

# **HONEYBEE BUZZ**



#### **JULY 2022**

# PRESIDENT'S LETTER

#### Snip it

Meet & Greet at Panera will be at 5:15 pm

Greetings Sister Honeybees,

I hope you are having a fantastic Independence Day!

Can you believe it? We are actually going to have QuiltFest this year! I am asking all of you to get involved in some way. QuiltFest is only possible because people like you enter quilts for others to see and volunteer to make it one of the top twenty quilt shows in the U.S. At our July meeting you will get the full scoop of how to enter, sell or donate quilts. You will also learn about all the fun ways to get involved. Please drop of slip of paper in the jar letting me know how you plan on being involved. Everyone who obligates to work or enter and carries through with their obligation will win a prize.

Each year one of the six local guilds hosts the event. 2024 will be Honeybee's turn to host. You will also learn what will be expected of us to have a successful event.

Remember to bring a picture of yourself in an envelope and give it to Robyn for the Birthday Party. Also, round up a black on white 10" square and a white on black 10" square.

If your birthday is in the month of July, remember to bring a snack to share.

Happy Sewing, Trini

# Board Meetings: 6:00 p.m on the **4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month** at Cracker Barrel on Hwy 17 OP

• July 25<sup>th</sup>

- August 22<sup>nd</sup>
- September26th
- October 24<sup>th</sup>
- November 28<sup>th</sup>
- December No meeting

#### Snip It

Where were you in 1987?

Please bring a photo of yourself from 1987, in a labeled envelope and give to Robyn Eubanks. She will be collecting these until **July**.

Photos will be on display at our 35th Honeybee Birthday Party in August! Looking forward to seeing a younger you! Have fun hunting!!

#### **MEETING**

Tuesday, July 5<sup>th</sup>

6:30 p.m. at Mandarin

Presbyterian Church

West Campus located at:

11844 Mandarin Rd,

Jacksonville, FL 32223

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#### Officers

President: Trini Bowen

VP: MaryAlice Howle

Treasurer: Pat Guildford

Secretary: Annette Paulson,

Mary Alice, Robyn & Joan

The website for Honeybees <a href="http://honeybeequilters.org">http://honeybeequilters.org</a>

Happy Birthday	y
Mary Alice Howle Jennifer Routh Denise Adams Joyce Snyder Cheryl McCain Robin Allison Karen Krueger Robyn Eubanks Sheryl Capes	July 02 July 02 July 03 July 09 July 14 July 20 July 22 July 25 July 28
Robyn Baldwin	July 30

# Happy Anniversary

Robyn Eubanks July 03 Joan Rogers July

#### Quilter's Walk Baskets:

The Honeybees will submit 2 smaller baskets to the Quilt Fest Quilter's Walk Basket raffle. Our first basket is called "**Diamonds are Forever**" -this is the quilting basket. So we were thinking diamond stuff - rulers, sparkly material, any pattern, pins, a flashy rotary cutter, 007 theme.

Our second basket is a "*Generic Tailgate*" - bring all things tailgate - platter or chip bowl, basting brush, cutting board, insect covers for plates, hamburger press, kabob skewers, meat thermometer, oven mitts, tongs, thermos, cookbook, apron, grilling spatula, grill cleaning brush, marinating containers, sauces....

#### **UFO Challenge:**

Oooohhhh, we're halfway there....are you guys staying indoors and completing some UFOs? Well, challenge friends, you should be working on #5 during the month of June. Have this UFO completed according to your definition, bring it to show, and then put a FQ in the pot to be drawn at the Birthday Party in August. Programs:

I hope you were able to enjoy Elaine's beautiful trunk show and program about borders. Thank you, Elaine for sharing your knowledge and acquired wisdom with us; we appreciate it! This month we will be visiting all things Quilt Fest from a participant and a volunteer perspective. Who else is looking forward to ooh and ahh over beautiful work? What about shopping the vendors? How about entering a quilt in the show?

- July Quilt Fest is returning in September so we will have a FAQ
- August- Guild Birthday Party
- September Jeanie will show different ideas for Half Square Triangles
- October- Your favorite things! Each member is welcome to share their favorite tool or ruler or system. Or we might have someone teach us how to use the Stripology ruler.
- November Pat in-set seams/multiple points
- December Holiday Party

#### Workshops:

Thank you, Robyn for challenging those of us who participated in the June workshop to make a barn quilt block. I can honestly say it broke me. I still have an unpainted square in my creating space- committing to paint colors is a challenge. I am looking forward to seeing everyone else's finished blocks so I can be inspired. Come proudly show your work!

