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# **Common Threads**

# Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc. Incoproated August 1980



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# September 9th Guild Meeting

9:00 am - Doors Open 10:00 am - General Business Meeting Saint Andrew Presbyterian Church 8231 Callaghan Rd, San Antonio, TX 78230

# ROY MAAS PRESENTATION SPEAKER

Ruth Felty presents Hawaiian Paper Folding Class

Remember to bring to the meeting

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- Name tag (wear it)
- Library books, & DVDs
- QPC projects
- Bright Hopes quilts
- Smiles for everyone

# President's Letter

Growing up in Nebraska, my favorite month of the year was September. The summer heat had faded, and school was starting. It was time to get out those sweaters and think of the upcoming holidays. With San Antonio's string of tripledigit days, it's been hard to conjure up those autumn vibes. I'm thinking a loaf of pumpkin bread might improve my chances!

Are your show quilts ready to go? Do you smile every time you see our show advertised online or drive past the Alzafar Shrine Auditorium marquee? I can't wait to see those beautiful quilts hanging in this new venue! Please volunteer for a specific task and time slot if you haven't already done so.

At our September general meeting we'll be hearing more about Roy Maas Youth Alternatives, the destination for our Bright Hopes quilts. If you attended our Zoom meetings during the pandemic you may already have heard Derrick's excellent presentation on RYMA. Although Derrick won't be our speaker this time, we look forward to hearing more about RMYA's mission and how our Guild helps to fulfill it.

Have you signed up for Ruth Felty's September class on Hawaiian quilt pattern folding? Check the "Programs" tab on our website for the supply list. Please contact Sandra Lowell if you have a question concerning class openings.

Former Guild President Ida Kujawski is chairing an ad hoc committee to research online quilt auctions. This is a big job which won't be completed quickly. We are still looking for a chairperson for our 2024 live auction. This is an important fundraiser for us, and we are rapidly running out of time if we hope to produce one. Jean Hardies, who has chaired our last two auctions, has offered to mentor anyone who wishes to take on the role and form a committee.

Remember how Sandra Lowell, our amazing 3<sup>rd</sup> VP for Programs, kept our programs and classes going via Zoom when we couldn't meet in person? Sandra is leaving her position at the end of this year. Although she has planned several programs for 2024, we need a new 3<sup>rd</sup> VP in order to continue these offerings. This position is meant to be a committee chairmanship rather than a solo act. Only the chairperson is a board member. How about volunteering as a committee member if not as 3<sup>rd</sup> VP?

I look forward to seeing you all at our September general meeting. Elaine

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBER!

> CAROL MCCARTHY



# 2023 Programs

# September

September 9 - Ruth Felty will teach how to fold paper for Hawaiian blocks.

# October - Debby Maddy

Friday Oct 13 - Labyrinth class. Supply list will be given when you sign up.

Saturday Oct 14 - Shibori dyeing (technique from Japan), presentation and trunk show.

Saturday Oct 14 - after guild, Gypsy sampler class. Supply list will be given when you sign up.

### November

November 11 - Annual business meeting, Presentation of Veteran Quilts, Panel-palooza reveals.

Sandra

In need of some cooler weather? If so, come join us at Winter Retreat!

January 25-28 2024 Newks Tennis Ranch, New Braunfels

Thursday - Sunday \$350 Friday - Sunday \$260

Sign-ups started in August!

Questions? Email Melissa at melissa 777@ earthlink.net or call 210-387-6495!

# **BUSY FINGERS WORKSHOP**



JEANNETTE JAY - BAGINEER BAG MAKING CLASSES IN MY HOME STUDIO

> SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 210-219-8880 busyfingerssa@sbcglobal.net

instagram.com/mamajay55 etsy.com/shop/busyfingersworkshop



Check out the wonderful Bring & Brag items!

# **NEWSLETTER INPUT**

NEWSLET
DEADLINE is Midnight meetin quiltnews@sa

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Full page ad \$6
1/2 page ad (horizontal - 7 x 4 vertical - 3 3/8 x 1/4 page ad Business card (2 x 3.5) **DEADLINE** is Midnight the Monday after Guild meeting. E-mail: quiltnews@sanantonioquilt.org

# **NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING**

Monthly Yearly \$60.00 \$660 \$30.00 \$330

> (horizontal - 7 x 4 3/4 vertical - 3 3/8 x 9 1/2)

\$15.00 \$165 \$10.00 \$110

All guild members may advertise in the newslettter one free business card size each year. Must be guilt related.

