

St Andrew Bay Quilters' Guild
Night Meeting
February 13, 2025

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 7:00 Pm by President Jo Wilbur. All in attendance were welcomed and asked to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

ATENCANCE: There were 24 members and 2 guests attending. 8 of those present will also attend the day meeting.

EDUCATION: Jo reminded those present about the Chenille Blooming Class to be taught by Ann Van Zant on March 8th. Ann Van Zant shared a quilt she had made using the technique she will be teaching and informed members where they could purchase supplies for the class.

BYLAWS: Betsy Balmer presented the proposed By Law Changes to the members present and advised that voting will take place at the March Meeting. Members will vote at either the night or the day meeting.

NOMINATING COMMITTE: Carolyn Carter reported that all members may run for office for any position if they desire. 1st Vice President, Treasurer offices are open. Nominations can be made at the March night or day meting, Officers will be elected at the April Meeting.

QUILT SHOW BOUTIQUE: Loretta requested that members making items for the Boutique turn them in so they can be priced and made ready for the show. She thanked the members who have made items for the Boutique.

BEE JAMBOREE: Rebecca Valle will be hosting a Bee Jamboree, March 15, 10am to 2pm in Bell Hall. If you are not in a bee its a good time to check them out. People who are not members, but are interested in the guild are welcome to join us. It will be a great party with each Bee having the opportunity to share their accomplishments and goals. Activities are planned for everyone to participate and enjoy. Contact Rebecca Valle if you have any questions at 850-890-0457.

HOSPITALITY: Lisa Trawick thanked the members who brought refreshments for the meeting.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Aly Tuttle reported the January 29th Workday was well attended with 21 quilters present. We sorted Barb Palko's boxes, labeled quilts that are ready to donate, sewed baby bibs, and matched backs and batting to tops. There is a large bin of fat quarters, more than are needed for birthdays. Donations 8 red,white,blue quilts and 23 tote bags were donated to Warrior Beach Retreat in November. Thank you to the Bee who made this happen. Bell Hall Cabinet inventory 6 sewing machines, 7 plug adapters, 6 irons and 2 ironing boards in addition to sewing cutting boards and notions. The next Workday Wednesday is scheduled for February 26th.

PROGRAM: Diane Wishart entertained the members with a fun game, with fat quarters for the winners.

Birthdays Celebrated: Members with birthdays in the month of February were asked to come to the front, receive a fat quarter and enjoy the Happy Birthday Song sung by the members.

FEBRUARY CHALLENGE: Members were reminded to vote for their favorite entry. Winner of the Selvage Challenge was Carolyn Finlayson

MARCH CHALLENGE: Each member was given three fat quarters with instructions to add either white or black and make a 8.5" block.

NEXT NIGHT MEETING: March 13

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 7:56 by President Jo Wilbur