

Hello Fellow Quilters from Winfield, Kansas,

Barbara Johnston will head up the meeting in my place for this month. For the last 43 years, we have attended the Walnut Valley Bluegrass Festival. I have been busy working on quilts while waiting for the festival to get started. Finished two. I have also made friends with members of the local guild up here. The local quilt shop, Field to Fabric, has let me come and sew in their back room for the last 3 years now. Sure is nice since it's been so hot. I have been invited to attend their guild meeting and show my marble quilt and the bluegrass quilt I've been working on. I will pick up the bluegrass quilt from the quilters and put the binding on up here. It will then go to its home. Doing my best to stay busy quilting, stay cool and eat some good food! See you all in October, so keep on quilting! Remember we have a quilt show in February!

Peggy Coe, President

September 11 6:30 pm First Baptist Church West "Jelly Roll Challenge"

September 25th 10-2 FBWC Community Sew

October 9 6:30 pm First Baptist Church West "Quilt Air-ing and Potluck"

November 13 6:30 pm First Baptist Church West How Quilts are judged by our Quilt Show Judge, Sherrie Massey."

December 11 6:30 pm First Baptist Church West Christmas Party"

Officers

President: Peggy Coe

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Secretary: LaDonna Myers

Treasurer: Marilyn Sikes

Programs: Diane Davis

Hospitality: Janet Light

Community Sew: Rene Palaniuk

TLC: Plezie Johnson

Ways & Means: ??????????

Membership: Nancy Wicker

Publicity: Kathy Hepner

Newsletter: Vicki Nightingale

Facebook & Webpage: Rene Palaniuk & Vicki Nightingale

Quilt Show Chairman : Vicki Nightingale

**Bring your jelly roll
Challenge to the guild
meeting!**

**New Starting Time!
6:30 pm Meeting begins**

Guild Meeting Minutes
WICHITA MOUNTAIN QUILT GUILD
August 14, 2023

The meeting was called to order by president Peggy Coe at 6:39pm.

A motion was made by Lee Diaz to approved the July minutes, as written in the August newsletter. Janet Light seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Diana Davis reviewed upcoming guild programs.

Tonight - Janet Light - miniature quilts

Dec - Christmas Program - decorate Chinese take-out box. Fill it with \$20 limit for Dirty Santa. Pick up box before leaving tonight.

Sept - Jelly roll challenge. Bring your jelly roll quilts for show and tell.

Oct - quilt airing. Theme to be presented next month.

Nov - Judging a quilt. A quilt judge will be telling us what she is looking for in a judged quilt show quilt. Duncan quilt guild will be joining us for the evening at \$5/person

3rd Monday in September in Duncan. The Duncan quilt guild has invited us to join them for their program on rope bowls.

Nancy shared that we had three new members tonight and eight guests. There are five August birthdays.

Marilyn Sikes, treasurer, shared that our opening balance for June was \$8139.57. She reviewed all the income and expenses for the month with a closing balance of \$7942.40. The treasurer's report was also posted in the newsletter.

Vicki Nightingale, the quilt show chair, shared information about the quilt show. She recognized Rene Pananiuk and Mandi Ralston for advertising our quilt guild meeting and for our new website. Raffle tickets are available for our show quilt and for the American Girl Doll. Members may pick up tickets for sale tonight and quilt may be taken to different venues to sell raffle quilt tickets. Vicki explained that we need a vendor for printing our quilt show t-shirts. Blue Moon Printing in Cache was offered as an option. Vicki will follow through on this suggestion. There will be a quilt show committee meeting this Thursday at 5:30pm at First Baptist East middle building.

Rene Palaniuk addressed community sewing. Pillow case kits are available for pick up this evening. Please bring them and any other community service projects to October guild meeting. Rene will not attend the September meeting. We will start Community Sew Day again September 24 from 10am - 2pm at First Baptist Church-West in the Fellowship Hall. All members are invited to bring their sewing machines and supplies and sew. Rene will have projects ready for completion.

Lenor Davis encouraged all members to submit quilting projects to the Comanche County Free Fair September 6-7-8-9. It is free to enter.

No old business was presented tonight.

Several people showed Drag and Brag tonight.

