



# 2019

# BRANDON QUILTERS

## **Note from the President—**

***What a wonderful quilting Retreat experience! The food, the friends, the advice asked for and given, the oh-so-creative projects - all in all a very good time. I hope that everyone who went on the Retreat will bring a sample of a project worked on or finished to show at October's meeting. Now, it's time to turn our thoughts to fall, the MS State Fair, the upcoming MQA & GSQA meetings, and of course HOUSTON. We have a lot to look forward to in October, our last breather before the Holiday season winds up.***

***Happy quilting!***

***Janet Lindsey***



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## **Minutes of Monthly Meeting**

**September 9, 2019**

The meeting was called to order by our President, Janet Lindsey, there were 34 members in attendance and 1 visitor.

A motion was made by Delene Browning to accept the minutes as published in the August newsletter, Diana Carey second the motion.

Linda Wolf, of the Brandon library thanked our guild for displaying quilts in the library. The library patrons enjoy viewing them and feel that they made the library warm and cozy. The displays also promotes our guild and what we do.

Polly Duggan thanked everyone for donating their Quilts of Valor for the library's display and for our veterans. There were 20 quilts in all, Polly shipped off 5 boxes of Quilts of Valor to various locations. Each Brandon Quilter was recognized with a star placed on their name badge for their donation(s).

Judy Robbins gave the Sunshine report for August, she mailed 6 birthday cards, 1 thank you and 3 get well cards.

Missy Lee gave the treasury report , after reserving \$4,809.00 for the Lake Tiak O'Khata retreat, the guild has a balance of \$3,604.82.

## Minutes continued -

Cindy Barnett informed us that we now have 21 that will be attending our annual retreat at the end of the month. She also reminded everyone of the items that they volunteered to bring.

Ann Calendar would appreciate volunteers and/or suggestions for next year's officers for our guild as she continues to work on the 2020 roster. Ann will also be searching for a replacement for Cindy Barnett as the retreat organizer; after ten years Cindy has requested to step down.

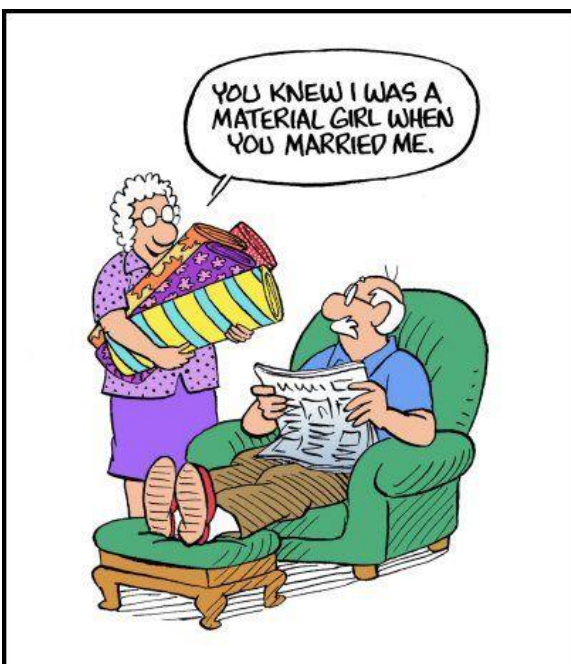
Marilyn had no MQA updates other than a reminder of the fall meeting in Hattiesburg hosted by the Pine Belt Quilters guild on October 25th and 26th.

Linda McGill hopes to have the Brandon Quilters guild t-shirts received and delivered in time for the retreat. She also mentioned that those that would like to work on Community Quilts during the October 5th Sit-n-Sew, assisting with cutting or sewing will be appreciated. Also if anyone knows the contact information for the Women's shelter, please let Linda know.

Christy Calhoun invited anyone that would like to attend to the Wynndale Baptist Church on the 2nd Thursday of each month for their sit-n-sew.

Janet Lindsey reminded everyone of the guild's President's challenge, Christmas stocking, patterns available at our information table.

Debbie Wilson, spoke of the Block of the Month, stating we now have all nine blocks. We are to finish our tops by the end of 2019, bringing them to the January 2020 meeting for review. Be sure to bring backing and batting with you as one will be selected to be machine quilted by Debbie.



Jackie Watkins presented our program on her Interweave art quilts.

After the program Sew-n-Tell was shared and the meeting was adjourned.

*Patricia Welsch*

Secretary—Newsletter





## 2019 Quilts of Valor Donors



Quilt of Valor donors that were present were recognized by having a “star” placed on their guild name badge. Polly Duggan, Sarah Ketchum, Ann Callender, Delene Browning, Joan Howard, Sarah McCormick, Cindy Pannier, Debbie Wilson, Judy Robbins, Martha Ludke, Kathleen Greer, Karen Petrignani, Lucy Large and Janet Lindsey.



## Program - Interleave Quilts



Jackie Watkins gave a very interesting presentation on Interleave quilts. She explained how they are made using Lorrie Cranor’s technique. (Google “Lorrie Cranor” or “how to make an Interleave quilt” online) Jackie distributed a set of instructions that will sent out with the September newsletter. With the help of Dianne McLendon, various variations of the Interleave quilts and wall hangings Jackie has made were displayed with brief instructions as to how the various affects were achieved.

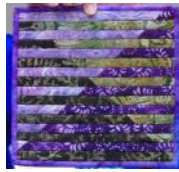




## Program - Interleave Quilts



Combine several small Interleave quilts together to make a larger quilt.



Small individual blocks can be made for mug rugs, coasters or place mats.

Jackie was so intrigued with the technique that she continued to experiment and made larger pieces.



## Sew-n-Tell - UFO's



Ann McDonald -  
Due South

Delene Browning -  
Daisy wall hanging



Sarah McCormick -  
LSU, Turning Twenty Quilt  
"Don't Forget the Ginger Ale"





## Sew-n-Tell - UFO's



Missy Lee -  
My Whimsical Garden,  
a Micky Goldsmith  
pattern



Janet Lindsey -  
Spring Cleaning



Cindy Pannier -  
has been extremely  
busy completing several  
UFO projects -

- Salvage Houses
- Floral Pinwheels
- Crazy Daisy
- And
- Oh Me Oh My!



Ann Callender -  
Christmas Star



Sarah McCormick -  
Iron Caddy

# Sew-n-Tell



Diane Mc Lendon - Pumpkins and Silver Bells, Diane also had a Leaf bowl to show



Missy Lee - Leaf bowl



Amy Schwalm - Moon over the Mountain (from SFA program taught by Jackie Watkins) and Friendship Star variation quilt for her soon to be born grandson, Maxwell David.



Diane Carey - Double Irish Chain quilt



Marilyn Rose - Tote bag (cute cat fabric with leather accents)





## Sew-n-Tell



Linda McGill -  
Southwest design quilt  
and Graphic Design



## Community Quilt

"Lamb"  
baby quilt



## 2019 Block of the Month

Block #9, Rail Fence  
Variation Star



Samples of Block #8, Quarter-Square Triangle Star





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#### **Reminders and Dates -**

**Sit n' Sew—Saturday, October 5th**

**October Guild meeting—Monday,  
October 7th**

**MQA—Fall Gathering—October 25th and  
26th in Hattiesburg, MS**