

Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc.
Incorporated August 1980



www.sanantoniouilt.org
210-984-6149

Next Guild Mtg Nov 9, 2024

8:30am Doors Open
10am Gen Bus Mtg

Meeting Location:
St Andrew
Presbyterian Church
8231 Callaghan Rd,
San Antonio, TX
78230

Mailing address:
Greater San Antonio
Quilt Guild, Inc
P.O. Box 380522
San Antonio, TX
78268

November 9 PROGRAM

VETERANS' QUILT
PRESENTATION

AND

BOARD ELECTIONS

President's Letter



It's November, the traditional time to give thanks for our many blessings. For me, that includes membership in the Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild. Serving as Guild President for the past two years has been a great privilege.

Our dedicated Board members and committee chairs have worked tirelessly to help us grow and change with the times. One exciting change is that our Board now includes a mixture of seasoned members and those serving for the first time. This has brought us fresh ideas and given some long-time members an opportunity for a much-deserved break. Let's support and encourage those who step up to serve.

Thank you all for your many contributions to our Guild. Wishing each of you a very Happy Thanksgiving!

Elaine



Programs Update

A round of applause and bouquets of thanks to **Barbara Sumlin, Bernie Farris, and Vonnie Maglinte** for giving us a peek into their marvelous stash of quilts. Inspiring!

Community Quilt Angels will give the presentation on Veterans' quilts at this month's meeting.

December will see us enjoying a holiday cookie party. Gail Clover and I are decorating and happy to accept offers of assistance. **Give Gail a buzz if you would like to help set up.**

Dea Jae Shore is presenting Electric Quilt to us in January. If you have been thinking of getting this wonderful tool she will be happy to answer any questions.

Annie Smith will share her applique skills with us in February. It would be lovely to see more applique on the quilts in our Show and in our Auction. There is room in the class so don't be shy. Like anything, the key to applique success is practice!

- - **Mary McCarthy, 3rd VP for Programs**



If you're heading to the Houston Quilt Show this year, check out my quilt, "*Birds Flying High, You Know How I Feel*" as part of the red-white-blue anniversary quilt display.

It features hand quilting and redwork and bluework embroidery. Ellen Hernandez

Congratulations, Karen Lambdin!!!

Karen won a 1st Place Blue Ribbon in the category of Machine Quilting at the International Quilt Festival in Houston. Karen's quilt also won Best of Show at our GSAQG Quilt Show in 2023.



It's Time to Vote!!!**Elections will take place at the November 9th Guild General Meeting.**

Here are the Nominees to be voted on:

President - Melissa Allo, Barb Shrout

2nd VP of Information - Linda Casias

4th VP of Services - Judy Hood

5th VP of Community Outreach - Donna Tajvar

Secretary - Linda Maldonado

A big THANK YOU to the **Nominating Committee**
Rebecca Zoellich, Cyd Hughes, Emily Naasz, and Ida Kujawski for their hard work!

2024 GSAQG Absentee Ballot

If you will not be at the November 9th Guild General Meeting in person and would like to mail in your absentee ballot, print this page and mail your completed ballot *no later than November 2, 2024* to:

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

Proxy voting is permitted with written documentation authorizing another member to vote in your stead as stated in By Laws Article V Nominations and Elections, Section 4 Proxy Voting.

Please circle your choice for each of the following Board positions:

President: Melissa Allo

Barb Shrout

2nd VP Information: Linda Casias

4th VP Services: Judy Hood

5th VP Community Outreach: Donna Tajvar

Secretary: Linda Maldonado

Ida B.'s Quilting Guild Enrichment SCHOLARSHIP Fund

One MISSION of GSAQG

- To stimulate an interest in quilts and to advance the art of quilting.

Recognizing the importance of active participation in quilt guild events and activities, Ida Blankenship Kujawski has provided funds to establish a Scholarship Account. This scholarship fund will enable guild members to apply for financial assistance to cover fees for workshops and retreats, further encouraging engagement and skill development within our community.

PURPOSE

- Enhance Guild Membership Experience: Foster greater enjoyment of guild membership by promoting skill development and friendships through active participation in guild activities.
- Encourage Participation: Motivate members to attend workshops and retreats, enhancing their skills and connections within the guild.
- Financial Support: Provide financial assistance to members who may be on a tight budget, helping to alleviate the costs associated with workshops and retreats.
- Establish a Donation Fund: Create a Scholarship Fund that can receive additional donations in the future. These donations can come from anyone for various reasons, further supporting the guild's activities and members.

ELIGIBILITY

- Applicant must be active member of GSAQG for the (1) year preceding the date of the event.
- Special consideration to "First-time attendee"
- Scholarships for guild workshops and retreats are available each year. Workshop required kit fee provided by instructor could be included in Scholarship amount.
- Guild Workshops offered as 2 sessions (Friday/Saturday) would qualify for two scholarships, to help two members.
- One scholarship per member in a calendar year.
- Scholarship recipients are ineligible to reapply for:
 - 3 years for Winter or Summer Retreat
 - 2 years for Mini-Retreats
 - 2 years for Guild Speakers' workshops

Paper copy of Applications available by chair at onset of enrollment.

Applications must be submitted to the individual retreat chair, or guild program chair, who will present to the guild board for final approval. Each chair should have committee of 2-3 to help evaluate applications.

Applications should be submitted at beginning of enrollment for each event. Awards can then be announced early enough to allow recipients and chair to plan accordingly.

AUCTION NEWS!

Thanks to all our members who helped make our recent Online Auction successful.

Here are details for the NEXT Auction, also online, which the huge majority of members voted FOR.

WHY ?

Because we bought the program for a year...It's paid up to the end of May.