Chris Fick - finished a hexi quilt for a friend

Mandi Ralston - showed a Buffalo collage quilt

Sabrina from Duncan quilt guild - showed 2 mini quilts

Janet Light reminded members to sign up for snacks next month.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:39pm, by our president.

LaDonna Meyer

Guild Secretary

Wichita Mountains Quilt Guild Treasurer's Report 31 July - 31 August 2023

Opening Balanace \$7,942.40

Income:

Interest \$0.66

Membership \$60.00

Ways and Means \$1.00

Total \$61.66

Expenses

Storage \$69.00

Total \$69.00

Ending Balance: \$7,935.06

Submitted by Marilyn Sikes, Treasurer, 31 August 2023



Cards have been sent to the Amanda Thomas family and Marilyn Sikes

PROGRAMS

September is the **Jelly Roll Challenge**

October is the **Quilt Airing and Potluck**

November **How Quilts are judged by our Quilt Show Judge, Sherrie Massey.”**

December is the **Christmas Party** - decorate Chinese take-out box. Fill it with \$20 limit for Dirty Santa.



The manager of JoAnn's in Lawton has said he will honor a discount when showing your membership card. He cannot guarantee other store will honor it. He has informed his staff to honor the coupons.



Bad News. When members tried to claim their 10% discount it was refused. An email campaign has been started to protest.

Community Sew

Thank you for all your hard work this year!

We will resume community sew days beginning in September - the 4th Monday of the month at First Baptist West 10am-2pm, bring your machine and current project, or I'll have Community Sew projects available work on.



Bring your finished pillow cases and any other projects to the September meeting.

If you know of an agency that could use our skills, please let me know! The guild website has been updated with all of our projects and future plans.
Item

Rene

We welcome our new members who joined at the August meeting. If you have not yet renewed your membership, please do so at your earliest convenience. Membership fees for senior citizens is \$15.00. This is also the fee for those under 18 years of age. Regular membership is \$20.00, renewable each May.

Looking forward to serving the Guild as membership chairman. If you know of someone who would like to visit, please invite them to our meeting in August. New ideas and quilters are always a plus in our guild. Be safe, stay out of this sweltering heat, and see you in September!
Nancy Wicker, Membership Chairperson

“The Wonderful World of Quilts” QUILT SHOW is set for February 16th 9-5 and Feb 17th 9-3 at the Great Plains Coliseum annex.



At the quilt show meeting on the 17th we had a very busy and productive meeting. We accepted Quilt n’Bee ‘s proposal to help sponsor the show. As a sponsor a 3600 Janome machine will be donated as a door prize and also the printing & designing of the program. In return the vendor fee will be waived . Flyers, postcards, and ad in the program will have their sponsorship.

Blue Moon in Cache is making a shirt for me to show at the next guild meeting. I will have order forms for the shirts. The shirts are part of our advertising the show. Wear it to places to advertise and of course at the show. The cost of the shirt is approximately \$15.

I am getting quotes for the cost of a sign to place at the fence which will have the words “Quilt Show Today”.

I am planning on having “Same but Different” display of the Blue Onion Quilt. Please get your ready for the quilt show. If you know of others who made one please ask them to enter theirs. The only cost is if you want it judged.

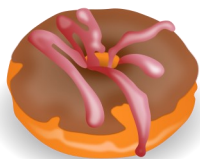
At the moment we have 8 vendors in 14 places.

Please let me know of places to sell tickets for the quilt & doll. Dee is going to take the quilt to OQOS in September. Plans are to have postcards ready to send to OQOS.

Clothes were made with many more ideas for clothes at the Sashiko’s clothes making sew day. The members who were not there also sewed or purchased clothing for her. Patterns are available for you to borrow and a few kits. Accessories are great ideas to go along with the matching purses, bags, headbands, hats, coats, shoes, etc. Many of the patterns I have has directions with pictures but the file has too many pages to print. I can email those files to you.

Meanwhile continue making quilts and doll clothes.

Vicki Nightingale



Marilyn Sikes, Jam Crain-Wayman, and Kathy Hepner will provides snacks in September

Pictures from August Program Presented by Janet Light





DRAG AND BRAG