# GSAQG BOARD MEETING MINUTES AUGUST 7, 2023

President Elaine Staller called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m. Present: Elaine Staller, Dea Jae Shore, Melissa Allo, Cindy Shutt, Sandy Doyle, Sandra Lowell, Jean Hardies, Mary McCarthy, Gail Clover.

Not present: Ina Ramirez Guests: Ida Kujawski

### President - Elaine Staller -

- 1. July Board Meeting Minutes were approved as written.
- 2. Church reminders about doors and thermostat temperatures.
- 3. Reviewed updated Ethel Howey Grant details.
- 4. Calico rose recipients discussed.
- 5. Member announcements will be submitted to the Secretary to be read.

### President Pro Tem - Dea Jae Shore -

1. Eblast items: Show volunteers, retreat sign-ups, October classes sign-ups, quilt entries due.

# Secretary – Melissa Allo –

1. Seven phone calls received.

# Treasurer – Cindy Shutt

1. The current total balance is \$80,281.69; \$20,000 reserved for quilt show expenses.

### 1st VP for Special Events – Sandra Doyle

- 1. There were 29 people who attended summer retreat. All had a great time.
- 2. Show -
  - Awards Night will be in the Parlor Room.
  - Security has been contracted.
  - Sign-ups for working the show will continue at August guild meeting.
  - Appraisal appointments are filling up.
  - Quilt entries will end on Saturday of guild meeting.
  - Alzafar and vendors will be tagged on Facebook and Instagram pages.
  - Members will be asked to do a final advertisement push by delivering rack cards and flyers.
- 3. Mini Retreat October 20-21<sup>st</sup>. \$35 Sign-ups start in August. 30 spaces available.
- 4. Winter Retreat January 25-28<sup>th</sup>, 2024 4 days \$350, 3 days \$260.
  - Newks Tennis Ranch, New Braunfels.

- Sign-ups start in August.
- \$175 deposit required.
- Full payment due by November guild meeting.

# 2nd VP for Information – Ina Ramirez – No report sent.

 Requested items be sent to quiltnews@ sanantonioquilt.org

# 3rd VP for Special Programs – Sandra Lowell

- August Everything Show!
- 2. September Roy Maas Presentation followed by Ruth Felty paper folding class.
- 3. October Debby Maddy Shibori Fabrics.
- 4. November Business meeting, Veterans Quilts presented, Panelpalooza showcase.
- 5. New challenge for December disclosure was discussed.
- 6. Programs set through July 2024.

### 4th VP for Services – Jean Hardies

1. QPC and QPFC continue to work.

# 5th VP for Community Outreach – Mary McCarthy

- 1. Bright Hopes, Linda Nash nothing to report.
- 2. Community Education, Oralia Aves nothing to report.
- 3. Storybook Quilts, Viki Ash nothing to report.
- 4. Community Quilt Angels, Janet Miller nothing to report.

# Parliamentarian - Gail Clover -

1. Please say yes when asked to run for a position!

Unfinished Business: None

# **New Business:**

- Ida Kujowski proposed an adhoc committee to determine the feasibility of an online auction.
   Ida will lead the committee. Volunteers and input will be requested at the August meeting.
- 2. Service Awards discussions.
- Community Education Story books to Nursing Care Facilities
- 4. Library and storage status discussion.
- 5. Contracts for guild member teaching classes.

Meeting adjourned: 8:33 p.m.

Minutes submitted by: Melissa Allo, Secretary

# GSAQG General Meeting Minutes August 12, 2023

### **President – Elaine Staller**

- 1. Meeting called to order at 10:02 am.
- 2. July General Meeting minutes were approved as published.
- 3. New members introduced.
- 4. Calico Roses presented to Carrie Beltran, Linda Casias and Linda Maldonado
- 5. Explanation of the Calico Rose, Rose Buds and new Distinguished Service Award.

