



# The Quilting Bee

Quilters' Guild of Arlington

[www.qgoa.org](http://www.qgoa.org)

## Meeting Location

Bob Duncan Center -- Vandergriff Park  
2800 S Center St Arlington, TX 76014  
Meetings 2nd Tuesday each month  
Doors open at 6:30 ~ Meeting at 7:00

## November Meeting Kathy Dunigan Bloom Where You Are Planted

Kathy is a true southern belle, from Tallulah, Louisiana, who just happens to be "blooming where she has been planted in Rockwall, Texas! Never one to stray from her roots, her appliqué work blends "all things Baltimore" with the lush and rich fauna of the Deep South. Kathy began quilting in 1987, but discovered appliqué in 1993, with her first appliqué project – a year and a half long Baltimore Album class, which featured a book by Elly Sienkiewicz. As Kathy has been quoted, "I truly discovered the joy that was missing in my quilting when I discovered the album quilts." She fell in love with Elly's methods and along the way, mapped out her own fun path. She never hesitates to "embellish, enliven and embolden" her appliqué. Beads, trims, ribbons and "findings" all find their way home into her work. "Anything goes, if it makes your heart beat faster!" she excitedly proclaims.

Appliqued Baltimore Basket of Roses Workshop with Kathy Dunigan  
Wednesday, November 11th (Veteran's Day)  
Quilt Among Friends  
9 am - 4 pm Kathy will be doing at workshop.

\*\*The class is full.

## December Meeting Potluck and Brown Bag Auction

Yes, we wait all year for this meeting. To taste all those delicious recipes of our fellow members and of course to pick up those fine treasures in the brown bag auction.

We are still collecting the items for brown bag auction so please bring them to November meeting and place them on the carts in the back of the meeting room.

If this is your first time to attend a brown bag auction you are in for a treat. The room will be filled with tables of items topped by a numbered bag. You buy tickets and put your name on them and drop as many tickets as you would like into the bag sitting on top of those items. If you have any address labels at home it will save you a lot of time versus writing your name on each ticket. The master of ceremonies will start to go down the rows of bags picking out tickets with names. If your ticket gets picked you win. Winner, winner, chicken dinner.

Members bring potluck dishes and the board brings desserts to share.

## January Program

### Art Quilter Deborah Boschert.

#### Getting From Start to Art: 76 Tips to Jump Start Your Creativity

Deborah shares quilts from her journey as a fiber artist including traditional pieced bed quilts, contemporary art quilts and mixed media collages. She talks about her inspirations, successes, challenges and light-bulb moments. This program is packed with tons of tips to inspire all kinds of artists.



The workshop in January on Wednesday January 13<sup>th</sup> 9-4p at Sew Fabricated will be:

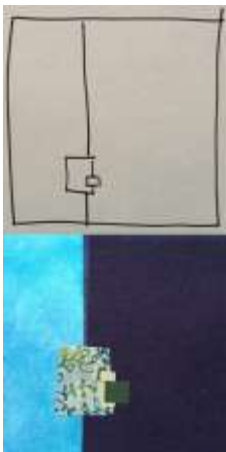
#### Captivating Compositions for Art Quilts

Find the sweet spot between following a pattern and following your own spirit! Deborah will introduce eight composition guides that get the creative juices flowing. Students will work with a few of the design guides and create collages with fused fabrics. We'll learn to edit, audition and improvise using a super helpful design checklist. Explore adding details with machine and hand stitching.

Cost \$40

Kits can be provided for \$35.

Appropriate for all levels.



To learn more about Deborah and her quilts go to her website at:

<http://deborahsstudio.com/>

and her Facebook page at:

<https://www.facebook.com/DeborahBoschertArtist?fref=ts>

## Safe Haven Donations

### November: Children's toys

December: Mittens, scarves or hats

**\*\*We will accept travel size toiletry items throughout the year. ALL items should be new and unused including toiletries.**

### ***Sunshine***

Patricia Eckstrom-Niece is pregnant.

### ***Shadow***

Everything is good this month!

