



Gala Quilt Guild News

DECEMBER 11, 2009

November Program Notes:

- Cathy Miller, "The Singing Quilter" will be at the Auburn Guild, March 18-19, 2010. Trunk show on Thursday and workshop on Friday.
- Website: www.GALAguild.com
- Don't forget Golden Scissors has started – check in with Mary Johnson before the meeting to document your accomplishments.
- Make sure any photos you submit to the website have identifying information.
- Email photos to: brandipayne@gmail.com
- Do you realize that 2010 will be our 25th anniversary. Let's put our thinking caps on for ways to celebrate. We'll also need an anniversary committee.
- Lola Newman won the Tool of the Month – a Color Wheel and Quilter's Tool ID Tags.
- If you have ideas for programs, please give them to Linda Hayes.

Events and News:

- **President's Challenge** – Winners of the President's Challenge were (Martha Ragan-First Place) and a three-way tie for second place: Karen Wawrosch, Sydney Caldwell, and Renate Shirley.
- **December Workshop** – The morning workshop will be Sit and Sew. This is a great time to work on baby quilts.
- **Next Meeting: December 19. This is our Christmas potluck dinner. Bring goodies for the party. The guild is supplying paper goods and utensils. Drinks are also needed. Meeting will start at 12:00 NOON. Bring donations for the Battered Women's Shelter. Ideas include packaged panties (all sizes), socks, toiletries, paperback books. If you have extra totebags, those are very much in need to use for their belongings. We will have SHOW AND TELL.**
- **Officers elected for 2010:**
President – Martha Ragan
Vice President – Linda Hayes
Program Coordinator – Committee to be appointed by Linda Hayes
Secretary – Gracie Jones
Treasurer – Mary Randall
Block of the Month – Sunny Pedigo
Hospitality – Jannie Gregory
Members at Large – Sunny Pedigo and Christine Piepmeier
- **Churn Dash Quilt** – If you volunteered to help make the churn dash quilt for our September guest, please email or call Martha to let her know. Churn dashes should be brown or blue small prints in Civil War reproduction type fabric for the prints and light cream, beige small prints for the backgrounds. Let's get this done in a timely manner. Linda Camp will quilt this for us.
- **Southeastern Quilt and Textile Museum** – The guild voted to send a quilt for the new museum. A committee was chosen to work on this project.
- **Refreshment/Hostess List will be out for sign ups in December.**
- **Dues are due for 2010--\$20**
- **Merry Christmas to all from everyone in the Guild.**

Good friends are like Quilts. They age with you, yet never lose their warmth.