

July 10, 2025 Quilters Guild of Plano Member Meeting

Meeting Minutes *(please forgive any misspellings)*

- Location: Hunters Glen Baptist Church
- Called to order at _6:59pm_____
- Approval of Minutes from June 12
- Approval of Financial Report-N/A
- Other items:
 - Dallas Modern Quilt Guild is visiting with their raffle quilt. Everyone who purchases 5 tickets gets a chance to win a mini quilt. (won by Beth Swiatek)
 - Many donations have been received from the estate of Pat Fenton. These will be available for volunteers at the quilt show, used as door prizes and activity raffle items. There are some wool items available. Sherry Worley, Mary Alice Caffarel, Pat Wiant, Linda Chappell and Maggie Cole expressed interest in those. There are some large tables available for purchase. Contact Jeanne if interested.
 - Virginia Braley provided some tips on selling raffle tickets and making people feel welcome at the Quilt Show.
 - We're working on providing name badges for active members.

President (Jeanne Vogel)

- The deadline for entering quilts into the State Fair is July 28.
- There will be a Quilts of Valor presentation on July 17 at 7pm at Memorial Park in Plano. All quilt tops that need to be quilted have been distributed.
- There is a scrap basket at the Community Service table for members to add to their stash.
- The August meeting is Quilt Plano 2025 Preview Night and will be held at the Plano Event Center. There will be no community service drop off that night except for Quilts of Valor.
- August 12 is sew day at Plano Sewing Center. Community Service items can be dropped off there.
- Roxy Gross presented the slate of candidates for the 2025-2026 board.
 - President - Carolyn Cosgriff
 - VP Guild Activities - Donna Allenbaugh and Brandee Wilkins
 - VP Media - Kris O'Connor and Sara Collins
 - VP Membership - Christi Ables and Anna Marie Larrabee
 - VP Community Service - Jeanne Vogel and Susie Luttrell
 - VP Education - Debbie Burns and Deanna Tucker
 - VP Finance - Stacey Proctor and Tammy Kinley
 - VP Programs - Kim Iverson and Andrea McMahan
 - Secretary - Ginny Cherry
 - Quilt Show Chair - Carol Truscott

Quilt Show (Laurie Lumston)

- Tonight is the last night for QP25 lunch preorders.
- Raffle tickets, postcards, small and large posters are available to be distributed.
- Admission tickets are available for purchase during the meeting and online. \$15 for a one day ticket or \$25 for a two day ticket.
- If you have registered a quilt in the show, you should have received an email with instructions for drop-off.
- Sign up for volunteer slots for the show.

Education (Debbie Burns, Lorrie Gray)

- From the tips that were submitted last month, four were drawn and raffle prizes given. A sheet full of the tips is available at the Education Table. Raffle winners were: Mary Alice Caffarel, Denise Castelli, Kathy Czekaj and Valerie Salter.

Community Service (Valerie Schlake)

- In June we had 71 quilts, 56 pillowcases, 20 cuddles and 57 dog beds donated. We now request that quilt donations be approximately 48x60 in size.

Guild Activities and Show and Tell (Chris Fredericks, Anna Marie Larrabee)

- New activity "Mission Not Impossible" was announced. Members can pick up a bag of single-color fabric, add another color to complete a quilt top and turn it in to Community Service in September. Throw size or smaller quilts preferred.
- **Show and Tell**

Programs (Linda Sullivan, Beth Swiatek)

- October workshop is Dee Bushrod. If you have signed up for this workshop and want to purchase the kit from the instructor, please let Beth know so we can get those ordered.

Program

- **Speaker: Sue Heinz, You've Got a Friend Named Elmer"**

Membership (Christi Ables, Ann Lau)

- 103 members attended in person, 37 via Zoom and 5 guests.
- **Door Prize Winners: Ginny Cherry, Carole Robertson, Diane Morris, Tara McCrory, Judy Kriehn, Julia Hann, Mary Alice Caffarel, Jill Gibson, Cindy Wells, Virginia Hammond**

- The special door prize was won by Kim Iverson. The ruler provided by speaker Sue Heinz was won by Deborah Nordgren.

Finance (Donna Petrick)

- No report.

Meeting Adjourned

- 9:03 pm