



# Arkansas Quilters Guild Newsletter

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**Program Notes** – Sally Burrup, Jan  
Partain

**Property** – Angie Hefner

**Quilt Arkansas 2019 - cancelled**

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**Mission Statement** – *The purpose of the Arkansas Quilters Guild is to promote the appreciation of the rich heritage of the art of quilting and to enhance each member's own quilting skills and knowledge. It shall also be the purpose of this organization to expand and to enrich the art of quilting for future generations and preserve the existing quilts.*



Dear Members...

Thanks very much to all of you that supported your Guild by donating to the garage sale. Your generosity was amazing. To those of you that bought items, we thank you also for your support! Special double thanks if you are both a donor and a purchaser!! Your Board will work hard to be sure your money is well spent.

Hopefully all of you are keeping safe in this hot weather we are having. Staying inside with fans or air conditioning is the best way to stay safe and cool. Your sewing machine won't put off much heat so go ahead and use it while you're stuck indoors! Now, your iron will put off the heat so avoid any large pieces! You might need to do some finger pressing! Stay cool and see you in August!

Judy Stewart, President

**PLEASE WEAR YOUR NAMETAG TO THE MEETINGS!**

**REMEMBER: NO NAMETAG – NO DOOR PRIZE!**



**AQG Board Meeting:** Thursday August 9, 2018, 6 p.m., Whole Hog Cafe, 2516 Cantrell, Little Rock, AR 72202. **AQG Meeting,** August 13, 2018, 6:30 p.m., North Little Rock Community Center, 2700 Willow, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

## AQG PROGRAMS

**August** - Cary Voss from Arkansas Historical Museum presenting the program, Historical Quilts of Arkansas. Members are asked to bring any vintage quilt or quilt top to show.

**September** - "Meet Your Members" Eddie and Melissa Landreth. Also, Judy Bower will be there to hand out the patterns for November workshop. She will take a few minutes to speak about the workshop.

**October** - Quilt Around. Come see different quilting techniques, tools, how tos, and fun projects. Volunteers are needed to do the Iron Quilter Challenge. A Knot group competing against Knot Group would be fun! It's all about the fun. Tag a friend or two and compete!

### AQG Guild Meeting Minutes July 9, 2018

The Guild meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm by Vice President Sherry Williams.

**Minutes:** Janice Watson moved to approve the May minutes as published and Pat Crawford seconded the motion. The vote was passed to accept minutes as published.

**Treasure's Report:** Treasurer Mary Jane Beard provided report regarding June's finances. Treasure report has been posted on-line.

#### Committee Reports:

**AWOL: Leah Sample, Eddie and Melissa Landreth, Jim Gatling, Sally Burrup, Chairs.**

Leah Sample announced fall AWOL will be held at C. A. Vines Arkansas 4-H center in Ferndale on October 12-14, 2018. Registration forms are available tonight at the meeting as well as online. A deposit of \$25.00 is required to register, and registration will be due by October 1, 2018. 20 have registered thus far with a limit of 35 registrants.

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday sit and sew at the Baptist Health Southwest campus will be held on 7/21/18.

**Challenges: Sherri Dodds, Chair.** Sherri Dodds is collecting hexagons for the current Summer Flower Garden Challenge. She has further details tonight regarding this challenge, and details will also be posted on the AQG website and in the newsletter. Hexagons are due next month. She will announce the fall challenge in October.

**Community Service: Meg Cullum, Chair** shared that she will be collecting quilts to be donated to Brookdale, a senior living community in Conway. There are over 80 residents that are wheelchair bound. Therefore lap size quilts will be needed. Quilt sizes range from 36x36 to 50x50. Population of the senior living community consists of women, men, and some veterans. A community service project link can be found on the AQG website. Links to free patterns for those that want to donate a quilt can be found on the AQG website as well. She also has kits available for members. 27 quilts have been donated thus far. Anyone that donates will be given a ticket, and there will be a drawing at the end of the year for a prize.

Any remaining donation quilts from juvenile fabric unsuitable for an adult are welcome and can be donated to The Call foster care program.

**Fundraising:** Chair needed. Sherry Williams shared to contact her if anyone was interested in purchasing a name tag. She will also be collecting money for name tags which are \$12.00 each. License plates with AQG logo are also available to purchase.

**Hostess: Cynthia Quick and Meg Cullum,**

**Chairs.** Meg Cullum shared that there were 55 members present this evening. We extend our welcome to our 7 guests with us tonight as well- Janet Harney, Toni Baker, Michele Harter, Dana Ritter, Darlene Stewart, Amy King, Lucy Neal. Door prize winners this evening: Sherry Webb, Renee Zermatten, Virginia Byrd. The winner of the fat quarter monthly exchange tonight was Bonita Hollis. There were only a few fat quarters, and Bonita declined. She opted to add the fat quarters collected tonight to go toward next month's exchange.

**Membership: Sherry Williams, Chair** There are 112 members. Dues to join are now \$12.50 for remaining of the year.

**Newsletter: Jackie Bibbs, Chair.** The deadline for the newsletter is the Monday after the guild meeting, 7/16/18. Jackie Bibbs will out of town. Wanda Cockrell and Debbie Lewis have volunteered to help with the newsletter during the months that Jackie Bibbs will be out of town. Wanda Cockrell and Debbie Lewis is announced tonight to submit newsletter articles to their e-mail.