### President Pro-Tem - Dea Jae Shore

- 1. Any technical difficulties with show entries, please see Dea Jae.
- 2. Door Prize Winners: Mary McCarthy
- 3. Golden Carrot Winner: Cyd Hughes

# Secretary – Melissa Allo

- 1. 7 phone calls received.
- 2. 1 announcement Machines for sale contact Cathy Baisley

# **Treasurer – Cindy Shutt**

 Cash on hand \$80,281.69; \$20,000 for quilt show expenses

### 1st VP for Special Programs - Sandy Doyle

- 1. Quilt Show -
  - Awards Night will be in the Parlor Room.
  - Security has been contracted.
  - Sign-ups for working the show will continue at August guild meeting.
  - Appraisal appointments are filling up.
  - Quilt entries will end on Saturday of guild meeting.
  - Alzafar and vendors will be tagged on Facebook and Instagram pages.
  - Members will be asked to do a final advertisement push by delivering rack cards and flyers.
- 2. Fall mini retreat October 20-21. Sign-ups started in August. See Linda Kirk.
- 3. Winter retreat January 25-28. Sign-ups started in August. See Melissa Allo

# **2nd VP for Information – Ina Ramirez** (not present, no report)

 Elaine Staller announced the Welcoming Committee needs additional help since Chairperson Ori Aves is moving to Houston.

# 3rd VP for Programs - Sandra Lowell

- 1. 45 blocks won by Cindy King.
- Discussed the job description for 3<sup>rd</sup> VP for Programs. Anyone interested please see Sandra for more information.
- 3. Panels are available for check out from Bright Hopes and QPC for Panel-palooza. Show at November meeting. Prizes will be awarded.
- September Roy Maas Presentation. Ruth Felty will teach how to fold paper for Hawaiian blocks.
- 5. October Debby Maddy Shibori Fabrics.
- 6. November Annual business meeting, Presentation of Veteran Quilts, Panel-palooza reveal.
- 7. December Holiday Celebrations

# 4th VP for Services - Jean Hardies

1. QPC and QPFC – Jean gave an explanation of what each committee does.

# 5th VP for Community Outreach – Mary McCarthy

- Bright Hopes, Linda Nash showed panel quilts for Roy Maas for ideas for Panelpalooza.
- Community Education, Oralia Aves nothing to report
- 3. Storybook Quilts, Viki Ash nothing to report
- 4. Community Quilt Angels, Janet Miller nothing to report.

# Parliamentarian - Gail Clover -

1. Nominating committee will be calling about running for offices. Please consider running for a position.

### **General Announcements: None**

Unfinished business – None New business – Ida Kujawski spoke about forming a committee to look into holding the Auction online vs. in person.

 $Member\ attendance-70\ with\ 4\ on\ zoom.$ 

Guests – 1

New member – 1

Name tag fine collection \$1.00

Meeting adjourned at 11:02 a.m. Minutes submitted by Melissa Allo, Secretary 8.2023 Pieces of the Past, 160: Umbrellas, by Ellen Hernandez



It seems to be raining hand crafted umbrellas (from the Latin 'umbra' meaning to shade) all across the country. Art classes and workshops are available for kids and adults to design their own creative umbrellas. Quilters especially enjoy mixing designer fabrics and adding decorative

appliques to their umbrellas. These weather covers - umbrellas for rain and parasols for sun - are not new, dating to early Egypt, Greece, and China 4,000 years ago. Perhaps you can picture parasol type fans made of palm leaves, papyrus, or peacock feathers being held over pharaohs from vintage



Hollywood Egyptian movies.

The Chinese used bamboo sticks for frames and waxed and lacquered paper parasols to provide rain protection. Besides paper, covers were made of leather, cloth, or silk. A collapsible umbrella is mentioned in the Book of Han dating to 21 AD. There are records referring to parasols across the globe from Persia (ancient Iran) to other Asian countries.





