



The Quilter's Express August 2021

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Next Meeting:

Tuesday, September 7, 2021 – First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall
Social time 6:00 pm – Meeting at 6:30 pm

Upcoming Programs and Events

- Kathleen indicated that she will give a quick tutorial at the September meeting on bowl cozies the way she makes them. For the October meeting, she has also arranged with the sewing machine technician, who occasionally goes to The Square Quilter, to service sewing machines to give tips on keeping your sewing machine in good working order between regularly scheduled maintenance appointments. Finally, in November, David Ciambrone, the author of several mysteries involving quilters, will speak to us regarding some of his books, bringing with him the quilts that inspired them. She is currently working on future programs. If you have any suggestions, please let her know.

Hostesses for Upcoming Meetings

- Hostesses for the September meeting are Marilyn and Carolyn Schroeder and Gladys Muehlstein.

Block-of-the-Month

- Mary Shafer will show examples of Block #12 in the Garden Sampler quilt series.
- Members will show their progress so far! Bring your blocks! Block #11, and any previous blocks you have not yet shown.

Janet's Junk

Hello everyone!! I am back from my trip and had a wonderful time even though it was very busy. On the way to Minnesota, we stopped in East Texas at Stitchin' Heaven!! They had a finished quilt hanging that surprised me, it was our block of the month quilt! I did get a picture of it!! I wish I had more time there but we arrived just before closing. Then we stopped at Missouri Star and that is a wonderful place and takes up the whole little town!!! Of course, I had to find fabric in both places and found some beautiful stuff. I also ran into Kat Smith in Missouri! Small world, I use to work with her at Martha's and it was great to catch up. I hope everyone is ready for some busy months getting prepared for the quilt show and all that the fall brings!! See you soon!

Janet



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Minutes of the August 3, 2021, Shiner Heritage Quilter's Meeting

On August 3, 2021, in the absence of President Janet Ferguson, Vice President Kathleen Schacherl called the meeting to order and welcomed the members of the Shiner Heritage Quilters. There were 28 members and four visitors in attendance.

The Guild members recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Hostesses for the evening were Kathleen Schacherl, Rae Nell Janak and Rhonda Orsak.

Kathleen then turned the meeting over to Jackie Asbill and her daughter, Kristi Brightwell, who presented a trunk show and a review of the history of quilting since the 1920s. She displayed more than two dozen quilts she created using the quilt-as-you-go method she had mastered over the years.

Kathleen reminded everyone that because a quorum was not in attendance at the June 1, 2021 meeting, it would be necessary to present both the June 1st and July 6th meeting Minutes for approval. Kathleen then presented the June 1st Minutes and asked if there were any corrections and there were none. A motion to approve the June Minutes was made by Annette Meyer and seconded by Dee Heberle. The motion passed unanimously. Kathleen then presented the July 6th Minutes and asked if there were any corrections and there were none. A motion to approve the July 6th minutes was made and seconded and passed unanimously.

Rae Nell Janik read the July 6, 2021 Treasurer's Report. There no changes made to the Treasurer's Report and it was filed for audit.

Toni Rogers asked for Sunshine and Shadows and August birthdays were celebrated.

Kathleen discussed upcoming programs, including the possibility of Jackie Asbill conducting a workshop on her method of quilt-as-you-go. There were several members who indicated they would be interested in attending her workshop and the matter was tabled so that Kathleen could determine the time, place and cost of the workshop. Kathleen also indicated that she had arranged a program for October regarding self-binding on baby quilt.

Old Business:

Mary Shafer showed examples of Block numbers 10 and 11 which she had created for the Block-of-the-Month quilt, Garden Sampler. Rhonda Orsak, Betty Kloesel and Mary Shafer showed their blocks for Block 10. Block number 11 will be emailed to those who are participating

Toni Rogers reported on the progress of the preparation for the 2022 annual Quilt show.

