

Bay Oaks Newsletter March 2022

April Business Meeting

Our business meeting for April was held on Thursday April 14, 2022, at 10:00 am at the Kiln library, We discussed the urgent need for a guild secretary, the Opportunity Quilt, Evaluation Forms, ALS Quilt Challenge, Upcoming Project program.

Thank you Marge for volunteering to be the Secretary at the April Business meeting.

April Program Meeting

The Program for April will be on April 28. We will be playing "QUILTO" Sharon's husband Hubie, will be the "caller". Everyone who has ever played QUILTO says that it is a blast, so plan on having a great time. What you need to know in order to play the game...

To obtain a card(s) you must "pay in" a 2-1/2" strip of fabric cut the width of fabric (WOF). Purchase your card(s) before the first game of QUILTO is called. There will be a table set up for the caller and cards at the front of the room.

You may play up to four (4) cards at a time. Once you have purchased your cards and the first game has been called and won, someone will go from table to table collecting your "pay" strips for each game called.

Of course, the winner must yell out "QUILTO" to win the game and receive the fabric collected for each game.

Supplies Needed:

Buttons or pennies (or something similar) to "mark" cards. We wish to keep the cards reusable, so please no ink markers.

If you play four cards each game (9 games) and also play the four cards for the one game of Black Out, you will need a total of 52 fabric strips. You can certainly bring fewer strips if you feel your interest or energy may not be to play the max and/or all games.

May Business Meeting

May 12, 2022, 10:00 at the Kiln Library

May Program Meeting

May 26, 2022 10:00 at the Kiln Library

We will be making the Secret Window Panel WallHanging. Required Material:

24" x 43" Panel

Background: 1 yard

Binding: 1/3 yard

Backing: 1 yard

Lotto Block

The Lotto block for May is the Rosebud by Marcia Hohn.



You can print the instructions at this website:

https://www.quilterscache.com/R/RosebudBlock

Or follow these instructions

Color 1 (pink or multiple pinks)

Cut 4 - 3" sqs

Color 2 (green)

Cut 2 - 5" sqs

Color 3 (background - light blue)

Cut 2 - 5" sqs

Cut 4 - 3" sqs

Cut 4 - 2 ½" x 6 ½" rectangles

- 1. Draw a diagonal line on the back of all blue sqs.
- 2. Pair up green 5" sqs with blue 5" sqs. Sew ½" each side of the diagonal line. Cut apart on line. Press toward green, square up to 4 ½"
- 3. Pair up pink and blue 3" sqs. Do like steps in #2. Press toward pink. Square up to 2 ½".
- 4. Sew "buds" block together and add to the side of green as shown.
- 5. Add rectangles. Press towards rectangles.
- 6. Sew these 4-patches together as shown.



Rhonda McNaughton won the April Lotto Block
Snowball Sawtooth Star
Thanks to all who participated.

June's Sew N Draw



Sharon Barnes will be guiding us through the LOG CABIN Sew N Draw on June 25th. The logs are 1 ½" and centers are 2 ½" squares. As long as we are cutting 2 ½" strips for QUILTO we can cut some 1 ½" strips for this scrappy quilt and a few 2 ½" squares. Note: the whites are low-volume light fabrics. We will need 56 centers . Some of us thought that the center squares could be red, symbolizing the Heart of the home as in the original quilts.

Upcoming Sit-N-Sew Dates

The next Sit-N-Sew will be May 21, we will be working on Charity Quilts this month. You can choose which Charity you would like to donate your quilt to, Quilts for Kids, CASA, or ALS, or work on one of your own projects.

For those unfamiliar, we have monthly sit-n-sews at the Kiln library on designated Saturdays. This is time set aside to bring whatever you'd like to work on and sew in the company of other members. It starts around 9 in the morning, and they usually wrap up by about 3pm. You can come for any portion of the time...this is a flexible, stress-free day! You can bring lunch and/or snacks or make a food run (there's a subway just north and Ward's south). If you can make these occasionally, it's great fellowship and fun!

The Guild voted to donate quilts as a group to ALS. There is no fee to enter your quilt and the Guild will

be paying the shipping for the quilts going to ALS. The quilts need to be turned in at the May 12th Business meeting. Any quilt 35'x45" or larger will be accepted and appreciated.

Membership

We now have 36 active members.
A great big WELCOME to the newest members
Jill Whipple, Evelyn Mack, and Judy Flanagan

GSQA Quilt Show



We had several members who entered quilts in the GSQA quilt show: Therese Springer, Marsha Robertson, Sharon Barnes, Ida McQuick, Sue Roundtree, and Evelyn Mack. Many ribbons were won.

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4/5 Sue Roundtree
4/10 Dorothy Kimble
4/24 Susie Guillot
4/28 Sue Farve
5/12 Michele Martin
5/20 Gretchen Fleming
5/20 Vanessa Saucier

What's Next

GSQA Quarterly meeting

April 23, 2022 Mobile, Alabama

BOQG Project Day

April 28, 2022

BOQG Board meeting

May 2, 2022

BOQG Business meeting

May 12, 2022

GSQA Quilt Show Sand Stitchers

9 am - 4 pm May 14, 2022 Gautier Convention Center 2012 Library Lane, Gautier, MS Admission \$5, Children under 12 Free

Sit-N-Sew (Charity Quilts)

May 21, 2022

BOQG Project meeting

May 26, 2022

Sew-N-Draw

May 26, 2022

$\frac{1}{2}$ square triangle 4 patch exchange

Date TBD

Beckwith Retreat

August 2022

Abbey Retreat

Feb 14 through 17, 2023

April Show N Tell

Joan shows us how she quilted the Quilt as You Go Lotto block she won a few months ago. Sharon and Ida both made a quilt using the same block of the Month pattern from a magazine, they are both beautiful and look totally different. Sharon used Mardi Gras colors while Ida chose Teal and Peach colors. Ida also showed us her Bunnies quilt. Pam shows us her Ruler Carrier and has agreed to teach us how to make one ourselves at an upcoming Project Meeting. Great job Ladies.











