



# Wichita Mountains Quilt Guild

*Bringing quilting and fiber arts to everyone*



Dear WMQG Members,

On Monday, October 12, we will meet to have our annual Quilt Airing at First Baptist Church West. Please bring your quilts to share with the rest of the Guild. Usually, this is a festive event with shared quilts and shared food; however, this year will be a first, no food to share. Please plan on bringing your own snacks and drink, as we have been doing in this time of separation and distancing. Wearing a mask would make you and me feel safer.

Several of our members and former members were preparing for a Workshop at which we would be making our Bull's Eye quilts when it was determined that for the safety of all, we would have to cancel. As a result, many of us have been working on our quilts. There are some we would like to invite to come to the December meeting to display quilts, no judging, just to share what has been accomplished. Please pass the word around that all are invited as our guests for that meeting.

Check out the other items in the newsletter. There is a lot to see.

See you Monday the 12<sup>th</sup>! Enjoy your October!

Sincerely,  
Nancy Wicker, President



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## Upcoming Events

October 12 6:30 pm @  
FBWC **Wichita Mountain  
Guild meeting**  
"Quilt Airing"

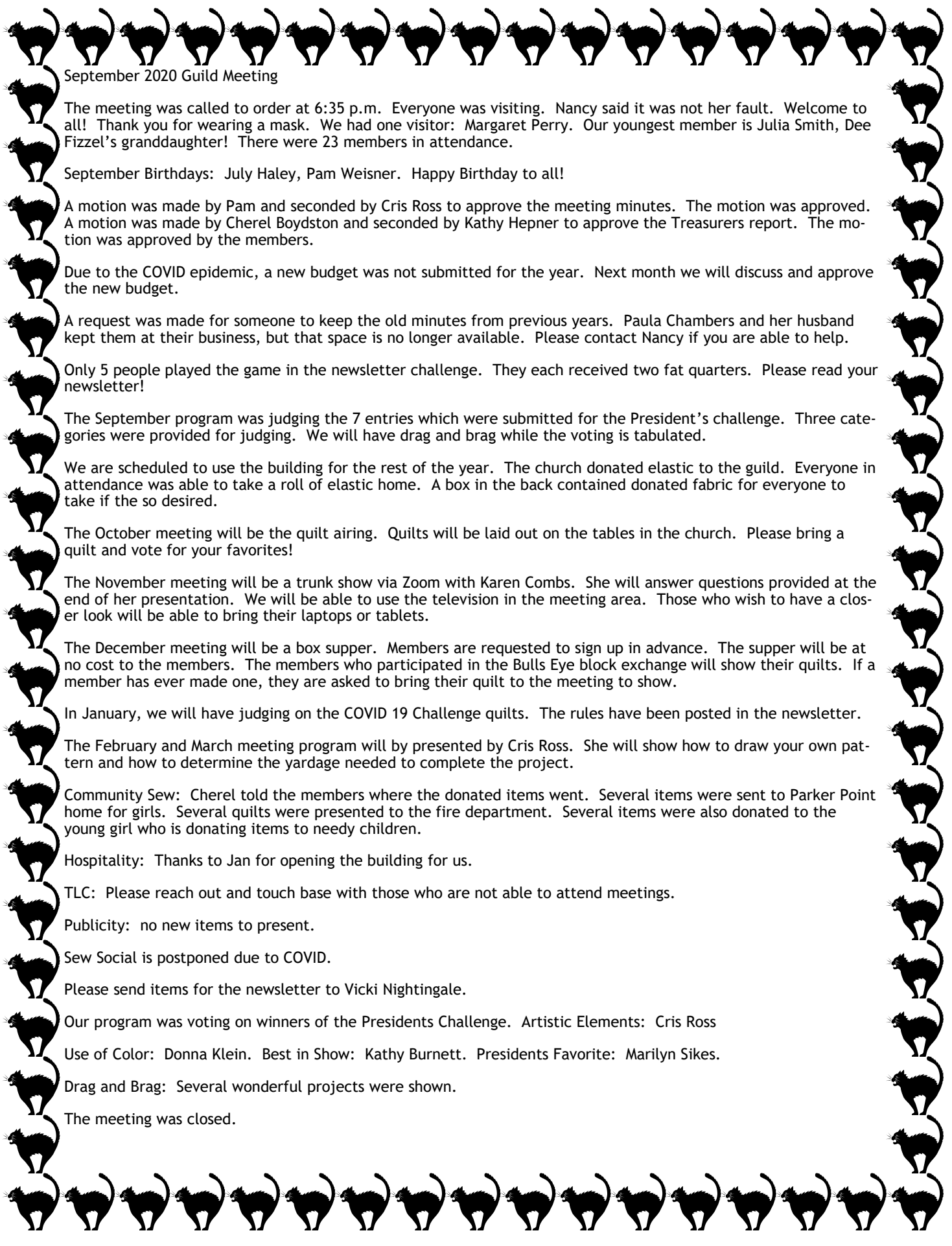
November 12 6:30 pm @  
FBWC **Wichita Mountain  
Guild meeting**  
"Quilts of Illusion" a lecture  
and trunk show by Karen  
Combs via Zoom"

