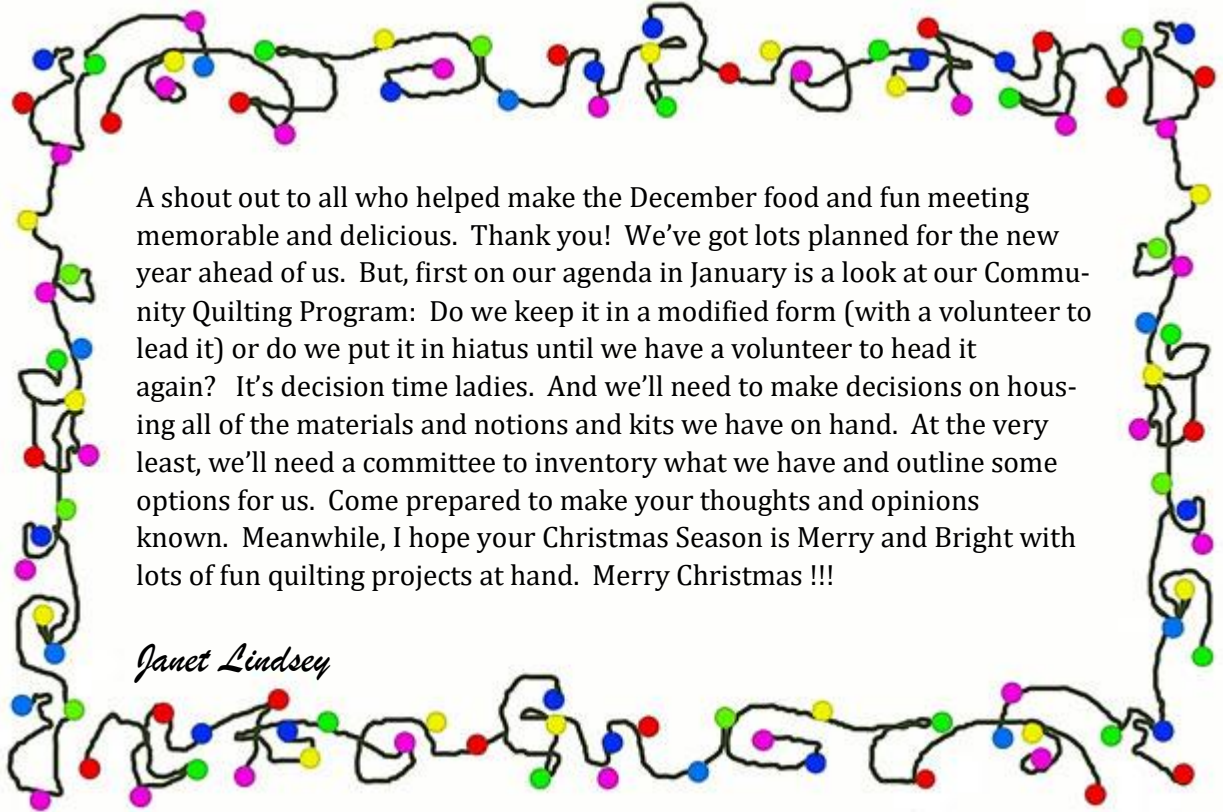


# BRANDON QUILTERS



# 2019

## Note from the President—



A shout out to all who helped make the December food and fun meeting memorable and delicious. Thank you! We've got lots planned for the new year ahead of us. But, first on our agenda in January is a look at our Community Quilting Program: Do we keep it in a modified form (with a volunteer to lead it) or do we put it in hiatus until we have a volunteer to head it again? It's decision time ladies. And we'll need to make decisions on housing all of the materials and notions and kits we have on hand. At the very least, we'll need a committee to inventory what we have and outline some options for us. Come prepared to make your thoughts and opinions known. Meanwhile, I hope your Christmas Season is Merry and Bright with lots of fun quilting projects at hand. Merry Christmas !!!

*Janet Lindsey*

## Guild members gathering for a great meal and fellowship



## Minutes, December 2, 2019

Janet Lindsey brought the meeting to order. There were 31 members present. Grace was said and everyone gathered for our holiday meal.

After eating, Janet asked if there were any corrections/changes to the November minutes as noted in the November newsletter. There were none. Delene Browning made the motion that the minutes be accepted and Dottie Frye second the motion.

Janet informed everyone of Linda McGill moving out of state and congratulated her for the great job she has done with our Community Quilt project. We all wished Linda luck in the next chapter of her life and we will miss her greatly.

Kathleen Greer mentioned that she has a new computerized attachment for her long arm machine. It is for computerized end-to-end quilting. Marilyn Rose informed us that she will be teaching in Houston in 2020. Debbie Wilson (2020 Retreat Coordinator) informed us of the dates for the 2020 Retreat are September 17-20, a week earlier than in the past as Lake Tiak O'Khata had a conflict with our normal week. Ann Callender was announced as our 2020 MQA representative.

Janet then requested all that made stocking for her 2019 President's Challenge to come to the front and show their work. The stockings were all very different from each other and unique. Each participant was asked to select a charm to add to their stocking for a job well done.

Janet then invited her 2019 Officers to the front for a Christmas happy and thank you—Ann Callender (Vice President), Missy Lee (Treasurer) and Patricia Welsch (Secretary/Newsletter). Those that held volunteer positions were thanked as well—Linda McGill (Community Quilts), Marilyn Rose (MQA), Martha Ludke (greeter) and Cindy Barnett (Retreat Coordinator).

We then enjoyed Sew-n-Tell and played the "Wright Family" game. A great time was had by all.

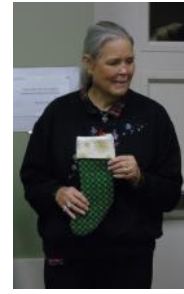
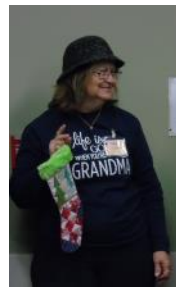
The meeting was adjourned and everyone was wished a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

*Patricia Welsch*  
Secretary—Newsletter

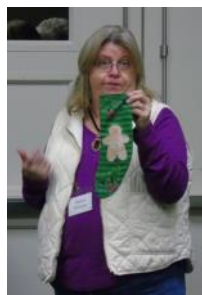


**Congratulations!!!**  
**Debbie Wilson**  
**the winner of the 2019**  
**UFO Challenge**

## 2019 President's Challenge



Very unique Christmas stockings made with a pattern that Janet provided in January. Participants in the challenge were Janet Lindsey, Ann Callender, Martha Ludke, Cindy Barnett, Joan Howard, Karen Petrigani, Medina Richards and Polly Duggan.



## Sew n' Tell—UFO's



Sarah McCormick -  
Wall-hangings and quilt for black  
& white squares



Debbie Wilson -  
Celestial Magic



# Sew n' Tell



Jo Powell -  
Due South, class by  
Joan Alliston  
And  
New York Beauty



Polly Duggan—  
KoKopelli quilt



Marilyn Rose -  
Mondo Bag, Christmas tree quilt top,



## Sew-n-Tell



Martha Ludke -  
Quilt teacher gifts and baby quilts



Sarah McCormick -  
Dog bag and  
Blue Rose bag



**Don't  
FORGET!**

**To bring your completed 2019 Block Of the Month quilt top to our January 6th meeting. Also bring your backing fabric for the quilt. As ONE lucky quilt top will be selected to be long armed quilted by Debbie Wilson.**



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**Sit n' Sew—**  
Saturday—January 4th, 9:00 a.m.

**Guild meeting—**  
Monday—January 6th, 6:30 p.m.