

Bay Oaks Quilt Guild

November 2018 Newsletter

Business Meeting – 8 Nov

Business meeting for November will be Thursday, October 8 at 6:30pm at the Kiln Library.

The nominating committee is still looking for a nominee for President for 2019. If you are interested in serving in this capacity, please let one of the nominating committee members know. The duties of the president include preparing the agenda for the business meeting (w/ assistance of the rest of the board), ensuring the key is picked up/meeting room occupied before the library staff leaves at 6pm on meeting nights, conducting the door prize drawing at meetings and leading the meeting through the agenda.

There's no minimum membership time requirement, just a willing person available to carry out the duties.

Sit-N-Sew - Nov 17

Our next sit-n-sew is **Saturday, November 17th**, at the Kiln Library. Members bring their project of choice and work on it while enjoying the company & fellowship of fellow quilters. Most come around 9 am (when the library opens) and it usually wraps up around 3pm. You can come in at any time for any duration (this is not a structured event). You can bring a lunch or run to the subway (about a ½ mile north of the library on 603). Martha Slee is the point of contact, if you have any questions.

Charity Quilt - Brenda's House

Kim Sawyer is the charity quilt coordinator for Brenda's House. She has donated fabric for members to take & use to create quilts for the children. There are no specifications for the quilts. They can be as easy or complex as you'd like.

Quilter Moving Sale

Judi Marks is moving in January. She will be setting up at 5:45 on Nov 8th at our meeting to sell fabric and quilting supplies. Feel free to come early to shop before & after our business session.

Upcoming Program Nights

November: No project night; enjoy your Thanksgiving Holiday.

December: No project night; Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

January: Marsha will teach a jelly roll rug.

February or March (TBD): Gloria & Faye will teach skills learned at POE

February or March (TBD): Ava will teach how to make a ruler holder/presser board

2nd Saturday Ticket Sales

Saturday, 10 October, the guild will be setting up to sell opportunity quilt tickets in old town Bay St. Louis during their "2nd Saturday" event. **Volunteers are needed.** The sale is 3:30pm – 8:00 pm, weather permitting. The Opportunity Quilt will be on display and tickets sold. **If you can volunteer any amount of time, please let Martha Slee know.**

Prize Winning Quilt

Our Opportunity Quilt, Starry Trails, won 3rd prize (\$50) in the Pine Belt Quilt Show. A ribbon will be displayed on the quilt and a ribbon was also received for the quilter.

Starry Trails Quilt Show

May 10-11, 2019 (Friday & Saturday) at St. Rose De Lima Holy Spirit Center in Bay St. Louis, MS. Hours: 9am to 5pm. Vendors, Demonstrations, plant sale, door prizes, and lots of beautiful quilts on display! Admission will be \$3.

Committee Chairs for the show are:

Publicity & Fliers: Kay Guillot & Venessa Saucier

Ads: Venessa Saucier

Registration: Therese Springer

Show Layout: Sue Rountree & Sue Chamberlain **Door Prizes:** Michele Martin & Gretchen Fleming

Plant Sale: Marge Sandy & Fay Keller Demonstrations: Joy Vanderhoof Opportunity Quilt: Kay Guillot

(design/construction) & Martha Slee (ticket sales

days/quilt keeper) & Chris Jarrell (tickets

distribution/collection) **Vendors:** Therese Springer

Programs: Sue Rountree & Gloria Burlette **Viewer's Choice:** Faye Keller & Gloria Burlette **Admissions:** Gloria Burlette, Marsha Robertson &

Fave Keller

Quilt Information Labels: Rena Krol **Quilt Take-in:** Sue Chamberlain

Hanging System: Fay & Jimmy Keller, Charlotte

Timmons

Take Down Quilts Chair: Charlotte Timmons,

Sharon Barnes

Sales Tax: Sharon Barnes

Jobs Coordinator: Cathy Kleppner Decorating, Set up & Take down: ALL

Ugly Fabric Challenge & Christmas Party Information

You have about 5 Weeks until our Guild's Christmas Party to complete the "Ugly Fabric Challenge"!



Remember this lovely fat quarter? Here's a re-cap of the rules:

1) Quilt can be any size. A noticeable amount must be used in the quilt. **Up to 3 other fabrics** may be used in the quilt.

2) Quilt must be **finished** and displayed at the Christmas party.

Our Christmas party is December 13th at 6:30 pm at the Diamondhead Community Center. If you go straight through the 4 way stop, past the guard shack, the community center is the building in the center of the roundabout past the duck ponds. Charity quilts and/or bags for children of Brenda's House will be collected at the party. We also collect for Hancock County Food pantry (monetary donations are great).

Unfinished Objects (UFOs)

Remember to bring your UFOs completed to Show-N-Tell! Let Kay mark them off your list. At the Christmas party, your name will go in a drawing once for each UFO on your list that was completed for a chance to win a prize!

Sew-N-Draw

Our next Sew-n-Draw event is January 12th. Melba will announce details of what the project will be & supply requirements in the near future.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov 10: Second Saturday: Begin displaying Opportunity Quilt & Selling Tickets

Nov 17: Sit-n-Sew, Kiln Library

Dec 13: Annual Guild Christmas Party & Charity Donation Drive – Ugly Fabric Quilt Challenge due!

Jan 12: Sew-N-Draw, Kiln Library

Feb 16: Hosting POE

March: GSQA Seminar













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