

Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Inc.

NEWSLETTER



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March, 2000

President's Corner

Welcome new and rejoining members. Thank you to Karen Nanos for volunteering for the Pro-Show Chairman and Sylvia Jolet for volunteering to be the Parliamentarian.

I'm busy working on projects for the auction and also preparations for my sister's upcoming wedding. I have to get my bridesmaid dress fitted as it is to large on the top and shoulders. I'm looking forward to the upcoming pro show which I have volunteered to work at on Saturday. The Pro Show has workshops and vendors. It's fun to be in the booth for 4 hours as you meet all kinds of people who have questions about the quilts or a project you are working on. The Guild has a quilt in a frame that you can quilt on or you can bring your own project. Please contact Karen Nanos at (210) 558-9166 if you would like to volunteer. We have also found a new location for the Quilt Auction on June 10th. It will be held at Antonian High School on West Avenue and Loop 410. Please let Bernie Farris (210) 695-4323 if you have any items for the quilt show.

My sunroom still has a few repairs to go. After the first rain they supposedly fixed the leak, however, when it rained this last time it leaked again. They finally had professional roofers come out this time to fix the problem. I wish they would do a water test to see if it still leaks. I have my room all set up now including drapes for the windows which I made. I also have stands and areas my 3 cats can sit and look out the windows. Since I have gotten the sunroom they haven't wanted to go outside since they could see what was going on in the back yard.

Cathy

MARCH 11 MEETING

10:00 - Meeting called to order
 10:10 - Meeting suspended
 - Program - 2 SA Broads
 11:00 - Break
 11:20 - meeting called back to order
 11:35 - Unfinished/New Business
 11:45 - Adjourn
 11:50 - QPC
 11:55 Announcements
 12:05 - Door Prizes/Bring & Brag

KLRN NEEDS VOLUNTEERS FOR "AMERICA QUILTS"

by Janet Rutherford

KLRN will be airing "America Quilts" on March 4, from 12:30-3:00. We need quilts--Amish or Amish style, round robins, and clothes. Still need about 6 people to man the phones for a three hour shift. Anyone interested, please give me, Janet Rutherford, a call so I can notify KLRN. Call me at 490-2237 or 490-2281.

Program Change

by Cathy Baisley

As most of you know we are trying a new format for the meeting. This format has had the Business meeting suspended and the Program done early. This has happened in January, February and will happen again in March. In the March New Business meeting the membership attending the meeting will decide which way they like. The decision will be the Business Meeting followed by the program or the Business Meeting suspended, the program and then the Business Meeting resumed.

BRIGHT HOPES.

by Kitty Janiga

Thanks to all the bees who have been making comforters for Bright Hopes. So far we have gotten comforters from Pin Droppers, Needle Binders and Hoop'n' Holler. These quilts will be a great help toward our delivery of 40 quilts per month to the Children's Shelter. Many thanks, ladies!

STYLE SHOW CHALLENGE.

by Kay Allison

Kits with one yard of challenge fabric and instructions will be available for purchase at the March meeting for those who plan to make a challenge garment. These garments will be on display at the Style Show, but not on the runway. Call Kay Allison at 733-8578 or Barbara Wofford at 736-0810 for further information..

SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

Valerie Arcement

We hope by the time you read this that Katie Phillips has recovered from her emergency appendectomy on February 13th.

We hope by the time your read this that Glenn Rabb will be fully recovered from his heart problems and had a joyful Valentine's Day

Our sympathy and prayers are offered to Jewell Bragg who lost her husband, Donald, on February 11.

We hope Ida Tyson, GSAQG Treasurer, will be back crunching those numbers soon. She had surgery in early February.

We hear Andrea Brown has been fighting some tough medical battles lately and certainly hope she has them conquered soon!

Amy and Fred Cottrell's son, Chris, was married in January to Katie Glock of Austin, Tx. Report: no quilt shops in Innsbruck!

