



AUGUST 2024

JOIN US ON THE SECOND TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH
 WE MEET AT 6:30 P.M. AT
 ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAS CHURCH
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From Your President

Howdy,

Well, the heat has finally arrived in San Antonio. We knew it would.....it always does. That means it is time to stay inside and get some sewing done! I'm blessed to attend a quilt retreat this weekend and hope to finish several projects that have been in the "works" for years. This is the time of year I start to focus. The Houston Quilt Show is right around the corner, and to justify my new purchases, I have to use some of what I already have. I'm sure that makes sense to many of you. Hehehe

I missed you guys last month. I'm looking forward to our August potluck and catching up on what you've done this summer. Please don't forget to bring your "unsharp" scissors, knives, and/or yard tools for sharpening. The "scissor" guy will be available in the parking lot. You can drop off your items as you enter the facility, but don't forget to pick them up before you leave. Otherwise, you'll have to travel to Boerne to retrieve them. (Editor comment: wonderful quilt shop in Boerne)

Janet has done an excellent job lining up our programs and workshops for the remainder of the year. Don't forget to check out the Program calendar on page 3 of the newsletter. Our September workshop featuring Cyndi McChesney already has 18 participants, and there have been additional inquiries. I can't remember a workshop with so much interest.

Again, I look forward to seeing each of you around our summer buffet table and ending the evening enjoying your Gold Medal Show and Tells

Until then, Happy Quilting,
 Vicki

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PROGRAMS

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Hello Quilters!

Program – August 13th -Annual Salad Potluck. Fun and fellowship!! Bring your favorite summer salad to share with everyone and enjoy time with your guild friends. In addition, Tony Hansen with Circle H Knife Sharpening will once again bring his mobile sharpening unit to our location for sharpening our scissors. He will set up his mobile trailer in the parking lot of the church for easy access. Please pay Tony by cash or check. Start gathering your scissors for sharpening sew you don't forget on the day of the guild meeting!

Program – September 10th Cyndi McChesney (www.cedarridgequilting.com) NQA CT of the Year. Cyndi has been quilting for over 40 years and has enjoyed a wide-ranging and fulfilling career in the quilting industry including as an author, quilt shop owner, custom quilt maker, and instructor throughout the US and Canada at national shows, guilds and quilt shops.

Cyndi achieved the distinguished title of National Quilt Association Certified Teacher of the Year, has won awards in the Hoffman Challenge, the Colorado State Fair, Mancuso Visuals #1 2020, for best Long-arm Workmanship and the Vermont Quilt Festival 2021 for Exceptional Merit. Her quilts have been exhibited at the Houston International Quilt Festival and AQS Paducah among other local and national shows.

Cyndi's first book, Fun with Panels, C&T Publishing was released in Fall 2022.

Cyndi's passion for quilt making is evident in comments from her students and her never-ending quest to find new techniques and skills to share so that quilting is a fun, enjoyable life-long endeavor.

WORKSHOP – September 11th Panel Palooza Workshop, Cost \$35.00 Time 9 am – 3 pm at St. Thomas Episcopal Church (our usual meeting Place). Lunch on your own. Bring your own panel you would like to work with- any style is great! Pre-washing is recommended. A complete supply list will be provided upon registration for the class. Registration will end at the August guild meeting. One of Cyndi's books can be purchased at the guild meeting. Program – October 8th Pictorial Quilt with Cynthia England (www.Englanddesigns.com)

Cynthia is an international fiber artis, pattern designer and author. She is known for the technique she developed called "Picture Piecing". One of her quilts, "Piece and Quiet" was distinguished as one of the Hundred Best quilts of the 20th century. She has received many awards for her work, including three Best of Show awards at the prestigious International Quilt Festival.

WORKSHOP – October 9th Pictorial Quilts. 9 am – 3 pm, \$35.00 for the class at St. Thomas Episcopal Church. Bring Your Lunch. Students will have a choice of projects, A Roadrunner and Cactus (kit cost \$43.00)OR the Bluebonnet with a Butterfly (kit cost \$44.00). Registration starts at the August guild meeting.If you have any questions, please feel free to ask me (210-887-8598).