## Guild Refreshments

November: S, T, U, W, X, Y  
December: POTLUCK  
(Board-Desserts)

### 2015 Guild Officers

President: Barb Cain  
Co-Vice Pres-Sharon Ligon  
Co-Vice Pres-Carolyn Bowden  
Secretary-Elizabeth Carr  
Treasurer Ruth Ann Uzzle  
Parliamentarian-Susan FitzGerald

### 2016 Guild Officers

President: Sharon Ligon  
Co-Vice Pres-Carol Hoes  
Co-Vice Pres-Cynthia Bernerd  
Secretary-Nancy Shortino  
Treasurer Ruth Ann Uzzle  
Parliamentarian-Susan FitzGerald

### In Case of Inclement Weather:

In general, we will do what the University of Texas of Arlington does. If they cancel evening classes we will cancel guild and board meetings.

## November Birthdays

2-Kathleen Longstreet  
3-Cindy Hoglan  
4-Ella Bonfiglio  
5-Cynthia Berend  
5-Emily Roney  
6-Sara Bowman  
6-Barbara Couk  
8-Vanya Worley  
10-Jolene Mershon  
11-Vickie Bramblet  
14-Ellen Null-Miller  
15-Julie McCloud  
15-Linda McPherson  
16-Alice Cooksey  
17-Janice Richardson  
20-Nancy Spell  
21-Sheila Kinsey  
28-Becky Philips  
29-Dottie Mae Groves  
29-Carol Ramsey  
29-Harold Groves



## Susan's President Block

Pinwheel Block

(5 1/2" block to finish 5")

Cut two 3 1/2" squares of lighter fabric and two 3 1/2" darker fabric. Mark a diagonal line on wrong side of lighter squares and place right sides together with the darker squares. Stitch 1/4" on each side of the marked line and cut on the line for four "half-square" units. Press to the darker fabric and square up to 3". Join the "half-squares" to form the pinwheel block. Block should measure 5 1/2". See Susan's note below for the type of fabric she would like.



**\*\*Fabrics can be medium to bright patterns that read like a solid or tone on tone patterns. Contrast fabric the same from white to cream color.**

## QGOA 2016 Meetings and Workshops

Date	Speaker	Title of Program
January 12	Deborah Boschert	Getting From Start to Art
January 13	Deborah Boschert	Captivating Compositions for Art Quilts Workshop
February 9	Maria Hall, Longarm Quilter	Bringing Out the Best in Your Quilt
March 8	Shannon page	Modern Quilting Basics and Improvisation
April 12	Flavin Glover	A New Look at Log Cabin Quilts
April 13	Flavin Glover	Log Cabin Patchwork Houses Workshop
May 10	Members	2016 Winner Circle
June 14	Members	Potluck Dinner
July 12	Debbie Panton	Round Robin Adventure
August 9	Members	Members Demonstrations
September 13	Winnie Fleming	Trunk Show
September 14	Winnie Fleming	Lone Star Table Runner Workshop
October 11	Shelley Clauss	How to Make a T-shirt Quilt
November 8	Robin Williamson	Modern Quilting
November 9	Robin Williamson	Round Robin Improv Workshop
December 13	Members	Potluck Dinner & Brown Bag Auction

### It's a Block-Aide



Calling all quilters, the Wounded Warriors need your help. We have orphan blocks that need adoption so they can travel with their fellow blocks to a happy quilt home. We have: 12% blocks with both white (9) and beige (11) backgrounds, 10%, 9%, 8%, 7% white blocks. These last four guys are in small numbers and could really use some help. We also have 2 blocks each of white and beige background at 14% a couple more of these and you have a nice lap sized quilt. Pick out your favorite pattern, choose a color background and run the blockade! We have some batting and an endless supply of backing. Some quilt tops just need quilting! We also have fabric if you're in need of some extra or want to base your blocks off the offerings from the Wounded Warrior fabric tote. Everybody come on out and join the fun and support a very worthy cause. See Debbie or Sandy Boice for any further information.

Are you  
collecting  
quilt tops?

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into finished quilts!

