



The Patchwork Pipeline

Baytown Area Quilt Guild

501(c)(7) Organization/Social Club
<http://www.baytownareaquiltguild.com>

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President's Pen

Sherry Mendenhall



Hi Quilty Friends,

We survived the auction! Thank you all so much for the blood, sweat and tears you put into making it a success. I want to send a special thanks to Janie DeStefano and Gail Lumus for chairing our Auction and Silent Auction Committees this year. We couldn't have done it without all of you! Start thinking about next year and how we can make it an even better success.

Do you go to the Houston Quilt Show? It always inspires me when I go. The talent that is there is incredible. Of course, I came home with a few more projects I didn't need, but we sure had a good time. We even got to meet and take photos with YouTuber, Tami Jones, of Hometown Quilt Company. Because my Grandma said so! IYKYK!

We have one more program in November, then our Christmas party in December. I can hardly believe the year is almost gone! I hope each of you enjoyed our programs and workshops and will join us again in 2026 for more fun, inspiration and learning. And, bring a friend! I would love to have more members join us next year.

Hope to see you soon!!

Happy Quilting,

Sherry

Programs

Linda Hord

Gina and I will describe the lectures and workshops we have scheduled for 2026. Gina will begin taking sign-ups and payments for the workshops. Your place in the workshop is not guaranteed until we receive payment.



Our speaker for the November meeting is Dena Rosenberg. Dena began her quilting journey a little over 30 years ago, however her love of quilts began with her Grandmother. As Dena's quilting journey began, she began piecing but always dreamed of becoming an appliqué quilter. Dena does traditional piecing, appliqué and broderie perse. Her lecture is Imagination with Fabric.

Please help us welcome Dena to our guild.

We're so excited to tell you that we have 5 exciting workshops scheduled for 2026! Gina will be taking reservations at our upcoming November meeting. Remember that your place in the workshop is not guaranteed until payment is received.

- January 6

Patti Roebuck with Quilt Jacket. You need to provide a quilt to use or quilted fabric. **Cost \$50**



- February 2

Toni Oyler - Judy Neimeyer small quilt - two-day workshop
Cost \$90 plus \$13.50 for the pattern if you want to use your own fabric or \$45 if you want a kit which includes the pattern. Your choice of 3 color ways.



- April 6

Scott Flannagan - Aurora Sky - Cost \$45

A mixture of a unique flying geese unit mixed with a snowball block to create a fun twisting star and a bonus pinwheel



- June 7

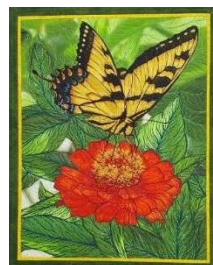
Lisa Ellis - Charming cathedral windows Cost \$45

uses Charm packs or jelly rolls. Blocks created completely by machine



- August 3

Joyce Hughes - Dimensional thread painting
Cost \$45 -- panel cost \$15.



Raffle Quilt

Gloria Hill won the beautiful 2025 Raffle Quilt. And those in attendance at our Auction last month had the opportunity to see the 2026 Raffle Quilt which is currently off getting quilted.

Tickets will be ready to pick up at our meeting in January so you can start selling tickets right away.

Auction

Janie DeStefano

Gail Lumus and I want to thank the entire guild for participating in 2025 Quilt Auction. We raised over \$7,300 in the live auction and \$2,262 in the silent auction.

Thank you.

Hospitality

JoAnn Massony

There will be no food or drinks provided at the November meeting. You may bring something for yourself if you choose.

All members are asked to bring a side dish or dessert for the Christmas Party in December. The Guild will provide meats for the December meeting.

Treasurer's Report

Gail Lumus

Treasurer's Report as of September 30, 2025

Balance on hand as of August 31, 2025
\$39,157.93

DEPOSITS, September 2025

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|----------------------------|--------|
| Mini-Raffle | 104.00 |
| Tool Time | 52.00 |
| Membership | 25.00 |
| Ticket sales, Raffle quilt | 50.00 |
| Workshops/Programs | 135.00 |

TOTAL DEPOSITS **\$366.00**

EXPENSES, September 2025

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| Operations | 127.00 |
| Programs, Workshops | 3,085.01 |
| Auction (Operations) | 350.00 |

TOTAL EXPENSES **\$ 3,562.01**

Bank shows balance as of September 30, 2005
\$35,951.92

Balance on hand as of September 30, 2025
\$35,951.92

November Birthdays

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|-----------------|-------|
| Linda Zisko | 11/4 |
| Jane DeStefano | 11/6 |
| Karen Elizondo | 11/13 |
| Amy Mannie | 11/22 |
| Kelly Pilkinton | 11/22 |

Block of the Month**Minette Repsher**

Hello to all of you!

The blocks should all be finished very soon and the final stage of completing the quilt will begin. I am including instructions for the sashing and border, but you are welcome to complete your quilt any way you like. I can't wait to see them in December!

Thanks for participating in making this Summer Block Party quilt. I'm looking forward to showing you the upcoming quilt for 2026.

Instructions for sashing and border:

Cut 6 2.5" squares for cornerstones

Cut 17 2.5" x 12.5" rectangles for sashing

Cut 7 2.5" x WOF strips for borders

Cut 7 2.5 x WOF strips for binding

Sew two cornerstones between 3 of the 12.5" rectangles for the horizontal sashing. Make 3 of these.

Sew a 12.5" rectangle between the blocks for the vertical sashing.

Then sew the rows together and add the border.

Minnette 281-460-5111

Community Service**Cindie Stolz**

At the auction you may have noticed us giving bags to our different charities along with a check from the guild. These bags were full of the donations made or provided by guild members.

Baytown Homeless shelter received over 70 pillowcases for their clients. These will be gifted to take when they leave.

The Pregnancy Resource Center received over 30 blankets, and burp cloths along with a basket containing baby items.

The Baytown Police Department Special Victims Unit received two bags, one filled with stuffed animals and one with over 20 bags containing toothbrushes, toothpaste, books and miscellaneous toys for the children they remove from dangerous situations.

We also gifted Love, Inc with 20 tote bags. Tote bags are definitely needed for Love, Inc. Baytown Police Department Special Victims Unit.

There will be more kits available in January. We also have over ten blankets to be donated.

I will not be at the meeting so hold onto to your items. See you in December.
Cindie

Guild Meetings are held the first Monday of each month (except on holidays).

Social time is 6:30 pm,

Meeting begins at 7:00 pm

St. Mark's United Methodist Church,

3811 N. Main Street,

Baytown, TX 77521





Check us out on Facebook at [Baytown Area Quilt Guild](#) where you can find meeting photos, upcoming guild events, other quilt shows around the area, tips and tricks and much more.



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