Our guild needs the possible income from a fundraiser.

We have some nice quilts ready or almost ready; more have been offered, more ready to be finished within the timeline.

We have two members willing to be Co-Chair for the event. More have said yes, they will be on the new Auction Committee.

WHEN?

MAY 2025, about the first week. (That lines up with paydays, and before vacation flurries.)

FEBRUARY guild meeting is "turn-in" goal, when we will take photos and begin advertising.

MARCH – APRIL Use direct and social contacts to tell everyone we know about it.

WHAT CAN YOU DO NOW?

You can help finish, or make a new quilt for this next Auction. By yourself, or with your friends. Think modern quilt ideas.



Ruth Felty(L) , Ida Kujawski(R), &
Dee Leclair (not in photo) are Co-Chairs.



BUSY FINGERS WORKSHOP



JEANNETTE JAY
DESIGNER / QUILTER

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS
210-219-8880

busyfingerssa@sbcglobal.net

Look for my shop at [etsy.com](https://www.etsy.com) for quilters key chains,
beaded charms, charm squares, and other quilt
related gifts and supplies.

**Congratulations
Kevin Westmark!**
He won 50 blocks
for the
Block of the Month
Drawing



Congratulations Door Prize Winners!
Julie Melchor(L) & Sandra Bansham(R)



Winners of the Halloween Attire Drawing!



**Julie Melchor(L) & Ida Kujawski(R),
& Elaine Staller(M)**

Congratulations Golden Carrot Winner!
Ruth Felty



A Special Welcome To Our New Members!



Top Left to Right: **Anne Kolle,
Lynn Clements, Lilia Gonzalez,
Sandy Miller, & Alicia Valdez**
Bottom Rt: **Beverly Ramos**



Congratulations to Calico Rosebud Recipients

Left to Right: **Cyd Hughes,
David DeLaGarza, Melissa Allo,
Irma Payton, & Alicia Santiago** (not in photo)
for Volunteering for our Membership Drive at
Blingfest 2024.

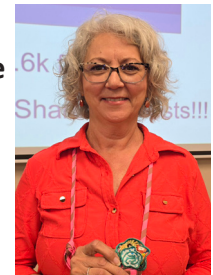


Nominees for Guild President



**Barb Shroul(L)
&
Melissa Allo(R)**

**Congratulations to Calico Rose
Recipient
Linda Casias**
for her work on the Online
Quilt Auction.



November Birthdays to Celebrate

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|----------------|-------|-------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| BEVERLY UHL | 11/3 | ELAINE ASCHBACHER | 11/15 | MARY VOLKER | 11/28 |
| CARRIE BELTRAN | 11/1 | EMILY NAASZ | 11/30 | REBECCA ZOELLICH | 11/29 |
| CATHY WALLACE | 11/10 | KAREN LAMBDIN | 11/18 | SANDY MILLER | 11/25 |
| DONNA ANDERSON | 11/25 | LILIA GONZALEZ | 11/15 | VIRGINIA GARCIA | 11/30 |





2025 Winter Retreat

Dates: January 23-26, 2025

Location:

John Newcombe (Newks) Tennis Ranch
325 Mission Valley Road
New Braunfels, Texas 78132

Pricing:

Thursday – Sunday \$350
Friday – Sunday \$260
\$175 deposit required at sign-up.

Final payment due at November guild meeting.

Questions? Email Melissa at melissa_777@earthlink.net.



2025 Summer Retreat

Dates: June 8-12, 2025

Location:

Valley Ranch Retreat & Event Center
Camp Wood, TX 78833

Pricing:

\$440 6/8 Sunday - 6/12 Thursday
\$330 6/9 Monday - 6/12 Thursday

\$100 Deposit due at sign-up.
Final Payment due at May guild meeting.

Registration begins January 2025!

Co-Chairs: Linda Casias 210-381-3419
Linda Maldonado 210-716-1407



**A Walk In The Park
GSAQG Quilt Show
September 26-27, 2025**



**San Antonio Shrine Auditorium
901 N Loop 1604 W
San Antonio, TX 78232**

**SAVE THE DATE!
Quilt Show 2025 is coming!**

Do you longarm?

The Quilt Projects Finishing Committee(QPFC) has several finished tops of different sizes that need to be quilted.

We provide the top and backing. We reimburse the cost of the batting. The lack of tops being quilted is a major stumbling block to finishing quilts for the NEXT auction.

Good news— we don't tell you how to quilt it, and we don't give you a deadline.

Come to the finishing committee's table at guild meeting, or call Jean Hardies if you want to do a certain size top.

Thanks!

Silent Auction Items Needed For Quilt Show

Again Jean Hardies and I are organizing the Silent Auction for the show. We need you and your sewing and quilting skills to make it successful.

We will be collecting quilted items and related items to sell. Quilts, wall hangings, table runners, placemats, tote bags....

Please consider making items for us, and consider making a group project for us if you are in a bee. I'm asking now so that you have time to get creative!

Thanks, Sandra Lowell



Bright Hopes Christmas Quilts Now Due!

Hello Fellow Quilters!

Our delivery date for our Christmas quilts for Roy Maas Youth Alternative is fast approaching. If possible, **bring your completed quilts to the November meeting**. If you need a little more time after the guild meeting, you can contact me and we can make arrangements to pick them up.

Thank you for all your help to spread comfort and joy to people going through a crisis in their life.

Frances Contreras,
Bright Hopes Committee Chair
 Phone: 210-385-5432
 Email: fcontrer54@yahoo.com

Storybook Quilts: Chairperson Needed

If you are interested in quilts, kids and picture books – you are the perfect person to chair the Storybooks and Quilts to Go Committee.