The Italian Catholic church had an 'umbraculum' as part of the papal regalia to provide shade for the pope in the 1200s. There are almost no references to parasols or umbrellas in Europe during the Middle Ages. In the 1600s European umbrellas influenced by China and India were made with wooden rods or whalebone. In 1710 Jean Marius of Paris developed a lightweight folding umbrella to replace the typical ones that weighed about eleven pounds. In 1750 writer Jonas Hanway of London carried an umbrella with him everywhere and his habit caught on with so

many English gentlemen that any man carrying an umbrella at that time was called a 'Hanway.' A stronger yet lightweight steel-ribbed umbrella was invented in 1852 by Samuel Fox based on women's corsets of the day. Robert W. Patten is credited with the first umbrella hat around 1890,





a useful item he designed while prospecting in Mexico. Much like something from a Bond movie, umbrella handles were made to store items suchs as daggers, flasks, and pillboxes. Handles were also an artform with beautiful designs in ivory, silver, bamboo, and leather.



Due to needing a cane in one hand, German Hans Haupt wanted a small umbrella he didn't have to hold, one that he could put in his pocket. In 1928 he invented the collapsible umbrella called 'Knirps' or little quy. The Knirps Company continues to be a top umbrella designer now based in Austria. They introduced the automatic umbrella in 1965 and added outdoor umbrellas in 2013.

Umbrellas have been used in a variety of situations, from photography lighting to the 2014 Hong Kong Umbrella Revolution protests. Many people can recall Mary Poppins





being blown by the wind with her opened umbrella, or the sword-umbrella fighting in *The Avengers* television series. Umbrellas and parsols have been depicted in art through the ages - a Madonna painting in 1530 by dai Libri, Renoir, Monet, and Manet in the late 1800s, and even modern street art such as this plaza area in Mauritius.



Most umbrellas today have fiberglass or aluminum structure with Teflon coated nylon fabrics. Wayne Hemmingway designed an umbrella made from recycled soda bottles. Other inventions include Smart umbrellas that text you weather reports and drone umbrellas that follow over you.



Want to make your own personalized umbrella? You'll need a frame kit (about \$25 online), two to three yards of quilting cotton or nylon, umbrella pattern (\$12-\$15), water proofing spray, velcro and basic sewing supplies. Enjoy!



Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Treasurer's Report		
	YTD Actual	2023 Budget
REVENUES		
Ordinary Income:		
Interest	\$7.18	\$200.00
CD Interest	\$271.23	
Other income		
Garage Sale	\$190.50	
Staionery Sales	\$100.00	
Magazine Sales	\$59.00	
Nametage Fines	\$11.70	
Newsletter Postage	\$30.00	
Dues - Membership	\$3,832.50	\$3,000.00
Newsletter / Directory Ads	\$165.00	\$250.00
Boot Block Challenge	\$101.26	
Workshops	\$1,070.00	\$1,100.00
Fund Raising:		
Quilt Show	\$30,475.50	\$51,480.00
Raffle Quilt	\$2,563.00	\$5,500.00
Challenge Quilt Contest	\$375.00	\$590.00
Program Ads	\$1,735.00	
Entry Fees	\$3,575.00	
Sponsorships	\$1,900.00	
Vendors	\$19,767.50	
Appraisals	\$560.00	
Auction		
Self-Sustaining:		
Retreat - Summer	\$11,455.00	\$12,000.00
Retreat - Winter	\$13,235.00	\$12,000.00
Mini-Retreats	\$1,995.00	\$1,000.00
Houston Bus Trip		\$3,000.00
One Time Donation	\$5.00	
Total Revenues	\$63,003.87	\$90,120.00
EXPENSES		
Administration:		<b>*</b> 400 00
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Computer Equip	\$108.24	Φ <b>Γ</b> ΩΩ ΩΩ
Bank & CC	\$295.36	\$500.00
Insurance	\$1,544.60	\$2,000.00
Office Supplies & Postage	\$166.00	\$200.00
CPA / Tax Return	\$600.00	\$600.00
Door Prizes	¢00 2F	ድንድስ ስሳ
Telephone	\$80.35	\$250.00

