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Guild at a Glance

Guild meets at 6:00
Farm Girl Vintage meets at
5:00

Remember to bring your
'Show and Tell' projects to
share with us.

MEMBERSHIP DUES

Annual dues are \$15.
Members under the age of
18 are light box welcome to
join free. ☺

Patchers Ponderings

Hello Ladies! Hope your Summer is going Great!

We are off to a good start with the sale of tickets for our Opportunity Quilt. A huge thank-you goes out to the ladies that went over to Chouteau, Back Porch Antiques to sell tickets June 4-5, which includes, Debbie Thompson, D.J. Proctor, Sam Casey, Shirley Cowan, Linda Kirk, Becky Sloan, Shelley Joslin, and Velma Day and me. Again, I can't thank you enough for taking time away from family and week-end activities to help out the Guild. We have a total of \$310 in sales so far.

Remember, bring your scissors to be sharpened.

Becky Sloan will be showing us how to make Guild Badges and Tote Bags for our June Program.

Looking forward to seeing you at June Guild.

Scissors Sharpener

We will have a honed scissors sharpener at our June meeting. He will be at the Extension Center at 5:00. He will sharpen scissors, knives, and small yard cutting items. He charges \$10 per item and can do 36 items during the meeting.

PRYOR PATCHERS MINUTES MAY 25, 2021



<i>June</i>	
15	Shelley Joslin
15	Linda Kirk
19	Skippy Jensen
19	Kim Neall
20	Doris Wagnon
28	Steve Anna True
30	Edith Schiller
<i>July</i>	
4	Carolyn Shoemaker
11	Lynn Arend
14	Wanda Willis
17	Jo Ann Douglas
19	Velma Day
21	DJ Proctor
22	Dwan Nussbaum

THIS MONTH'S MEETING

Becky Sloan will demonstrate how to make Guild badges and totes.

President, Ann Underwood brought the meeting to order by welcoming our visitors, Shannon Baker, Jessica Page, Shirley Wygandt, and Vivian Bosler. We also had a new member join, Shannon Baker. Ann also presented the list of Sunshine and Shadows. The board has requested that we try to keep our meetings as short as possible and ask all members to help accomplish this each meeting.

Our program tonight was a Round Robin presented by Ann Underwood and Velma Day. Ann showed members how to make a presentation board and Velma showed us all how to make a see through project bag. They were very interesting and I am sure we will all get one of each made.

Velma presented everyone who had a birthday this month with a special birthday gift from the guild. Shelly Joslin and Lisa Wilhite presented the Fat Quarter Exchange. Velma and Ann drew the following names for door prizes: Jessica Page, Judy Foster, and Doris Wagnon. The secret word was won by Shirley Cowan.

Doris Wagnon reported to the guild she has 27 donation quilts and had 12 more turned in at tonight's guild meeting.

Shirley Cowan presented the next step in the Star BOM project. She also informed the members that all the Star BOM instructions are posted on the Guild Web site. Also Ann went over the next step in the Mystery Quilt and told the members those steps are also listed on the Web Site.

Kristy Howell reminded members they needed to pay their membership dues to stay on the member Facebook Page. If you have paid, you need to request to be a member and Kristy will okay your request. Then you can post and read items on the guild Facebook Page (remember this is not our Web Site.)

Cathy Casida reported that we did not have very many people sign up for the scissor sharpening man. Claremore guild is going to see if some of their members might be interested in bringing him some scissors to sharpen. Cathy will let members know what she can arrange for a date for him to come.

We will be having a Quilt Camp, Thursday, May 27th thru Saturday, May 29th at the 1st Church of God. Camp will open at 8 o'clock and you will be on your own for meals.

Sassy Stitchers will not meet Memorial Day, May 31st.

The guild members will be selling tickets for our Opportunity Quilt at the Back Porch in Chouteau this Friday and Saturday during the Picking on 69 event. Please sign up as a volunteer to help out during those days.

At the end of our meeting we had our Regular Show-N-Tell and our 2020 May UFO Projects Show-N-Tell. Shirley Cowan was the winner of the UFO Show-N-Tell prize.