Larry and Val are going in late March-April to Germany, Spain, Italy. Lois Reeh will be sending cards on behalf of the guild for Val.

Don't forget...if you know someone who needs to be mentioned in Sunshine and Shadows, give Valerie a call at 349-4456. If she is out of town, call the newsletter editor!

**1999 QUILT SHOW REPORT**

by Garnette Hanson

The Quilt Show report is what I received from Ruthie Herman around Christmas time. I'm assuming this is the report Ruth Felty was asking for.

1999 Quilt Show Expense / Income

	Budget 99	Actual 99
LOGISTICS		
Building Electric&/Misc.	\$1,000.00	\$ 550.00
Building Rental	\$4,500.00	\$ 4,454.00
Freeman Decorating	\$5,175.00	\$ 6,275.65
Security	\$550.00	\$ 404.63
JUDGED SHOW		
Awards, ID Cards, Signs	\$400.00	\$ 284.36
Judge's Fees & Expenses	\$2,000.00	\$ 1,851.85
Printing Costs	\$500.00	\$ 603.33
Program Printing	\$3,600.00	\$ 2,308.30
White Gloves	\$0.00	\$ -
Ticket printing		\$ 277.63
Misc. expenses		\$ 95.82
Show photos		\$ 139.66
EXHIBITS		
Correspondence	\$100.00	\$ 13.65
Shipping/Handling	\$300.00	\$ 56.75
PUBLICITY		
Business Cards	\$50.00	\$ 105.00
Newspaper Ads	\$3,000.00	\$ 1,741.83
Postage	\$130.00	\$ 33.00
Posters/Flyers	\$300.00	\$ 150.50
Banners		\$ 1,221.00
RAFFLE QUILT		
Fabric	\$140.00	\$ 104.97
Postage/Flyers	\$100.00	\$ -
Raffle	\$25.00	\$ -
Quilt Photograph		
Raffle Quilt Posters	\$100.00	\$ -
Raffle Quilt Tickets	\$200.00	\$ 175.00
VENDORS & PRIZES		
Correspondence	\$250.00	\$ 168.66
Printing Costs		\$ 102.34
Door Prize		\$ 117.19
Door Prize tickets		\$ 15.00
Refunds		\$ 1,060.00
Badges		\$ 9.00
RECEPTION		
Food/Decorations	\$150.00	27.04
MISCELLANEOUS		
Balloons	\$210.00	\$ -
Postage	\$0.00	\$ -
Show Tickets	\$300.00	\$ 277.63
Film/processing	\$150.00	\$ 139.66
MERCHANDISE		
Admin	\$50.00	\$ 90.06
Appraisals	\$0.00	\$ -
Bandannas	\$826.00	\$ -
Buttons/Pens/Rulers ETC	\$328.00	\$ -
Coffee Mugs	\$568.00	\$ 534.30
Consignments	\$0.00	\$ 486.28
Iron-on Transfers	\$500.00	\$ -
SHOW EXPENSES CONT.		
Note Cards	\$300.00	\$ -
Show Pins	\$765.00	\$ 898.00
Silent ion	\$0.00	\$ 26.84

Auction		
Spool Contest Tickets	\$80.00	\$ -
Block Challenge		\$ 79.20
VOLUNTEERS		
Badges/precook drinks		\$ 35.64
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$26,647.00	\$24,053.38
INCOME FROM SHOW	Est. 99	ACTUAL 99
Admissions (3000@\$5.00)	\$15,116.00	\$14,527.00
Appraisals	\$1,000.00	\$ -
Bandanna Sales	\$1,500.00	\$ -
Building Electric	\$750.00	\$ 550.00
Coffee Mugs	\$864.00	\$ -
Consignments	\$0.00	\$ 668.50
Entry Fees	\$1,336.00	\$ 796.00
Misc. (massages)	\$1,000.00	\$ 69.00
Misc. Merchandise Sales	\$1,000.00	\$ -
Notes	\$350.00	\$ -
Program Ads	\$1,400.00	\$ 1,140.00
Raffle Ticket Sales	\$4,000.00	\$ 2,657.00
Show Pins	\$2,000.00	\$ 632.00
Silent Auction	\$0.00	\$ 838.00
Spools Contest	\$1,000.00	\$ 35.00
Preshow Deals	\$0.00	\$ 45.00
Vendor Booths	\$19,500.00	\$19,575.00
Unallocated Income		\$1,155.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$50,816.00	\$42,687.50
LESS EXPENSES	\$26,647.00	\$24,053.38
ESTIMATED PROFIT	\$24,169.00	\$18,634.12