Storage facility	\$2,736.00	\$4,000.00
Rent (Meetings)	\$2,060.00	\$3,360.00
Rent (Workshops)		\$500.00
Janitorial	\$125.00	\$600.00
Quilt Stand	\$76.99	
Membership expenses:		
Membership Supplies		\$50.00
Stationery Purchase	\$300.91	\$350.00
Newsletter / Directory Printing	\$170.00	\$200.00
Newsletter Prize	\$25.00	·
Postage	\$23.37	\$50.00
Zoom Subscription	\$160.02	\$160.00
Webpage		\$280.00
Quilt Show	\$14,041.61	\$41,970.00
Challenge Quilt Contest Prizes	,	. ,
Auction		\$-
Community Activities:		
Bright Hopes	\$448.65	\$901.26
Storybook Quilts		\$250.00
Community Education		\$150.00
Quilt Angels	\$255.00	\$500.00
Membership Services & Activities:		
Ethel Howey Grant		\$1,000.00
Library		\$150.00
QPC		\$150.00
QPFC		\$150.00
Video Library		
Programs	\$237.95	\$2,500.00
Workshops	\$725.00	\$1,000.00
Self-Sustaining Activities:		
Mini-Retreats	\$845.14	\$1,000.00
Retreat - Summer	\$11,448.02	\$12,000.00
Retreat - Winter	\$13,235.00	\$12,000.00
Houston Bus Trip		\$3,000.00
Total Expenses	\$49,708.21	\$90,221.26
Net	\$13,295.66	\$(101.26)
Ending Frost Operating	\$38,307.09	
Ending Frost Savings	\$2,203.13	
SSFCU CD's & Savings	\$23,855.16	
SSFCU Wright Class CD	\$11,691.90	
	\$76,057.28	
Liabilities		
Pipe & Drape	\$(8,000.00)	
Total Guild Funds	\$68,057.28	
Cynthia Shutt, Treasurer		

July 2023 Quilt Show Update September 22nd & 23rd, 2023 --- Sandy Doyle & Gail Clover "Weathering the Storms Together"

The excitement continues to build as the quilt show is only weeks away!! I am proud to announce that after many hours these past two years of planning, problem solving, and implementing tasks, the show is coming together. Thank you thank you to the many people who have helped in this endeavour.

### Important tasks

- Please continue to sign up for a shift to work at the quilt show as we need all hands-on deck. Remember, four hours will get you free entry to the show. Take a picture or write down your shift. If you find that you cannot make your shift, please try to find a replacement. Linda Nash is Volunteer Chair, so please communicate with her and cc me.
- Continue to sign up for appraisal appointments found online under quilt show. Denise Bartosh will be available on Friday and Saturday by appointment and will be in the Parlor Room.
- Advertise, Advertise, Advertise! I need your continued help getting the word out about the show. Now is
  the time to ramp up our focus on advertising to non-quilting related communities. I have included a digital
  copy of the rack card and digital flyer for your convenience. Many community bulletin boards will allow
  posting of these documents.
- Examples of Community bulletin boards: Grocery Stores, Libraries, Gyms/Recreational Facilities, Churches, Laundromats, Coffee Shops, Community Centers, Beauty Salons, Bookstores, Restaurants etc. Please help the guild take advantage of this advertising opportunity by posting a flyer or rack card (add parking is free) to these community boards. My committee chairs have spent hours and hours on this show and if you could help them by posting at least one or two fliers next week, that would be awesome!!!!!
- Please take the time to re-read the Show Rules (guild website) if you have entered a quilt. Many of your questions will be answered.
- Spend some time viewing the list of vendors on our webpage. I think you will be excited to visit them at the show. Please help us retain these vendors for the next show by thanking them and making a purchase or two.
- All Volunteers must wear a white shirt with nice dark pants.

Once again, thank you for your encouragement and support!

Sandy Doyle 2023 Quilt Show Chair

# 18 days until the show! Countdown to Greatness!



Fall Mini Retreat—Linda Kirk

October 20th & 21st

Cost \$35 ~ 30 openings.

Sign-up started in August.



# Our Fall/Winter Exhibits Feature a Juried Show and Antique Beauties!

**LA GRANGE, TEXAS**—August 28, 2023—Two groundbreaking exhibits of quilts will be on display at the Texas Quilt Museum from **August 31-December 23, 2023.** 

First, we'll pay tribute to the wildly popular series of books by James Herriot as well as the recent smash PBS series with the animal-themed juried show "All Creatures Great and Small." And we'll also dip into the amazing archives of quilt collectors and dealers Mary and Joe Koval with "Antique Quilts from the Koval Collection."



