$45
- August 6, 2024 - **“Quilt a Chair” with Diane Springer**
Workshop fee \$35 (kit fee \$28; chair fee \$35).



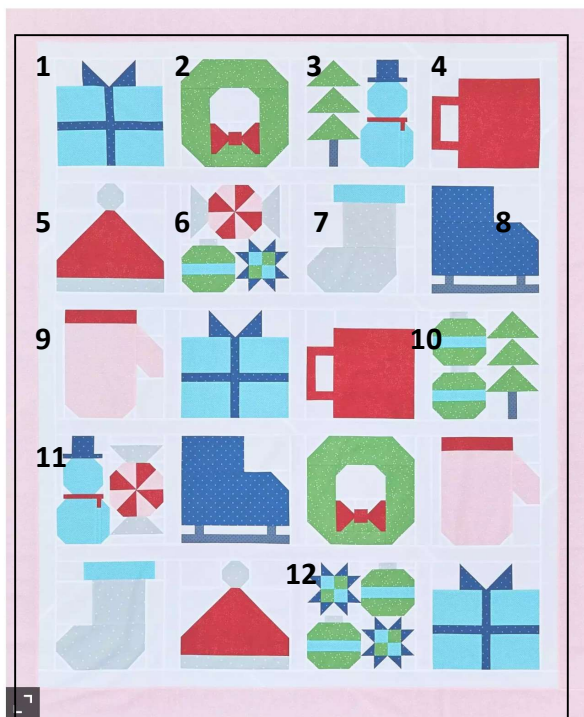
Block of the Month

Gloria Hill

Thanks to all who participated in our BOM for 2023. I hope many of you will choose to join us in 2024. At the Christmas party many indicated interest in doing a Christmas BOM. I found one that will work for us. Here is the website to access patterns. Block 1 (present) will be completed by February. I'm also showing a picture of the quilt with blocks numbered. The quilt has duplicate blocks so there are a couple of options which I will explain in January, but in the meantime, you can review fabric requirements and start choosing your fabrics. Again, I hope many will participate. We will have monthly drawings if you show your blocks. Let's have fun with this together!!

<https://www.allpeoplequilt.com/quiltalong/seasonal-sampler>

Seasonal Sampler



There are 20 blocks, but there are several duplicates. It could be 12 blocks – all different.

Community Service

Becky Wilson

Thank you so much for your generous donations at our December meeting. The folks at the Baytown Homeless Shelter were thrilled to receive seasonings for their meals.

I am looking forward to sharing our plans to help our community in 2024.



Before you can be really good at something, you have to be to be willing to be really bad.

Hospitality**JoAnn Massony**

Mary Ables
 Janet Ables
 Karen Morris
 Angel Herring


Donation Quilt Tickets **Patti Macon**
Vickie Carol

We are starting another new year with another beautiful donation quilt for next fall's raffle. It is never too early to start selling tickets!

Please plan to pick up your packet (and more!) at the January meeting. Remember, every member is responsible for one booklet of tickets (\$25) to support The Guild's programs, workshops and community service projects. So, please bring \$50 to the meeting to cover your annual membership and minimum donation quilt tickets for the year. Check or exact cash is greatly appreciated.

We encourage you to also sell tickets to family, friends, neighbors and co-workers. Plenty of tickets are available.

Treasurer's Report**Connie Schofield****Report as of November 30, 2023**

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|---------------------------|---------------|
| Balance October 31, 2023 | \$44,017.21 |
| DEPOSITS | |
| Mini Raffle | <u>58.00</u> |
| Total Deposits | \$58.00 |
| EXPENSES | |
| Bank statement fee | 2.00 |
| Corrine Sovey | <u>702.61</u> |
| Total Expenses | \$704.61 |
| Balance November 30, 2023 | \$43,370.60 |

Next Meeting**January 2, 2024****6:30 - Social time,****7:00 - General meeting****Newsletter****Angie Brown**

The deadline for article submission for the January issue of The Patchwork Pipeline is January 15th. Please email your articles to angiebrown14@outlook.com

Guild Meetings are held the first Monday of each month (except on holidays).