TREASURER'S REPORT Dec. 1 - 31, 1999**Garnette Hanson, Treasurer**

Beginning Balance (Frost)	\$4,835.22
Beginning Balance (Jefferson Reserve)	\$35,410.26
Beginning Balance (Total Guild Funds)	\$40,245.48

INCOME

Auction	\$0.00
Dues-Membership	\$1,180.00
Interest Income	\$88.72
Newsletter/Directory Ads	\$235.00
Show	\$0.00
Other	\$0.00
Shows	\$0.00
Total Income	\$1,503.72

EXPENSES

Administration	\$202.19
Bright Hopes	\$0.00
Community Ed/Books	\$48.45
Facility	\$1,322.73
Newsletter/Directory	\$244.67
Other	\$0.00
Patterns	\$0.00
Photography	\$0.00
Programs	\$360.00

Rent (Meetings)	\$200.00
Total Expenses	\$2,378.04

Net Income (\$874.32)

Ending Frost Balance	\$3,872.18
Ending Jefferson Reserve Balance	\$35,498.98
Ending Total Guild Funds	\$39,371.16

TREASURER'S REPORT January 1- 31, 2000**Garnette Hanson, Treasurer**

Beginning Balance (Frost)	3872.18
Beginning Balance (Jefferson Reserve)	35499
Beginning Balance (Total Guild Funds)	39371.2

INCOME

Auction	0
Dues-Membership	1670
Interest Income	88.94
Newsletter/Directory Ads	220
QPC Raffle	343.5
Retreat - Summer	750
Retreat - Winter	2595
Show - Quilt	0
Other	44.87
Total Income	5712.31

EXPENSES

Administration	124.9
Bright Hopes	0
Community Ed/Books	0
Facility	1388.46
Newsletter/Directory	207.97
Other	144.46
Patterns	0
Photography	0
Postage, Bulk	400
Programs	0
QPM	242.11
Rent (Meetings)	200
Retreat - Winter	2655.1
Telephone	92.93
Webpage	319
Total Expenses	5774.93

Net Income (62.62)

Ending Frost Balance	2039.74
Ending Jefferson Reserve Balance	35587.9
Ending Total Guild Funds	37627.7

PROGRAM NOTES

by Larry Beauchamp

Our **March 11** program will be a lively one featuring "**2 SA Broads.**" "2 S. A. Broads" is the alter-ego of Peggy Raley & Pat Bowers. Between them they have over 100 years of sewing experience and have taken hundreds of classes and seminars from dozens of teachers. Their Bag of Tricks is a compilation of all this experience. It includes tips on sewing, quilting, sewing machines, and almost everything touching the sewing experience. They also try to clear up some of the misinformation floating around the quilting world. As their theme song seems to be "Let Us Entertain You," you can presume there will be a lot of fun in this lecture.

