

HONEYBEE BUZZ



JULY 2021

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Happy 4th of July everyone! I am hoping everyone is staying safe and happy. Though everything that has gone on in the past year, I think we have certainly survived by having each other and a hobby we love. We have wonderful volunteers who certainly know how to keep us busy whether it is with charity, workshops and retreats. I am very thankful to have all of you as part of my family!

I am excited for what is planned for the rest of the year and that we are seeing quilt shows and festivals opening back up.

Itching to be stitching,

Jeanie

Snip it

If you wish to participate in charity sewing please use the signup sheet available at our May meeting. Once I have the names of interested participants I will reach out and set a meeting to discuss projects, sewing times, etc. Thanks in advance, Robin Allison

Snip it

Several members are continuing to make dog and cat beds. Please collect your scraps (free of paper) and bring to Pernie at our monthly meetings. Thank you!

MEETING

Tuesday, July 6th
6:30 p.m. at Mandarin
Presbyterian Church
West Campus located at:
11844 Mandarin Rd,
Jacksonville, FL 32223
Jacksonville, FL 32223

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Officers

President: Jeanie Jacobson Vice-president: Beth Porker Secretary: Trini Bowen Treasurer: Anne Morgan

The website for Honeybees http://honeybeequilters.org





We know that you like to quilt, embroidery, craft, etc., but there is much more that we don't know about you.



JULY
Robyn Eubamks 03rd
Joan Rogers

This challenge is meant to change all of that. Let us get to know you through your quilt. There are no rules. It can be as big or as small as you like. It is due at the <u>August meeting</u>.

Think about all of the things that make you, you: your family, heritage, faith, career, favorite music, books, other interests, the possibilities are endless...

Snip it: Don't forget your fat quarters!!

Honey Bee's General Membership Meeting

June 1, 2021

President, Jeanie Jacobson called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Visitors: Jennifer from Missouri, has made a double wedding ring quilt. Nancy from Rhode Island and is relocating due to her husband's work. She has been quilting for 5 years. She and has lots of fun doing it and enjoys the friendship quilting brings. We enjoyed meeting both these ladies and would love to have them join the guild.

Colleen Rosatone, the exchange chairperson, stated that the block exchange is doing great. We have received the full set of 30 of blocks from many of the members. There will also be a block drawing at the birthday party at the August meeting. The block is called, "I spied at the beach." The patterns for both the exchange and the drawing can be found in the newsletter and on our website.

Maureen Wasson will be doing the premeeting get together at Panera's.

Meet and greet is being volunteered to Elaine.

Annette will see us in November.

Anne and Trini will give brief description to Connie for the newsletter concerning their positions for the newsletter to encourage prospective candidates for next year's board.

Treasurer's report by Anne Morgan: The balance for savings and checking together is \$ 14,000.

We made about \$100 on the auction.

Secretary, Trini Bowen provided members with copies of the menu from Jason's Deli. Payment for the meal including 7.5% tax and a tip is due at the July meeting. Please make payment to Trini Bowen.

The Hawthorne Retreat is full. There are 22 people signed up.

Cinnamon's stay retreat in October will cost \$55 and will run from Oct 15th through 17th. Members can arrive as early as 1:00 on Friday and sew until 10:00 P.M. Sat 9- 9:00, Sunday 10:00-3:00. Friday night and sat night only are catered meals that are included in the fee. Members will be on their own for all the other meals. Feel free to bring snacks to share.

Pat's husband has been diagnosed with Leukemia. He has been in the hospital for 17 days and will be there an additional 6 weeks. Our hearts and prayers are with you both.

Robyn Eubanks will cover the leg work for Stay Fest.

Program: Mo will talk to us in Nov. about binding. And Annette will talk about EQ in January.

The June Cheerful pattern workshop will be taught by Jenna Borderching,

The T-shirt workshop will be held at the Masonic lodge in Arlington During July, We will be joining River City quilting guild for this event. We are looking forward to working with a sister guild.

