Wichita Mountains Quilt Guild Bringing quilting and fiber arts to everyone





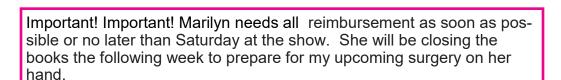


I've always enjoyed giving, receiving and making Valentine cards. Growing up, I made them out of construction paper. I've enjoyed making them from Valentine themed fabrics, as well.

Our February meeting will be focused on our guilt show and falls on Valentine's Day. Sharing your love of quilting with other quilters is a great way to celebrate the day.

Hope to see you there.

Carol Johnson, President



The bottom of the pages the guild address was partially wrong. It is now corrected.

February 2 Ground Hog

February 14 Valentines Day

February 14 10 6:30 pm at First Baptists West Church Quilt Guild Meeting and turn in your quilts

February 17 Set Up for the quilt show

February 18th & 19th **Color Explosion Quilt Show**

February 21 President's Day

OFFICERS

President: Carol Johnson V. President: Jackie Harmon Secretary: Kathy Burnett Treasurer: Kasey Johns Programs: Diane Fizzell Hospitality: Jan Crain-

Wayman

Community Sew: TLC: Plezie Johnson

Ways & Means: Nancy Wicker

& Lenor Davis

Membership: Cris Ross

Historian:

Publicity: Kathy Hepner Newsletter, Facebook, Webpage: Vicki Nightingale Quilt Show Chairman: Vicki

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January 2022 Wichita Mountain Guild Meeting Minutes

The WMQG January 10, 2022 meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President, Carol Ann Johnson.

Minutes: A motion was made by Lee Diaz and seconded by Peggy Coe. Minutes were approved.

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>: The Treasurers report was not available.

<u>Birthdays</u>: Birthdays for January were celebrated.

Drag and Brag: Drag and Brag was shown.

Ways & Means: Ways and Means tickets were drawn and prizes were given away.

<u>Visitors</u>: There was one visitor and one new member.

Old Business: There was no old business.

New Business:

Carol Ann said the guild meeting time would be discussed at the next board meeting. The suggested time will be going back to previous pre-covid hours of 6:30 gathering/socializing/snack time and business meeting starting at 7:00.

Cris Ross said a new membership roster will be sent soon with the newsletter.

2022 Quilt Show Business:

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Vicki reminded everyone that the volunteer sheets were on the table behind her and volunteers were needed for many times during the quilt show. She also reminded us to sell quilt raffle tickets, doll tickets and to post the show information on our Facebook pages.

Lenore asked those who had made outfits to bring an American girl doll (if you have one) to dress it an outfit you made and take a picture to post it for advertisement.

Vicki is putting the quilt show program together, let her know if you need anything in it.

There are vendor spots remaining, let Viki know if you know of anyone who would be interested in renting a booth.

LaDonna Myers is registration chairman. The completed quilt entry forms, along with entry fee are due tonight. It looked like there were approximately 70-80 so she asked if anyone would enter more quilts to send her the paperwork and fee in next couple of days.

The actual quilts (in separate pillowcases, labeled) (quilts should not be in trashbags as these tear too easily) would be collected by her and Peggy Coe at the following times:

February 14 (Guild meeting)

February 15 in parking lot of church from 6:30-7:30 pm

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<u>Program</u>: The program tonight was to help make decorations for the quilt show. It was deferred to February guild meeting due to the late time. Program chair, Dee Fizzel and Cris Ross showed the color explosion decorations we would be doing. There will also be 8 colorful wreaths to decorate and these wreaths will be given to 8 people drawn from the jars of people who didn't win a basket.

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The meeting was adjourned.

February Refreshments will be provided by Peggy Coe, Carol Johnson and Plezie





Color Explosion Quilt Show

February 18 & 19

I am ready to get this show on the road or rather in the Great Plains Coliseum. Yahoo! Look on the next page with LaDonna's information. Over 100 quilts will be on exhibit.

We need everyone to help on Thursday to set up the show. Our priority will be first setting up the drapes and getting the quilts hung. Dee is in charge of setting up the drapes. The quilts will be judged with the quilts hung. Once that is done or if there is plenty of volunteers then the rest of the show can be set up.

I need to know as soon as possible how many tables and chairs you need. I need to send the information to the coliseum Feb 5th.

Please turn in your reimbursement by Saturday of the show. Marilyn will be in the hospitality room during the show. She is having surgery on her hand immediately after the show.

Check about the volunteer sheet below in Pam's Notice

If you need signs printed for you please contact Vicki. I am looking for a chalkboard or white board that could be set up for listing when demonstrations are going to be done, the quilt auction, etc.

Quilt Guild Booth will sell any quilt kits provided you mark the price and take them back if they don't sell. The same goes with any quilt patterns. You can bring any magazines or books on the Thursday before the show. Anything left on Saturday will be discarded.

Jan is still accepting fat quarters.

LaDonna is doing the hospitality room. She will be asking volunteers to help provide food Thursday-Saturday. We still need to support the food trucks, San Jaun on Friday & Saturday and Bella Nonna on Saturday.

Be sure to bring your quilts Monday's guild meeting. Also bring the small quilts that will be auctioned on Saturday to Judy Haley.