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QGOA member since 2001

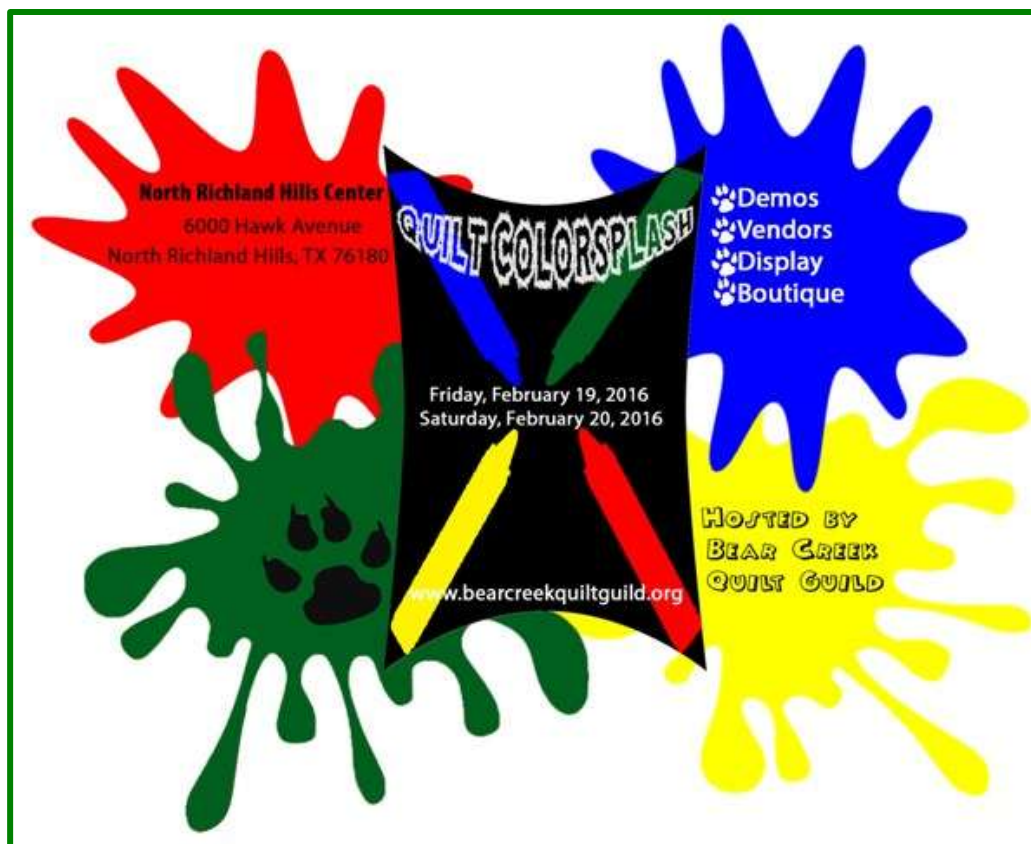
# Quilt Shows and Shop Hops



Heart of Texas  
One Stop Shop Hop  
January 8 & 9, 2016  
Chisholm Hall  
Waco Convention Center  
Waco, Texas  
[hotonestopshophop@att.net](mailto:hotonestopshophop@att.net)  
"HAPPY SEW YEAR!"  
**BUY TICKETS!**

**January 15-16, 2016**

Annual Kingsland Quilt Show  
Sponsored by Kingsland Convention, Community  
Center &  
Barb's Quilt Nook, Etc.  
3451 Rosehill Dr (behind First Baptist Church),  
Kingsland, TX 78639  
For info: [barbsewtx@gmail.com](mailto:barbsewtx@gmail.com)  
[www.barbsquilts.com](http://www.barbsquilts.com)



# Quilt Shows and Shop Hops

## **January 22-24, 2016**

Annual Jefferson Quilt Show  
Cypress Valley Education Center  
120 E Austin St, Jefferson, TX 75657  
[jgshow@yahoo.com](mailto:jgshow@yahoo.com)  
[www.jeffersonquiltshow.com](http://www.jeffersonquiltshow.com)

## **January 30-31, 2016**

Piecemakers by the Bay Biennial Quilt Show  
Rockport-Fulton High School  
1802 Omohundro (off Enterprise), Rockport, TX  
For info [sheralynhumble@gmail.com](mailto:sheralynhumble@gmail.com)  
[www.piecemakersbythebay.org](http://www.piecemakersbythebay.org)

