

Bay Oaks Quilt Guild

Meets 6:30 PM, 2nd & 4th Thursday Diamondhead Baptist Church 68780 Diamondhead Dr. North Diamondhead, MS

February 14th & 28th, 2008

www.bayoaksquiltguild.org

Note: This could be your last newsletter if you have not renewed for 2008. Stay a member..we want you!

<u>Treasurer's Report</u> Full report at our Feb. business meeting.

<u>January</u> We were busy as bees packing 100 boxes and writing 100 notes to soldiers in Iraqi and then Therese had the task of mailing all of those boxes. We hope to be able to send about 30 more to Barbara Alleman's grandson who is leading 30 men there. He got a box for himself but we want to include all his men in a later shipment.

GSQA Classes Connie Ewbanks, taught Rosebuds or Tulips? a machine pieced class on **Saturday**, **January 12**, **2008** at the VFW in Bay St. Louis. We had a good turn out and enjoyed learning to use that special triangle with our rotary cutters. A second GSQA class will be on **Saturday**, **May 3**, **2008**. It will be "Fractures/ 3-D Blocks" taught by Marilyn Rose.

Show and Sale Kay Buccola, Melba LaCaze, JoAnn LaLone and Therese Springer are the set up committee for our first quilt show. It has been named "A Kaleidoscope of Quilts" and a design for a flyer is being worked on. More information is needed on how many people want to sell items and how many items before a decision is made on the cost of doing so. Please bring your info to the business meeting.

<u>Quilt Retreat</u> Melba has information on the Beckwith Camp and Conference Center in Fairhope, Al and also on Percy Quinn State Park in McComb, MS and is also getting info on the Paul B. Johnson State Park. The options of catered meals/doing our own breakfast/lunch are being studied. More information as is learned.

Blue Light Special Quilt Just to let you know I'm working hard on that quilt! It should be ready to display before the show.

Please keep me updated on any address changes so you will continue to get the newsletter.

.Don't forget to bring your Show and Tell

Sew Long, Gloria Burlette