

**Wimberley Valley Quilt Guild  
Business Meeting  
May 3, 2023**

**President Joey Manning** called the meeting to order at 10:30 am.

The **May Birthday gals** are: **Susan Armer, Diane Breedlove, Janice Bryant, Bridget Cooper, Kim Fess, and Marcella Fodor**

**ATTENDANCE REPORT:**

There were **46** people in attendance.

Members present: **44**

Visitors: **Laura North and Laverne.** We hope you come back!

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:**

**Karen Herrmann** said the April Business Meeting Minutes were previously shared via email and on our website.

On April 12, 2023, the Officers and a few members met during Kid's Quilts to discuss the Budget and fees from 2022- 2023, and proposed income and expenses for 2023-2024 year.

- WVQG yearly memberships will remain at \$30/year, no matter how many or how few meetings you attend. **Membership year is June – May.**
- Motion was made today to accept the Budget Proposal, including setting aside \$750 for the new Special Projects category. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Diane

**TREASURER'S REPORT:**

**Donna Hector** gave her report for end of April 2023.

Kid's Quilt's Account - \$ 3,877.50

General Account Balance – \$ 2,314.07

Total Account Balance - **\$ 6,181.57**

**VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT:**

**WANTED: 2 Vice Presidents to help with Programs and Workshops. Pam will be President soon, so we need people to work together to take her spot. She has planned monthly activities up will May 2024. Let Joey know if you can fill these positions.**

**Upcoming programs and workshops:**

**June 7** - Potluck luncheon at **11:00 am**, and officer installation. As we get closer, Joey will send an email to sign up for a variety of food to bring.

- Bring your completed BOM quilt top to be eligible for a gift certificate. These are the Ohio Star blocks **Diane Cox** and **Suzi Howell** designed for

us EACH MONTH. It does not need to be quilted, but you need to have pieced the whole quilt top, using all 12 blocks.

**July 5** - Christmas in July - ideas for making for the Christmas Market in November will be presented and discussed

- Bring your completed quilt top from the Mystery Quilt 'Secret File' instructions

**August 2** - Annette Kennedy will talk about *Bold, colorful, landscape quilts*. "Fiber is my medium as an artist. Creating with fabric, paint and thread is very tactile and exciting for me. I call it ART Quilting."

<http://annettekennedy.com/>

**September 6** – "Color for Quilters." Do you struggle with color? How do you decide what fabric to use? Any member who is great with color is welcome to help Pam present this program. "I mainly rely on kits, so hope to teach myself how to put together fabric choices for 'wow' quilts."

**October 4** – Rosie DeLeon - Redwork

#### **KID'S QUILTS:**

**Mary Tomlinson** reported there were **10 quilts**, and **13 tote bags** were delivered to HCWC in April.

She reminded that anyone who is interested in helping with Kid's Quilts kits are welcome to come on the **2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday** of the month from **10:00 am to 3:00 pm**. You can take a Kid's Quilt kit home to sew, quilt or bind. The guild supplies the material, batting and backing.

**Mary** asks for **flannel kids' fabrics** so they can make burp cloths for the Christmas Market

**Mary** also reminded us to **keep track of our hours** working on projects for the Hays Caldwell Women's Center. She also reminded us to **save paper, plastic or fabric grocery bags** (and any other bags) as they are needed for the Center's "store." Please save your **Hobbs Batting bar codes** for Mary.

The Hays-Caldwell Women's Center held an annual auction last weekend. One of the WVQG quilts that were in the Silent Auction sold for \$195 for them. There is also a WVQG auction "in house" where the bids for the **TOWN HOUSE quilt** shown last month is at \$600. Let Mary know ASAP if you'd like to bid on it.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

##### **ELECTION of OFFICERS for 2023-2024:**

Thank you to the Nominating Committee (**Pam McGhee, Judy Bradbury, and Dolly Welch**) for helping fill these positions.