For the show I have some KN95 masks available for your use. It is your choice to wear one or not. Sanitizer will also be provided.

Please let me know anything about the show because "I don't know what I don't know".

Vicki, Chairman

Pam's Notice

Be sure to sign up to work at quilt show unless you are already committed and check schedule to see when you work. I plan to send out a email the Tuesday or Wednesday before the show to all people that have signed up showing where and what time they signed up because some of these were signed up back in December.

I need about 10 slots filled mostly for Friday.

Ladies & Gentlemen! The time has come to get those quilts out for the quilt show and get them ready —- add sleeves and ID labels to include name, e-mail and phone number. Remember each quilt needs its own case that is also labeled.

Peggy and I will be at the guild meeting Monday, Feb 14 to pick up your quilts. The deadline for quilt delivery is Tuesday, Feb 15 and Peggy and I will be in the First Baptist West parking lot from 6:30-7:30pm, if you would rather come then.

We have a good show this year: 90 judged quilts, in 15 categories 11 not judged quilts 12 bullseye quilts 23 people entered quilts

Thank-you for all these quilt entries. I knew I could count on you, even with COVID.

About the hospitality room

Please consider making a contribution to our hospitality room. There are so many options — meat/cheese, bread, veg tray, chips, soup, cookies, cakes, donuts, water, paper products. There will be sign up sheets at the guild meeting. If you want to volunteer something you may sign up then or text me, LaDonna, at 580-695-1562 or e-mail me at ladonnameyerrn@yahoo.com.

Vendors and quilt show workers may eat in the hospitality room. I feel this is a very important part of our show. All donations are appreciated!



FEBRUARY NEWS:

2022 THE QUILT SHOW IS HERE!!!

HOLY COW! HOLY COW! HOLY COW! We have made it to February and Holy Cow, Holy Cow! The quilt showing is coming, the quilt show is coming! THE QUILT SHOW IS HERE! Holy Cow! Holy Cow!

BREATHE!

SAY it with me...I am good, we are good! We are the best quilt guild in Lawton. We rock! Sing it, scream it, and say it any way you want too, but most importantly believe it!

Programs for this upcoming is a light pump you up meeting! We will be doing the business part first. Ladonna will be collecting peoples quilt and I will be collecting the explosions people cut out for me to finish up the décor. I was going to make us really crazy busy but decided against it after a moment of clarity. Can believe I decided we would be calm and just chill this meeting? Enjoy it! I am not known to stay that way!

Remember the calm! Not in March thur August I have lined you all up some really fun events. I spent a whole day and I have some really cool things to tell you all at the meeting... They are a surprise until the meeting. I am so freaking excited!

UPCOMING EVENTS: THE QUILT SHOW

Don't forget we still are doing Trash to Treasure Quilt Raffle.

Here is how you qualify to win Treasure: (This is for every meeting)

- 1: Show up to meeting!
- 2: Wear you name tag!
- 3: Bring guests to the meeting, we love new friends!

Drag and Brag





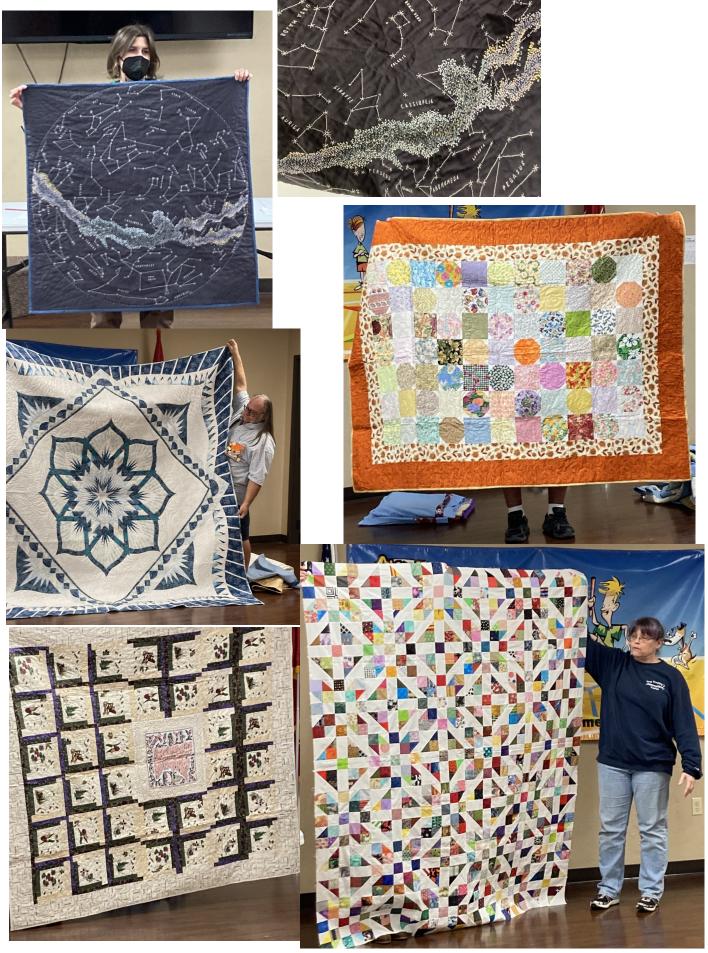




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