The job responsibilities include contacting schools and libraries to interest them in sharing our quilt kits, arranging for delivery and pickup of the kits, tracking usage statistics, and engaging guild members in the creation of new quilt kits.

The pandemic put a bit of a damper on the use of our kits – so some promotional enthusiasm for this outreach project is needed to get things rolling again. The good news – chairing the committee is a great way to get involved with the quilt and make new quilting friends.

Please contact outgoing **Chair Viki Ash** or guild **President Elaine Staller** for additional information or to volunteer!



11.2024 Pieces of the Past, 174: **The Mayflower Quilt**, by Ellen Hernandez

Years ago, my cousin sent me details of her extended family research showing that we were descended on my mother's side from *Mayflower* passengers Edward Fuller, his wife, and son Samuel. When my mother was in her early 90s, I surprised her with a membership in the *Society of Mayflower Descendants*. They are a well-meaning historical group which estimates there are over 35 million descendants today. I have mixed emotions about celebrating our *Mayflower* great-grandfathers. It's moving to be related to historical, courageous, independent thinkers but those are the same people who ultimately exploited the native Wampanoag. Moving on, here is a tale of a "Mayflower quilt."

Textiles from the 1600s included wool, hemp, and linen. Rather than the romanticized black Pilgrim costume, natural dyes were used such as browns, dark yellows, rusty red, and some blues and greens. Black dye at that time was expensive and rare. Some items were not dyed at all. Cloth was so valuable that items were specifically passed down in wills. Probate records of Plymouth colonist, Mary Ring, who died in 1631 list "blue stockings, red petticoat, violet waistcoat, three blue aprons, two violet waistcoats." Interestingly, she also lists "two white blankets, one red blanket with the best Coverlet, and a gray Coverlet." William Brewster, a Plymouth elder who died in 1644 had recorded possessions of "green waistcoat, violet coat, blue suit, a quilted cap, old white Irish blanket, white English blanket." Clothing and fabrics transported by the *Mayflower* passengers were limited and not replenished for months to years. Local wool and flax processing took years to establish in the New World.



If there were quilts on the *Mayflower*, they would have been whole cloth made prior to 1620 and their survival would be rare. *Whole cloth* is misleading since looms were not wide, so strips of fabric were sewn together. The word "quilt" for a bedcover was not commonly used, but rather coverlet, blanket, or rugg/bedrugg.

The minutes of the United Methodist Church Baltimore-Washington Conference in 2022 references an item they have in archival storage: "*Mayflower* Quilt, a quilt that was hand-stitched in 1615, traveled across the ocean to what is now New England, and finally made its way into Dr. John Goucher's collection before being donated to our museum." The museum is the Lovely Lane Museum, Baltimore, MD. Very interesting story, but can this quilt be verified?

Darcy Pattison wrote an article, "The *Mayflower* Quilt" in *Quilting Today* in 1990. She reported that the quilt was made by an English vicar's daughter, Elizabeth Thompson Cogswell. Elizabeth's descendant, Susanna Williams, sold the quilt for \$85 in 1897 to N.T. Whitaker who gave it to Dr. John Goucher, President of the Methodist Historical Society. Goucher's daughter, Janet, donated the quilt to Lovely Lane in 1955 where it was locked in a vault until 1976 at which time it was examined and described as a late 17th century work from the UK. The corded quilt top was fine linen, the back was coarse linen, and it was sewn with light blue linen thread, now faded.

Marylou McDonald, Baltimore Applique Society President in 2007 provided further information. The quilt was said to have been made by Elizabeth Cogswell in 1615. She and her husband, John, sailed on the ship *Angel Gabriel* in 1635, not the *Mayflower*. In 2005 quilt appraiser Hazel Carter concluded that the quilting was reminiscent of English patterns, but no specific date was given.

Back of quilt showing corded stuffing, two photos of front quilting.



GSAQG BOARD MEETING MINUTES OCTOBER 7, 2024

President Elaine Staller called the meeting to order at 6:59 p.m.

Present: Elaine Staller, Dea Jae Shore, Jean Hardies, Melissa Allo, Kami Ricks, Mary McCarthy, Ida Kujawski, Linda Casias, Cindy Shutt, Gail Clover

Not present:

President – Elaine Staller

1. The September Board Meeting Minutes were approved as written.
2. Memorial Quilt Blocks were discuss for previous members.
3. Calico Roses will be awarded to Linda Casias and Rosebuds will awarded to David De la Garza, Alicia Santiago, Cyd Hughes, Irma Payton and Melissa Allo for their work at Blingfest.
4. Marketing Chair- Linda Casias – BlingFest – handed out 48 of the 50 flyers she had. 3 new memberships. She will continue to look at other venues / events for membership recruitment opportunities.

President Pro Tem – Dea Jae Shore

1. Dea Jae will be calling committee members to reassign shelf space in the storage shed.

Secretary – Melissa Allo

1. 3 calls received.

Treasurer – Cindy Shutt

1. The balance as of September 30th is \$68,806.99.
2. 2025 Budget was discussed. Motion made and approved will be shared with membership at October meeting.

1st VP for Special Events – Kami Ricks

1. Fall Mini Retreat October 25th and 26th, \$35. See Linda Kirk. Linda will be asking for signups to help.
2. Winter Retreat January 23rd - 26th. \$350 for Thursday to Sunday, \$250 for Friday to Sunday. \$175 Deposit due. See Melissa Allo. Waitlist started.
3. 2025 Show – Vendor letters will be sent out this week. Discussed a possible opportunity with Kerrville and Fredricksburg Guilds about pipe and drape. More info to come.
4. Online Auction – the next online auction will be recommended for May 2025, to be presented at the October guild meeting. Ruth Felty and Ida Kujawshi are willing to be co-chairs.