December 12 6:30 pm @  
FBWC **Wichita Mountain  
Guild meeting** Box Sup-  
per & Bulls Eye Quilts

## OUR OFFICERS

**President:** Nancy Wicker  
**V. President:** Carol Johnson  
**Secretary:** Barbara Johnston  
**Treasurer:** Marilyn Sike &  
Susan Carpenter  
**Programs:** Mitchie Brown &  
Lenor Davis  
**Hospitality:** Jan Crain-  
Wayman  
**Community Sew:** Amanda &  
Sherel  
**TLC:** Plezie Johnson  
**Ways & Means:**

**Membership:** LaDonna Myers  
**Historian:**  
**Publicity:** Kathy Hepner  
**Newsletter, Facebook,  
Webpage:** Vicki Nightingale  
**Quilt Show Chairman:** Vicki  
Nightingale



September 2020 Guild Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 6:35 p.m. Everyone was visiting. Nancy said it was not her fault. Welcome to all! Thank you for wearing a mask. We had one visitor: Margaret Perry. Our youngest member is Julia Smith, Dee Fizzel's granddaughter! There were 23 members in attendance.

September Birthdays: July Haley, Pam Weisner. Happy Birthday to all!

A motion was made by Pam and seconded by Cris Ross to approve the meeting minutes. The motion was approved. A motion was made by Cheral Boydston and seconded by Kathy Hepner to approve the Treasurers report. The motion was approved by the members.

Due to the COVID epidemic, a new budget was not submitted for the year. Next month we will discuss and approve the new budget.

A request was made for someone to keep the old minutes from previous years. Paula Chambers and her husband kept them at their business, but that space is no longer available. Please contact Nancy if you are able to help.

Only 5 people played the game in the newsletter challenge. They each received two fat quarters. Please read your newsletter!

The September program was judging the 7 entries which were submitted for the President's challenge. Three categories were provided for judging. We will have drag and brag while the voting is tabulated.

We are scheduled to use the building for the rest of the year. The church donated elastic to the guild. Everyone in attendance was able to take a roll of elastic home. A box in the back contained donated fabric for everyone to take if the so desired.

The October meeting will be the quilt airing. Quilts will be laid out on the tables in the church. Please bring a quilt and vote for your favorites!

The November meeting will be a trunk show via Zoom with Karen Combs. She will answer questions provided at the end of her presentation. We will be able to use the television in the meeting area. Those who wish to have a closer look will be able to bring their laptops or tablets.

The December meeting will be a box supper. Members are requested to sign up in advance. The supper will be at no cost to the members. The members who participated in the Bulls Eye block exchange will show their quilts. If a member has ever made one, they are asked to bring their quilt to the meeting to show.

In January, we will have judging on the COVID 19 Challenge quilts. The rules have been posted in the newsletter.

The February and March meeting program will be presented by Cris Ross. She will show how to draw your own pattern and how to determine the yardage needed to complete the project.

Community Sew: Cheral told the members where the donated items went. Several items were sent to Parker Point home for girls. Several quilts were presented to the fire department. Several items were also donated to the young girl who is donating items to needy children.

Hospitality: Thanks to Jan for opening the building for us.

TLC: Please reach out and touch base with those who are not able to attend meetings.

Publicity: no new items to present.

Sew Social is postponed due to COVID.

Please send items for the newsletter to Vicki Nightingale.

Our program was voting on winners of the Presidents Challenge. Artistic Elements: Cris Ross

Use of Color: Donna Klein. Best in Show: Kathy Burnett. Presidents Favorite: Marilyn Sikes.

Drag and Brag: Several wonderful projects were shown.

The meeting was closed.

**Wichita Mountains Quilt Guild**  
**Treasurer's Report**  
**April-August 2020**

**Beginning Balance- 03/31/20** **\$9903.63**

**Income**

Membership \$510.00

Interest for March \$.77

Interest for April \$.81

Interest for May \$.82

Interest for June \$.82

Interest for July \$.89

**Subtotal** **\$10,417.74**

**Expenses:**

Executive Board \$5.38

Website \$100.04

**Ending Balance-08/31/20** **\$10,312.32**



October: annual "Quilt Airing" Covid 19 way. Quilts will be displayed across tables and/or chairs.

