

THE RAW EDGE

Quilting in the Pines Guild, Inc. WWW.PinesQuilts.com



Message from the President

Time for our anniversary at the March meeting.
Hope to see many of our founding members there!
We will be honored to see you.

Meeting Information

9:30 AM, Thursday, March 14, 2024

Trinity Lutheran Church
7150 Pines Blvd.
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024

*Happy
Birthday*

Anne Marie Langlois March 16th
Jennifer Moore March 6th
Regina Huffman March 11th

Dues

Membership renewal of \$30.00 is due in March.

Programs

March - Kianga Jinaki

Kianga Jinaki will present her artwork, including beautiful dolls, quilts and mixed textiles. Some of her work and fabrics will be available for sale.

April - How to make a braided border

Shirley Moore will demonstrate how to make a braided Border. Gather around her sewing machine and watch as she shows how to make this beautiful and unique border.



New Program Ideas

The great ideas submitted in response to the February survey, will improve our quilting skills. Efforts are underway to find members/guests who can speak on these subjects and give demonstrations. Many of these can lead to workshops.

- How to make a binding with perfect mitered corners.
- How to make a two-color binding
- An explanation of the difference between a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ seam and a $\frac{1}{4}$ seam.
- How to make "crazy piecing" quilt blocks
- How to make quilt blocks using the paper piecing method
- A one block wonder quilt class
- Ideas/patterns using scraps (None of us throw them away)
- How to cut a bias binding
- How to make a curved edge for your quilt.

April Workshop

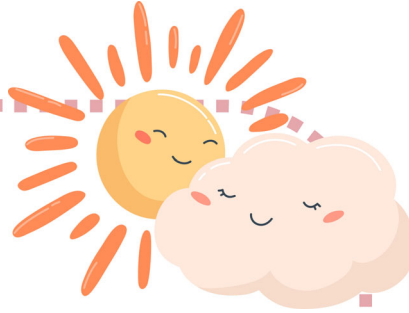
A half-square triangle with a twist \$15

Monique Foley will be presenting Side Strip by Renee Tailman.

Sign up and pay \$15 at the March meeting.

A supply list will be provided at the time of payment.

Sunshine News



Hi QUIP Members!
I Hope you are all well.
If anyone is in need of cheering up or
congratulations, please let me know.

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2022 & 2023 QUIP Financial Audit

On February 1, 2024, the auditing committee, Kay Walker and Shirley Moore, met at the home of Denise Glaser to audit the books for QUILTING IN THE PINES for the years 2022 and 2023.

We are pleased to report that all books were in perfect order and every transaction was accounted for. Thank you Denise Glaser for a superb job.

We recommend discarding years 2018 and 2019 according to the IRS rules. Also, members should check quarterly bank reconciliations and initial, as a matter of checks and balances.



AQS Quilt Week in Daytona, FL

Sebring Retreat May 3–6, 2023

Join us for some fun and nonstop sewing.

\$205 for a shared room

\$390 for a single room.

A \$50 deposit is required by March .

The remaining balance is due in April.

Member of the Month

Shirley Moore, our new treasurer and an enthusiastic member of the charity committee, started quilting in the 1960's when her children were small. She won a second-place ribbon for a "Crayon Quilt" at the Howard County, MD fair. After retiring as a senior accountant at Potomac Electric and Power Co. in Washington, DC, she began "heavy duty" quilting in earnest. Every baby and shower got a quilt.

She was involved with Project Linus for many years and believes she made over 1,000 quilts in 10 years. Shirley is also an accomplished cake decorator. She decorated a bicentennial cake for 1,700 people in 1976. This feat was written up in the local newspapers. She made wedding and bachelor cakes for two sons.

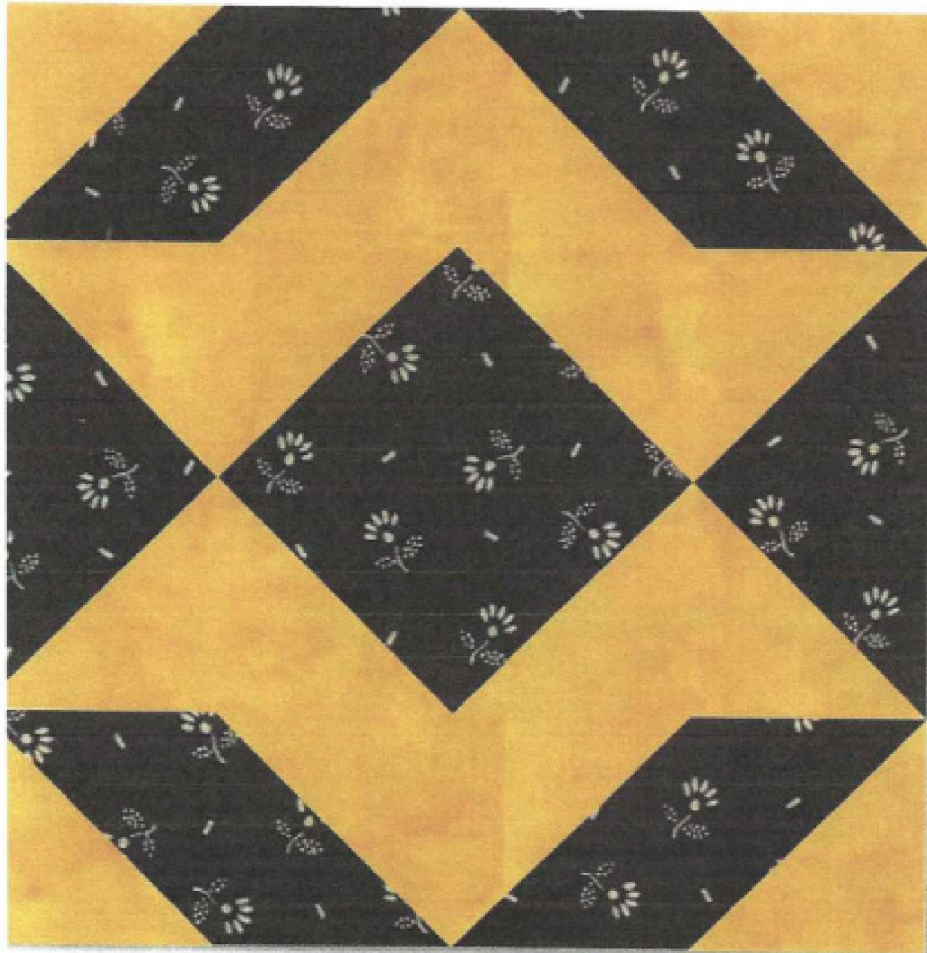
Shirley has 3 sons, and 4 grandchildren. She lost her husband of 54 years in 2017, and was lucky enough to find love a second time. She has been in a relationship with John, a widower, for the past 6 years.

