



# Stitchers Quilt Guild

# Newsletter

A HARDIN COUNTY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION HOMEMAKER CLUB

## Letter From The President

MARCH 2024

Hello Stitchers,

I hope everyone has enjoyed a great National Quilting Month!

It's not over yet. We still have a few days to get some more stitches in, learn something new, attend a class and find some new quilt shops! We have a new shop in Radcliff, All Stitched Up, that a few of us have already had the chance to visit. Their hours are Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 10am - 7pm and Wednesday and Saturday 10 am - 4pm.



Loucon is amazing! It is so different to go in the Spring. It's beautiful there. We were able to take a walk path all the way around the lake from the front of our lodge. A lot of sewing got done too. ;) We also met some fellow quilters! The fall retreat is September 2-7. It is in the Turner Lodge where we have previously met for our retreats.

Don't forget to fill your forms out for entering your quilts in the show this fall. We've had a few entered and are excited to have more entered early in the year. If you need more room to lay your quilt out to add your borders and get your binding on, there is an open sew day every week at the Extension office.

See you soon,  
Barbara

**Our Next Guild Meeting :**

**March 27th 6:30 PM**

**Quilt Show Meeting:**

**March 12th 6:00 PM**

Sincerely,

*Dayna Fentress*

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*County Extension Agent for*

*Family & Consumer Sciences*



## Carla's Corner

Thank you Patty for the organization tips for our sewing rooms. Several were motivated to begin on theirs, to include me! Found material I forgot I had.

March will be a jam packed meeting.

We will be doing our Round Robin:

\*Deb Seward will demonstrate English paper piecing

\*Beth Hunter will demonstrate hand quilting

\*Amy Labriola will demonstrate Accuquilt

\*Patty Pruitt will demonstrate cathedral windows

\*Ann Wilson folding quilts and organizing them

Thank you to you all for offering to share your skills...

We will also present the mini grant committee for approval.

Also we will present what we have so far for the upcoming elections.

We are hoping to have someone step up for the 2nd VP. We will accept nominations from the floor.



April is our Featured Quilter. We will present our mini grants as well.

May Kathy Nessler will share color theory that she had taken a class on.

June 26th will be our member dinner. We will have it catered by Shoneys again, we received good reviews from the Christmas dinner. We will have :

baked chicken cordon blue and slice Turkey,

gravy, steamed veg medley, salad, broccoli casserole.

The cost will be \$5.00 for members and \$17.00 for non members.

July will be with our new officers, 1st VP, 2nd VP and secretary.

Thank you all for your help and for sharing your talents.

Remember: '..Ask not what your guild can do for YOU, but what you can do for your guild..'



See you on March 27th,

Carla Herald

1VP

Stitchers Quilt Guild



# "Denise's Pieces" WORKSHOPS



March 29-30

Big Bag Tote by Amy Labriola  
Friday 12-9, Saturday 9-5 \$15

CLASS FULL she will do another class if needed,  
get on wait list.

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Thread Catcher

by Janet Demonbreun 9-5, \$5



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August 16-17 - Hosparus - Suzanne Davis -  
making lap quilts

Denise Sloyer





Happy  
MARCH  
Birthday!

Candace Collett

Kathy Cravens

Jonagwen Dew

Ruth Hayden

Phyllis Lynn

Melanie Michael

Edwina Pennington

Stacey Rose-Pearson

Kecia Shipp

Marilyn Smith

Tori Twigg

Debi Willett

Bonnie Young

## Hardin County Fair

July 8-13

Patty Pruitt has taken on the chairperson position for the Hardin County Fair quilt entries. Please offer your help whenever you can. We need a lot of people to volunteer to help make this a smooth success! "Many hands make light work."

Thanks!

## QUILT SHOW COUNTRY STORE



If you would like to drop off items or help price items, please call Kathy, 502-293-9297.

Thank you,  
Kathy Mitchell

## Stitchers Quilt Guild Officers

### President

Barbara Dixon

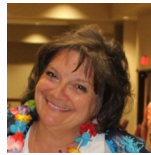
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### 1st Vice President

Carla Herald

270-312-7957



### 2nd Vice President

Denise Sloyer

808-781-1452



### Secretary

Darlene Chenault

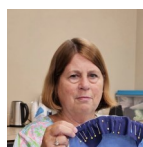
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### Treasurer

Amy Labriola

270-765-9799



## MARCH PROGRAM

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## **ELIZIBETHTOWN STITCHERS QUILT GUILD OFFICER ELECTIONS**

**It's that time again!** We have 3 officer positions that we will be having elections for. They are 1st VP, 2nd VP and Secretary. We will need a chairperson for this. Nominees are presented in March and elections are in April. Nominations from the floor will be accepted on election day. Election is by printed ballot with space allowed for write-ins. A 2-year membership in the Stitcher's Quilt Guild is required to run for office. All newly elected officers will assume office on July 1.

### **FIRST VICE PRESIDENT:**

Presides over monthly Guild meetings in the absence of the President.

Coordinates activities for the monthly meetings.

Assumes duties of the Second Vice-President in his/her absence.

Maintains inventory of door prizes to include cost, date purchased and date given at meeting.

Serves as Chairperson of the Mini-Grant committee.

### **SECOND VICE PRESIDENT:**

Second in line to preside over monthly Guild meetings in the absence of the President.

Secures instructors and facilities for classes and workshops.

Coordinates activities outside of monthly meetings, ex: retreats, shop hops, etc.

