

St. Andrews' Bay Quilters Guild

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by 2nd Vice President, Jo Wilbur at 7pm. Members were asked to silence their phones and stand for the Pledge of Allegiance to the- Flag of the United States of America.

MEMBERSHIP: Cindy Smith reported Members present 21, no guests or new members, 7 members will attend day guild.

HOSPITALITY: Loretta Akerlund & Carolyn Carter Carolyn Carter provided refreshments, Carolyn Carter has volunteered to be in charge of refreshments.

TREASURER: Sandy Austill, Treasurer reported the bills are paid and books are balanced. There is a complete Treasurers report posted on the whiteboard at the back of the room.-

BEE KEEPER: If any members are interested in joining a bee contact Rebecca Valle.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Workday Wednesday was attended by 16 quilters. Isolette baby blankets were sewn, bibs and burp cloths were cut and sewn, and 30 x 40" receiving blankets cut for kits. Thank you to Patty H who cut and assembled about 15 walker bag kits at home. Thank you also to quilters who turned in quilts, blankets, bibs and burp pads they made at home. June Donations 9 Lives Rescue 12 dog beds, 7 cat beds and 4 cat trap covers made and donated by Diane Wishart. Spay Bay 2 cat covers made and donated by Sherry Lynch. Serger Donation – Tutorial by Sue Elliott postponed to July's workday. Stockings Thank you to Tiny Stitchers, who have already made 37 stockings, and to the Thread Catchers group who is also in the process of making felt stockings. Kits are available today for you to take home. We will need the finished ones returned by the October general meeting. 300 will be donated to the Council on Aging and they need time to stuff. Our goal is 525 this year. If you want to donate items to stuff stockings, they are looking for small toiletries, flashlights, magnifying glass, socks, drawer sachet, mug rugs. Please turn them in with your stockings. A Thank you letter was received from the Bay County Council on Aging. It is posted on the white board. The next workday Wednesday will be July 23. We will be working on cutting and sewing tops and making kits. – Aly Tuttle

EDUCATION: Marie Granger has scheduled the following classes. July 12, 2025 Gaye Ryon will be teaching applique Cost \$10.00. September 13, 2025 Georganne Stephens will teach a pumpkin class Cost \$15.00. She will be supplying the pumpkin form and pins necessary to make the pumpkin. There will be a supply list. Marie Granger will teach a class on October 23, 2025. M.J. Kinman's Jewel Pattern. Cost \$35.00. Those who signed up need to verify the month they wish to make and pay for the class. Deadline is Friday July 18, 2025.

BLOCK PARTY: Members were reminded to make a block for the quilt show. The block size is 8.5", white background, featuring birds or butterflies. Pin your name on the back of the block, put it in a baggie and give it to Karen McQueen.

UFO CHALLENGE: Forms are available to fill out and give to Diane Wishart. Deadline is Wednesday July 16

SEWCIAL: Date for next sewcial is August 6.

RETREAT: Lisa Trawick is in charge, The Fall retreat at Laguna Beach Christian Retreat will be November 7-9. Dog Day of Quilt to be held in Blountstown Saturday August 23 from 8 to 4 at the Panhandle Pioneer Settlement in Blountstown.

PROGRAM: Dianne Daigle and the members present shared their favorite Patriotic Quilt, telling what inspired them to make the quilt, or information about the quilt if someone else made it.

Dianne Reported the August program will be the annual guild table sale. She asked members to get in touch with her if they want to have a table.

SHOW N TELL: Members shared quilts and other projects

The next Night Guild meeting will be August 14th.

The meeting was adjourned at 7pm by 2nd Vice President Jo Wilbur

Respectfully Submitted

Carolyn Finlayson Recording Secretary