



# Cotton Patch Quilt Guild Newsletter



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## October, 2011

### President's Letter

*LaVonne McCaw*

It was exactly one year ago when I drafted my President's Letter indicating that we had agreed on having a quilt show for 2011. All I can say is .....WE DID IT! The show was absolutely awesome--a big "thank you" to all the volunteers. I do not know what the guild would have done without your hard work and expertise. Everyone pitched in, showering us with their talents in an effort to make this show the best ever!!!!

Hold on to your hats as we have one very busy meeting this month. Debra has a wonderful program planned to help us make those award winning quilts in the future. There will be an executive committee meeting at 5:30 p.m. in our regular meeting room.

Make sure you mark October 27<sup>th</sup> on your calendar so you will not miss out on all the fun. Have a Happy Halloween!

### September 22, 2011 Minutes

*Kelly Greiner*

LaVonne McCaw called the meeting to order.

LaVonne thanked tonight's food committee and food captain, Jane Asberry, for the meal. Next month's captain is Lynn Cogswell.

This month's Box Tops for Education go to Boles Home School.

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS

TAQG-Jane Asberry announced this month's meeting is on retreats. If you are interested in attending, please contact Jane.

#### OLD BUSINESS

Quilt Show- Kathy Dickens reported that the final meeting of quilt show committee members is this Tuesday night at Kavanaugh. She also reported that there are many opportunities for members to volunteer to help with the show, and she encouraged all members to please volunteer so the show can be successful. Please contact Kathy if you are available any part of the 2 day show. There is a spot for every member to help.

Debra Hager reported that the Rally Round Greenville was a marginally successful venture. What she added is that she had bookmarks that she also distributed with information about the upcoming quilt show.

Connie Cawthon reported that Saturday is the Bois D Arc Bash in Commerce. She, too, is looking for volunteers to help man the booth. The guild now owns a canopy and it will be at booth #108.

Debbie George is looking for members who want to buy mums that will be used as decorations for the quilt show. Once the show is over, the mums can be taken home. Please contact Debbie to reserve your mums.

#### NEW BUSINESS

Trudy, Janice and Kathy Dickens volunteered for the nominating committee, Trudy as the emergent leader. LaVonne passed out individual forms for all members to fill out that would indicate their preferences for serving on the board for the upcoming term. Trudy collected the forms.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Virginia Johnson has bought several excellent books for the library. She asked that the membership pass the hat to cover the costs. The membership agreed and money was collected.

Birthday drawings and door prizes were distributed.

Debra Hager introduced the program, and had all members who had decorated their Quilt Show aprons line up for a fashion show. She filmed the procession. Next was the presentation of the Ugly Fat Quarter mini quilt challenge. The mini quilts will be in a silent auction at the quilt show.

Show and Tell followed.

Meeting adjourned.



#### DEADLINE

**Information for the next Newsletter  
will be due  
November 6**



# *Ribbon Winners*

## *Harvest of Quilts, 2011*

### OVERALL WINNERS

- Linda Neal Best of Show: "Pink"
- Jackie Brown Best Hand Applique
- Betty Day Best Machine Quilted
- Sarah Francis Iva Dunaway Memorial Award
- Sarah Francis Best Hand Quilted
- Debra Hager Judge's Choice
- Peggy James Viewers' Choice
- Donna Moon Best Use of Color
- Donna Moon Best Machine Applique
- Mandy Weaver Judge's Choice

### CATEGORY WINNERS

- Jan Ainsworth 1<sup>st</sup> Place
- Betty Allen 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Jane Asberry Honorable Mention
- Joan Biggs 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Sara Bobbitt Honorable Mention
- Donna Brown 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Sue Childers Honorable Mention
- Jackie Clark Honorable Mention
- Cotton Patch Quilt Guild Honorable Mention
- Jo Ann Cross 1 1<sup>st</sup> Place, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Honorable Mention
- Betty Day 1<sup>st</sup> Place
- Sarah Francis 1<sup>st</sup> Place, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

