

WPQG 2026 June Membership Meeting
Hemlock Stitchery/Demo-Mania at Contractor's Institute
8301 Joliet Street Hudson, FL 34667
June 18, 2026

MISSION STATEMENT: The West Pasco Quilters' Guild, Inc. provides charity within our community & quality education to the public about quilts and quilting. Meeting began at 10:00 a.m. by President Julie Gohring;

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

New members announced, Cindy & Marla and attending guests

Happy Birthday wishes sang for willing participants June's quilters.

OLD BUSINESS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Small Group Challenge: Sean Gilley

Art Challenge: Trish Wallick, August's Challenge Theme is Christmas. See WPQG Website for specific details (December will not occur; instead, the fat quarter toss will occur)

Quilts of Valor: Barbara Manning Please contribute: Materials & pattern included.

Philanthropic: Betsy Turner with HOSPICE DOVES requesting more help in creating these on Tuesday, A.M. at the Veteran's Center (Details can be found in the group's small brochure

Food Banks: proceeds go to Dana's Angels

Mystery Quilts by Sue Kolczak will be starting in September

NEW BUSINESS:

2028 Quilt Show KICKOFF: Pat Donahoo, Janie Franco & Suzanna Branon are Show Chairs

There are over 52 committees that serve on this quilt show

2028 Quilt Show Theme is "Quilted Gems"

In celebration of forty years, this is our "Ruby Jubilee"

DEMO-MANIA: This was an informative display featuring an overhead LIVE overhead visual presentation of little tidbits of great information including "Spinning Seams", by Sue Kolczak; "Paper Piecing," demonstrated by Judy Klingensmith; "Healing Hearts/Helping Hearts;" "Mitered Corners on the Borders of the Quilt" & "Bindings & Tools of the Trade" all demonstrated by 'Just One More Thing,' Rhonda Koning.

Sew and Tell: various members provided their work.

There will be NO 50/50 Raffle or Library for June & July meetings

SCRAP AND SEW STORE is sponsoring our 2026 WPQG Directory which is now available, one per member. This MUST be picked up in person only (no mailing). Scrap & Sew offers an in-house discount based on your previous purchases. Stop by & let them know you are a member of WPQG and that we appreciate their support.

FABRIC MAIDEN STORE: Show your Membership Badge ID & get 15% discount, at the time of purchase. So wear your WPQG badges proudly & share information about our guild. Pick up a few small group flyers to keep in your bag and pass them out when you meet other quilters that may be interested in our guild!

JULY PICNIC aka July's membership meeting will be held at Contractor's Institute on July 16th at 10 am: Bring a side dish or a dessert; for further instructions, contact Julie Gohring to organize these details.

Don't forget to bring donations for the Food Bank, supporting Dana's Angels.

SAVE THE DATE: Our next YARD SALE will be November 19th, 2026. Contact Penny Black to reserve a \$10 table today.

Meeting concluded at 12:00 noon.

Respectfully submitted,

Maureen Fernandez

Susan Jawor

Co-Secretaries