



Bay Oaks Quilt Guild
 Meets 6:30 PM, 2nd & 4th Thursday

January 2012

Diamondhead Baptist Church
63780 Diamondhead Drive N
Diamondhead, MS 39525
<http://www.bayoaksquiltguild.org>
<http://bayoaksquiltguild.blogspot.com/>

Welcome to 2012!

Mark Your Calendars

January 12 th	Bay Oaks Business Meeting
January 14 th	GSQA Quarterly Meeting, Pensacola, FL. Karen Stone is the speaker.
Jan 26 th – 28 th	Ricky Tims Quilt Show with Alex Anderson and Libby Lehman. Hilton Airport Hotel, New Orleans, LA
Feb 24 th – 25 th	February 24 th – 25 th MQA Spring Gathering, Brookhaven, MS
March 31 st	GSQA Quarterly Meeting, Morgan City, LA, Pat Wys of Silver Thimble Quilt Co.
Apr 20 th – 21 st	GSQA 14 th Biennial Quilt Show, “Charmingly Southern”, Northshore Harbor Center, Slidell, LA
Apr 25 th – 28 th	AQS Paducah Quilt Show, Paducah, Kentucky
Oct 5 th – 7 th	Pine Belt Quilters Fiber Arts and Quilt Show, “Life on Our Planet,” Lake Terrace Convention Center, Hattiesburg Convention Center, Hattiesburg, MS

2012 Membership

The 2012 Membership Form is at the end of this newsletter and will also be posted on the website for download. The mailing address for Edson O, Membership Chairperson, is on the form. Save a stamp and give your form and check to her at the next meeting! Whether paying by mail or at the meeting, please completely fill out the form so that we can update our files with the latest information and make plans for projects/classes for the coming year.

Next Business Meeting (January 12)

Hang onto your hats – here we go!

On the agenda:

1. **2012 Officers , Board of Directors and Committee Chairpersons**

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| Marcus W | President |
| Faye K | Secretary |
| Rena K | Treasurer |
| Therese S | Programs |
| Edson O | Membership |
| Melba L | Hospitality |
| Kathy K | Librarian |
| Diana K | Newsletter/Webpage |
| Carol R | 2013 Quilt Show |
| Marcus W | 2013 Opportunity Quilt |

2. **2012!**

Programs: Pull up your socks and get move'n, we've got a lot planned! Therese will present the line-up of activities for 2012. But to get you revved up for the meeting, I'll give you a hint at some of the 'topics for discussion': new additions to our library, new challenges, trunk shows, Circuit Teacher classes, Fat quarter lotto, new techniques, Sew & Draw, and a mystery or maybe two...

GSQA 2013 Quilt Show: Don't forget to fill out your registration form to enter your items in the show. Kay Guillot is the 2013 Quilt Show Chairperson and will have the forms and more information on upcoming events at the January 12 meeting.

2013 Bay Oaks Opportunity Quilt: You're going to love what's been done! There's still more to do. Marcus will give an update at the January 12 meeting.

2013 Quilt Show Boutique items: Now is the time to start working on those items you want to have in the quilt show boutique so you won't be rushed this time next year! Please bring your thinking caps and some ideas for items for the boutique.

Pink Hearts raffle quilt: The pattern has been picked and permission given for its use. We will be using Black & White fabrics, so if you have any you want to share, please bring them in. Diana will give the update at the January 12 meeting.

Art Bras & Alzheimer's quilts: Please make sure you fill out a registration form for the GSQA Quilt Show for your Art Bra & Alzheimer's quilt projects. There is no charge for entering as many as you can make. Registration forms for quilts and art bras must be submitted by Feb 24th; AAQI quilt forms should be submitted by April 4th.

Upcoming Events:

1. **2012 Dues are due in January.**

- Edson O will have applications available at the December 8 meeting. Dues are still \$15 for adults and \$1 for junior members.

Of Interest:

1. **Row by Row:**

The "Star Window" block was the block for December 2011. Instructions will be available on the website: <http://www.bayoaksquiltguild.org/page5/>

2. **Civil War Blocks for January:**

Please **CTRL-CLICK** on the link **below** the block's picture to go directly to the page that contains that week's 'history lesson' and the directions for the block.



[29 Railroad Crossing](#)



[30 Peterson's Stars & Stripes](#)



[31 Empty Spools](#)



[32 Carolina Lily](#)

NOTE: If you cannot use the links above, copy the below link into your browser.

<http://civilwarquilts.blogspot.com/2011/07/29-railroad-crossing.html>

<http://civilwarquilts.blogspot.com/2011/07/30-petersons-stars-stripes.html>

<http://civilwarquilts.blogspot.com/2011/07/31-empty-spools.html>

<http://civilwarquilts.blogspot.com/2011/08/32-carolina-lily.html>

DECEMBER 2011 SHOW & TELL/PARTY