Isn't Playing Better Than Quilting? (33" x 32") by Susan P. Stevenson

# **All Creatures Great and Small**

James Herriot was the pen name for the real-life British country veterinary surgeon James Wight (1916-1995). He wrote a series of best-selling books about his experiences in the field, as well as short stories for adults and children. They've been adapted into several TV



Red Panda (34" x 44") by Laurie Mutalpassi

shows and films, including the most recent *All Creature Great and Small* series that began in 2020 and runs on PBS in the United States.

The Museum put out a call for quilts inspired by the theme in this juried show, with 59 works chosen. "These quilts run the gamut of animals portrayed and loved," says Vicki Mangum, Museum Curator. "You will enjoy the many cats and dogs, as well the infamous Texas Horny Toad Lizard. Look for swans, butterflies, and even a mouse. There are also quilts on endangered species that will raise your awareness to their plight."



Alphabet Quilt (72" x 76") c. 1870, artist unknown

# Antique Quilts from the Koval Collection

Mary and Joe Koval are longtime quilt collectors, dealers, and experts. The Museum is also fortunate to house the permanent Koval Antique Textile Collection.

Now comes this showcase of 15 works which include some of their best antique quilts gathered over the decades. They were chosen by the Kovals themselves.

"When viewing these quilts, I am reminded of what attracted me to quilts in the first place—the sheer beauty of workmanship and fabric selections," Museum Curator Vicki

Mangum offers.

"The two go hand-in-hand with this antique collection. Museum visitors will definitely enjoy seeing what Mary and Joe Koval have kept in their private collection after years of selling antique quilts!"

Be sure to visit our online Museum store, offering a lot of unique quilt-related items, artwork by local craftspeople, jewelry, apparel, T-shirts, books, fabrics, and more! Go to www.TexasQuiltMuseumStore.com

The Texas Quilt Museum is located at 140 W. Colorado St., La Grange, Texas 78945. Hours are 10 am-4 pm Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.TexasQuiltMuseum.org">www.TexasQuiltMuseum.org</a>.

Media inquiries: Please contact Bob Ruggiero at BobR@quilts.com

# Zoom Information for the Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild Meeting

Wendy Quilter is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

**When:** Sat, July 8, 9:30 am – 10:30 am

Where: On Zoom

Zoom Meeting Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88054868999?pwd=RHU1d3BMMzNIOC9VRkhpS2VlaHJHdz09

**Meeting ID:** 880 5486 8999 **Passcode:** 607875

### **CONGRATULATIONS WINNERS!**







Door Prize Mary McCarthy



Block of the Month Cindy King



Let's help Lahaina
on Maui! I've
got a contact —
Quilted Twins
So, if you can and would
like to send quilts, please
send bedding to: Erlinda
Ramelb 876 Kuialua
Street Lahaina-Maui, Hi

96761 <u>blog.quiltedtwins.com</u>

Some of our local guild members have expressed interest in learning about MODERN Quilt making. Do any of your members know of people working in this discipline? Prefer Texas residents if possible. We seek to engage a modern quiltmaker to give a presentation to our guild sometime in 2024. If you know of anyone I can contact, could you please let me know?

My email address is <a href="mailto:barbleal@earthlink.net">barbleal@earthlink.net</a> and my phone is 361-946-2252. Thank you so much!

Barbara Leal
Third VP for Programs
Coastal Bend Quilt and Needlework Guild

If you are interested in sending quilts to Maui after their devastating fires, I have a contact for you. This came from Rachael Woodard, one half of "The Quilted Twins. I wrote a *Pieces of the Past* article about them you can locate at the GSAQG website under archived newsletters, September 2020. Rachael is the twin that lives in Florida and has a fabric shop.