Coming up at the **April 8** meeting will be award-winning quiltmaker and teacher Darra Williamson of North Carolina, profiled in American Quilter Spring 2000 (AQS). For five years Darra has taught quiltmaking classes at Appalachian State University in Boone, NC. She has traveled extensively in the US and abroad conducting lectures and workshops. Her March 11 lecture will be "**Scrap Quilts for the New Millennium.**" Discover a fresh new face for that perennial favorite, the scrap quilt. She will be offering two workshops. **Friday, April 7**, there will be an all day workshop at the Op Center for "**Log Cabin with Attitude.**" This is a freewheeling, "foundation-less" combination of log cabin/crazy-patch blocks. NO rules, NO Templates...just fast, easy, and fun! Cost for the day is \$35. **Saturday, April 8**, following our meeting the workshop will be "**Sensational Scrap Quilts.**" Unlock the "lessons" of the 19th century scrap quilt to create a 21st century masterpiece! Price is \$25. There will be sign-up sheets at the March meeting or you can make reservations by calling Larry Beauchamp at 561-0719, sending e-mail to jllarry@webcombo.net, or by sending your check to 3402 Clearfield. No reservation is guaranteed until payment is received! Space will open to non-guild members on March 29. Get your name in early. Recapping, the April workshops are:
Friday, April 7, 9:30 am; Log Cabin with Attitude, \$35.
Saturday, April 8, after guild; Sensational Scrap Quilts, \$25.

PARTICIPANTS IN JENNY RAYMOND'S FEBRUARY CLASSES

by Larry Beauchamp

Jenny Raymond has kindly offered to provide comments, suggestions, and tips to those who were in her classes in February. Just send her an e-mail (or have someone send an e-mail for you!) to jennyraymond@navix.net.

SUMMER RETREAT JULY 9 (Sun.) - JULY 14 (Fri.)

\$25.00 deposit will be accepted at the March meeting. The total fee for the 2000 Retreat is \$250.00. Call Lois at 344-2653 for inf.

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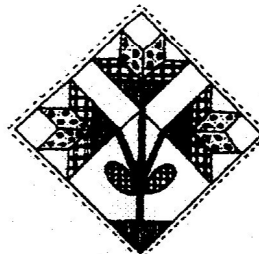
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GSAQG Board Meeting, Jan. 3, 2000

Board members present: Cathy Baisley, Marilyn Bellows, Larry Beauchamp, Nadine Darby, Ida Tyson, Kay Allison, Garnette Hanson, Renee Bradley and Charlotte Keener. Present Cathy Baisley called the meeting to order at 7:15 p.m. The minutes were corrected to state that Marilyn Bellows was present. Larry moved to accept the minutes as corrected. It was seconded and passed. Treasurer Garnette Hanson reported Frost Bank balance was \$3,872.18 and Jefferson Bank balance as \$35,498.98. Cathy read a letter from Nancy Brennan Daniels who donated \$25.00 for education/library fund. It was suggested to purchase a book for the library. Cathy will send a thank you note. Kay reported that anyone on the 1999 mailing list will receive the Feb. newsletter and then if dues are not paid, they will be dropped. She received many comments on the editorializing* of the newsletter.

Garnette said she is still getting signatures on bank accounts. Loveta Fowler had turned in \$343.50 from the QPC Christmas raffle. Ida reported on the service hours and needs a chairman for the Pro-Show. Nadine said the Lois Reeh, chairman of the summer retreat, would like board approval of Trina Horvath as cochairman for the retreat. Larry moved to accept her recommendation. It was seconded and passed. She showed a quilt from Japan. Charlotte moved that we keep the quilt in our own collection. It was seconded and passed.

Larry discussed the schedule printed in the newsletter. Larry will give program on the computer and than the program. He announced the Feb. program, workshops and etc. Hostesses are needed. Charlotte Keener moved that anyone hosting a speaker, receive a free workshop or seminar. It was seconded and passed. Posters will be distributed to area quilt shops.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Cathy presented quilts that had been donated and critiqued by Sherry Allred. Kay moved to accept Sherry's recommendation for disposal of the quilts. It was seconded, discussed and passed. Melissa Allo has volunteered to chair the quilt show in 2003. Loveta Fowler read a list of volunteers for the 2001 show. She requested the payment of a deposit for the Civic Center for that show. There was some discussion of it. The show is September 14, 15, and 16, 2001. Cathy reported on the auction. Jean Powell gave a talk on the Youth Alternatives Project and the Bridge. She asked for donations of all types of articles, including household items. Meeting Adjourned, Charlotte Keener, Sec.