Social time is 6:30 pm,

Meeting begins at 7:00 pm

St. Mark's United Methodist Church,

3811 N. Main Street,

Baytown, TX 77521

BAYTOWN AREA QUILT GUILD

MEMBERSHIP 2024

Barb Wooster
Jan Cobb

It is time to renew your guild membership dues for 2024.

The yearly dues are \$25.00 for individuals. If there are multiple members in one household the dues are \$25.00 for the primary and \$12.50 for each subsequent member of the same household.

You may pay your membership by check or cash. If paying with cash the correct amount is appreciated.

If you are unable to renew your membership in person, the completed form below with your check to BAQG can be mailed to:

Barb Wooster
3702 Trailwood Dr.
Baytown, TX 77521

2024 MEMBERSHIP

PLEASE PRINT

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Birthday (Month & Date) _____

Email: _____

All newsletters will be sent via email unless requested by USPS Mail.

Check number: _____

2024 OFFICERS

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| President | Gina Miller |
| Programs 2024 | Linda Hord |
| Workshops 2024 | Jane DeStefano |
| Workshops 2025 | Linda Hord |
| Workshops 2025 | Gina Miller |
| Parliamentarian | Sharron Wood |
| Membership | Barbara Wooster |
| Membership | Jan Cobb |
| Historian | Ginny Sanders |
| Treasurer | Connie Schofield |
| Secretary | Sherry Mendenhall |
| Auction | Jane DeStefano |
| Community Service | Becky Wilson |
| Librarian | Open |

2024 COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Block of the Month | Gloria Hill |
| Donation Quilt Ticket Sales | Patti Macon |
| | Vickie Carroll |
| Donation Quilt 2024 | Kelly Pilkinton |
| | Donna Nichols |
| Door Prizes | Barbara Pitre |
| Hospitality | JoAnn Massony |
| Mini Raffle | Jeannine Cross |
| Newsletter | Angie Brown |
| Show and Tell | Doris Scarbrough |
| Sunshine and Shadows | Donna & Sonny Nichols |
| Tool Time | Katrina Sommerfeld |
| Website | Jayne Clifton |

***Birthdays***

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|-------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Vicki Ewell</i> | <i>1/8</i> |
| <i>Markelas Jackson</i> | <i>1/10</i> |
| <i>Amanda Walters</i> | <i>1/13</i> |
| <i>Barbara Cory</i> | <i>1/17</i> |
| <i>Ginny Sanders</i> | <i>1/18</i> |
| <i>Tisha Rackley</i> | <i>1/19</i> |
| <i>Carla Hoff</i> | <i>1/20</i> |
| <i>Becky Wilson</i> | <i>1/24</i> |
| <i>JoAnn Massony</i> | <i>1/26</i> |
| <i>Jane Ott</i> | <i>1/30</i> |

Life's most persistent and urgent question is, "What are you doing for others?"

Painted Pony 'n Quilts
 1015 S. Broadway, La Porte, TX 77571
 M-F 10am-4pm; Sat., 10am-3pm

Happy New Year!

CLOSED Mon., Jan. 1, 2024



**OUR POPULAR,
WEEK LONG,
JANUARY SALE
IS BACK
by popular demand!**

JANUARY 8-13
 (reg. business hours M-F 10-4, Sat. 10-3).
CLOSED for INVENTORY on Mon., Jan. 15.

Visit us online: www.ppnq.com
 Contact us: ppnqstaff@ppnq.com or 281-471-5735



The Baby Lock machines
have arrived!!

Quilters' Therapy

Drop by for a session; no appointment necessary

13631 Eagle Drive (FM 3360)
Mont Belvieu, TX
Tel # (346) 567-4040

email: info@quilterstherapy.com
<https://www.quilters-therapy.com>
 Follow us on Facebook & Instagram

Drop by and take a look at the latest
and greatest machines. We will do our
best to match any competitors' prices.

See you soon!
No appointment necessary.

Sherry Beasley

Longarm E2E Quilting Featherweight Maintenance

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Check us out on Facebook at [Baytown Area Quilt Guild](#) where you can find meeting photos, upcoming guild events, other quilt shows around the area, tips and tricks and much more.



And www.baytownareaquiltguild.com

Return Service Requested

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