



Patchwords

September 2024

President's Message

Hello Quilters,

The beginning of September brings new opportunities! Hopefully, there will soon be a crispness in the air but it is said that September is the month that you may wear a sweater in the morning and regret it by the afternoon. We all know that well here in Fla!

Thank you to all who participated in the crayon challenge. 🖍️ The blocks are as colorful as the leaves that will change this Fall. 🍂🍁 They will make a beautiful quilt if we collect enough to do so!

Beautiful Blocks! So creative!

I wish you all a blessed September.....stay well, keep quilting! 🧵. Get those quilts ready for the quilt show!!!

FOOD DRIVE IN SEPT. & OCT.

Please bring non-perishable food items (canned goods) to our next two general meetings! Help feed those less fortunate!

😊 Alana

Quilt show theme:

“I MUST HAVE FLOWERS, ALWAYS
AND ALWAYS!”



September/October

Calendar

September 4th

SEW-cial

September 11th

9:30 am Board Meeting

Rm 202

September 12th Night

6:30 pm Social 7:00 Program

Bell Hall

September 18th Day

9:00 am Social

9:30 Program

Bell Hall

September 25th

Workday Wednesday

9:00 am

Bell Hall

October 2nd

SEW-cial

October 9th

9:30 am Board Meeting

Rm 202

October 10th

6:30 pm Social 7:00 Program

Bell Hall

October 16th

9:00 am Social

9:30 Program

Bell Hall

October 23rd

Workday Wednesday

9:00 am

Bell Hall

November 1-3rd

Fall retreat/Laguna Beach

Night Guild Members

September's challenge is Christmas ornaments and those wishing can donate to the Center for the Arts display in November to be sold to raise money for Art Center.

Long range challenge – due at the November 8th meeting for a flower block. It is to be made with a white or white on white background fabric and be any size of at least 4.5” and no larger than 12.5” unfinished block – it can be a square or rectangle block – you can piece, appliqué, embroider, paper piece or any combination you wish. I hope to have enough blocks to make a quilt to put in our Quilt Show in February. Thank you!

Jo

2024-25 Board Members

President - Alana Yuratich
1st V.P. - Diane Wishart
2nd V.P.- Jo Wilbur
Secretary - Carolyn Finlayson
Treasurer - Dianne Daigle



SUNSHINE & SHADOWS

Please contact me when a member has an illness, loss or just something to celebrate
Linda Tew

Hospitality

Thank you to the Busy Bees for all the wonderful refreshments. Thanks to all who helped set up and take down the tables and chairs.

Our hostesses in September will be the Guild members who ARE NOT associated members of any bee and just enjoy attending the Guild meetings. Please bring enough for 8-10 people.. Hospitality folks are welcome to come by 8:15 am to set up as refreshments start at 9 am.

Coming up for October treats is the Sisterhood bee group.

Thank you, Georgia Gunn

Thank you to all who have submitted their forms for the Center for the Arts exhibit. Christmas ornaments to benefit the Center may be turned in to me from now until our October meetings.

Upcoming Quilt Shows -Quiltfest
Jacksonville, FL
Sept. 19 - 21

Sandy Austill
Publicity

send newsletter items
to:

no later than
the 22nd of each
month

Membership

We had 82 members and 3 guests at the day meeting, 21 members and one guest at the night meeting. No new members.

Print shop is working on the new directories. We are hoping to have them by September meetings.

Cindy Straebel - Membership Chair

Boutique Items Needed for Quilt Show!!!

Microwave Bowl Cozies
Adult Bibs
Small lap quilts
Hot pads
Fat quarters
Scrap bags
Bags to hold stuff
Baskets to hold stuff
Wallets and coin purses
Crochet children's hats
Cute Easter animals
Crocheted or knitted washcloths
Pin cushions not high price ones
Casserole holders/bowl cozies
Sunglasses or regular glasses case/holder
Christmas items (ornaments, pillows and banners)
Presidents Quilt Block Challenge
Table runners
Place mats
Ribbon
Pencil holders
Scrubbies

Questions? Call Karen Jones or Loretta Akerlind

Scissor Sharpening

Saber Sharp scissor sharpening is coming in October. They do ALL Brands of scissors.

With any questions contact Alana or Georgia.



Meeting minutes can be found at:

<https://sabqg.org/newsletter/>

Quilt Show 2025

- Web Site is updated with Registration form for Quilt Entry. Deadline for Registration form will be January 8th, 2025
- **Baskets for Raffle: Maggie Adams**
Asking all Bees to submit a basket to raffle, please let Maggie Adams know, by Jan 15th, the information on your basket and item with cost value. The Baskets will be turned in when Quilts are turned in.
- * **Silent Auction: Helen Jeroski**
Asking for items for auction. Please let Helen know that you have an item or two to contribute. She will need to know by January 15th. Items can be brought ahead of time to Helen or by January 15th.
- * **Boutique: Karen Jones/Loretta Akerlind**
Karen and Loretta will let you know the type of items we will need for the Boutique table. This is a huge money maker and it's because of the wonderful items the guild makes.
- Volunteers, Food requests will be posted for everyone to sign up in December time frame.
- * Opportunity Quilt Tickets will be available at the September Meeting.