***ED. NOTE:** *The article in question was submitted by a guild member, IT WAS NOT EDITORIALIZING. Editorializing is when the editor states his/her opinion.*

GSAQG GENERAL MEETING--

FEB. 12, 2000

Meeting was called to order by President Cathy Baisley at 10:00 a.m. at Harvest Fellowship Church Hall. Cathy announced corrections of the minutes as printed in the newsletter. The minutes were approved as corrected. Treas. Garnett Hanson reported \$2038.74 balance at Frost Bank and \$35,587.92 at Jefferson. Cathy reported a letter from P & B Textiles on the gifts of quilts and bears for Kosovo. She thanked Kris and Pat Thomson for their donation of a Compaq 486 Computer with many, many extras. Cathy has also donated a laptop computer

be used with it. Karen Nanos has volunteered to head the Pro Show. Thanks Karen. Cathy welcomed the members and guests and had the guests stand. She also thanked Melissa Allo for being Hostess. The Business meeting was than suspended.

President Cathy Baisley called the meeting back to order at 11:45 a.m. Marilyn Bellows announced that Carol Bryant is the Style Show Chair. The challenge fabric for the Style Show will be here next month. Bernie Farris reported on the Auction, and needs lots more quilts to make the Auction a success. It will be held at Antonian High School this year. She also needs a co-chair to help her and to learn the ropes for next year. Garnet Szurek will chair the Winter Retreat for next year, Jan. 19th to 21st. 2001. Melissa Allo spoke for Loveta Fowler on the Quilt Show 2001. The Quilt Show Challenge fabric is available now. Kay Allison will take any newsletter material today, and announced the Bead Bazaar Show. Charlotte Keener announced Viva Botanica will be April 8th and 9th, a Sat. and /Sun. Please sign up to quilt a few hours on those days. she also has some unfinished "Cat" blocks to be done for the Auction. Garnet Hanson will have the Jan. and Feb. treas. reports in the next newsletter. Pro-Show chair Karen Nanos asked for people to sign up to work in the booth at the Convention Center, March 30th to April 1st., 2000.

Ruth Felty reported on the Story Books and Quilts to go project.

NEW BUSINESS; Cathy stated we need a Parliamentarian and whoever volunteers will be given training. Meeting Adjourned Charlotte Keener--Sec.

BYLAWS COMMITTEE REPORT

by Sherry Allred

The Bylaws Committee began meeting on November 5, 1999 and has met six times to date. It last met on February 9, 2000 to hear a review by Nylanne S. Little, Professional Registered Parliamentarian. This review was recommended by the committee chair and approved by the Executive Board. The review was very productive in that it rearranged the Articles and Sections in a more comprehensive sequence and used the latest version of Roberts' Rules of Order, Newly Revised.

Ms Little will provide the committee with a draft of the revised Bylaws for verification of content before the committee forwards it to the Executive Board for review. This committee is hopefully planning on having a finished product to present to the membership for approval by April, and certainly not later than May. This will be a mailing separate from the newsletter in time for the membership to review it and compose any questions for the follow-up meeting. The approved Bylaws will be added to the Year 2000 Guild Directory.

The Executive Board further tasked the committee to update the Guild's General Information pages and Policy Statements published in your Guild Directory. This second task was completed and forwarded to the Executive Board on January 21, 2000 for approval. The finished product will be included in the Year 2000 Guild Directory.

If you have any questions, please call Betty Opiela at 210-684-4730.

