



# March 2018

## President's Notes

**Remember Monday, March 5, 2018 we will meet at the First Presbyterian Church fellowship meeting room.**

Thank you all for your attendance on Monday night. I appreciate the efforts each of you gives to make our Guild better and better. If you were absent, you missed a great time of fellowship with fellow quilters.

Thanks to all of you who volunteered for the Home and Garden Show on February 24-25, 2018. It was great to see the Raffle Quilt finished and ready for donations. Thanks to Trudy and the quilter, who wishes to remain anonymous, who donated her quilting talents. Whoever you are, we appreciate your talents and willingness to share.

Remember in January, Vicki Schreiber presented an excellent program about organizing our quilt

room? Have you begun thinking about cleaning your quilting area and preparing your donation items for our June Silent Auction.? Be sure to put your items in plastic/Ziploc bags with a label inside stating what is inside.

Thanks to Ashley Norris for the program on Modern Quilts. Who has been trying their quilting skills on a modern quilt?

I am looking forward to our March program and to seeing each of you. Bring a quilter friend. Let's share our love of quilting among all of our friends. By the way, I think I remember we had 8 visitors in February with one of those joining.

Linda Salmon  
President 2017-2018



Bonnie Kielty 23 March  
Ruth Ann Lavy 21 March

### Quilt Factoids

A 2014 study showed that quilting in the United States is a \$3.7 billion industry.

The same study showed that more than 21 million people quilt, predominantly women.

The first spools for thread were invented in the 1820s and used birch wood.

**Next Meeting:  
Mon., March 5  
First Presbyterian Church  
3601 Taft Blvd**

## Officers and Committees

**President:** Linda Salmon  
**Vice-President:** Judy Breyen  
**Secretary:** Helen Day  
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**Membership:** Yreva Shirey & Jeannine Roberts  
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**Workshops:** Trudy Wallace & Brenda Owens  
**Comfort Quilts:** Vicki Schreiber & Lucy Bonin  
**Hospitality:** Terry Peters  
**Refreshments:** Betty Brown  
**Newsletter:** Ashley Norris  
**Webmaster:** Audrey Bee  
**Directory:** Melissa Taylor  
**Quilt Show:** Audrey Bee

## Programs

**March:** Ann Wyatt program

**April:** \*open\*

**May:** Audrey Bee - Amazing Block Play

**June:** no program; pot luck/silent auction

**July:** Christmas in July

**Aug:** \*open\*

**Sept:** no program; quilt prep

**Oct:** Shepherd's Wool program

**Nov:** no program; quilt of valor (?)

**Dec:** no program; Christmas potluck

## New Newsletter Officer Needed

A new Newsletter Officer is needed to take over Needle Notes starting in June 2018. Please contact Ashley Norris at \_\_\_\_\_ or email her at [paige29072@yahoo.com](mailto:paige29072@yahoo.com) to find out more information.

## Workshops

March 17th - Tuffet, Part 2; Instructor Cindy Simmons  
 April 21st - Snow Ball/9-Patch; Instructor Audrey Bee  
 May 19th - It's A Bag Thing; Instructor Diane Walker  
 June 16th - TBA  
 July 21st - TBA  
 August 18th - The Texas Quilt; Instructor Dian Hoehne  
 September 15th - TBA  
 October 20th - TBA



Tuffet



Snow Ball 9-Patch Quilt

## Texas Quilt—August Workshop

The Texas Quilt requires many, many different fabrics to make it really look good. Please get in touch with Dian Hoehne as soon as possible to find out more details. Participants may be able to work out a fabric swap to share different Texas fabrics but the sooner you talk to Diane the better ([pdhoehne@yahoo.com](mailto:pdhoehne@yahoo.com)).

# Quilt Guild Retreat

March (22) 23-25, 2018

Hello Retreaters!

Retreat is almost here!!! **Those arriving Thursday can arrive after 3:00 p.m.** They have a group leaving that day and they need time to clean, so 3:00 is the earliest anyone can arrive. Those coming Friday can come any time because we will already be there.

There wasn't enough interest for a class or mystery quilt, so bring enough of your own projects to work on. I will bring my *Quilt Bingo* game. If anyone wants to play, bring one fat quarter for each card you want to play.

Listed below is everyone going, their ADA requirements, and their diet restrictions. If there are any changes, please let me know immediately. As far as room assignments, I was able to meet most people's request. If you are unhappy with your roommate, it is up to you to find someone to change with.

Respectfully,  
Audrey Bee

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# Treasurer's Report

# Orange Chiffon Cake

Lucy Bonnin

## Ingredients

1 cup egg whites (6-7 large eggs)  
2 cups all-purpose flour  
1 ½ cups sugar (divided)  
1 TBS baking powder  
¼ tsp salt  
¾ cup orange juice  
½ cup vegetable oil  
1 TBS grated orange rind  
1 tsp vanilla extract  
½ cup egg yolks  
½ tsp cream of tartar

In large clean bowl place egg whites and let stand for 30 minutes.

Preheat oven to 325°F.

In small bowl stir together flour, ¾ cup sugar, baking powder and salt.

In a large cup combine orange juice, oil, vanilla and orange rind.

In a very large bowl combine egg yolks and beat until thick (2-4 minutes), add oil/juice mixture and beat well. Set aside.

Add cream of tartar to egg whites and beat until soft peaks. Add ¾ sugar, 2 TBS at a time, beating until stiff peaks form.

Using rubber spatula gently fold 1/3 egg whites into egg yolk mixture. Then fold in all the flour mixture, then rest of egg whites.

Gently spoon evenly into ungreased tube pan or angel food pan. Bake on lowest oven rack for 55-60 minutes or until the top springs back when gently touched.

Immediately invert pan and let cool completely on long neck bottle or on its legs. (I use a small funnel through the hole in the pan.)

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# Orange Spice Frosting

## Ingredients

¾ cup orange juice  
¼ cup sugar  
¼ tsp nutmeg  
½ tsp cinnamon  
1 TBS corn starch  
1 tsp orange rind  
8 oz whipped topping

In a small saucepan put orange juice, sugar, nutmeg, cinnamon, corn starch and orange rind. Cook over medium heat to boil until thickened.

Put plastic over and refrigerate until cold.

Add to an 8 oz tub of whipped topping.

Once the cake is completely cool, frost and enjoy!

# Quilting in the Falls

September 21-22, 2018

Hello All!

The quilt show is progressing nicely. The things that need to be done early are being done. No meeting is scheduled at this time. I will let you know when we need to schedule another meeting. Please be working on Boutique items and gathering Mason Jar items.

At the last meeting we decided to try something new. Instead of a "miniature live auction", we are going to have a "quilt of any size silent auction". It can be a miniature, a wall hanging, a table runner, or anything, even a king size quilt, whatever you want to donate to the guild to put in the silent auction. Members will not receive a percentage of the sale. Half will be put out Friday and half will be put out Saturday.

The rules, categories, and entry form are on the website. You can view them or print them at our leisure.

Respectfully,  
Audrey Bee



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## New Members

Debra Boring

Rawn Kirk

Kenya Meacham



# February Minutes