Fat Quarter Drawing

Members may bring 1 or 2 fat quarters to be placed in a basket. They then write their names on a list along with the number of FQs they brought. Shelley Joslin will draw a number and the person whose name is by that number on the list will choose the FQs she wants, limited to no more than two. Themes for the year are:

June – Blue or stripes

July – Orange light box or geometric shapes

August – Yellow or tone on tone

September – Gray or fall prints

October – White or checks

November – Brown or holiday prints

Stitch Groups

Pryor Patchers Quilt Guild currently offers a stitch group and a Dear Jane group that meet on a regular basis. You are invited to participate in any or all of the groups. This is a great way to get better acquainted with others who share your quilting interest.

“Sassy Stitchers” Meets every Monday in the Event Center from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm (with a lunch break included). We will work on our own projects most of the time; however, there might be an occasion to do group projects. Everyone is welcome.

“Dear Jane Group” meets at Mid American Grill at 6:00 on the first Tuesday of every month. Everyone buys her own meal. Dear Jane blocks are 4 1/2" blocks that vary from easy to advanced skill levels. You may use your favorite fabrics. There is a Dear Jane quilt book that shows the many types of blocks that can be made using piecing, applique, or a mixture of the techniques. More information about the Dear Jane program is available at www.dearjane.com.



Quilts of Valor

www.qovf.com

The contact person for the Northeast Oklahoma Quilts of Valor chapter is **Norlene Grigsby, 918-455-7307, nwgrigsby@yahoo.com.**

They hold a work session on the 2nd Saturday of each month at the Broken Arrow Library, 300 West Broadway, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. with a lunch break around 12:30.

There are many ways to help such as making a quilt top or individual QOV quilt blocks. Attend meetings to iron, cut fabric or help sandwich quilts, volunteer to bind, make labels or presentation bags (pillow cases), or become a longarm quilter.

The QOV organization also needs monetary donations to help with shipping expenses and for the purchase of fabric and batting to complete the projects.

For more information:

www.qovf.org

www.persimmonquilts.com

Facebook: NE Oklahoma Quilts of Valor

Quilt Show Opportunity Quilt

The 2021 Comforts of Home Quilt Show will be here before we know it. The Board has decided that the theme of the Opportunity Quilt will be “Home.” The blocks will be various homes—house, apartment building, tent, RV, etc. Also, animal homes are included—bird house or nest, dog house, bee hive, etc.

The quilt is finished and available to take to various venues for display. Tickets are also available for checkout to sell. Please help the Guild with this project by selling tickets and, if the opportunity arises, taking it for display.



MYSTERY WORD

Look for the mystery word in the newsletter each month. It will be quilting/sewing related or the name of a quilt block. Call, text, or email Linda Shafer with the word for a chance at a prize. My contact info is in the sidebar on the first page.

Upcoming Quilt Shows

Road to Oklahoma Shop Hop – June 1 to July 31. 28 participating shops. Prizes include a Pfaff Passport sewing machine, gift baskets, and gift certificates.

Quilt, Craft, and Sewing Festival— June 17-19. Oklahoma City. 3312 Wichita Walk, Pavilion Building. Admission \$10 for all three days. Hours: 10-5 Thursday and Friday, 10-4, Saturday. Make and takes, demos, vendors

Kansas City Regional Quilt Show—June 17-19, Overland Park, KS. Overland Park Convention Center, 6000 College Boulevard. Hours: 9-6 Thursday and Friday, 9-4, Saturday. Admission: \$17.00 at the door, \$15.00 in advance online. Classes start on June 16. Opportunity quilts, vendors.

Quilts of Past and Present Quilt Show – July 30-31, Vian. Blackgum Harvestime Church, 41558 E0980 Road. Admission \$5.00. Hours: Friday 9-5, Saturday 9-4.

Comforts of Home Quilt Show—September 17-18. Pryor. Presented by Pryor Patchers Quilt Guild. Mayes County Event Center, 2200 NE 1st. Admission \$5.00. Vendors, Country Store, Boutique, Opportunity quilt.

Autumn Leaves Quilt Show – October 15-16, Claremore. Presented by Country Fare Quilters Guild. Claremore Community Center, 2301 N Sioux Avenue. Admission \$5.00. Hours: 9-5 Friday, 9-4 Saturday.

QUILT CAMPS

Pryor Patchers' Quilt Camps will be held at the First Church of God this year. **The Fat Quarter Game colors will be announced before the camp.**

Future camps:
July 29, 30, 31 and October 28, 29, 30.

Hours are 8:00 to 6:00 and cost is \$15.00. The doors will be locked at 6:00 but you are welcome to stay later.