QUILT SHOWS AND EXHIBITS

MAR. 10-12: Dallas Quilt Celebration, Centennial Bldg., 3929 Grand, Fair Park; Inf. \$1.00 to Quilt Celebration 2000, 4517 Lakepoint Ave, Rowlett, TX 75088.

MAR. 17: San Antonio, TX: Quilt Guild of University United Methodist Church, "QUILT MARKET", "TEXAS, MY TEXAS". Guest Speaker Barbara Hartman, "Personal Progression of Quilting" **MAR. 18:** Workshop 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Inf.: Margie Gartman 210-695-3129, Joanne Burges 210-408-0859, Lorrie Hengel 830-981-9449.

MAR 18: NATIONAL QUILTING DAY.

MAR 18-19: 15th Annual Georgetown Quilting and Stitchery Show, San Gabriel Park.

MAR. 24-26: Quilter's Guild of East Texas, "Garden Party", Harvey Hall, ET Fair Grounds, Tyler, Fri./Sat 10-5, Sun 11-5.

APR 1-2: Waco Quilt Show, Homespun Quilters' Guild, Waco Convention Center. Retha Tiner, 254-836-1453

APR. 1-2: Golden Needles Quilt Guild's 3rd Annual Quilt Show, Conroe, TX

APR 7-9: Second Annual Bluebonnet Patchwork Trail Shop Hop. See add.

APR 13-20, 2000: AQS Quilt Show and Contest. Inf.: PO Box 1290, Paducah, KY 42002-3290. EMAIL: AQSquilt@apex.net PADUCAH QUILT SHOW TRIP; Contact Martha Robinson 1-800-224-3629.

APR 15-16: Round Rock Quilt and Doll Show, Round Rock Library, Historic Downtown Round Rock.

MAY 6: 3RD Annual Spring Bead Bazaar, 10-5, Live Oak Civic Center, 8101 Pat Booker Road. Handmade jewelry, beads, gifts, supplies; Admission \$3 for adults. Inf. 210-805-8259

MAY 19-21: Trinity Valley Quilters' Guild, Fort Worth. Quiltfest 2000, "The Quilted Path of Time". Will Rogers Memorial Center, Amon Carter Exhibit Hall, 34400 Burnett-Tandy Drive; Sandra McCartney, 817-294-5179.

JUN. 10 - GSAQG AUCTION, HARVEST FELLOWSHIP CHURCH, 1604 and 281.

JUN. 22-25: NQA 31st Annual Show, Reno, Nevada; Inf.: NQA, PO BOX 393-QM, ELLICOTT CITY, Maryland, 21041-0393 email:nqa@erols.com.

JULY 28-30: New Braunfels Area Quilt Guild, "Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow" Fri-Sat 10-6, Sun: 12-5; New Braunfels Civic Center, 380 South Seguin. Ronna Hammel 512-335-1234 or Sue Windhager 512-858-7683 for inf.

JULY 29: Apple Festival Quilt Show, Medina, Texas. 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM. Inf. Betty Brister, 830-460-7313

AUG. 31 - SEPT. 3: AQS Show in Opryland Convention Center, Nashville, TN; same address as AQS show, Apr. 13-20.

SEPT. 29 - OCT. 1: Austin Area Quilt Guild Show, "Texas 2000: A Quilt Odyssey," Crockett Center, 6301 Hwy. 290 East, Austin

NOV. 2-5: International Quilt Festival, Houston, Texas.