## **February 12-13, 2016**

The Marble Falls Quilt Club Biennial Quilt Show  
Marble Falls Lakeside Pavilion  
307 Buena Vista, Marble Falls, TX 78654  
[marblefallsquiltclub@gmail.com](mailto:marblefallsquiltclub@gmail.com)  
[www.marblefallsquiltclub.blogspot.com](http://www.marblefallsquiltclub.blogspot.com)

## **March 18-19, 2016**

Shades of Texas Quilt Show  
Sponsored by the Crossroads to Texas Quilt Guild  
Killeen Civic & Conference Center  
3601 S W.S Young Dr, Killeen, TX 76542  
[mpranch@earthlink.net](mailto:mpranch@earthlink.net)  
[www.cttquiltguild.org](http://www.cttquiltguild.org)

## **35th Annual Tyler Quilt Show "SCRAPSI!" Quintessentially American**

**March 18 & 19, 2016**

**10:00 am to 5:00 pm, Friday & Saturday**

**Harvey Convention Center  
2000 W Front St (Hwy 31 W)  
Tyler, TX**

The Quilters' Guild of East Texas produces a quilt show every spring during the Azalea Trail. The show features over 200 quilts on display plus over 25 vendors, numerous demonstrations, an old-fashioned bed-turning, door prizes, scissor sharpening, silent auction, and a raffle quilt (proceeds benefit local charities that serve women and children).

**[2016 Entry Form](#)**

**Information**

**2016 Quilt Show email: [tylerquiltshow@hotmail.com](mailto:tylerquiltshow@hotmail.com)**

## QGOA Volunteer Hours

**In September we had 33 members report 698 volunteer hours!**

**What an amazing group of quilter's we have that donate so much time and talent to the community!**

## Display Case

Billie Brecheen who has done a wonderful job on the guilds display case has some requests from us. She is looking for orphan blocks, mini quilts or blocks from different members.

November-Fall, Thanksgiving.

December-Christmas

\*\*Please put your name on your things. So Billie can get them back to you.

## Sign Up For QGOA Yahoo Group

Go to

<https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/qgoa/info>

You will see the QGOA symbol on that page. Click the tab that says Join Group. That will lead you to a page to sign in to a yahoo account, you must have a yahoo account to join group. Just follow the prompts to make an account. It is important that you join this group; this is how we stay in touch and send out information to the guild.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Tammy Reidy at 817-791-6777.

Dear ones, another generous month of giving to help children endure illness, trauma, ongoing treatments, or serious diseases. The children of Tarrant county are lucky to be in a community with such caring ladies and gentlemen. This month linus received many adorable quilts, fleece, fabric, quilt tops, batting, notions, scraps and miscellaneous. Project Linus donates approximately 300 quilts a month to our local hospitals and facilities to assist children and their families in their recovery. Please know that every donation is appreciated.

Special thanks to Robbie Colley, Janice Farris, Judy Liston, Darnell Dark, Elizabeth Carr, Janice Mowery, Patricia Eckstrom, Jolene Mershon, Nancy Spell, Jean Dodson, Debby Ware, and anonymous. These quilters that donate are so talented and make beautiful creations. All this and then some really precious quilting designs to finish a quilt. It is just incredible that small bits and pieces can be reassembled to make a quilt worthy of winning awards. Your gifts will bring comfort.

If you designated quilts for "snowball express" they are on their way. Hope you catch a local news report that shows some of these courageous kids; it should be a weekend early in December. FYI: this event occurs yearly and quilts can be donated any time during the year.

Linus meets the 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month at Southcliff Church 4100 SW loop 820, Ft. Worth. We meet from 9-3ish in the entryway. We bring our machines or yarn or handwork and a sack lunch. Please try to join us or drop by to see the work.

The hospitals ask that the quilts measure 44x45 for younger children and 57x45 for the larger ones. This provides an option, the hospitals have all size children.

If you are looking for a reasonably simple pattern [projectlinus.org/patterns](http://projectlinus.org/patterns) has some ideas. Quiltmaker magazine graciously makes a new pattern every year specifically for Project Linus and can be found at [quiltmaker.com/patterns/projectlinus.html](http://quiltmaker.com/patterns/projectlinus.html).

I have some darling kits provided by our "kit fairy" check with me and take one home to sew and either quilt or return to be quilted.

Remember the work we do for the guild and our community enriches us and generations to come.