July 16th 9-3 The Loft - Nancy Wines - Mulberry Lodge

Supply List: sewing machine, 1/4 inch foot, cotton piecing thread, scissors, seam ripper, straight pins, 6"x24" ruler, rotary cutter, cutting mat

Pattern - will be handed out from "Fons & Porter's Easy Quilts" Winter 2015

#### Fabric Requirements -

- 2 3/4 yds of multicolored focus fabric and binding
- 1 3/4 yards complementary fabric # 1 (see pattern -polka dot on pattern)
- 1/4 yard complementary fabric # 2(see pattern polka dot in separate colorway)
- 1 3/4 yds background fabric
- 4 yards backing

**November 19th** - 9-3 The Loft - **Elfin Magic** - Elaine and her elves already have everything planned for our annual Elfin Magic event. If you haven't joined us, please do. We have great laughs, food, and fun as we make new projects. I can pretty much guarantee that Elaine has a project that includes a zipper! I think we are entering year 9 with this fun event.

# RETREATS - Robyn Eubanks

Let's Flamingo - August 25-28, 2022, ... Luther Springs; 264 Vause Lake Rd, Hawthorne FI 32640

#### \$185 double \$205 single

Sew staycation - Oct 14-16, 2022, ... Cinnamon's Quilt Shop on Hood Rd.

Happy Campers - March 2-5, 2023, ... Luther Springs; 264 Vause Lake Rd, Hawthorne FI 32640 Cost to be announced...

#### **Honeybee Quilt Guild**

June 7, 2022 Membership Meeting (6:30 pm) Mandarin Presbyterian Church, The Loft 2501 Loretto Road, Jacksonville, FL 32223

#### Call to Order - Trini Bowen: 6:30 pm

- Introduction of Guest(s) Jan Lipsky
- Board Meetings are on 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at 6:00 pm at the Cracker Barrels (SR17 and I295) in Orange Park.
- It is requested that Chairpeople attend, however it is open to everyone.
- It was requested to include a zoom # at the next meeting.
- September, October and November meetings will be at the other campus.

#### Minutes of last meeting (06/03/22) – Trini Bowen:

 As submitted by secretary Annette Paulson to membership; motion to approve by <u>Kristine Stein</u>, seconded by <u>Cheryl McKain</u>; approved as read

#### **Presidents Report** – Trini Bowen:

- May workshop held on 5/21/22, Embroidery Machines with the Queens was awesome!
- Program tonight: Better Pieced Borders with Elaine Elaine Stemetzki

#### Vice Presidents Report – Mary Alice Howle:

Maryalice's mom is doing great!

#### Treasurer's Report - Pat Guilford:

•	<ul> <li>Checking:\$1947.07 and Saving</li> </ul>	gs:\$11871.85	
•	• Income Year-to- Date:\$6847.36 and E	xpenses Year-to-Date:\$5432.87	
•	• We had income of \$1093.02mostly from the ug	gly auction _\$962	
•	• We had expensed from the <u>Ugly Auction Distribu</u>	tions and for the storage unit.	
•	<ul> <li>Currently we are approximately \$287.24 to the</li> </ul>	ne positive, mostly from membership dues	

#### **Committee Reports:**

#### Charity - Robin Allison:

- Next Charity Sewing is 6/18/22. Atkins has donated 6 Yellow Brick Road patterns to the guild and ask they put their name on the guilt in return.
- Pat relayed there is a \$115 budget for the next charity workshop.
- Elaine Stemetzki offered to guilt those made at the charity sewing workshop.

#### **Challenges - UFO** – Beth Porkert:

- Show-in-Tell: Sandra Brinson, Dee Harrison, Jeannie Jacobson, Colleen Rosatone, Beth Porkert, Kristine Stein, Karen Kessler
- New UFO challenge was presented to the guild by Sandy Kruszewski.
- Crazy Quilt Blocks anything goes, decorate with buttons and other embellishments. She recommended going to Pinterest and looking up Crazy Quilts.
- Quilt finished 15x15
- This month's number is \_\_\_5\_\_.

**Education** – Beth Porkert & Jeanie Jacobson (Looking for Replacement)

# We must have someone to take this position starting January 2023

# **Programs:**

July - Q&A on Jacksonville Quilt Fest - Beth Porkert & Jeanie Jacobson

August - Guild's Birthday Party - Robyn Eubanks, Joan Rogers, Priscilla West

- September ½ Squared Triangles Jeanie Jacobson
- October Favorite Gadget Beth Porkert
- November Y Seams & Intersection of Multiple Points Pat Guilford
- December Guild's Holiday Party: Theme: "I'll be Gnome for Christmas"

#### Workshops

- July 16th 9-3 The Loft Nancy Wines
   Vote on samples Nancy provided. Group chose: \_Boxy Mulberry Lodge
- Workshop is \$20 non-refundable at The Loft
- August 8/25-8/28 "Let's Flamingo Retreat" at Luther Springs Robyn Eubanks
- September Jacksonville QuiltFest
- October 10/14-10/16 "Sew Staycation at Cinnamon's" Robyn Eubanks
- November 11/12 Elfin Magic Elaine Stemetzki & Sheryll Capes
- Event is \$20, next meeting they will present samples
- December None

#### **Exchanges – Colleen Rosatone:**

2022 Quilt Block Exchange – ½ Square Triangle

Not Cozy Christmas (Based on Christmas Cozy from Quilting Daily) Need to submit 30 block using bright Batiks with black Kona for the background. They are due by June Members Meeting and will be distributed at the August Retreat. Since not all blocks were returned, please contact Colleen and she can meet you somewhere to get the remaining.