**These are the suggested officers:**

President – Pam McGhee

Vice President –  
Vice President Elect – VP in training  
Secretary – Judy Bradbury  
Treasurer – Pat Christie  
Roster – Monica Rasco

**Committee Heads:**

Website, Facebook, Newsletter – Karen Herrmann  
Kid's Quilts – Mary Tomlinson  
Sunshine, Knotty Stitchers, Historian – Bert Nickelson  
Door Prizes – Carla Woodworth  
Greeter – Dolly Welch  
Christmas Tea – Susan Armer  
Christmas Market – Stefanie Voss  
Bookmarks – Donna Hector  
BOM (every other Month) – Sally de la Haye  
Publicity Coordinator -

**REGULAR MEETINGS:**

- **Monthly Business** meeting – first Wednesday of the month. Next month is on Wed, **June 7, 2023**. Gather at 10 am, starts at 10:30 am
- **Knotty Stitchers** is now at the Wimberley Valley Library in the Community Room. It is on the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month. Next date is Mon, **May 8, 2023** from 10:30 - 12:30. Please bring hand sewing, crochet, or needlework. If you have questions, please contact Bert Nickelson.
- **Kid's Quilts** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month from 10 am – 3 pm. Next date is Wed, **May 10, 2023**. Bring your machine and other supplies you may need. Mary will have kits to sew. BYO lunch.
- **PHD** – “Projects Half Done” is the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month. Next date is **Wed, May 24, 2023**. Bring your machine and something to work on you'd like to continue to sew or finish. BYO lunch.

**SUNSHINE REPORT:**

**Bert Nickelson** – sent 3 Sunshine cards to some of our members this past month.

**DOOR PRIZES**

**Carla Woodworth** accepts any donations to add to these mystery bags! Today's winners are: **Laverne, Patricia Meffley, and Bert Nickelson** – each won a package of batting from last month's speaker, ruler non-slip stickers, a Charm pack, and one more item.

**Mystery Quilt Clue # 5** given out today. It will be sent along with the minutes. Quilt top due in July!

## **SHOW AND TELL: (Check Facebook for pics)**

**Susan Armer** – Showed a Strip quilt of many colors, and a 2<sup>nd</sup> quilt, all with 2 & ½” pieces. Pattern is from Missouri Star Quilt Shop.

**Kim Fess** – Showed her first attempt at continuous spiral quilting, wildflower fabric in the quilt.

**Shirley Roberts** – Showed several Yoko Sato Japanese fabrics used in wall hangings and in small blocks. It is all hand stitched.

**Stefanie Voss** – showed a Kid’s Quilt using “Color me play mat” fabric. A child could use washable markers to color in the black and white scenes. Wash it, and then color all over again!

**Olga Harwell** – showed 2 beautiful wall hangings with our Lady of Guadalupe in the center, made with clothing of a Mother who passed away.

**Brown Bag fabric Reveal was today!** There were 13 entries, with lots of creativity and spirit in them! Pictures are on Facebook so far, but the 4 winners for the award certificates and gift cards prizes were:

- **Honorable Mention – Emily Venski** – the “Tattoo Women” fabric posed a challenge, but she made it fun! She fussy cut the faces and placed them in certain locations on her quilt. It turned out to be the most fun quilt she ever made!
- **3<sup>rd</sup> place – Sally de la Haye** – “Feathered Star,” her favorite quilt pattern. She was proud of her quilting the “pebbles” pattern on her quilt.
- **2<sup>nd</sup> place – Suzi Howell** – “Evil Cat,” 3 D effect of her daughter’s mean, evil cat! She used an exacto knife to make the cat scratches!
- **1<sup>st</sup> place – Janice Fisher**, “Paris, here we come.” A quilt with images of her sisters

**This was a really fun project, Pam. Great idea! Thanks to all 13 people who participated!**

## **SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS -**

**Wimberley Valley Quilt Guild WEBSITE** for Minutes, Newsletters, and updates to monthly scheduled guild programs:

<http://wimberleyquilters.weebly.com/>

**Wimberley Valley Quilt Guild FACEBOOK** page for updates, pictures, and more:

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Meeting Adjourned at 12:25 pm

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