



# The Quilter's Express – February 2018

Official Newsletter of the Shiner Heritage Quilters



## Next Meeting:

Tuesday, February 6, 2018 – First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall

Social Time: 6:00 p.m.

Meeting: 6:30 p.m.

Hostesses: Kathy Andrews, Wilma Williams, RaeNell Janik

## Program for February

Paper-Pieced Medallion – Our 2018 Block of the Month Quilt kicks off with the paper-pieced center. Wanda Myers and other members of the BOM Committee will discuss paper piecing, the medallion, and other options for the center of your quilt.

## Upcoming Programs

- March – What's the Word?? RaeNell Janik and Kathy Andrews will discuss quilting terms
- April – Half-Squared. Different methods of making half-square triangles will be discussed.

Do you have an idea for a program? Is there a quilting technique you have been dying to learn? Would you be willing to present a program and possibly teach a class on a certain subject? Please contact Wanda Myers.

## Hostesses for Upcoming Meetings

- March – Suzanne Sestak, Theresa Belicek, Carolyn Janak
- April – Beverly Svetlik, Diane Munson, Karen Hermes
- May – Janet Zabransky, Bennie Gerdes, RoseMary Havlik
- June – Marilyn Schroeder, Carolyn Schroeder, Gladys Mulehstein
- July – Mid-Year Party – No Hostesses
- August – Nola Bohuslav, Mathilda Melnar, NEED ONE MORE

## Minutes of the January 2018 Meeting

On January 8, 2018 President Mathilda Melnar called the meeting to order and welcomed the members of the Shiner Heritage Quilters. There were 38 members present. The Guild members recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

No meeting was held during December 2017, therefore, there were no minutes to be approved. The Treasurer's Report was given and no changes were needed. The report stands as read.

Toni Rodgers presented Food for Thought. January birthdays were recognized: JoAnn Winkenwerder and Janet Zabransky. Member discussed Sunshine and Shadows.

The January hostesses, Kathleen Schacherl, Irene Cerny, and Toni Rogers, were thanked. The February hostesses are Kathy Andrews, Wilma Williams, and RaeNell Janik.

Bernadette Kresta gave an update on Nursing Home quilts, and Irene Cerny discussed recent Guild publicity.



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Kathy Riske said all the blocks have been cut for the donation quilt, and many of the blocks have been pieced.



In old Business, Mathilda told the members that the By-laws and Policies and Procedures were being reviewed.

In new business, Mathilda Melnar stated the Christmas Tree at the Yoakum Museum did not win any prizes this year, and it needed to be taken down the week of January 7. Volunteers were arranged.

Karen Hermes and Meagan Campion gave a program on Cake Mix Recipes and Cupcake Mix Recipes, papers for using

10" square or 5" squares to make various patterns. They shared tips and tricks and showed off quilts made with Cake Mix Recipe Number 1. Karen also showed members various blocks that can be made with a Cupcake Mix.



Show and Tell projects were displayed: Bernadette Kresta – baby quilt; Betty Kloesel – table runner and quilt top; RaeNell Janik – Quilt; Irene Cerny – CPS Quilt; Marilyn Schroeder – Christmas Blocks Quilt; Mary Ann Matussek – CPS Quilt; Rhonda Orsak – two quilts; and Vicki Brewer – teddy bears and quilt.





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Door prizes were awarded, and the meeting was adjourned by Mathilda Melnar.