



# The Quilter's Express September 2022

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## Next Meeting: October 4, 2022

First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall  
Social time 5:00 pm – Meeting at 5:30 pm

### Upcoming Programs and Events

- Nola Bohuslav will present a program on adding borders to your quilts. If you have any ideas or suggestions for programs, please let Nola Bohuslav know.

### Hostesses for Upcoming Meetings

Hostesses for the October meeting are Janet Ferguson, Linda Parr and Rhonda Orsak

### Janet's Junk

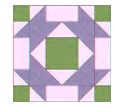
Fall is around the corner, and that means this year has flown by!! That also means we need to be getting quilts made for our March 2024 Quilt Show. We have new members joining and I hope everyone makes them all feel welcome! Our October meeting will be bringing some great information about adding borders to your quilts. I for one am always looking for new border ideas and look forward to this information. Remember we will be getting together early at 2pm at the church to work on decorations for the Christmas tree for the Moulton Museum. Some great ideas will be shared there too!! I will send some more information about that out next week before the meeting!! See you soon!

Janet



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### Minutes of the September 6, 2022, Shiner Heritage Quilter's Meeting

On August 2, 2022, President Janet Ferguson called the meeting to order and welcomed the members of the Shiner Heritage Quilters and visitors. There were 32 members in attendance.

The Guild members recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Janet thanked the hostesses for the evening, Debbie Novosad, Diana Henk and Nola Bohuslav.

Janet reported the Texas Quilt Museum in LaGrange, Texas, will be presenting its first-ever juried exhibit dedicated to a single exhibit, *Seeing in Color*. The exhibit will run from September 1<sup>st</sup> through December 18, 2022.

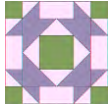
Janet then introduced Irene Cerny who conducted the installation of officers for the coming fiscal year: President Janet Ferguson, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President Programs Nola Bohuslav, Joyce Machicek 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Membership, Secretary Pinkie Leatherwood, and Treasurer Rae Nell Janik. Irene presented each officer a tongue-in-cheek token representing her responsibilities as an officer.

Janet presented the Meeting Minutes for the August 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting and asked if there were any corrections and there were none. Dee Heberle motioned the August 2<sup>nd</sup> Minutes be approved and Mary Shafer seconded the Motion. The Motion was approved unanimously.

Rae Nell Janik read the April Treasurer's Report and it was filed for audit.

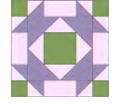
In the absence of Toni Rogers, Janet asked for Sunshine and Shadows.

Nola then introduced Sarah Hahn, owner of *Seams Like Home* located in Yorktown, Texas. She also has a website, [alittlefabricstore.com](http://alittlefabricstore.com) and a page on FaceBook. Sarah gave a presentation on the preparation of "wonky nine patch" blocks and shared some of the quilts she had made using the block.



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### Old Business:

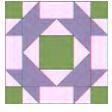
Janet turned the meeting over to Debbie Novosad who reported on the progress of the committee which is tasked with selecting pattern and fabrics for the 2024 Donation Quilt. The committee has selected a pattern and Debbie passed around a picture of the design. The committee has also chosen fabrics and is currently working on the quilt.

Janet reported the bus trip to Austin has been confirmed with the bus company. There are currently 28 members and guests from our guild signed up for the trip. Additionally, members of the Cuero Quilt Guild have been invited and an announcement will be placed in local newspapers inviting members of other guilds in the area to join us. Janet reminded everyone the Guild will pay for members' expense for the bus, but guests will be required to pay \$25.00. All individuals will be required to pay the \$15.00 fee for entry into Austin show. The bus will be at the church on Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup>, will leave promptly at 8:00am and will return to the church 6:00pm. There will be food available at the show, however if you bring your own lunch, you will not be able to take it into the show.