Rachael's rather long article found here states that her friend Erlinda's home was not destroyed, and she has set up her house as a distribution area for those in need and would love to have quilts to give out. Erlinda knew of several quilters who lost everything in the fires. You will need to mail items directly to Erlinda at:

Erlinda Ramelb 876 Kuialua Street Lahaina-Maui, Hi 96761

Mahalo, ellenhernandez@hotmail.com

https://blog.quiltedtwins.com/new-blog/quiltsforlahaina?fbclid=lwAR1AuywLxrY9gDUXMG70IPJundxhFgpmkGUgDSZypLoLscVJEBQA3nRPsr0

# It's A Quilt Show!!!

# Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild 9/22 & 9/23



Quilt Dimensions 84" x 84"

The Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild proudly invites all lovers of art, creativity, and history, to its upcoming Quilt Show; "Weathering the Storms Together". Two hundred judged quilts will be available for your viewing pleasure along with opportunities to purchase raffle tickets for a dynamic queen size storm at sea quilt. We are very excited to have the renown fiber artist, Sherri Lipman McCauley, exhibit her works. The quilt show will also have numerous vendors who offer new and exciting textile products, a boutique with handmade finished items that make great gifts, a silent auction of finished quality quilts and items.. The show is a family fun event, with a hunt and seek activity for youth and opportunities to learn about the history of quilting. Food trucks will be available on site and parking is free.

Dates: Friday September 22, 2023, 10am to 5pm Saturday September 23<sup>rd</sup> 10am to 4pm Entry tickets \$12, 8 and under free. www.sanantonioquilt.org







# GREATER SAN ANTONIO QUILT GUILD 2023 Quilt Show

# "Weathering the Storms Together"

September 22 and 23, 2023 Friday 10 am – 5 pm Saturday 10 am – 4 pm Entry \$12; 8 and under free



Raffle Quilt Dimension 82" x 82"

Alzafar Shrine Auditorium 901 North Loop 1604 W San Antonio, TX 78258



www.sanantonioquilt.org/pages/QuiltShow.html

Interested in Joining us for a meeting but can't seem to be able to make it in person? No worries, just go to our website: https://www.sanantonioquilt.org/click on the CALENDER link in the page, then click on the ZOOM meeting link on the date of the meeting. Our Zoom person will be available 15 minutes prior to the meeting itself to let you in. Come join us and have some camaraderie via ZOOM!

# Donations needed for Silent Auction!

We still need lots more! We need items to sell in the silent auction at our show. The items can be quilts, any size, tote bags, and other items quilty folk will be interested in purchasing. You can turn them into the show table at our guild meetings through August. We won't be selling fabric or kits so that we do not compete with our vendors. Help us out - Please Donate!

Thanks, Sandra Lowell

# LAST GUEST SPEAKER / TEACHER FOR THE YEAR!

Our last guest speaker for this year is Debby Maddy, who comes from the Abilene area. You can sign up for her classes starting this month. Her Friday class is Labyrinth, and has directions for super twin, queen, or king! Her Saturday class is Gypsy sampler, which can start with precuts. I have supply lists ready for guild meeting.

Sandra Lowell

### **FOR SALE**

Singer sphinx treadle machine for sale \$200. Has lots of attachments with original handbook, bullet bobbin case, and one long bobbin. Pickup in San Antonio. Contact Sandra Lowell at 512.484.1307.







# Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc P.O. Box 380522 San Antonio, TX 78268

# **RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED**

# ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO PRINT PAGE 11 AND DISTRIBUTE TO FRIENDS / FAMILY / COMMUNITY! PLEASE HELP US MAKE THE QUILT SHOW GREAT!!!!

# September Schedule

September 4 Board Meeting 7:00 PM on Zoom

September 9 General Meeting 10:00 AM Saint Andrew Presbyterian Church AND on Zoom

Check out the calendar on our web page for Bee meetings and other Guild related events.

# ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

REGULAR DUES \$ 28 SENIOR (65+) \$ 21 YOUTH (6-18) \$ 7

> Send check to: GSAQG PO Box 380522 San Antonio, TX 78268

# **Board of Directors**

President	Elaine Staller
<b>President Pro Tem</b>	DeaJea Shore
1st Vice President	
for Special Events	Sandra Doyle
2nd Vice President	
for Information	Ina Ramirez
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