**Programs & Workshops: Cindy Barszczewski and Sue Womack, Co-Chairs. Carol Hurt and Pam Brown, Assistants (2017).** Cindy Barszczewski and Sue Womack announced there is still a need for a chair/committee to take over programs and workshops. Program tonight: Yard Sale. Future programs and workshops scheduled for 2018 are as followed: Antique Quilts in August, Meet your Members in September (Eddie and Melissa Landreth). Round Robin Demos will be held in October and Judy Bowers in November. We will have our Christmas party in December. Cindy Barszczewski further discussed the Christmas party. She would like knot groups to consider donating a basket of goodies for the Christ-

mas party. Please contact Cindy for any questions.

Sue Womack shared that Judy Bowers will teach a Judy Niemeyer workshop in November, a poinsettia table topper size. This workshop has sold out and there is a wait list. This will be held at the Baptist Health Southwest campus.

Sue Womack also shared that the Missouri Star Bus tour has been confirmed for May 6-8, 2019. Details about cost, hotel, ect will announced at a later date once finalized.

**Property: Angie Heifner, Chair.**

The guild purchased a locked cabinet to store property, this is located at the NLR community center. Angie would like members to contact her if they have any property so an inventory can be created.

**Public Relations/Advertising: Chair needed/open.**

**Quilt Show/Exhibit, Mary Jane Beard and Judy Young, Chairs:**

Mary Jane Beard shared that the Quilt Exhibit will be held at the Terry Library in Little Rock from October 9-December 10, 2018. Individuals who plan to exhibit a quilt will need to complete a form which is available on the AQG website. Details are provided on the forms, and forms are due September 10, 2018. There will be a Mini Quilt Exhibit as well. There will be awards including a viewer's choice for the favorite mini quilt as well as 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place for large quilts. There will be an award for best machine and hand applique, winner selected by Jeanine Ott's knot. There will also be an originality award, selected by guild members.

**Website: Jackie Bibbs and Meg Cullum, Chairs.** Meg Cullum shared that links to com-

munity service project and patterns have been added to the AQG website.

#### **Sunshine: Pat Crawford Chair:**

Three cards were sent in June (two 'Feel Better Soon' and one sympathy). Please contact Pat Crawford if someone needs a card (cheer, sympathy, 'thinking of you').

#### **Old Business:**

None

#### **New Business:**

Sherry Williams announced that an email was received regarding an Eagle Scout quilt. Please contact her if interested.

Sherry Williams also announced that if you do NOT want your photo posted on the AQG facebook or the website page, please let her or Judy Stewart know.

#### **SHOW and TELL**

**Pam Brown, Carol Hurt, Sue Womack, Cindy Barszczewski, Sherry Williams:** *Old St. Nick Rag Quilt* created at Joyce Watson's Old St. Nick Rag Quilt workshop in June.

**Sue Womack** shared a yellow and blue whole cloth quilt made for Ronnie's sister. She is the one who introduced them and Sue agreed to make her a quilt, but it wouldn't be perfect.

**Lynn Fletcher** shared *Baby Wesley's quilt*, quilted by Leah Sample.

**Debbie Spinks** shared a small donation quilt made from charm squares. Lavern Schapp donated the charm squares and quilted by Debbie Lewis. She also shared a large quilt created with layer cakes made when Blossom's was closing. This was quilted by Leah Sample.

**Carol Johnson** shared *Tennessee Trotter*, quilt as you go. She also shared *Shenandoah*, a lap quilt with a pieced back, another quilt as you go.

**Jan Partain** shared *Fluttering Flag*, a quilt of Valor.

**Renee Zermatten** shared a donation quilt, a quilt as you go.

**Nola Ballinger** shared that she took a trip to New York recently. She typically has to visit

every quilt shop along the way, but stated she did not go to one QUILT SHOP on her trip.

**Alicia Bell** shared a quilt she made for a friend, a belated wedding gift. Pattern: *Missouri Star's Sticks and Stones*.

**Jim Gatling** shared a scrap quilt he created, quilted by Leah Sample.

#### **PROGRAM:**

*Yard Sale.*

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Minutes submitted by Alicia Bell, secretary.

#### **SUMMER CHALLENGE**

The "Summer Flower Garden Challenge" concludes at the August meeting. Bring your flowers and enter for a chance to win all the flower blocks that are turned in!

The next challenge is called "The Scary Block Challenge". This will run until the October meeting.

Do you have an odd block or two that you meant to make a quilt from but never finished the project? These are often called "orphan blocks."

Starting in August, bring an orphan block to the meeting that you do not want back. The block can be any size. You may bring more than one block. More details will be provided at the next meeting!

See Sherri Dodds at the August meeting to hand in your flower blocks or your orphan blocks!