2nd VP for Information – Linda Casias

1. 2025 membership dues will start being collected at the October meeting.
2. Linda Casias will be reaching out for help with advertising and newsletter events.

3rd VP for Programs – Mary McCarthy

1. October – A trunk show from 3 of our members!
2. Signups will start for the February classes.

4th VP for Services – Jean Hardies

1. Library book sales are going well.
2. QPC has 3 projects out and 2 new ones about to start.
3. QPFC has many quilts available for quilting.

5th VP for Community Outreach – Gail Clover

1. Bright Hopes, Frances Contreras – 25 quilts and 30 totes delivered this quarter. 37 holiday quilts available.
2. Community Education, Sandra Doyle – no report.
3. Storybook Quilts, Viki Ash – 14 Quilts out to public schools and libraries. 20,391 year to date viewers of Storybook Quilts. New addition: Big Fat Hen
4. Community Quilt Angels, Janet Miller - no report.

Parliamentarian – Ida Kujawski –

1. The Slate of Officers will be presented at the October meeting.

Slate of Officers:

President: Melissa Allo, Barb Shroud

Secretary: Linda Maldonado

2nd VP for Information: Linda Casias

4th VP for Services: Judy Hood

5th VP for Community Outreach: Donna Tajvar

Unfinished Business:

New Business: Scholarship Fund by Ida Kujawski was discussed, approved and will be presented at the October meeting.

Announcements:

Meeting adjourned: 8:42 p.m. Minutes submitted by: Melissa Allo, Secretary

GSAQG General Meeting Minutes October 12, 2024

President – Elaine Staller

1. The meeting was called to order at 10:02 a.m. at Saint Andrew Presbyterian Church.
2. The September general meeting minutes were approved by attendees prior to publication in the newsletter.
3. Visitors were welcomed and acknowledged. New members were introduced.
4. Elaine Staller made a few announcements: asked for members to see Lisetta Ennis if interested in making memorial blocks for either Shirley Henthorn or Joyce Efron, reminder to put name in for door prizes, asked for patience as Q3 reports are presented today, and how the church and the guild are trying a new approach to set up following the meetings.
5. Calico Rosebuds were presented to David De La Garza, Alicia Santiago, Cyd Hughes, Irma Payton and Melissa Allo for their work at Blingfest.
6. Marketing Chair -Linda Casias
 - a. Social media is a very important part of publicizing our guild. FB is the more active social media page.
 - b. The guild tri-fold has been updated and is saved in the guild DropBox.
 - c. Membership drive at Blingfest; handed out 48 out of the 50 flyers and brought in 4 new members.
 - d. Will collaborate with our webmaster to update the guild website.

President Pro Tem – Dea Jae Shore

1. Storage shed reorganization continues.

Secretary – Melissa Allo

1. 11 phone calls received, 3 were related to guild services.

Treasurer – Cindy Shutt

1. The balance as of September 30th is \$68,806.99. Cindy Shutt presented the 2025 Budget to the membership and answered questions. It will be published in the November newsletter and voted on at the November meeting.

1st VP for Special Programs – Kāmi Ricks

1. Fall Mini Retreat - October 25th and 26th, \$35. Waitlist has started. See Linda Kirk. A new chairperson is needed.
2. Winter Retreat - January 23rd - 26th. \$350 for Thursday to Sunday, \$250 for Friday to Sunday. \$175 Deposit due.
3. Summer Retreat – there will be 2 options available. Valley Ranch Retreat Center June 8th – June 12th (5 days) will be \$440, or June 9th – June 12th (4 days) will be \$330.

2nd VP for Information – Linda Casias

1. Linda Casias will be adding information to the newsletter about speakers, programs and supplies for upcoming classes.
2. If you have a business or provide quilting services, be sure to fill out a Business Information form to be included on the guild's webpage.
3. Do you have a quilting article you want to share? Send it to Linda Casias to have it included in the newsletter.

3rd VP for Programs – Mary McCarthy

1. October – Just a Peek – quilts from members Bernie Farris, Vonnie Maglinte and Barbara Sumlin.
2. Sign ups for February Friday Machine Applique class began.
3. November – Veterans Quilts presentation, Officer Elections, Annual business meeting.

4th VP for Services – Jean Hardies

1. Mystery quilt started September. See Mary Ruth Flores for step 2.
2. Door Prizes – Julie Melchor and Sandra Bansham
3. Golden Carrot – Ruth Felty
4. Block of the Month winner – Kevin Westmark won over 50 blocks!
5. Halloween drawing – Ida Kujawski and Julie Melchor

5th VP for Community Outreach – Gail Clover – not present

1. Bright Hopes, Frances Contreras – 25 quilts and 30 totes delivered this quarter. 37 holiday quilts available.
2. Community Education, Sandra Doyle and David de La Garza – Texas Trades at the Alamo October 19th needs a chairperson who can attend event. Please reach out to Sandra Doyle for information.
3. Storybook Quilts, new committee chair is needed. 14 Quilts out to public schools and libraries. 20,391 year to date viewers of Storybook Quilts. New addition: Big Fat Hen
4. Community Quilt Angels, Janet Miller – nothing to report.

Parliamentarian – Ida Kujawski

1. The Slate of Officer Candidates were presented:
 - President: Melissa Allo, Barb Shrout
 - Secretary: Linda Maldonado
 - 2nd VP for Information: Linda Casias
 - 4th VP for Services: Judy Hood
 - 5th VP for Community Outreach: Donna Tajvar

Unfinished business – None.