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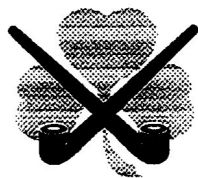
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<i>March 5</i> CLOSED	<i>March 6</i> OPEN 9-4 Board 7:00 PM; Cathy 694-0343	<i>March 7</i> OPEN 9-4 Dyeing Bee	<i>March 8</i> OPEN 9-4 Ash Wednesday	<i>March 9</i> CLOSED	<i>March 10</i> OPEN 9-3 Z-Bee 9:30-12, R. Felly 695-8332	<i>March 11</i> CLOSED Meeting; Harvest Fellowship 10:00 Program: 2 SA BROADS
<i>March 12</i> OPEN 12-4	<i>March 13</i> OPEN 9-4 QPC-AM 9-12	<i>March 14</i> OPEN 9-4 Bits&Pieces 1-3; Clssrm; Jill Fritz680-4333	<i>March 15</i> OPEN 9-4 Snappy Scrappers 9AM; V. WRight 641-9604	<i>March 16</i> CLOSED Flying Needles 7-9 PM Cathy 694-0343 QPC-PM 7 - 9 Carol Rouse	<i>March 17</i> OPEN 9-3 Z-Bee 9:30-12, R. Felly 695-8332 United Methodist Qlt Mrkt	<i>March 18</i> OPEN 10-2
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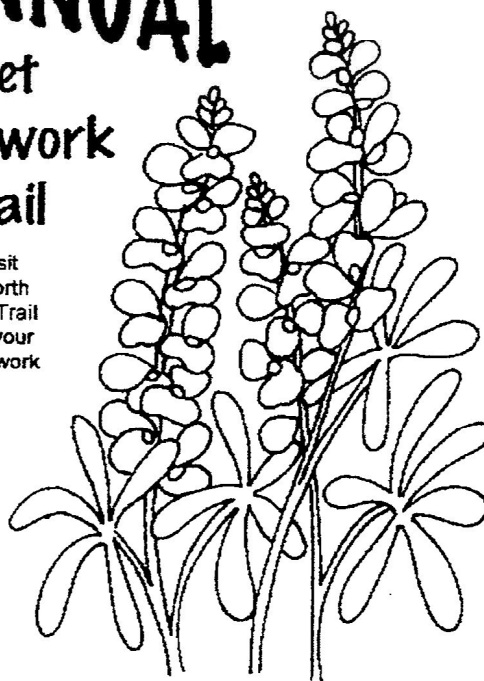
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Bring your quilting friends along for a weekend of fun and prizes! Visit all nine shops and register for drawings at each store - 1 gift bag worth over \$200 plus 10 \$25 gift certificates at each store. Pick up your "Trail Ticket" at the first shop, have it stamped at each stop, and pick up your pattern piece and instructions for a portion of the Bluebonnet Patchwork quilt for the year 2000 at each shop. At the end of the weekend all completed tickets will be entered in the Grand Prize Drawing worth over \$1,200! Shop Friday & Saturday 9-9; Sunday 12-6.

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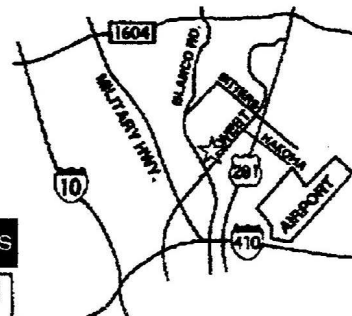
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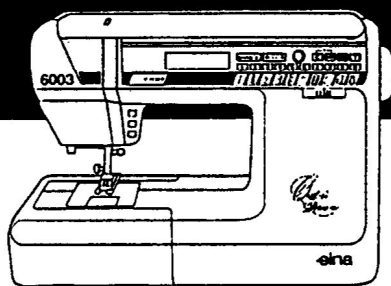
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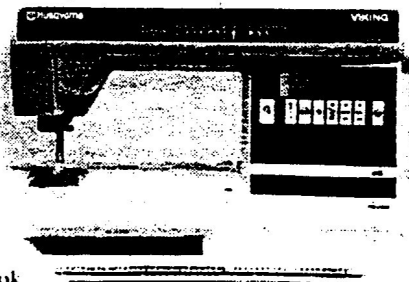


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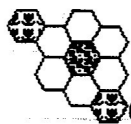
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