Happy Quilting My Friends,
Janet Daniel,
Program Chair

PROGRAMS

AUGUST 2024 (Continued)

A few pictures from Cyndi McChesney - September Program/Workshop



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AUGUST 2024 (Continued)

Pictures from Cynthia England, October Program/Workshop



Alamo Heritage Quilt Guild Calendar 2024

ALL TUESDAY EVENING PROGRAMS AND
WORKSHOPS HELD AT
ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAS CHURCH

January 9	Program: Carrie Wikander - Trunk Show and Lecture about ombre fabrics, color design and how to take a piece from concept to design
	Website: thezenquilter.com
	NO WORKSHOP
February 13	Program: Fran Morgan - Fabric Café 3 yard quilts—Putting the Fun Back in Quilting!
	Website: www.theFabriccafe.com
	NO WORKSHOP
March 12	Program: Janet Plentl - Javibe Barn Quilts: Journey into Barn Quilts and Hill Country Quilt Trail
	Website: JaVibeBarnQuilts.com
March 13	Workshop: Barn quilt painting Cost: \$95.00
April 9	Program: Charity projects such as Help with stuffing breast cancer pillows. JoAnne Krepps brings all the supplies needed.
	NO WORKSHOP
May 14	Program: Gina Tell -Quilt Journey -On being a Long armer, Pattern designer (Teddy Tell), new Binding rulers
	Website: Thread-graffiti.com
	NO WORKSHOP
June 11	Program: Quilted Spaces
July 9	Program: Scarlett Today - Rosie Deleon-McCrary-Everything Redwork! Trunk Show of new and vintage redwork quilts.
	Website: redworkplus.com
	NO WORKSHOP
August 13	Program: Salad Potluck Dinner Bring your favorite dish to share with all!
	NO WORKSHOP
September 10	Program: Cyndi McChesney - Author of <u>Panel Palooza</u> , quilt shop owner, custom quilt maker, and quilt instructor
	Website: www.cedarridgequilting.com
September 11	Workshop: Panel Palooza Bring a panel you would like to work with-any style is great. Pre-washing is recommended. Cost \$35.00
October 8	Program: Cynthia England - England Designs - International fiber artist, pattern designer and author.
	Website: www.englanddesign.com
	Workshop: Picture Piecing Cost \$35.00
November 12	Program: Janelle Macbeth - Author of <u>Scrapstashtic Quilts</u> , organizing your scrap stash Website: www.janelleamacbeth.com
	Workshop: Scrapstashtic Series Cost \$35.00
December 10	Program: Christmas Party Potluck - Take the time for holiday fellowship with your quilty friends.

CHARITY

Quilters,

We had a great bee in July. The ladies sewed labels on, and we put 82 labels on quilts. Great job.

I gave 75 of the quilts to the hospital, and 4 large quilts to S.L.E.W. for the cancer patients. I am holding the Krier house quilts until we get more.

The S.L.E.W. group was so excited to get these quilts. So there is no partiality they are holding a raffle around Christmas for the ladies. So great. These quilts are too big for hospital or Krier house. They come to me usually in donated blocks and the women put them together. When I say I will take any size I am serious.

The hospital asked if we could do pillowcases again and I said yes. I will have them in September's meeting. Bridget said the mothers and the nurses who put them on the beds were so excited and asked for more. They are a keepsake that they can take home.

Hope to see some of you at August retreat.

Take Care

Thanks for all the help,
Joanne Krepps
Charity Chair

MEMBERSHIP

There were 36 members present at the June 2024 meeting, with no guests and no new members. As of July 9, 2024, 89 (79%) out of 113 members have paid their dues for 2024. Please pay all unpaid 2024 dues as soon as possible.

PRAYER LIST

The AHQG Board feels we can all benefit from prayer. If you would like to raise someone in prayer-for whatever reason-please contact one of the board members. No specific reason required.

Linda Clark—Recovering from surgery

Kathy Hayson—Eye health issue

Jan Cutrer—Health Issues

Ann Wickholm—Recovering from health issue

Mona Jones—Recovering from surgery

Phyllis Shaw—Continued recovery from health issues

Ellen Cook's Son—Health issues

Kathleen Dunn-Cane's Husband—Health Issues

Health and unity of our country

Members who are suffering in silence and may need encouragement with whatever is going on in their lives.

Members of law enforcement, other First Responders and all their families

Military members as they work to keep our country free. Please pray for their families left at home.



BULLETIN BOARD

AHQG ANNUAL SPRING RETREAT

Don't forget the sign up for the guild's retreat is coming up after the first of the year. Your payment is expected with sign up. More info to come. Any question please call Joyce Boyd.



Don't forget the Scissor Man will be at the August meeting. Bring your scissors, knives, any cutting device that can be taken apart, and have it sharpened while we enjoy the meeting.

PSA

Watch for school buses loading/unloading. Remember the school zones are active. Watch your speed and no talking of hand held phones. You can buy a lot of fabric with the fines you save.