Shirley is not a professional quilter but gets warm feelings when she can put a smile on the face of a child. She loves to teach and show beginners easy styles. She prefers no to follow a pattern, color coordinating and designing the quilt herself. She started teaching at the Florida Sunrise Center and is currently at Tamarac Community Center. She does beginner and advanced classes, demos including individual and group sessions. Shirley enjoys genealogy research and is a member of DAR.

Block of the Month, March, 2024

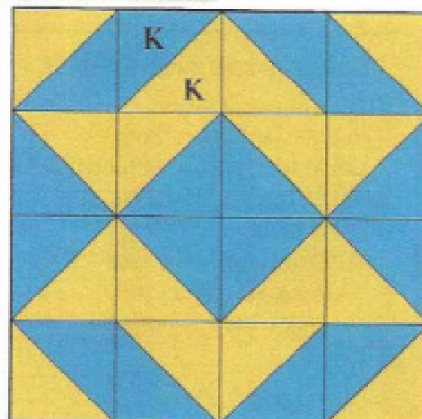
New York

Empire State



Templates and Fabric

16 K triangles, lt fabric
16 K triangles, dk fabric



Meeting Minutes, 2/8/2024

Called to Order: 9:40 AM
Last Month's minutes approved as written?

Motion to approve last month's meeting minutes – Denise Glaser
2nd – Kay Walker

Approved by the members.
Visitors welcomed to the Guild Meeting

February Birthday -
Elaine Petroluongo

Treasurer's Report
Other Income
Membership Dues 2023: \$450
50/50 Raffle: \$44
Recycle Table: \$29.05
Total Income: \$77.05
Operating Expenses
Administrative \$66.88
Rent \$70
Total Operating Expenses \$135.88
Other Income
Donations for Fabric \$360.00

Charity - Barbara Tate was extremely thankful for all of the charity items that she received today. The pillowcases go fast. Barbara Tate recognized Elaine Petroluongo for her support with charity items.

Workshops and Retreat - Iris Biassetti reminded everyone that after today's Guild meeting there is the Self Binding Baby Quilt workshop.

In April Monique Foley will be teaching a workshop on Side Strip by Renee Tailman. It is a half-square triangle with a twist.

The next retreat is May 3-6, 2024 in Sebring. The cost is \$205 for a shared room and \$390 for a single room. \$50 deposit is required by March and the final balance is due in April.

Programs - Kay Walker wants to hear back from the members of the Guild and passed out a survey of what they want to see in the Programs.

Today's Program Denise Glaser presented on Labels "Every Quilt Needs a Label". See handout to the many ways of adding a label. Denise attended a program at Modern Quilt Guild to listen to a speaker talk about incorporating your label right into the backing of your quilt. Take a picture of the fabric or the quilt block and upload it into your computer. Add your information about the quilt and print on on "Fabric" or "EQ Printables"

(EQ Printables highly recommended) and print. You need an ink jet printer for this type of label. Once printed you can iron on the fabric and include into your backing.

Upcoming Programs:

March – Kianga Art

April – Braided Borders by Shirley Moore

Business - QUIP ByLaws were revised and sent to members to note the changes. Additional discussion about some minor changes were noted and Denise Glaser will make those changes and once approved by the members Denise will send out the approved revised ByLaws. Motion to approve the ByLaws with changes were made by Iris Boasetti. 2 nd by Eleanor Sassnet. The ByLaws with the changes was approved by the members.

Members voted and confirmed the following Officers:

Shirley Moore - Treasurer

Sherri Passwater - Secretary

BOM - Shirley Brown announced that the BOM for March is called New York. Today 9 blocks were received and 20 templates were passed out.

There was some discussion about the BOM and Shirley was recognized for her hard work to make the BOM successful. Gerri Tredway was the winner for this month's BOM. Members voted to make the BOM in red, white and blue colors.

Fat Quarters - Last month there was only one winner and there was feedback from the members that they did not just want one winner for the fat quarters. Will continue to have more than one winner but need a minimum of 5 fat quarters. Fat Quarter winners today: Annette O'Connor, Elaine Petroluongo and Eileen Thurston

50/50 Raffle Donation Received a total of \$82 Dollars. \$41 for the Guild and today's winner is Bette a guest at today's meeting.

Sunshine Update - Sandy Glazer reported on the passing of a former member and challenges of current members were noted in the meeting.

Membership - Membership dues have increased to \$30.

The meeting ended with Show and Tell. Meeting dismissed at 11:07 AM

Respectfully submitted by Tonya Fox Shaw for Sherri Passwater

Guild Fest at Cynthia's Fine Fabrics



Show and Tell



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Charity

