

October 9, 2025 Quilters Guild of Plano Member Meeting

Meeting Minutes *(please forgive any misspellings)*

- Location: Hunters Glen Baptist Church
- Called to order at 7:00pm_____
- Approval of Minutes - approved as written
- Approval of Financial Report-approved as written
- **Show and Tell**
- Other items:
Tisha Ann Harms spoke as a representative of DAR and presented Certificates of Appreciation for our members who worked on the Quilts of Valor presentation.

President (Carolyn Cosgriff)

- Carolyn had visitors stand up and introduce themselves.
- We need a person to coordinate the Newsletter.

Quilt Show (Carol Truscott, Adrienne Poppe)

- Updates for Quilt Plano 2026 include changes to raffle ticket pricing. Tickets will be \$5 each or 5 for \$20. This will reduce our printing costs.
- To celebrate America's 250th birthday, there will be a special quilt category sponsored by DAR for Quilts of Valor, Civil War replica quilts and other patriotic but not political quilts. There will be special ribbons for this category.
- There are a few open positions available on the Quilt Show Committee.

Education (Debbie Burns, Deanna Tucker)

- The demonstration was on making Witch Hats

Community Service (Jeanne Vogel, Susie Luttrell)

- There are a lot of kits available to make cuddles or pillowcases.

Guild Activities and Show and Tell (Donna Allenbaugh)

- Rose Davis talked briefly about the annual retreat scheduled in February. Registration is now

open and the form is available on our website. This is a self-funded activity with no expenditure from the guild.

- Donna discussed the activities that are planned for the upcoming year. There are signup sheets available.
- We are still collecting quilts from the “Mission Not Impossible” challenge.
- There is an open position for Co-VP of Activities.
- We are looking to have some single-day retreats again.

Programs (Kim Iverson, Andrea McMahan)

- There are spaces available in the workshop tomorrow.

Program

- **Speaker: Dee Bushrod**
- Finding My Passion in Pixels

Membership (Christi Ables, Anna Marie Larabee)

- It is time to renew your membership. This can be done online.
- We had 93 people in attendance, 23 on Zoom and 8 guests. 22 people renewed their membership.
- **Door Prize Winners:** Misty Cannefax, Mary Alice Cafferel, Valerie Salter, Cathey Jordan, Alice Payn, Judy Kriehn. The special prize was won by Delores Williams. Pixel Quilt patterns were won by Lisa Vines and Linda Ullom.

Finance (Tammy Kinley, Stacey Procter)

- Outgoing VP, Donna Petrick, gave an overview of the 2025 fiscal year and the 2026 budget. The 2025 budget was projected to produce a deficit, in large part due to the significant cost to upgrade the web site. The actual deficit was less than expected. A deficit of approximately \$6,000 is projected for the 2026 fiscal year. The storage unit space was expanded last year, plus inflation has impacted many costs, especially batting. It is important for the Guild to return to the longstanding practice of working within a balanced budget.

Meeting Adjourned

- 9:17 pm