Paula from So Modern Chickie will do a Pop-Up Shop at the cheerful workshop and at the birthday party,

We discussed the fact that the Prime Osborne lost our march date for 2021 for Quilt Fest. But we are still holding on to the March 2022 date in case we cannot find another option.

Jeanie is asking Cinnamon's to feature a quilt guild each month, or perhaps let us set up at new classes weekend She will also ask local neighborhood newspapers to feature Honey Bee's Quilt Guild. Dawn will contact the Creekside newsletter.

Sunshine

BD Barbara point – knee replacement

Francis there was a drive by the night of our meeting.

Birthdays: Kristine Steine, and Faye Heyne

Anniversaries: Maureen Wasson and Anna Turek.

Robyn Allison

Kristine Bessler

It was good to hear that Carolyn Allen is feeling better. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Carolyn.

Mary Alice, Challenge chairperson reminded us that the" Getting to know you" quilt is due at the August birthday party.

Auction is being continued tonight.

Opportunity quilt – Jenna will help promote the quilt.

Show and tell.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30

F.L.I.P.F.L.O.P. Retreat (Fabulous Ladies in Paradise Finishing Lots of Projects) August 12-16

Luther Springs; 264 Vause Lake Rd, Hawthorne Fl 32640

\$185 double \$205 single

October 15-17, 2021 Cinnamon's stay-cation

March 3-6, 2022 Luther Springs

August 25-28 2022 Luther Springs

UFO CHALLENGE:

Isn't 8 great? You should be working on item #8 on your list. If you have completed that item based on your criteria, please bring it to July's Show and Tell along with a Fat Quarter for the drawing at the Birthday Party in August. We have 29 Fat Quarters in our drawing so far! At July's meeting, a new number will be drawn for us to work on during that month.

Programs:

Who would like to start planning the programs and workshops for next year? Come on, don't be shy. You CAN DO THIS or recruit some friends to help you plan fun and learning for us for next year.

July: Claire King - No Trace Fusible Applique for Quilts

Aug: Birthday Party

Sept: Melanie from Bee's- Machine Maintenance **Oct**: Colleen - Edge to Edge machine embroidery **Nov**: Mo Reiter - Bias Binding and Scallop Borders

Dec: Holiday Party

Jan: Annette - EQ software

July 17th - Claire King - How to Make a Tee Shirt Quilt 9:30-2:30

This will be held in Arlington with the River City Piece Makers (Arlington Masonic Lodge #309 3421 University Blvd N, 32277). Arrive at 9:30 to set up so we can hit the ground running at 10. The cost is \$20 non-refundable workshop fee. Supply List if you would like to get started (not mandatory):

- 4 uncut Tee-shirts with a variety of different size designs
- Fabric Scissors, Rotary Cutter and Cutting Mat
- One large ruler with your name on it to share (Instructor will have a variety to share)
- Steam Iron (regular or travel size)
- Ironing surface (Board, tabletop)
- 3 yards of Pellon "Shape-Flex" Woven Cotton Interfacing (Also called SF101) Color white.

Can be purchased online, at JoAnn Stores (Regularly\$ 6.99 per yard), Walmart Online and in-store for as low as \$3.74 per yard if purchased by the 10 yd bolt). It is only 20" wide (for a large lap quilt you will use every bit of the bolt). Other type apparel fusible interfacing may can be used, but I recommend SF101 because it fuses perfectly, irons easily and stays put. Black may be used on dark shirts, but not necessary.

Elfin Magic: workshop will be on Saturday, November 13th in the Fellowship Hall

\$25 non-refundable kit fee

More details to follow.

Honeybee program Payment Policy

- For workshops, there will be a \$20 nonrefundable deposit due at signup. Sign-up will close when the class is filled, or two weeks prior to event, whichever comes first. The deposit can be transferred to another member to take their place at the workshop.
- For retreats, a non-refundable deposit is due at sign-up. The amount will be determined by the amount of deposit required by the venue.
- For bus trips, there will be a non-refundable deposit due at sign-up., to hold a place on the bus and reserve the event ticket. Amount will be determined by the cost of the event and bus company deposit.

All deposits will be refunded if the workshop or event is canceled.