Hospitality -Trini Bowen	
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Hospitality - Birthday Party – Robin Eubanks, Joan Rogers & Pricilla West:
 Please provide a picture from 1987 (or within a year) to Robin Eubanks by July meeting. Please join in celebrating the Guild's 35th Anniversary.

#### Birthday Layer Cake Raffle - Colleen Rosatone

- Bring in 2 10 in squares one must be Black on White and one must be White on Black for each pair
  you will be given one entry for the drawing of all the squares.
- Hospitality Christmas Party Annette Paulson & Connie Kight (Theme & Decorations) & Colleen Rosatone (Block Exchange) THEME: I'll be GNOME for Christmas

Welcome – Karen Kruege	: Drawing for	door prize,	won by	
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**Membership** – Maureen Wasson: We have <u>59</u> members on the roll

Newsletter - Connie Kight: Newsletter was distributed.

**Publicity – Dawn Kelly:** 

Dawn mentioned in FB (on Sunday) she would not be at the June meeting and wanted feedback on the July publicity announcement. Beth Porkert via Trini Bowen said it was OK.

#### QuiltFest 2022 (Sept 15-17, 2022) "20/20 is Sew Perfect Quilt Show"

Website: Quilt Entries will be accepted on April 1, to July 25, 2022, for the 2022 show
 Guild Co-Ordinator – Trini Bowen:

• Guild voted on a name for the quilt "Diamonds are Forever"

#### QuiltFest 2022 Board Updates - Guild Rep or Maureen (Mo) Reiter:

Opportunity quilt basket:

Beth Porkert relayed there is a \$100 budget for two baskets. Group agreed on these two themes:

- Fabric diamond, shimmer
- Generic tailgating
- Mo made the guilt label

#### QuiltFest 2022 - Opportunity Quilt Mother - Marie Breslin:

#### QuiltFest 2023 - Opportunity Quilt Mother - Carol Melicky:

• Carol presented to the guild a quilt pattern by Moda Blockheads that had random 12 ½" blocks in colors Blue, Brown and Tans.

While the guild liked the guilt pattern presented, it was agreed she would find a standard pattern.

#### QuiltFest 2023 Theme - Maureen Wasson:

2024 will be our Guild coordinating. We will need to put together:

Challenge kits and rules

Ribbon toppers

Pin & logo

Group voted on a theme, "Sew Your Heart out" was the winner with "Chinese Zodiak – Year of the Dragon" as second place.

# **Retreats** – Robyn Eubanks:

### a. "Let's Flamingo Retreat"

- Dates: August 23 to 28, 2022 (Thursday to Sunday)
- · Location: Luther Springs, Hawthorn, FL
- Cost: \$185 Double and \$205 Single, 18 of the 22 slots are fill, you must pay to reserve your space
- Meals: Thursday Supper, Friday & Saturday Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner, Sunday Brunch

#### b. Sew Staycation

- Dates: October 14-16, 2022 (Friday-Sunday)
- Location: Cinnamons Quilt Shop, Jacksonville, FL
- Cost: TBD, approximately \$50-\$60
- Meals: TBD

#### c. "Happy Campers"

- Dates: March 2-5, 2023
- Location: Luther Springs, Hawthorn, FL
- Cost: TBD

#### **Sunshine –** Lisa Patubo-Daniel: not present

#### **Ways & Means – Vacant:**

#### Website -Anne Morgan:

• Its going well. As a reminder, Quilt Fest needs quilts.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

#### Snip it

If you wish to participate in charity sewing, please use the signup sheet available at our meetings. 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

#### Honeybee program Payment Policy

- For workshops, there will be a \$20 nonrefundable deposit (checks only) due at signup. Sign-up will close whe the class is filled, or two weeks prior to event, whichever comes first. The deposit can be transferred to anothe member to take their place at the workshop.
- For retreats, a non-refundable deposit is due at sign-up. (Checks only-No cash) 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. (checks only)

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

# Honeybee Quilt Guild

Birthday Party Raffle August 2, 2022
Win a Layer Cake of Black on White/White on Black

1 10" by 10" square black print on white cotton fabric
+ 1 10" by 10" square white print on black cotton fabric
Chance to Win a Layer Cake





one chance to win a fabric layer cake

Enter as many times as you want. Depending on the number of entries there may be more than one winner.

Questions - Contact Colleen Rosatone

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