



TEXAS TEA STITCHERS

August 2024 Guild Happenings



AUGUST PROGRAM



COLOR THEORY

with Joy Tapley
of
Stitched in Shertz



PRESIDENT'S CORNER - WHITNEY BISCHOFF



A big shout out to Marilyn Compton and her party crew of Louann Fisher and Nancy Nussbaum for throwing a fun birthday celebration for all of us Tea Stitchers! The desserts were delicious, the chatter was nonstop as people visited, checked out the Beg, Barter, Borrow but no Stealing items and got inspired by the beautiful Show and Tell creations by our members. It is exciting to see all the guests and new members joining our Guild meetings. This is a testament to the friendly welcome each of you provide for our guests and new members!

As I finish up some UFOs my thoughts are turning to new projects to start and what is available in my stash! Luckily, our program this month is Joy Tapley of Stitched in Schertz presenting on color theory to help us all select and coordinate project materials. How are your projects coming along? Let us all inspire you!

Your Board conducted a survey of our membership at the July meeting, and we have the results to share with you; we hope you find the results as informative as we did. Your Board will be using these survey results to guide future planning for our Guild activities! You'll be pleased to know that Sharon's humor was mentioned and recommended to continue! Thank you, Sharon Mason, for sharing your humor.

We need someone to video the meetings, if you are interested, please contact Whitney who will help you figure it out.

Marilyn Compton will be stepping down as Hospitality chair in December and we will be voting for her replacement in October. It is a fun job and Marilyn will be happy to tell you all about the duties. Happily, Marilyn will be working on the swaps and challenges that we all enjoy for next year.

Vangie has slots for the Shop Hop raffle ticket sales at B&B Quilting in Buda. Personally, I'm taking advantage of being there to do a little shopping, get inspired and check out the local eateries when I am not greeting shop hoppers and selling raffle tickets. Please let Vangie know when you can help out.

Thank you all for the fun birthday celebration! Let's keep up the momentum until the end of the year!

Whitney~



Treasurer Report - Sue Carter

Sue reports the Guild account as of 7/1/24 is \$11,218.43



Membership Report - Vangie Garcia

Vangie reports we have 51 current members with 25 in person, and 1 online for our July meeting with 6 visitors. June had a total of 305.5 hours of Community Service completed. Holy Moly! That's a lot of community service! You guys are so awesome!! 💖🌸 If you are a new member, please see Whitney to have your picture taken so she can update the directory. Vangie will also provide new members with name tags. Please see her to get yours. The Guild has bluebonnet name holders for sale for \$10 if you wish to purchase one.



Community Service Project - AJ Bennett

I had a wonderful experience with a community project introduced by Lindsey at Holly Dee's. A lady came in to ask if they knew of anyone who could teach some kids how to sew. Lindsey brought her to me, and we talked. She was from the youth probation office in Lockhart. The kids had been sentenced to community service hours and wanted to learn how to sew dog blankets for the shelter in Luling. The quilt shop owner had given them 47 yards of cotton and flannel. We also supplied about 40 yards and in two sessions we made 40 blankets for the shelter. These kids were eager to learn and did a great job! There are a few wavy seams on the first blankets, but I don't think the dogs will mind! Unfortunately, because they are minors, I could not take any pictures. However, the lady in charge will try and take the finished blankets when I'm available so we can take pictures of the shelter receiving the blanket



Programs Report - Cindy Hair

Cindy has been super busy getting new programs in place for us! Thanks Cindy!!

- **August** – Julie Tapley from *Stitched n Shertz* will be the presenter of our August program.
- **September** – Susan Ward will share ideas and clues on working with *Daddy's Ties*
- **October** – **Projects for Precuts! And can't forget Elections!**
- **November** – Judy Baumann– Santa Collage Workshop
- **December** – **Christmas Party!!**

***If you have any questions or ideas to share regarding Programs, please contact Cindy Hair. ***



HOSPITALITY

Hospitality- Marilyn Compton

Marilyn reminds us the Christmas party this year will be held on December 13th at the Silver Center In Seguin. The meal will be a catered lunch and the cost will be forwarded to the Guild by the November meeting so be sure to get ready to sign up!

We will have a gift exchange which will include a table runner or table topper no larger than 24 to 36 inches. This table runner/topper should include something special or specific to you such as your favorite quilt pattern, or color or design And please - write a note with your gift telling a little bit about what makes this special to you!

We will also have a cookie exchange, with each person bringing a dozen cookies in a decorative tin and exchanging them to share!



MMMM...COOKIES!!!



2026 Fundraiser Quilt-Sue Carter

Thank you for all you have already turned in blocks. All blocks are due at our August meeting. Sue will be hosting a workday to sew the blocks together at Pinwheel on either August 26th or 27th, so stay tuned!