Sincerely, Elizabeth Cooper



# Quilters' Guild of Arlington Celebration Block



Makes One Twelve Inch Finished Block

Please review all instructions before making the block. Must be a light star in dark/medium background, block may be no larger than 12.5".

Need: 1. FABRIC A - 4.5" x 36" - MEDIUM TO DARK 2. FABRIC B - 2.5" x 20", plus 4.5" square - LIGHT that is suitable for name to be seen, no strong prints; 200 ct. muslin or plain fabric is suggested. 3. Batting - 13" square 4. 13-14" square backing fabric 5. Binding fabric - two 40 - 42" widths of fabric; cut 2.5" strips, miter for one strip, double fold

## Cutting Instructions

\*If you are going to heavily quilt, embellish or appliqué the block you may want to cut the pieces 4.5"x 5", then square up block to 12.5". Be careful to put star points on 4.5" side.

Cut 8\* - 4.5" squares of medium to dark fabric - FABRIC A If using a fat quarter, cut along short side (18") must be at least 18"; two strips of 4.5". This will allow for 13" square for backing.

Cut 1\* - 4.5" square light fabric - FABRIC B You may wish to embroider your name and „Member Since“ line before constructing the block

Cut 8 - 2.5" squares of same light fabric - FABRIC B

Cut 1 -13-14 " square of backing fabric, may be same as A or different

Cut two 3" squares of either your backing or binding material, for „hanging corners“

Cut 1 - 13 " square batting

Cut two (2) widths of fabric (40-42") cut 2.5" strips for binding.

Assembling Block - sew all seams with 1/4" accurate seam width

1. The star points are made using the stitch and flip method: Place a 2.5" sq. of fabric B in the corner of A with the right sides of the fabrics facing each other. With a pencil and ruler, mark a diagonal line on B from the corner to corner as shown. Sew on the line.
2. Trim patch 1/4" from sewn line. Press it gently to corner.
3. Repeat with another B patch on adjacent corner to create star points. Make total of 4 matching units for each of the star point units.
4. Join the matching units into rows with A patches as shown above; press the seams allowances toward the A's; middle row to B patch. Sew the rows together to complete the star block. Finish
1. Quilt the block. You may embellish and quilt as desired to personalize your block! It cannot be larger than 12.5" square, so do nothing to extend size or 'dangle' off block.
2. Please make two „hanging corners“, see below for instructions.
3. Sew on the binding to the block.
4. Sign block in at least 3/4-1" lettering in middle of center square with permanent fabric pen or embroidery. Include this line under your name: Member Since - fill in year you joined QGOA!

Hanging Corners - Corner Triangles for Hanging a Small Quilt

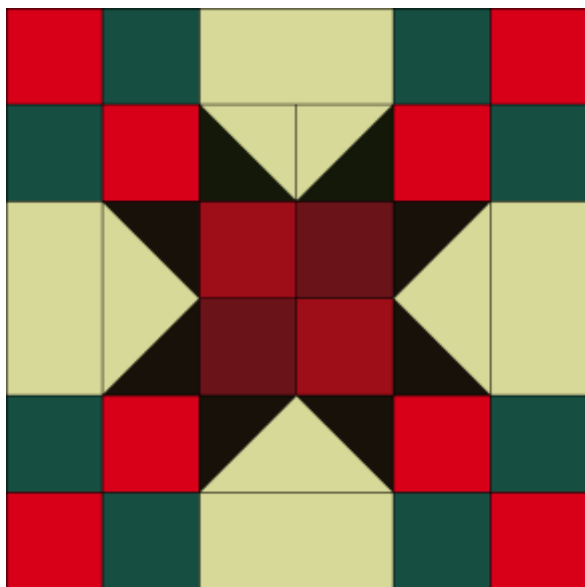
1. Cut two 3" squares of your backing or binding material.
2. Fold in half diagonally. Press.
3. Align the folded triangles on the back of the quilt to the TOP right and left corners, raw edges even. Pin. Double check you placed the corners on the top corners!
4. Sew on the binding in your usual method.

Blocks will be retained by the QGOA for future exhibits.