JULY Meeting  
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names  
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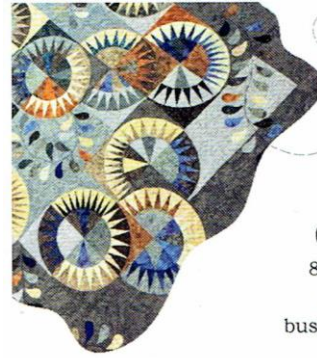
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**AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

Martha Fewell	August 11
Angie Hearnberger	August 12
Jan Partain	August 13
Frances Wade	August 13
Barbara Sample	August 22
Melissa Landreth	August 23

**Welcome New Members!**

Michele Harter  
Suzanne Hulse  
Lucy Neal

We now have a total of 115  
members

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**AD RATES FOR THE NEWSLETTER**

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1/8 page (w 3.5" x h 2")	\$ 10.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 90.00
1/4 page (w 3.5" x h 4.5")	20.00	50.00	180.00
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full page (w 7.25" x h 9.5")	80.00	200.00	720.00

All ads must be camera ready and fit the size requirement. The Newsletter Editor reserves the right to refuse ads that are not camera ready, do not fit the size requirement, or do not meet professional standards. All ads must be received no later than the second Thursday of the month; any ads received after that date will be included in the next month's publication.

## 2018 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept 10, 2018	Deadline for Terry Library quilt exhibit registration
Oct 9 – Dec 11, 18	AQG Quilt Exhibit at Terry Library
Oct 12 – 14, 2018	Fall AWOL retreat at C. A. Vines 4-H Center

### **August Fat Quarter color: Purple**

To participate in the meeting's fat quarter drawing, bring a **purple** fat quarter as your entry. The more entries you submit, the more chances you have to win a stack of fat quarters!

# ARKANSAS QUILTERS GUILD

## QUILT EXHIBIT

Adolphine Fletcher Terry Library-2015 Napa Valley, Road Little Rock  
October 9 - December 10, 2018

Please be generous in your offer of your treasured quilting items that have not been shown in this exhibit previously. **To ensure entry and inclusion in the program, fill out the submission form and return by September 10** to Mary Jane Beard, 3600 Cornwallis, North Little Rock or e-mail scanned copy to [mjquilter@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mjquilter@sbcglobal.net). Since space is limited, entries will be accepted on space availability.

Quilt(s) submitted by \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_

Quilt sizes submitted 1. Length \_\_\_\_\_ X Width \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

2. Length \_\_\_\_\_ X Width \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

3. Length \_\_\_\_\_ X Width \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

4. Length \_\_\_\_\_ X Width \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Micro Mini Quilts: 1. Length \_\_\_\_\_ X Width \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

### New Dimensions

2. Length \_\_\_\_\_ X Width \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

A 4-inch double sleeve fitting full width of quilt must be attached to the top of the back of the entry for hanging. Any quilt measuring less than 24 inches X 24 inches may use a 2-inch sleeve. All quilts must be labeled on the back bottom corner with name of the quilt and quilt maker. **A quilt measuring longer than 76 inches in length, MUST** have a 4-inch sleeve sewn the full width of the quilt 76 inches from the bottom of the quilt. Quilts without the correct sleeve will not be accepted. Please put quilts in a bag labeled on the outside with your name.

**Micro Mini Quilts** are 12 inches or less on any side and a maximum block size-3 inches. There must be a 2" hanging sleeve on back and labeled as above.

Mary Jane Beard or Judy Young will be glad to accept your entries in advance of set up date.

Mary Jane Beard, 3600 Cornwallis, North Little Rock, h-758-3637, c-772-6210

Judy Young, 3319 Rocky Court, Little Rock, c-912-0231

**NOTE:** Items delivered on October 9 should be taken to the library at 9 AM.

Mary Jane Beard, 3600 Cornwallis, North Little Rock, h-758-3637, c-772-6210

Judy Young, 3319 Rocky Court, Little Rock, h-228-9690, c-912-0231

Quilts may be picked up at Terry Library on December 11 between 10 and 11 AM.

I understand and agree that Central Arkansas Library System/Adolphine Fletcher Terry Library and Arkansas Quilters Guild are not liable in any way for my exhibit/show item(s) and I will be responsible for my own insurance if needed.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

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Date

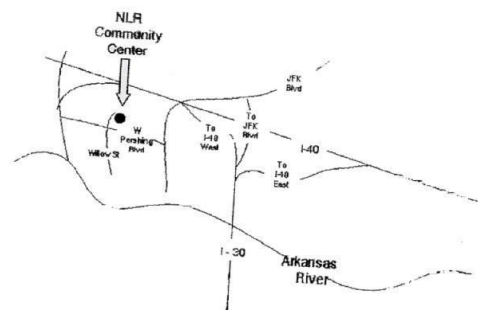
Date entry is received by Mary Jane Beard \_\_\_\_\_

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**DEADLINE FOR  
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### NLR COMMUNITY CENTER

The NLRCC is located at 2700 Willow in North Little Rock which is near the I-30/I-40 interchange. Get off I-30 or I-40 at JFK. Go south to Pershing Boulevard. Turn right. Follow Pershing to Willow. It's on the right facing the new Patrick Hays Senior Citizen's Center.



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