New business –

1. 1. Online Auction – Ruth Felty and Ida Kujawski presented having our next online auction in May 2025. They are willing to be co-chairs. Membership agreed.
2. 2. Scholarship Fund by Ida Kujawski was presented at the October meeting.

Announcements -

1. Family of Donnis Todd will be having an estate sale of her studio on October 17-19.
2. Barbara Sumlin will be having a sale of her studio on October 25-26.

Member attendance – 73

Meeting adjourned at 11:17 a.m. Minutes submitted by Melissa Allo

| Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild | | | | | |
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| Treasurer's Report | | | | | |
| For the Nine Months ending September 30, 2024 | | | | | |
| | YTD Actual | 2024 Budget | | YTD Actual | 2024 Budget |
| REVENUES | | | Membership expenses: | | |
| Ordinary Income: | | | Membership Supplies | \$114.53 | \$100.00 |
| Interest | \$49.45 | \$600.00 | Stationery Purchase | | \$150.00 |
| CD Interest | \$1,008.44 | | Newsletter / Directory Printing | \$170.00 | \$200.00 |
| Other income | | | Postage | \$14.50 | \$100.00 |
| Donations | \$2,002.00 | | Zoom Subscription | \$170.70 | \$160.00 |
| Garage Sale | \$156.00 | | Webpage | | \$- |
| Library Book Sale | \$249.58 | | Quilt Show | | \$- |
| Stationery Sales | | | Auction | \$684.59 | \$3,500.00 |
| Magazine Sales | \$66.00 | | Community Activities: | | |
| Nametag Fines | \$11.40 | | Bright Hopes | \$1,106.88 | \$1,800.00 |
| Newsletter Postage | | | Storybook Quilts | | \$250.00 |
| Dues - Membership | \$4,451.00 | \$3,500.00 | Community Education | | \$150.00 |
| Newsletter / Directory Ads | \$210.00 | \$250.00 | Quilt Angels | | \$500.00 |
| Workshops | \$1,075.00 | \$1,100.00 | Membership Services & Activities: | | |
| Fund Raising: | | | Ethel Howey Grant | \$2,000.00 | \$2,000.00 |
| Quilt Show | \$165.00 | \$1,000.00 | QPC | | \$150.00 |
| Auction | \$5,290.00 | \$10,000.00 | QPFC | \$214.28 | \$350.00 |
| Self-Sustaining: | | | Programs | \$3,067.12 | \$2,500.00 |
| Retreat - Summer | \$8,300.00 | \$12,000.00 | Workshops | \$2,050.00 | \$1,000.00 |
| Retreat - Winter | \$11,281.56 | \$13,500.00 | Self-Sustaining Activities: | | |
| Mini-Retreats | \$2,135.00 | \$2,000.00 | Mini-Retreats | \$1,034.40 | \$2,000.00 |
| Total Revenues | \$36,450.43 | \$42,950.00 | Retreat - Summer | \$8,260.00 | \$12,000.00 |
| EXPENSES | | | Retreat - Winter | \$11,281.56 | \$13,500.00 |
| Administration: | | | Total Expenses | \$39,235.00 | \$52,811.00 |
| General Administration | \$225.43 | \$500.00 | Net | \$(2,784.57) | \$(9,861.00) |
| Bank & CC | \$317.53 | \$500.00 | Ending Frost Operating | \$26,972.84 | |
| Computer Equipment | \$108.24 | | Ending Frost Savings | \$5,049.36 | |
| Insurance | \$1,544.60 | \$2,000.00 | SSFCU CD's & Savings | \$25,007.94 | |
| Office Supplies & Postage | \$185.49 | \$200.00 | SSFCU Wright Class CD | \$11,776.85 | |
| CPA / Tax Return | \$600.00 | \$600.00 | | \$68,806.99 | |
| Telephone | \$153.15 | \$125.00 | Liabilities | | |
| Storage facility | \$3,357.00 | \$4,476.00 | prepaid deposits | \$(7,800.00) | |
| Rent (Meetings) | \$2,350.00 | \$3,500.00 | Total Guild Funds | \$61,006.99 | |
| Janitorial | \$225.00 | \$500.00 | Cynthia Shutt, Treasurer | | |
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NOTE: Due to the revised distribution schedule of the Newsletter, the Treasurer's report published will from be a prior month.

| Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild | | | |
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| 2025 Proposed Budget | | | |
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| REVENUES | | Fund Raising: | |
| Interest | \$1,000.00 | Quilt Show | \$50,480.00 |
| CD Interest | | Auction / Quilt Sales | |
| Membership Dues | \$4,280.00 | | |
| Newsletter/Directory Ads | \$250.00 | Membership expenses | |
| Workshops | \$3,300.00 | Supplies | \$100.00 |
| Other Income: | | Door Prizes | \$200.00 |
| Garage Sale | | Stationery Purchase | |
| Library Book Sale | | Newsletter/Directory Print | \$200.00 |
| Stationery Sales | | Newsletter/Directory Postage | \$50.00 |
| Magazine Sales | | Zoom Subscription | \$175.00 |
| Nametag fines | | Webpage | \$180.00 |
| Newsletter Postage | | | |
| | | Community Activities | |
| Fund Raising: | | Bright Hopes | \$1,500.00 |
| Auction / Quilt Sales | \$0.00 | Storybook Quilts | \$250.00 |
| Quilt Show | \$68,370.00 | Community Education | \$150.00 |
| One time donation | | Quilt Angels | \$500.00 |
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| Self Sustaining: | | Membership Services & Activities: | |
| Summer Retreat | \$10,000.00 | Ethel Howey Grant | \$0.00 |
| Winter Retreat | \$12,500.00 | QPC | \$150.00 |
| Mini Retreats | \$2,000.00 | QPFC | \$300.00 |
| | | Programs | \$3,075.00 |
| Total Revenues | \$101,700.00 | Workshops | \$3,900.00 |
| EXPENSES | | Teacher Travel | \$3,000.00 |
| Administration | \$500.00 | | |
| Bank & CC fees | \$500.00 | Self Sustaining Activities: | |
| Church Rental | \$3,500.00 | Summer Retreat | \$10,000.00 |
| CPA / Tax Return | \$600.00 | Winter Retreat | \$12,500.00 |
| Equipment | | Mini Retreats | \$2,000.00 |
| Insurance | \$2,000.00 | | |
| Janitorial | \$500.00 | Total Expenses | \$101,700.00 |
| Marketing | \$500.00 | | |
| Office Supplies & Postage | \$200.00 | Net: | \$0.00 |
| Storage Facility | \$4,476.00 | | |
| Telephone | \$214.00 | Cindy Shutt, Treasurer | |

Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild

Bees: groups of friends who share their love and quilting

Open for new members; contact each for more details.

Morning Bees

| Bee | Day | Time | Location | Contact | Phone |
|---------------------------------|--|----------------------------|---|--|--------------|
| QPC Bee | 1 st Monday | 1-4 pm | Western Hills Christian Church 8535 Huebner | Mary-Ruth Flores mrlf357@gmail.com | 210-410-4337 |
| Quilt In (handwork only) | 4 th Wednesday | 10 am - noon | Memories by the Yard 8015 Mainland | Mary-Ruth Flores mrlf357@gmail.com | 210-410-4337 |
| Great NW Library Bee | 3 rd Saturday | 10 am – 1pm | SA Library 9050 Wellwood St. SA, TX 78250 Grissom//Culebra | Alicia Santiago 2109138508@spectrum.net | 210-219-2875 |
| Villa Bees | 2 nd & 4 th Monday | 1-3pm | Villa de San Antonio Retirement Home | Linda Nash 1014lindanash@gmail.com | 210-722-4741 |
| Queen Bees <i>closed</i> | Every Friday | 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 | Members take turns hosting | Elaine Staller restaller@aol.com | 210-863-5102 |
| Piecemakers (charity quilts) | 2 nd & 4 th Fridays | 9am-1pm | St.Andrew Presbyterian Church | Lani Nunley booandpiesmom@yahoo.com | 210-680-4182 |
| Crazy...Bee | 1 st & 3 rd Fridays | 9am-1pm Low Bldg Fee | St.Andrew Presbyterian Church | Lani Nunley booandpiesmom@yahoo.com | 210-680-4182 |
| Finishing Bee | 4 th Friday | 11am-1pm | Members' home | Jean Hardies ljhardies@gmail.com | 210-885-0015 |

Afternoon and Evening Bees

| Bee | Day | Time | Location | Contact | Phone |
|-------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---|---|------------------------------|
| Hand Bee | Every Wednesday | 12:30 p.m.- 3:00 p.m. | Encino Branch Library on Evans Road | Beverly Uhl mikebev@gmail.com Naimah Ahmad naimah_k@yahoo.com | 830-438-3667 210-883-6404 |
| Landa Bee | 1 st Sunday | 2-5pm | 233 Bushnell | Viki Ash vikiparis13@gmail.com | 210-315-7533 |
| Shavano Bee | 2 nd Monday | 2-4pm | Member's home | Ida Kujawski ibkbbk@yahoo.com | 210-381-9618 |

Mark Your Calendars For These Upcoming Texas Quilt Shows

Oct 31-Nov 3, 2024 Houston International Quilt Festival, George R. Brown Convention Center, Houston

Jan 17-18, 2025 Joy of Quilts, Quilt Guild of Greater Houston, 10505 Cash Rd, Stafford
 Feb 7-8, 2025 Coastal Bend Quilt & Needlework Guild, 1213 Terry Shamsie Blvd, Robstown
 Feb 14-15, 2025 Rio Grande Valley Quilt Show, 7355 Padre Blvd, South Padre Island
 March 28-29, 2025 Heirloom Stitchers Guild of Cuero, 934 US Hwy 183, Cuero
 April 25-26, 2025 Highland Lakes Quilt Festival, 401 East Jackson St, Burnet
 May 2-3, 2025 Reflections, Chisholm Trail Quilt Guild Quilt Show, Williamson County Expo Ctr, Taylor

The **University of the Incarnate Word Art Department**

is proud to host

Fiber Artists of San Antonio (FASA) and Spare Parts in CIRCULARITY

opening on Sunday, November 10, 2024, at 3-5 p.m.

at the Kelso Art Center in the Semmes and Condos Galleries.

This juried exhibition is a call for fiber artists to create artwork using unconventional, eco-friendly, or sustainable materials. Works will inspire action to reach a sustainable planet or reflect a vision of a sustainable planet for future generations. Works may choose to address one of the four pillars of sustainability: human, social, economic, and environmental/ecological balance. Fiber artists will utilize materials that create no waste, repurpose, recycle, or reimagine, which advances the circular economy. Exhibited works will reflect a growing fiber art awareness/movement that comments on, protests, illuminates or celebrates our hope for the future of a sustainable planet.

The exhibition and reception are free and open to the public.

Opening Reception: 3 p.m. - 5 p.m. Sunday, November 10, 2024

Gallery Hours: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday-Friday



yes! we're
OPEN

Special Hours
Celebrating the 50th
International Quilt Festival

Monday, 10/28 - Saturday, 11/2
10 am - 4 pm

979-968-3104 | www.TexasQuiltMuseum.org





**Gallery Talk with
Allison Aller
Wed. 10/30
@ Noon!**



Catch a ride to the country...