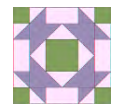
Janet distributed the final proposed budget to the members for review, pointing out two entries had been made after discussion at the August meeting, the additional cost of the mid-year dinner and bingo. Janet pointed out the final proposed budget was being presented to the members for approval without discussion. Diana Henk made a motion the budget be approved and Dee Heberle second the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Regarding the Yoakum Museum Christmas Tree exhibit which will take place in December, Kathleen Schacherl has volunteered to head the committee. There was a discussion regarding items which could be placed on the Guild's tree, how the tree could be decorated, and Kathleen showed several examples of angels which could be used. Janet will send a reminder there will be a workday prior to the October 4<sup>th</sup> meeting beginning at 2:00pm at the church.

Janet reminded everyone Annette Meyer and Dee Heberle were distributing packets containing the fabrics selected for the Christmas blocks challenge. The completed blocks must be returned at the November meeting and there will be a drawing for the blocks at the Christmas party in December.



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Janet turned the meeting over to Beverly Svetlik, the head of the committee responsible for determining who would receive donations from the funds received from the sale of 2022 Donation quilt. She distributed a list showing the balance which would be divided between the four recipients the committee had chosen. Pursuant to the Policies and Procedures, fifty percent of the proceeds received from the sale of the Quilt is to be given to area community organizations. One half of the total amount allotted to the recipients was \$1,747.44 and the committee rounded up each recipient's amount to \$450.00. The committee has selected Peter's Place in Hallettsville, Texas, Edwin Wolters Museum in Shiner, Texas, Moulton Fire Station in Moulton, Texas, and Carl and Mary Wolter's Library in Yoakum, Texas. After discussion, Diana Henk made a motion the funds be distributed to those entities as set out in the committee's report and Bernadette Kresta seconded the Motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Janet then asked for volunteers for a committee to select a place for the Christmas party, as well as selecting a menu. Annette and Dee volunteered, and they will report their selections at the October meeting.

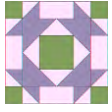
### New Business:

Janet then noted Mary Ann Matusek has a new telephone number, [REDACTED], and reminded members they should correct this information on the roster provided in their Membership Packets.

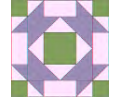
Additionally, Janet said two new members had joined the Guild at this meeting. Please remember to enter these two new members to the membership roster in your Membership Packet.

Janet advised everyone she hoped to have the Guild's Two-Year Calendar of Events ready to distribute for approval at the October meeting. This Calendar will cover the fiscal years of September 2022 through August 2024.

Janet presented to the members a suggestion for the upcoming Block of the Month. She had two boxes with cards, each showing information regarding one block with measurements and instructions. She further explained that each month you will draw a



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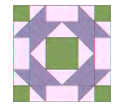


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card from the groups and make that block using your own fabric choices from your own stash, returning the card the following month and showing your block. Once you return that card, you will pick a new one for your next block. At the end of 9 months, you will have 9 blocks to put together to make your quilt. This will be your quilt to keep and show at the quilt show. After discussion, the members voted to start in January.

Janet reminded the members pursuant to the Policies and Procedures it is time to review the document and make changes or corrections. Diana Henk, Beverly Svetlik, Annette Meyer and Bernadette Kresta volunteered to be on the committee which will be chaired by Nola Bohuslav.

After Show and Tell, Janet Ferguson adjourned the meeting.



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## INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS



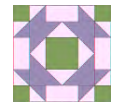
Presented by  
Miss Prim and  
Proper  
(i.e, Irene  
Cerny)



## PICTURES FROM PROGRAM

**Sarah Hahn, Owner**  
*Seams Like Home, Yorktown, Texas*  
Website: [alittlefabricstore.com](http://alittlefabricstore.com)





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## BLOCK OF THE MONTH



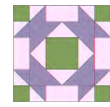
**Pattern Selected for  
2024 Donation Quilt**

**Presented by Debbie Novosad  
Committee Chair**

## SHOW AND TELL



Bernadette Kresta



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Bernadette Kresta



Irene Cerny



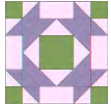
Wanda Myers



Rhonda Orsak

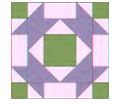


Diana Henk



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Mary Shafer



Rae Nell Janik