## Block Party 2015

December—Civil War Christmas Star (12" finished block)

Fabrics: All Civil War prints, 2 dark reds, bright red, off white/tan tone on tone, green, black



Dark Red 1: Two 2-1/2" squares

Dark Red 2: Two 2-1/2" squares

Bright Red: Eight 2-1/2" squares

Green: Eight 2-1/2" squares

Black: Four 3" squares for half square triangles

Off white/Tan: Four 3" squares for half square triangles

Four 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles

Make a 4x4 unit with the two dark reds.

Make four 4x4 units with the bright red and green squares.

Make eight half square triangles:

- To make half square triangles, draw a diagonal line on the back of the light squares. Place a light square right sides together with each of the colored squares. Stitch a 1/4" seam on either side of the diagonal line.
- Cut along the diagonal line, and press open
- Square to 2-1/2"

Sew two half square triangles together to form the star points, then sew each set of points to an off white rectangle. Assemble all units together to create the square.

**2015 Donation Quilt  
"Friendship Garden"**



**2015 QGOA Donation Quilt "Friendship Garden"**

**Time is ticking down...**

Please turn in your donation quilt ticket money & stubs.  
If your stubs are not in the drawing you won't be able to  
WIN this beautiful quilt!

Now is the time to get out there and sell your tickets! Only  
5 weeks left until the drawing!

The winner will be drawn and announced at our December  
8th guild meeting.

If you have extra tickets please return them or if you need  
more tickets see

Susan FitzGerald or Judy Liston at the next general  
meeting.

**Outstanding Volunteers for October were:**

**Judy Liston, Julie Schmidt, Jenn Haxton, Randa  
Dillon,**

**Elizabeth Cooper, Jill Matyastik, Dwain Edwards,  
Kaylene Farrington,**

**Sheila Kinsey, Chuck Kinsey, Sandy Boice, Ruth  
Ann Uzzle, Linda McPherson, Tami Meyer, Jan  
Boothe, & Teresa Bolt.**

**Your volunteer help is greatly appreciated!**

Susan FitzGerald  
2015 Donation Quilt Scheduler

# QGOA 2016 Quilt Show The Ties that Bind

Save the date!

So...what are you working on? Your quilt show leadership is working hard to make sure we have a fabulous show. We have great vendors (all vendor spots filled). Everyone is jumping in and doing their part.

Your part is to start working on your beautiful quilts to be in this show. We will have the entry form on the website soon. This year we have added a category for Modern Quilts. There is a description of each category on the entry form to help you decide where to enter your quilt.

So, mark your calendar for April 22 and 23, 2016. We look forward to seeing your quilts and you at the quilt show.

Rhonda Weddle  
Libby McDuffie  
2016 Quilt Show Co-chairs



## America's Garden Quilt Block of the Month

From the "Deco State" collection by Tiffany Lerman, this gorgeous quilt features 50 art-deco prints that represent each of the United States' flowers.

Finished quilt measures 86 1/2" x 102 1/2".

*This BOM is limited so reserve yours now!*



Creative Sewing Center  
2899 W. Pioneer Pkwy., Pantego, TX 76013  
www.sewfabricated.com (817) 795-1925



Appliqued Baltimore Basket of Roses  
Workshop with Kathy Dunigan  
Wednesday, November 11th (Veteran's Day)  
Quilt Among Friends  
9 am - 4 pm



Workshop Registration

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Workshop Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Workshop Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Form of Payment: (circle one) Check Cash

Cost is \$40 for members/\$45 for non-members. Please make all checks payable to QGOA.

Payment must be received to hold your space in the workshop. Enrollment is on first come first serve basis.

Please sign-up at a meeting at the Program Section of the Sign-In Table or send your registration form with full payment to:

Quilters' Guild of Arlington

PO BOX 13232

Arlington, TX 76094-0232.

Notify the Vice President, Sharon Ligon, that you wish to sign up.

Please pick up your supply sheet at the Guild meeting or check the newsletter on the website [www.QGOA.org](http://www.QGOA.org)

(Please use this form to register for all upcoming workshops. You may photocopy this form)



Hard at work on our projects and socializing.



All that is missing is you.