November: "Quilts of Illusion" a lecture and trunk show by Karen Combs via Zoom

December: Box supper paid for by WMQG and show and tell featuring the variety of Bull's Eye quilts made by members.

January: "Covid Challenge Quilts"

February & March Two part series by Cris Ross on "Drawing your own patterns and determining the yardage"

## Community Service

Please make pillowcases for the girls at Parker Point. Sheril said she received four thank you cards from them. Also if you have any old makeup or toiletries, lotion, perfumes, anything and it does not have to be full bottles. The girls really enjoyed those.

Please return items that you have made for community services.

Community service is also collecting plastic bags and fabric scraps.



**The Color Explosion Quilt Show has been postponed until February 2022 which means you have more time to make quilts.**

- 1. Please bring fat quarters to Jan.**
- 2. Make clothes for our American Girl Doll. Contact Lenor or I for patterns.**
- 3. Make or bring items for the gift baskets.**
- 4. Make quilts or other items for the quilt show Let us have the largest number of entries that we have ever had**

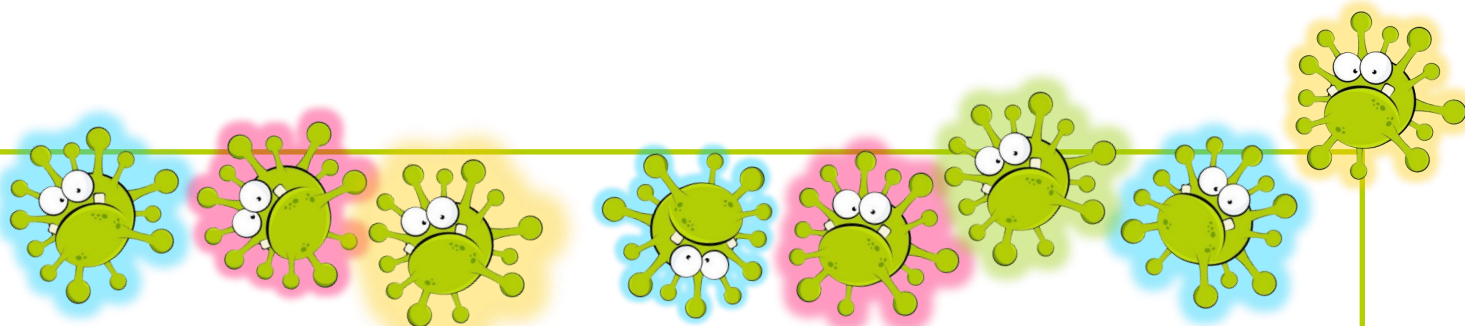
## Membership dues

Just a gentle reminder to those who have not yet paid, it is time to pay membership dues.

\$20 for those aged 18-64  
\$15 for those aged 65 and over  
\$10 for those aged 12-17  
\$10 - printed and mailed newsletter

If you choose, you may mail your dues to me at:

LaDonna Meyer  
45034 County Street 2680  
Cyril, OK. 73029



## CREATIONS From COVID-19 CHALLENGE Due in January 2021

Since we didn't get to hold an election of officers, members of your Lame Duck board thought it would be nice to have a project to help hold our guild together during this time of sheltering in place and social distancing. We decided to each make a rule and have a "Creations from Covid-19" challenge. If you choose to meet the challenge, you must follow all five rules. And of course, there is no limit to how many challenge quilts you may make.

Creations from Covid-19 rules:

Nancy: Perimeter must be no less than 40 inches and no more than 200 inches

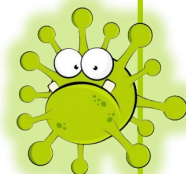
Barbara: No black fabric maybe used

Susan: Contain no red color

Peggy: Must use embroidery somewhere on the quilt

Lenor: Use a technique or tool you have never used before

Happy quilting and let us hear about or even see pictures of your quilt in progress. It might inspire someone who hasn't started yet.



# What would be your choice in the President's Challenge for Best Use of Color, Artistic Elements, Best of Show?

Winners are on the next page.



**Winners of the President's challenge**



Kathy Burnett Best in Show, Donna Klein Best Use of Color, Cris Ross Artistic Elements, Nancy Wicker holding Marilyn Sikes The President's favorite

*Cards were sent to*



Janet Light

# drag & brag