Day Trips from the International Quilt Festival!

Ride in comfort as you take a day trip to see incredible Antique Quilts, Art Quilts and MORE - at the **WORLD FAMOUS, TEXAS QUILT MUSEUM** in beautiful, La Grange, Texas!

Space is limited - reserve your seat today!

Price
\$139
/Person

Trip Includes

- ✓ VIP Tour of the Texas Quilt Museum
- ✓ Lunch & Shopping
- ✓ TQM T-shirt
- ✓ Refreshments at Departure
- ✓ Chauffeur-driven Transportation

Departure

Trips Depart @ 9 am & Return @ 6 pm
 Tues, 10/29/24 | Wed, 10/30/24
 Fri, 11/01/24 | Sat, 11/02/24

Pick-up Point

George R. Brown Convention Center @
The Avenida South Transit Center



See www.TexasQuiltMuseum.org for Details!



TEXAS QUILT MUSEUM
History in the Making™

FREE Gallery Talk

“Crazy for Crazy Quilts”

Join Allison Aller as she shares stories and inspiration behind her exhibit **“Contemporary Crazy Quilts”** on display at the Texas Quilt Museum this autumn!

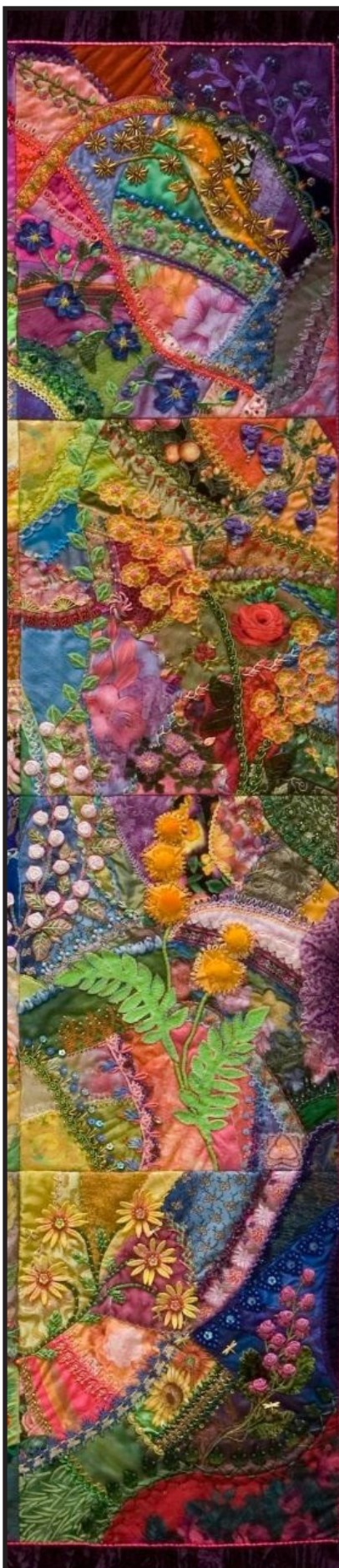
Includes Q & A and a fun and informative walking tour of her incredible pieces!

Wednesday, October 30, 2024
@ Noon

*Free admission beginning @ 11:00 am
Seating is limited...*

Come early to reserve your seat and enjoy the Museum!

140 W Colorado Street | Downtown La Grange, TX | 979-968-3104
Projects@TexasQuiltMuseum.org | www.TexasQuiltMuseum.org



2025 Quilt Show

Reflections

Traditional ♦ Modern ♦ Fiber Art



May 2-3

Fri. 10AM to 5PM — Sat. 10AM to 5PM

Admission: \$10 (Children under 12 Free)

Williamson County Expo Center

5350 Bill Pickett Trail

Taylor, TX 76574

Chisholm Trail Quilt Guild

www.ctquiltguild.org

CTQG



- Quilts, Quilts & more Quilts
- Special Exhibits
- Vendors
- Boutique
- Silent Auction
- Granny's Attic
- Free Parking



Rainbow Reflections 79" × 79"

Drawing May 3. Need not be present to win!

GREATER SAN ANTONIO QUILT GUILD, INC.**APPLICATION for SCHOLARSHIP**

Today's Date _____

Applicant must submit all requested information as needed and stated by the chair.

Application available as digital document on website : copy and print.

Application presented in guild newsletter; paper copy available from event chair at onset of event.

Present paper copy application to specific chair.

NAME of Workshop or Retreat _____

DATE of Workshop or Retreat _____

\$\$ amount Requested _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ email _____

Number of years as a member of the GSAQG _____

Have you attended workshops? _____ retreats? _____ How many? _____

-----FOLD HERE by committee to enable anonymity-----

Tell us what you'd like to accomplish at Retreat or Workshop.

Ethel Howey Grant

The two-year \$2000.00 grant has a deadline for application of August 1, 2025. Now is the time to begin thinking of classes that might be available to further your quilting skills. A browse of the web will yield many teachers forming their workshop schedules a year or two ahead. Please consider this wonderful opportunity.

GREATER SAN ANTONIO QUILT GUILD, INC ETHEL Y. HOWEY GRANT PROGRAM

MISSION

The Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild (GSAQG) has established a grant program in honor of a loved and esteemed founding member, Ethel Y. Howey, whose accomplishments and influence extended into the international quilt world. The grant is to encourage the pursuit of education in the study of quilt making and to recognize the importance of quilting in today's society as an art form, as an instrument of healing, as part of our legacy, and as a common thread which binds all in friendship.