2024 Fundraiser Quilt



The Guild has been VERY busy selling tickets! So far, we have the following people signed up for September 11th-14th at B&B in lovely Buda for Sizzlin' Summer Shop Hop. We are asking for a few more volunteers to fill in the blanks to help sell Raffle Tickets please!!

This will more than likely by our last big push to sell tickets before the December drawing.

Don't forget you are welcome to take tickets to sell to neighbors, friends, and family for their opportunity to win the Bluebonnet Quilt! **Funds raised will help to fund future workshops, programs and projects, so please help us fill in these blanks!** 🌸💖🌸💖🌸💖🌸💖

Wed, 11Sep - 9:45am - 1:30pm - Nancy Nusbaum and Cindy Hair
Wed, 11Sep - 1:30pm - 5pm Cindy Hair and _____

Thur, 12Sep 9:45am - 11:30am - Nadine Engen and Kelly Herms
Thur, 12Sep 11:30am - 1:30pm - Whitney Bischoff and _____
Thur, 12Sep 1:30pm - 5:00pm - Vangie Garcia and _____

Fri, 13Sep 9:45am - 11:30am _____ and _____
Fri, 13Sep 11:30am - 3:30pm Judy Lane and _____
Fri, 13Sep 3:30am - 5:00pm _____ and _____

Sat, 14Sep 9:45am - 11:30am _____ and _____
Sat, 14Sep 11:30am - 3:30pm _____ and _____
Sat, 14Sep 3:30am - 5:00pm _____ and _____

If anyone belongs to another Guild or has other places you would like to set up to sell tickets, please see Vangie to schedule. Let's keep the MOMENTUM going!





Stitching Happenings Around Texas

Austin Area Quilt Guild

2024 QuiltFest

Sept. 27, 28 and 29
Friday, Saturday, Sunday
10AM to 6PM (4PM Sunday)
\$15 at door
Under 12 Free
Cash or Credit Card accepted

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SAVE THE DATE

QUILTS&CARS

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Sunday
Sept 29
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QUILTS & CARS

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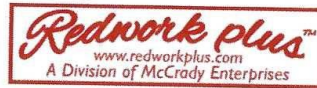
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COMING IN SEPTEMBER



Daddy's Ties - What Knot to do!

Presented by Susan Ward



Wishing all of
our August
members a very
Happy Birthday!

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Carol Dalberg - 5th

Sherry Durringer - 9th

Louann Fisher - 9th

Teri Koch - - 22nd

Sharon Mason - 22nd

Tresha Barger - 27th

Elizabeth Pickle - 30th

Judy Lane - 31st

Results of the Texas Tea Stitcher's Guild Member Survey July, 2024

Survey conducted with members present at the TTSG July Guild 6th Birthday Party

Tabulated by Marilyn Compton and Whitney Bischoff

July 25, 2024

Forced choice Answers

#2. Do you want more national quilt artists or more local quilt artists for programs?

National: 11

Local: 21 ✓

#3. Which seating arrangement do you prefer?

Circle seating: 11

Table seating: 15 ✓

No preference: 1

#6. Would you prefer board members serve:

1 year: 3

2 year: 22 ✓

Open ended Answers

#1 .What is your **most enjoyable activity** related to Guild?

- Parties
- Community service
- Everything
- Programs/workshops
- Learning new things
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- Sharing patterns and knowledge
- Relationships and socializing
- Field trips
- Show and Tell
- Challenges
- Work days/retreats

#4. Any comments about the business portion of the meeting?

- Limit to 1 hr + variations
- Pass out agenda for notes
- Streamline/ don't repeat
- Well organized
- Humor
- Polite
- Good job Whitney

5. Any comments about the program portion of the meeting?

- Great/wonderful programs
- Well organized programs
- Fun/good ideas
- Enjoyable
- More educational related
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JULY SHOW & TELL









BEAUTIFUL WORK EVERYONE!! THANKS FOR SHARING!



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38TH ANNUAL

BOOK SALE

AT THE CIVIC/CONVENTION CENTER

5-7:30 PM

THURSDAY, OCT. 10

Friends Preview Night - Join by 3 PM on Oct. 6 to attend*

9 AM-7:30 PM

FRIDAY, OCT. 11

9 AM-NOON

SATURDAY, OCT. 12

\$5 Bag Sale from 1-5 PM

All proceeds from the Book Sale fund the programming at New Braunfels Public Library!

Sales are tax-free.

Credit cards accepted.

**Nonmembers must pay \$25 per person to attend Preview Night.*

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FOR SALE

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See You Next Month!