- Anita Gaudreau 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Honorable Mention
- Debbie George 1<sup>st</sup> Place, Honorable Mention
- Taylor Hager 1<sup>st</sup> Place
- Pamela Hansen 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Margie Hendrix 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Peggy James 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Virginia Johnson 1<sup>st</sup> Place; 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Katharine McCaw 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Jane Martyn 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Becky Medlock 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Donna Moon 1<sup>st</sup> Place, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Honorable Mention
- Wilma Moss 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Honorable Mention
- Linda Neal 1<sup>st</sup> Place, 1<sup>st</sup> Place, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Maejean Nixon 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Rebeka Rial 1<sup>st</sup> Place
- Belva Roberts 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Gwen Schroth 1<sup>st</sup> Place, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Mary Lou Strohm 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Madeline Sullivan 1<sup>st</sup> Place, Honorable Mention
- Megan Tucker 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Tori Tucker 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- Bobbie Vaughan 1<sup>st</sup> Place
- Wanda Wilson 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

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## BOOTH 29

*Lynn Cogswell*

I was at the Hunt County Trade Center ( located on FM 751 South of SH 276 in Quinlan) at BOOTH 29 and the fabric vendor there told me they are closing up shop at the Hunt County Trade Center at the end of October. I thought the prices were really reasonable. They have a large variety of fabrics to choose from.

NOTE: They are only open on weekends.

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## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

*Jane Asberry*

There are kits available for you to do all or any part of a quilt.

Don't forget to sign up your community service hours. Our year count will be through October. I have a list of hours if you need to know where you are.

## *Sunshine & Shadows*

*Madeline Sullivan*

All of the Guild members are so sorry for Sherry and John Worley. Sherry's father passed away on Sunday, October 9, 2011. He was some better and was drinking on his own. Sherry had come home for her Friday class. She was on her way back to Claremore when she got the message that her Father had died. Our prayers and thoughts are with Sherry, John and the family.

Maejean Nixon's husband, Aron, passed away last Wednesday, October 12, 2011. He had gone for his cancer treatment at the time. All the Guild members that knew Aron loved him. He will be sorely missed. Our love, thoughts and prayers are extended to Maejean and the whole family.

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# THANK YOU!

--from Janice Evans

I want to send out EXTREME THANK YOUs to everyone who signed up to set up and tear down, and especially to the husbands and everyone else who just hung around and pitched in. I was very impressed that we had building one and two torn down within in roughly 3 hours! AMAZING. Ladies give your husbands a HUG!

A very special THANK YOU to Sarah Bobbitt and her helpers, they completely took care of building 3 in its entirety. Each time (in the beginning and at the end) I went down there she had it done!

What an AWESOME group we have! I could not have done this without any of you, especially since I didn't know what I was doing! THANKS AGAIN so much.

--from Kathy Dickens

I want to say a big THANK YOU to all who helped in any way to make the show a success. I heard only positive comments about the show and what a wonderful show we had. The lady who sat beside me at the bed turning came from Bossier City just to see our show!

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You may view photos and newsletters at the guild's website: [www.cottonpatchquilt.com](http://www.cottonpatchquilt.com)  
Login: Texas Password: Star  
Note capital letters – case sensitive.

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## ***THE LAST QUILT SHOW COMMITTEE MEETING***

*Kathy Dickens*

There will be One. Last. Quilt. Show. Committee. Meeting. Please work on your report and include all monies spent and lessons learned.

See Kathy for date and time.

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## 2011 Raffle Quilt

Several of you have asked for more raffle tickets. Thank you for working so hard for the guild! I will have tickets for you at guild.

"Cotton Patch Legacy in Bloom" received another Honorable Mention ribbon and excellent scores.

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## Cotton Blossoms

*Carol Dodd*

The Blossoms met on October 3<sup>rd</sup> and brought their Ronald McDonald quilts. They prepared the drapes for hanging the quilts for their special exhibit in the Quilt Show. We will deliver the quilts to the Ronald McDonald House on November 7 in lieu of our regular first Monday meeting.

The members decided that for the time being, we will meet only once a month, on the first Monday.

Congratulations to Blossoms who won ribbons in the quilt show: Jo Ann Cross, Pamela Hansen, Margie Hendrix, and Madeline Sullivan.

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## CRANKY TREADLERS

*Sue Childers*

The Cranky Treadlers did not meet during the month of October. Their next meeting will be at 6:30 P.M. Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> at Susan's home.

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## UPCOMING QUILT SHOW

**October 22-23, 2011** Granbury Quilters Guild is presenting their Quilt Show, "History in the Making" at the Granbury Conference Center at 621 E Pearl St. just off the Historic Granbury Square. Hours: Saturday 10-6 and Sunday 12-4. Free parking, admission \$5. Also enjoy the Granbury Harvest Moon Festival Weekend. Info@[www.granburyquiltersguild.com](http://www.granburyquiltersguild.com)