### **SECRETARY:**

Records the minutes of the general membership and Executive Board meetings and is required to have them available at all meetings.

Shall carry on the correspondence of the Guild including thank you notes, condolences, and get-well notes.

Shall furnish a copy of all business sessions to the County Extension Agent.

Shall maintain a membership roster and distribute it to members and the County Extension Agent.

Shall distribute membership kits for new members.

Shall inform Email Administrator of all new members.

Shall submit article on Guild events to KHQS for publication in their newsletter.

## **Minutes of Club Meeting – Stitchers Quilt Guild**

**Date of Meeting:** February 28, 2024      **Place:** Hardin County Cooperative Extension

**Time of Meeting:** 6:30 P.M.

Meeting was called to order by President Barbara Dixon at 6:30. She welcomed 59 members and 4 visitors Lisa Thompson, Dani Cole, with Celeste Larson and Tori Twigg joining the Guild.

**Approval of Minutes** – The minute was emailed out prior to the meeting. Patricia Richmond moved the approval of the minutes, seconded by Amy Aldenderfer. The minutes were approved.

**Treasurer's report** – These are emailed out monthly and available to see before the meeting. With no discussion of the treasurer's report, it will be filed for audit.

**Guest Speaker:** Tori Twigg – Quilts of Valor - They are also The Gold Vault Quilters - She had a handout for those interested and was in the back after the meeting.

### **Report of Officers and Standing Committees:**

**President:** Barbara Dixon – Hardin County Fair, we still need a chairperson to head up the Quilt section. If you are interested, please let Barbara Dixon know.

Homemakers Spring Bazaar is Marth 16<sup>th</sup> 9-3 at the Extension Office The funds raised from the bazaar go to student Scholarships related to a Homemaker. Motion made by Janet Demonbreun to give 2 \$25 gift cards for Opportunity Table and \$10 to help with food for the bazaar. Seconded by Debbie McQueary. Passed We need at least 5 members to make bake goods for the bazaar. Volunteered – Patty Pruitt, Kathy Cravens, Janet Demonbreun, Rebecca Gary, Ann Wilson, Deb Willett and Carla Herald. Anyone else is welcome to bring items in either on Friday or by 8:30 on Saturday morning.

The December meeting will be on December 4.

**Paducah Bus trip** – Barbara Dixon asked for a show of hands on those interested in going on the bus (16). The bus will hold 26 and cost \$25 for members and if you worked at last year's quilt show it will be refunded as you load the bus. Nonmembers will be \$50. It will go down on the Friday of Paducah Quilt Show. The bus will cost \$2300.

**4-H Campers** – The cost this year is \$200 per camper. A motion was made by Donnetta Faulkner-Elmore to sponsor 2 campers for \$400, motion withdrawn. Motion made by Donnetta Faulkner-Elmore to sponsor 4 campers for \$800, seconded by Martha Claycomb. Passed

**Warm Blessing and Backpacks** – After much discussion is on hold.

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President:** Carla Herald –

March-Round Robbin

April-Featured Quilter

May

June Catered meal and members bring in desserts

**Officer Nominations:** Chairpersons – Suzan Byers, Diane McCamish and Debbie McQueary

Carla Herald read each job description of open positions 1<sup>st</sup> VP, 2<sup>nd</sup> VP and Secretary

A 2-year membership in Stitchers is required to run for an office per our Bylaws. The newly elected officers will assume office on July 1, 2024.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President:** Denise Sloyer

Workshops:

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**Secretary:** Darlene Chenault n/a

**Treasurer:** Amy Labriola n/a

**Quilt Show:** Deb Hancock – Stated the show was 206 days away. We are working on getting an ATM for on site. Amy Aldenderfer has given contact information. After 50 withdrawals on the ATM we get \$1 from withdrawals after that.

Amy Labriola explained the Quilt entry form – anything in red must be filled out.

**Announcements:** Amy Labriola thanked everyone for making for the baby Angel holders for the hospital. They needed Angel holders for still born babies.

**Program** – Patty Pruitt presented a slide show on Quilters Organization. I think everyone was inspired by the presentation and saw something they could do or use. One big takeaway is use daylight bulbs in your sewing area.

**Class presentation** – Aprons shown by 4 members

**Hosparus Quilts** – Sarepta Phillippi made 27 quilts and we have 3 others shown.

**Show and Tell** – 11 members show beautiful quilts

**Door Prize Drawing** – The winners were Darlene Chenault, Amy Labriola, Martha Claycomb and Patricia Richmond.

**Next Meeting** – March 27, 2024

**Meeting adjourned**

**Minutes** submitted by Darlene Chenault, Secretary



# Savor *the* Flavor



## COOKING WITH OILS AND VINEGARS

Hardin County Extension Office • 111 Opportunity Way, Elizabethtown  
Thursday, March 28 at 10:30am



# MAKE A TWO COLOR QUILT

**UK** Martin-Gatton  
College of Agriculture,  
Food and Environment  
University of Kentucky.

Cooperative Extension Service  
Hardin County  
111 Opportunity Way,  
Elizabethtown KY 42701-9370  
(270) 765-4121  
hardin.ca.uky.edu

**Tuesday,  
April 30**  
9:30—3:30 p.m.  
Cost: \$15.00  
Instructor:  
Patty Pruitt

Pull your favorite color plus a background and make a quick throw. Just one block and many different ways to lay out!

Supply list will be given at registration.



Class will be held at the  
Hardin County Extension Office,  
111 Opportunity Way  
Elizabethtown, KY 42701

**Registration deadline is April 22**

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