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Martelli Notions, 2020 Challenge

We had a very informative meeting with Martelli. They have great products. I was so impressed with the rotary cutter I got one for my grandson, Jamie, who will be 11 in February. We'll see how well he does!

February 12th Meeting

We will have Victoria Ivey speaking in February. She will have a featherweight maintenance workshop the following day, February 13th. Class size is limited! Missy Lee will also be presenting the general budget for 2020.

Boutique

The February Boutique workshop will be a rag bag.

We meet immediately following the regular guild meeting in the Chorale Hall.

Children's Quilts Sew Day is February 4th

Kaye Christensen, (klove708@aol.com) is our new Children's Quilt leader.

Quilts of Valor Sew Day is January 21

Sew Day will resume on January 21st at The Stitchin Post, Hattiesburg. Questions about QOV, contact Anne Kelley at 601-297-8562 or Annekelley601@gmail.com.

2020 Quilt Show Log Cabins, Oct. 2-3, 2020

If you did not get your raffle tickets, you need to! Kimmie Hall will have the raffle tickets for each member in January. As a PBQ member, you are responsible for selling 20 tickets minimum. Posters and bookmarks are coming soon!

Projects for 2020

Along with workshops almost every month, Children's Quilts and Quilts of Valor, we have several other projects for the year. You're sure to find at least one, if not several, that will interest you! These are all listed in the Membership Directory.

- * Each month we have a fat quarter lottery. For each fat quarter you get a ticket for a drawing. The monthly color is in the directory and event page on Facebook.
- * We have a Boutique workshop that meets immediately after the guild meeting for less than two hours. It's a fun way to learn different techniques and handwork.
- * We have friendship blocks four times a year. For \$1 you get a pattern and one fabric to be used in the block. You have two months to make the block and bring it back. When you turn it in, your name is entered into a drawing for the blocks!
- * We have door prizes at each guild meeting. Each member is asked to provide a \$10-15 wrapped or bagged gift in your birthday month. It doesn't have to be quilt related! If you forget, then bring it the next month. Don't forget your name on the gift so the recipient can thank you!
- * Each month a group brings refreshments. Your group leader will contact you ahead of time. The groups are listed in your membership directory.
- * We have a quilt challenge each year. This year is "A Few of My Favorite Things", a challenge to make a quilt for YOURSELF that represents things you love. It can be as easy or as complicated as you choose. Contact Betty Reid at thequiltedpetal@gmail.com for more information.

February Birthdays & Reminders

Anne Esteve - 2
Dorothy Williamson - 2
Ollie Jean Lane - 2
Tina Dickens - 2

Betty Bingham - 6
Linda Flanders - 10
Niki Ryals - 16

Betty Reid - 20
Peggy Gable - 21
Vivian Plummer - 28

If you have a February birthday, please bring a gift of \$10-15 to be used as a door prize. It should be wrapped or bagged. Put your name with the gift so the recipient can thank you! If you missed your birthday month, bring your gift the next month. We ALL love getting a door prize!!

In January we received 37 mother's pads, 21 receiving blankets, 34 pillows, 6 catheter bag covers, 11 walker totes and 10 children's quilts.

January 21 - Quilts of Valor, 10-3, Stitchin' Post. Bring sewing machine & supplies. Lunch provided.
February 4 - Children's Quilts, 9-12, Choral Hall. Bring sewing machine & supplies.
February 7-8 - MQA Spring Gathering, Vicksburg
February 12 - Regular meeting with Victoria Hermanson-Ivey, Lagniappe Featherweights. 9:30-11:30.
February 13 - Workshop with Lagniappe Featherweights. Sign-up required. Limited space.
February 18 - Quilts of Valor, 10-3, Stitchin' Post. Bring sewing machine & supplies.

The membership list will be purged before the February meeting. If you have not paid your dues, please pay them so you won't miss any emails or newsletters! If you are not going to pay, please, let Sue Allmon know so she can take your name off the list. Her email is listed on the first page, on the left in the blue banner. Thank you!!

Pictures from the January meeting



Judy Spiers trying the quilting hoop



Joe Bingham trying out the workstation



A whole lot of serious discussion!



Everyone tried the Ergo rotary cutter!



Quilt made by Marcella Perret



Quilt made by Jo-Ann Evans



Quilt made by Mary Ann Scruggs



Quilt of Valor made by Joe Bingham



Table runner made by Joe Bingham