Dianne Daigle

We are so fortunate to have an amazing library of over 160 book covering so many quilting patterns and techniques. Explore what is available for you to check out at:

www.librarycat.org/lib/SABQGLIBRARY



Community Service

Thank you to everyone for all your get well wishes, cards, gifts, calls, texts, and of course, your prayers. I feel blessed. I hope to see you all in September.

Aly Tuttle

The following donations were delivered last month:

100% cotton flannel isolette/bassinet/swaddle blankets to NICU at the Gulf Coast hospital. Several duffle bags made by the Busy Bee group and donated to Anchorage Children's Home. 26 pet beds were made and donated to local animal rescues.

Thank you to Phyllis and Don Baker who donated their time to repair several sewing machines owned by The Guild for Workday Wednesday.

505 stockings have been cut out and are ready to be sewn. Please bring your finished stockings to the October meeting.

Thank you to all who made these donations possible. You are all doing a great service to our community.

From your Community Service team, Aly, Gerry, Trudy



Linda Tew made 8 baby blankets and 8 pillows with kiddie pillowcases and donated them to the Foster Closet at Lynn Haven Methodist Church.



Bill and Rebecca Valle contributed 18 pet beds to local shelters.

Community Services Current Needs	
Sim's Twin Size Quilts	64" wide x 74" Long
Warrior Beach Retreat	Larger than 50" wide x 65" long
Women Shelter Twin Size	64" wide x 74" long
Elder & Disabled Lap Quilts	42" wide x 54" long
Childrens Quilts	42" wide x 54" long
Infant Receiving Blankets	42" wide x 42" long



September Program

Annual Table Sale. We are trying something new this year so please read the following information. 8' rectangle tables will be setup around the back of the room for the sale and tables for meeting will be the round tables in main part of room.

Day Meeting

- Contact Diane Wishart if you wish to reserve a spot, text _____ with your name/group. Spots will be limited so, first come first serve on reservations. One reservation per person/group.
- Individuals can reserve half of an 8' table. You will be responsible for the sales at your spot.
- Groups can reserve an 8' table. At least one person from group will be responsible for the sales at your table.
- **Setup time will be 8:40-9:15**, if you don't show by 8:50 your spot may go to someone on the waiting list.
- **Sale will be AFTER the meeting, No early sales!**
- SABQG will have an 8' table if you wish to donate to that table, please bring your items at 8:45, all sales goes to SABQG.
- **SABQG asks for a small donation for those that make sales.**

Night Meeting

- Contact Diane Wishart if you wish to reserve a spot, text _____ with your name/group. Spots will be limited so, first come first serve on reservations. One reservation per person/group.
- Individuals can reserve half of an 8' table. You will be responsible for the sales at your spot.
- Groups can reserve an 8' table. At least one person from group will be responsible for the sales at your table.
- **Setup time will be 6:15-6:45**, if you don't show by 6:15 your spot may go to someone on the waiting list.
- **Sale will be AFTER the meeting, No early sales!**
- SABQG will have an 8' table if you wish to donate to that table, please bring your items at 6:20, all sales goes to SABQG.
- **SABQG asks for a small donation for those that make sales.**

Diane Wishart

Bee Information

These bees are open to new members!

I've listed the place, day and time that they meet.

Contact me if you're interested in joining.

I'll make sure that their activities meet your interests and put you in touch with the bee contact.

I'm also here to help if you'd like to consider forming a new bee.

SABQG Beekeeper, Rebecca Valle



BEE	PLACE	DAY	TIME
Art-i-tude	Church Parlor	4 th Wed	1 pm
Frayed Knots	Newk's on 23 rd ST	Wednesdays	5 pm
Happy Scrappers	Church Parlor	2 nd Mon	1 pm
Humming Bees	Church Parlor	1 st Mon	9:30 am
Material Girls	Alice's on Beck	2 nd Wed	4 pm
Old Glory	Gaye Ryon's home	1 st Tues	9:30 am
Piece and Love	1 st Baptist Church, 6 th ST	Wednesdays	1:30 pm
Thread Catchers	Marie's quilt shop (Blountstown)	4 th Tues	9 am
Tiny Stitchers	Church Parlor	Misc Saturdays	9 am



Thank you ART-t-tude for a great Teachable Moment!

Show and Tell