## *Who or What is Jane & Friends???*

“Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday”

@ Quilt Among Friends

2238 Michigan Ave., Suite A, Arlington

10:00 – 3:00

**Jane & Friends** is a stitch group that started several years ago as a Dear Jane quilt group for quilters wanting to make individual Dear Jane quilts. A Dear Jane quilt is an 1863 quilt with 225 patterns (4 ½ x 4 ½ finished blocks). In our original group, we shared how to tackle such a huge undertaking and then we met to work on the blocks. We now have some “*over achievers*” that have finished their quilt but we are still friends with them and now our group (**Jane & Friends**) is open to everyone wanting to do a Dear Jane or any other type of quilting, machine-work, handwork, embroidery, applique, etc.

We have lots of fun, so, please come by and visit or sit and stitch a while. Thanks to Julie McCloud’s, generosity, we meet at her shop, Quilt Among Friends, at no cost except for a donation to Julie’s canned goods for Mission Arlington. She has a basket as you walk in the front door. For additional information, please contact Sherry Livingston. Be there or be square!

Sister Janiac,  
Sherry Livingston  
artandquilts@yahoo.com

## QUILTERS' GUILD OF ARLINGTON

### DAY RETREAT

#### QGOA Day Retreat

It was a wonderful time for everyone at the Fall QGOA Day Retreat! Thanks to everyone there for pitching in to make it fantastic; keeping the kitchen tidy, feeding us well and Ellen supplying us with a constant level of caffeine. Many thanks to the Pleasant Ridge Church of Christ for use of their wonderful facilities!

Mark your calendars: Next QGOA Day Retreat is scheduled for March 3-5, 2016. Registration will begin at the January 12th guild meeting.

Libby McDuffie

### QGOA Membership Dues

You can now start paying your dues now!

\$30.00 General Membership

\$15.00 Junior Membership (under 18)

\$25.00 Senior Membership (65 – 84)

\*\*Membership for those 85 and over is FREE for next year.



### Fidget/Touch Quilts

Do you know what Fidget/Touch Quilts are? They are quilts for Alzheimer's patients to fiddle with to keep them from wandering or to keep them in the moment. Billie Brecheen, Judy Liston and Tammy Reidy would really like to get a group started within the guild that has a desire to make these little lap quilts for the elderly in our community. We will be meeting at Peggy's Quilt Studio once a month. We haven't settled a day yet. The group is in its very beginning stages, but if you are interested in any part of this group please let us know. You can email Billie at [blarb@sbcglobal.net](mailto:blarb@sbcglobal.net) or see us at the next guild meeting.



Is your stitch group doing something fun? Is your stitch group working on a service project? Would your members just like to share things about your stitch group? You can send an article to me at [tammyreidy@yahoo.com](mailto:tammyreidy@yahoo.com)

We would love to hear about your stitch group plus it is great way for new members plug in to the different stitch groups within our guild.

Send me an article and you can even send some pictures. Everyone likes to see pictures.

This month we learned about Sew-N-Sews, next month it will be Jane and Friends.

Tammy Reidy

Newsletter Editor



## STITCH GROUPS

Guild members are cordially invited to join a sewing group for fellowship and stitching. We have plenty of space for new members in our groups

### \*\*Friendship Stitchers\*\*

Meets the 1st & 3rd Thursdays 10:00 a.m. at First Christian Church Contact: Helga Smith

### \*\*Etcetera Art Quilt Group\*\*

Meets @ Sew Fabricated  
1st Thursday of the Month 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Contact:  
Denny Cornett

### \*\*The Piecemakers\*\*

Meets @ Bob Duncan Community Center 2nd & 4th  
Thursdays  
6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Contact: Pam Pape 817-504-1341

### \*\*Sew-N-Sews\*\*

Meets @ Trinity United Methodist Church  
1200 W Green Oaks Room A208  
1st Monday of the month unless it is a Holiday  
10 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
Bring your lunch and \$3 per person per meeting as a  
donation to the church  
Contact: Randa Dillon or Carolyn Bowden

### \*\*Jane and Friends\*\*

Meets @ Quilt Among Friends  
2238 Michigan Ave. Suite A  
2nd Monday of the Month 10:00-3:00  
Contact: Sherry Livingston