Mary Shafer thanked everyone who had worked with the Youth Quilt Lessons, making it a very successful event. She also indicated that there had been one or two very minor injuries and suggested that it would be a good idea for the Guild to purchase a first aid kit to have handy for such incidents in the future. Annette Meyer made a motion that a first aid kit be purchased, the motion was seconded by Dee Heberle, and passed unanimously. Kathleen read thank you cards from Einin and Kellah Kresta, two of the attendees from the Youth Quilt Lessons.



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Kathy Riske indicated that she brought 20-30 kits for CPS and Norma's House to the meeting that were available for members to take home and complete and urged everyone to do so.

Kathleen indicated that the matter regarding the Guild's annual donation to First United Methodist Church for the use of their facilities was still pending. After discussion, the matter was tabled until the September meeting.

New Business:

Kathleen indicated that there was a continued discussion regarding providing sticky nametags to members who had not worn their personal nametags to the meetings. After discussion, it was determined that the Guild would provide the sticky nametags at a cost of \$.25 to those members without a nametag so they would be eligible for door prizes. Irene Cerny made a motion that nametags be provided to members without nametags at a cost of \$.25 and Annette Meyer seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

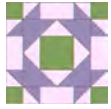
Show and Tell items were presented by Pat Myers, Irene Cerny, Kathleen Schacherl, Nola Bohuslav, Bernadette Kresta, showing the quilt her grandson made for his dad, and Theresa Belicek.

The meeting was adjourned by Kathleen Schacherl.

PICTURES FROM PROGRAM

Jackie Asbill and her daughter, Kristi Brightwell
Quilt-As-You-Go Examples





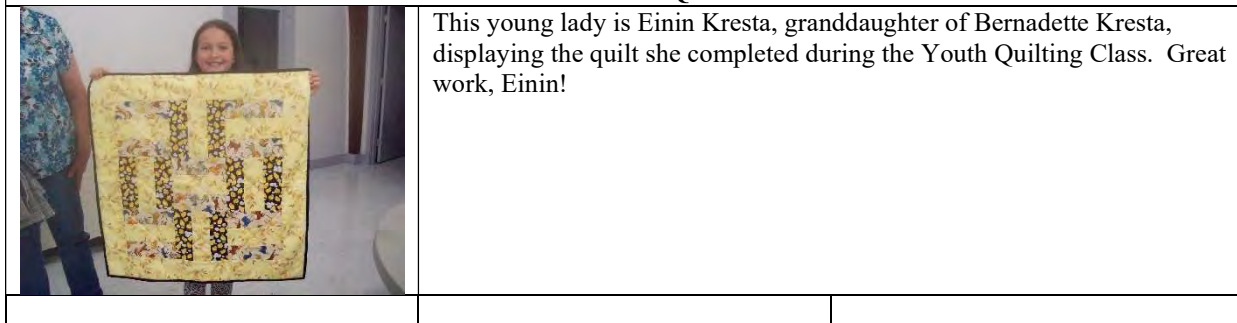
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Jackie and Kristi showed the members almost three dozen quilts Jackie had made using her quilt-as-you-go method. These are only a few. If you would like to see others pictures, please see Pinkie Leatherwood.

PICTURE FROM YOUTH QUILTING CLASS





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BLOCK OF THE MONTH

Garden Sampler Quilt



Block #10

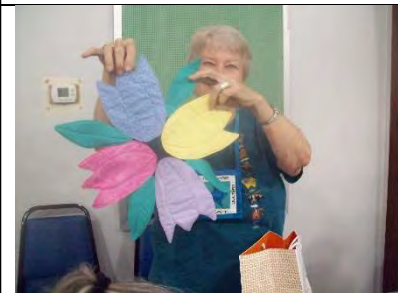


Block #11



Rhonda Orsak, Betty Kloesel, Mary Shafer

SHOW AND TELL



Pat Meyers



Irene Cerny's completed Block of the Month



Kathleen Schacherl



Nola Bohuslav



Bernadette showing the quilt her grandson made for his dad



Theresa Belicek



Pinkie Leatherwood shows her finished Harley Davidson T-Shirt Quilt