APRIL 2018

A note from the President-

The weather certainly is showing out this year. You never know if it will be hot or cold or in between. I truly don't remember too many years like this one. Whatever the weather it's always sewing/quilting time, right? It's time to rev up the old noodle and get busy if you are a slow starter like me. Seems that time passes and still nothing sewn or stitched. That has got to change for me and change immediately. I'm a schedule kind of person, so I have to schedule time for almost everything. I've made a contract with myself to at least sew or plan a new project 1 hour a week. If more happens that is just icing on the cake.

And speaking of cake thanks so much to Ann Callender for providing the yummy cakes at our April meeting. I didn't even have to beg her, she volunteered. She is such a sweet and caring person and I'm proud to call her my friend. Hopefully, most if not all of you have good friends you can count on from time to time. Don't forget to be a friend as well. See ya in May.

Sew on.

Debbie Wilson



Minutes of Monthly Meeting

April 2, 2018

The meeting was called to order by our President, Debbie Wilson. There were 35 members in attendance. Debbie announced that there was cake in the back to celebrate the guild's birthday month. A motion was made to accept the minutes as published in the March newsletter, the minutes were accepted. Missy Lee gave the Treasurer's report the guild currently has a balance of \$4,417.68.

Cindy Barnett reported that only 9 have registered for our Fall Retreat at Lake Tiak O'Khata. Registration is now open to friends.

Judy Robbins reminded us of the Shiloh Craft Show. Sarah confirmed the April Sit-n-Sew date of Friday, April 13th, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Mississippi Ag Museum is seeking volunteers to demonstrate quilting on April 19th, 20th and 21st.

Minutes of Monthly Meeting continued

Marilyn distributed "Save the Date" cards for the Pine Belt Quilters 17th Biennial Fiber Art & Quilt Show to be held on October 5th and 6th. Reminders of the Gulf States Quilt Association Show on April 13th and 14th. The quarterly GSQA meeting will be held in Pensacola

Sew-n-Tell was shared and then we enjoyed "QUILT" bingo. Afterwards the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Patricia Welsch, Secretary and Newsletter

Community Quilts

Shown by Linda McGill and Polly Duggan













Quilters/Donators -Marcella Comans Sarah Ketchum Ann McDonald Joan Howard Marlene Bailey Outside donation

UFO's



Robbie Wise
Civil War prints



Sarah Ketchum Aurelias Journey



Renea Greene Cross and Crown

UFO's







Amy Schwalm—Shirts IT (front and back) and Mostly Spotted Geese



Cindy Pannier - Mary's Triangles





Missy Lee—Strips and Baby Elephant Walk

Sew-n-Tell



Karen Petrignani -Apple Table Runner





Marilyn Rose—new block of month project



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Mark your calendar -

- •May 5th—Sit-n-Sew at MS State Extension Office
- •May 7th—Guild meeting, 6:00 p.m., Brandon Library
- •May 31—Bonnie Hunter class through MQA
- •June 1 & 2—Bonnie Hunter Classes and June Gathering