# November 2015

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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2 Sew-N-Sews 10am-3pm	3 QGOA Board Mtg- 6:30pm Sew Fabricated	4	5 Friendship Stitchers 10am-12:00pm Etcetera Art Quilt Group 7pm-8:30pm	6	7	8
9 Jane & Friends 10am-3pm	10 QGOA General Mtg 6:30-9:00pm	11 Kathy Dunigan Workshop 9-4pm at Quilt Among Friends.	12 Piecemakers 6pm-10pm	13	14	15
16	17	18	19 Friendship Stitchers 10am-12:00pm	20	21	22
23	24	25	26 Happy Thanksgiving	27	28	29
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## EVENTS

**Donation Quilt**  
Turn in your ticket money!

**2016 Membership Dues**  
You can start paying your 2016 membership dues this month. Pay early to get in the directory.

**Kathy Dunigan Workshop-November 11th**  
Quilt Among Friends at 9am-4pm.  
Applied Baltimore Basket of Roses

## QGOA Newsletter Ad Rates

SIZE	1MO	3MO	1 YR
1/8 PAGE	\$7.50	\$22	\$85
1/4 PAGE	\$15	\$40	\$150
1/2 PAGE	\$30	\$75	\$270
1/2 PAGE (BACK)	\$40	\$105	\$378
FULL PAGE	\$60	\$150	\$540

All ads must be print ready and fit the size requirement. Ads must be received by the 15th of the month prior to the desired publication month. Email preferred.

Email ad to: [tammyreidy@yahoo.com](mailto:tammyreidy@yahoo.com)  
Make payments to: QGOA  
Mail payments to: Tammy Reidy, Editor  
4101 Walsh Lane  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052

Instead of using a marking pencil with a quilt stencil, I use a foam paintbrush. I dip it into loose chalk, and dab it over the stencil. It's really quick!  
*Judy Cooper Cripple Creek, CO*



### Binding

**Tip a Day Calendar**  
After cutting and pressing binding, roll it onto an empty cardboard tube. The binding will unroll without tangling as you attach it to the quilt.

## October Show and Tell

Presented by:	Name of Quilt	Quilter	Description
Joyce Clark	Pinwheels in My Garden	Janet Copeland	85x93 quilt with pinwheels and squares set on point made of 31 different fabrics
Joyce Clark	Freindship Star	Delphia Sanders	55x65 Frienship Star quilt made of patriotic colors and presented to my husband at a veteran's reunion we attend each year. 51 quilts were presented there and I made 14 tops, which were quilte and finished by the Quilts of Honor organization in Valley Springs, CA
Nancy Conner	Borders	Nancy Conner	Grand Prairie Quilt Guild did a Borders of the month project.
Nancy Conner	Love Wallhanging	Nancy Conner	Small piece I did to demonstrate mitering a border
Colette Wong	Spring Flowers	Colette Wong	The flower blocks were for the May 2003 block party pattern. I won half of the blocks turned in.
Judy Liston	Linus Project	Judy Liston	Strips of color with a ocus fabric quilted as I sewed.
Judy Liston	Wounded Warrior	Pat Madrid	Bright colors, half square triangles, blocks set on point.
Rose Kauhane	Wounded Warrior Guild Kit	Kathryn Pate	Guld members creatd Wounded Warrior Kits from donated fabric. I took one of the last ones and finally got it pieced. Kathryn quilted it for me using a swirling star pattern and this I put on the binding.
Rose Kauhane	Monster Trucks Galore	Rose Kauhane	I purchased a panel of moster truck froms an online source because y grandson loved monsters trucks. I showed hime the paned some time ago and he's been bugging me every since "where's my quilt Tutu?" Istill have to make it "but I want to use it!" So for his 4 <sup>th</sup> irthday I finished the quilt. The look on his face when he realized it was ready was priceless
Charlotte Humphrey		Charlotte Humphrey	Top only-Twister
Randa Dillion	Reckey's Memorial Quilt	Randa Dillion	
Randa Dillion	QGOA Banner	Randa Dillion	Banner to use at cookbook table.
Debra Ware		Debra Ware	Pattern found on Pintrest. My first quilt done completely by machine.
Sheila Parry	Pillow	Sheila Parry	An accident in design=the block started as a block party block but ran out of the light fabric so I played with design and added part of a doiley and made a pillow
Sheila Parry	Flowers for Me	Sheila Parry	Purchased flower panels several years ago decided to get the made. It will fit my king size bed. I plan to hand quilt for the show.

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