Quilters' Blogs and Other Resources

www.accuquilt.com

<https://www.quiltinghub.com/>

<https://jacquelynnesteves.com/>

www.thesplendidsampler.com

For Local Quilt Shows Check out — www.quiltersresources.net

[Tips, Tricks, and Tuts Tuesday - Round Robin Quilts by Margie](#)

The Queen's Rustic Retreat can be found at <http://www.queensrusticretreat.com/>

And to xblocks: <http://www.xblocks.com/>

<http://www.oneblockwonder.com>

“Fabric Mutt” at <http://fabricmutt.blogspot.com/>

Betsy Chutchian's Blog : <http://betsysbestquiltsandmore.blogspot.com/>

[Jordan Fabrics](#) (Shared by Kathy Hayson)

Matt & Donna Jordan's Precision Hand-cut Quilt Kits + HUGE fabric inventory! Log Cabins, Jelly Rolls, and more! Free patterns and video tutorials.

www.jordanfabrics.com

This is a short list of **YouTube Videos** where you can get inspiration, instructions and lots of free patterns. Just open the YouTube app and type in the names below and you will find hours and hours of fun!! Until we meet again....

Just Get it Done Quilts

Pat Sloan

Power Tools with Thread – fairly local

Sewspire – she makes bags, purses and organizers

Fat Quarter Shop

Laundry Basket Quilts

Quilt Addicts Anonymous

Vicki Lee Bags/ by Lynne- another bag maker

THE QUILT SHOW

Most of these videos also have Facebook, Instagram and Web pages to browse.

Treads of Love website is www.threadsoflovesa.org or you can call them at 210-279-1717.

<https://www.ifoundaquiltedheart.com/>

[Quiltville.blogspot.com](http://www.quiltville.blogspot.com)

I've been working on the above list and will continue to do so to make sure the websites are current, Thanks.

Ruth

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Note from the Nomination Committee

First of all, thank you to all those members who have stepped up and agreed to take over in the vacant Board positions we have in OUR GUILD. You know who you are and I thank you.

Secondly, if anyone knows of any other Board positions that will be vacant, please let me know. Soon so we can work on it. Remember this is OUR GUILD and it's only as GREAT as we make it!!

Josie Anderson
Parliamentarian
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ATTENTION:
If you have anything of interest to share with the guild members please be sure to let the newsletter editor know. There's always room for sharing in the newsletter.

Meeting:
August 13th

Remember to bring your...

Name Tag	Show and Tell Items
Library Books	Charity Items
Trading Post Items	

Quilt Angels



Quilt Angels are AHQG members who greet visitors at our monthly meetings and answer questions about the guild. They also mentor new guild members.

Please take visitors and new members "under your wing" by volunteering to be a Quilt Angel. See Ann Barnett at the meeting.

Please don't forget that Newsletter articles are due the 3rd of every month!

Thank You!

Ruth Ann Willey
Newsletter Editor



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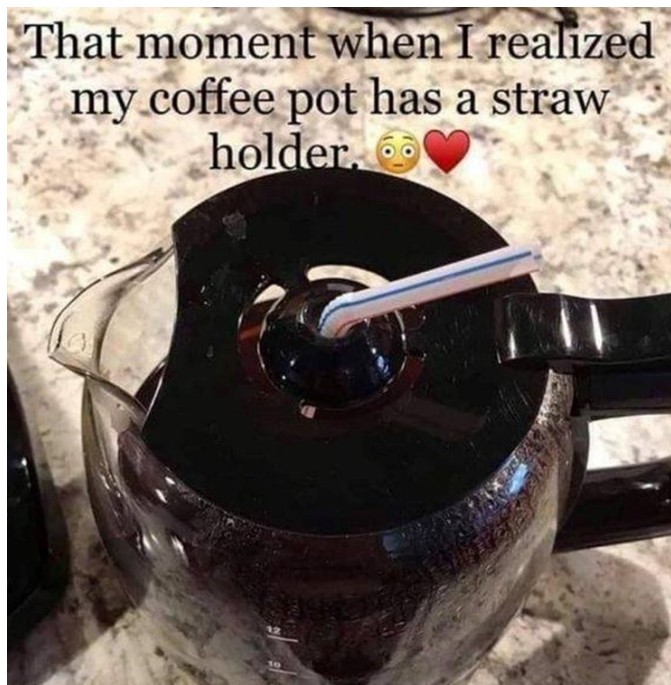
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FUNNIES





Ironwoman competition



A word of thanks to those of you who post

Thanks