PURPOSE

The purpose of the grant program is to fund projects that will have long term impact on preserving the heritage and further the art of quilt making. The grant may be used to cover expenses such as fees (including conferences, workshops, etc.), travel, lodging, meals, materials, and books. The grant(s) will be awarded in even numbered years, not to exceed \$2,000. The Grant Committee may divide the monies between more than one recipient. The GSAQG is not obligated to award the entire \$2,000 or any part thereof, if the quality of the proposals does not merit it.

ELIBILITY

- Applicant must be an active GSAQG member in good standing for the previous **two (2) years** immediately preceding the grant deadline.
- An applicant must show evidence of an interest in continuing to improve and innovate in the field of quilt design, construction, history, or technique.
- Financial need will NOT be a criterion for selection.
- Grant recipients are ineligible to reapply for grants for four years. Grant committee members are ineligible for grants while serving on the committee.

PROCEDURES AND DEADLINES

- Applications must be submitted **on or before August 1** (current year), and the grant will be awarded at the following January Guild meeting.
- If the recipient fails to fulfill the requirements or is unable to attend the proposed project or program, the grant money must be returned within **three (3) months** of the cancellation, or on a timeline agreed to by the committee and the applicant. If an alternate applicant is available, the money may be transferred to the alternate with approval of the committee.
- Recipients must be willing and able to share with GSAQG the new skills, techniques, or information gained. This may be in the form of a presentation, a workshop, or other process that disseminates the information to the members in **the year following receipt of the grant**. Scheduling must be coordinated with the 1st Vice President for Programs.
- If a workshop or program is being presented, **at a minimum of three (3) months before** the scheduled Guild workshop or program, a lesson plan and class sample will be presented to the Ethel Y. Howey Chairperson, the 1st Vice President for Programs, and one Guild member-at-large.
- Recipient must submit, in writing, a final report of the project and expenses **by March 1** of the year following receipt of the grant.

GSAQG ETHEL Y. HOWEY GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION PROCESS

Following the stated timeline, submit a typed or handwritten application, not to exceed two (2) pages. Include the date, your name, address, phone numbers, email, number of years a GSAQG member, and explain:

1. Why you would like to receive this grant.
2. How you will use the grant funds, including a specific budget.
3. How you will share your new skills, techniques, and information with the membership.

Feel free to provide any additional information that will help the selection committee.

Mail to:

Mary McCarthy
GSAQG Foundation Grant Program
1123 Creek Cabin
San Antonio, TX. 78253-5835

Time Line Example

1 August 2025- Application due
1 January 2026- Grant awarded
2026 – Grant used/classes attended
March 2027- Written final report due
August 2027- Proposal Presentation to Review Committee
November 2027- Workshop/Presentation to Guild Membership

GREATER SAN ANTONIO QUILT GUILD, INC.
Members Who Provide Quilting Services
Information Form

Information provided below will be shared on the GSAQG website sanantonioquilt.org – Quilting Services Listing page. The GSAQG does not sponsor or assume responsibility for any services provided by those listed on our website. Businesses listed are fully responsible for their own goods and services and do not in any way represent the GSAQG organization.

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|---|--|
| Your Name | |
| Business Name | |
| Business Address | |
| Business Email address | |
| Business Phone Number(s) | |
| Business Website | |
| <p>Quilting Related Services Provided</p> <p>Quilting services: Such as longarm E2E, custom, FMQ, computerized, binding, personalized quilt labels, longarm rentals, quilt repairs, hand quilting, etc.</p> <p>Other: Experience level, lectures and/or workshops offered, judging, appraisal services, embroidery, fabric photo printing, etc.</p> | |
| <p>Online Shop: Etsy, Shopify, Squarespace, etc.</p> | |

Board of Directors

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| President | Elaine Staller |
| President Pro Tem | Dea Jae Shore |
| 1st VP Special Events | Kami Ricks |
| *2nd VP Information | Linda Casias |
| 3rd VP Programs | Mary McCarthy |
| *4th VP Services | Jean Hardies |
| *5th VP Community Outreach | Gail Clover |
| *Secretary | Melissa Allo |
| Treasurer | Cindy Shutt |
| Parliamentarian | Ida Kujawski |

***Term expires December 2024**
If you are interested in any of these board positions, see the Nominating Committee.



Mailing Address:
Greater San Antonio Quilt Guild, Inc
P.O. Box 380522
San Antonio, TX 78268
Phone: 210-984-6149
Website: www.sanantonioquilt.org

September Meeting Schedule

Nov 4 Board Meeting 7:00 PM on Zoom

Nov 9 General Meeting 10:00 AM

Saint Andrew Presbyterian Church

Zoom starts at 9:30am: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88054868999?pwd=RHU1d3BMMzNI OC9VRkhpS2VlaHJHdz09>

Meeting ID: 880 5486 8999

See the guild Calendar on our web page for Bee meetings and other Guild related events.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP INFO

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

Sign-up at: <https://www.sanantonioquilt.org/pages/Membership.html>

Pay Online -OR- Send Check to:
GSAQG
PO Box 380522
San Antonio, TX 78268

Newsletter Submissions

Deadline for December Newsletter:

November 16, 2024

Email: quiltnews@sanantonioquilt.org

NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

| | Monthly | Yearly |
|---|---------|--------|
| Full page ad | \$60.00 | \$660 |
| 1/2 page ad (horizontal - 7 x 4 3/4 vertical - 3 3/8 x 9 1/2) | \$30.00 | \$330 |
| 1/4 page ad | \$15.00 | \$165 |
| Business card (2 x 3.5) | \$10.00 | \$110 |

Guild members may run a business card sized AD for one month free each year.