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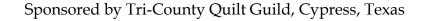
- ~ Large Crafting Room with amazing view!
- ~ Five rooms ~ Sleeps a total of 12.
- ~ Comfortable beds and private, full bathroom in each room.
- ~ Tables with craft lighting, caddies & plugs, and extremely comfortable chairs!
- ${\sim}$  Cozy family room to relax with massage recliner chair!
- The Nest ~ Fully equipped kitchen with plenty of seating for meals. Catering available!
  - ~ Warm & Inviting Atmosphere for Fellowship and Creating Beautiful Things!!



March 1-2, 2024

**The Berry Center** 

Cypress, Texas





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### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Welcome to the 2024 Tri-County Quilt Show; Quilts in Bloom.

Come in and look at all the beautiful quilts; buy raffle tickets; show our boutique, vendors, and Quilter's Treasure Aisle. In other words, have a really good time!

As you look at the quilts, think about the hours that went into making each and every one of them, from piecing and applique to the quilting and binding. Then, look around and think of the thousands of volunteer hours taken to put this show together. A special and heartfelt thanks to our Quilt Show chairs, Janice Toler, Stephanie Moss and Shari Stone.

The effort and time they have each put into coordinating every aspect of this show is phenomenal! The subcommittee chairs for each part of the show are listed in the program. Please take a moment to read the list and thank them for their hard work.

Anyone you see in a purple apron, thank them for working the shows. These volunteers help make the show happen.

It's a lot of work and a lot of fun to put on a quilt show.

Now, let's enjoy it!

Becky Burkett

### **TIN CAN RAFFLE**

Thanks to everyone who donated items for the raffle baskets. A special thanks goes to Lee Ann McGuinn, Bev Volker, Mary Ellen Adkinson, Ginny Hilton, Stephanie Moss and Susan Bozarth.

A special thanks goes to Bobbins & Threads for providing a workspace for us to sew and assemble special pieces. Debby Dodge and Nancy Gonzales helped assemble the larger items.

#### IN MEMORANDUM

CONNIE SUAREZ, WHO WORKED WITH THE BOUTIQUE AND TIN CAN RAFFLE. SHE SERVED THE GUILD FROM ITS EARLY BEGINNINGS IN 2006.





### **DISPLAY ONLY**

5000-01	Mary Ellen Atkinson	Seeing Spots
5000-02	Jeanne Brown	Primavera
5000-03	Jean Chapman	Gaggles of Geese
5000-04	Jennifer Cutler	Skulliver
5000-05	Jo Dick	Super Nova
5000-06	Elienne Egloff	Вее Нарру
5000-08	Mary Laskowski	Northern Lights
5000-09	Dianne Neidigk	The Experiment
5000-10	Victoria Queen	Empire of the Sea
		Hawk
5000-11	Tara Webb	Lola and Ruby

### **TRI-COUNTY EXECUTIVE BOARD**

### **Registered Agent**

Lynn Loyd

### **Board of Directors**

Charmaine Fritchey
Bev Volker
Nancy Youens

### **Executive Board**

Becky Burkett – President

Elaine Bullard – VP Administration

Rhonda Van Alstine – VP Financial Oversight

Ginny Hilton – Treasurer

Donna Granat – Secretary

Bobbi Miller – Membership

### **Standing Chairs**

Char Peterson – Programs

Lisa Hart – Block of the Month
Sharon Castillo – Charity Bee
Marie Engelhart – Hospitality
Charmaine Fritchey – Communication
Charla Reese – Head Bee Keeper
Tina Lauzon – Newsletter
Suzanne Gilbride – Publicity/Social Media
Donna Vandiver - Door Prizes
Lisa Hart - Holiday Bash
Debby Dodge – Magazines



Karl Burkett – Property Management

### **QUILT INFORMATION**

Quilts are listed by entry category in the program. All quilts were pieced and quilted by the exhibitor unless otherwise stated.

### **BOUTIQUE**

Our guild members have hand-crafted many delightful things for sale in the Boutique. Do some shopping for friends.

### TREASURER AISLE

Enjoy our "treasures at a discount" items for quilting, arts & crafts.

### **SHOW RULES & ETIQUETTE**

**DO NOT TOUCH** the quilts, please. Fingers contain body oils, dirt and acids that can hurt fibers. Please find a Quilt Angel wearing white gloves and ask her to show you the special features of a quilt. She will be very happy to help.

**NO FOOD OR DRINK** in the exhibit hall. The Berry Center does not allow outside food in the facility. There is a food court in the atrium for your convenience.

**NO SMOKING.** The Berry Center and Tri-County Quilt Guild do not allow smoking in the show.



# CHALLENGE QUILT TEXAS IN BLOOM

4000-01 Becky Burkett Wildflowers Lone Star

4000-02 Jennifer Cutler Texas in Bloom Exploding

Heart

4000-04 Connie Grudzinski Texas Through My Eyes

4000-06 Sara Irwin If You Cannot Visit The

Bluebonnets Then Let the

Bluebonnets

4000-07 Shelia Kryistynik Texas Flowers

4000-08 Tina Lauzon Its-and-bits Lone Star Flag

4000-10 Stephanie Moss I Bloomed In Texas

4000-11 Nancy Royal Searching for Texas

Wildflowers

4000-12 Shelly Wiggins Bloomin' Texas



### HAND GUIDED QUILTING LARGE

2000-02 Victoria Queen ABBA Goes to Africa

2000-03 Kimberly Wilcox Sunflower Panel

### HAND GUIDED QUILTING SMALL

2200-01 Kathy Arvin Memories of Maui

2200-02 Karen Cook Dream Big

2200-03 Kimberly Wilcox Tawa Twins Hopi Sun

Kachinas

2200-04 Connie Grudzinski Peace on the Range

### **SCHOOLHOUSE**



#### INTRODUCTION TO ENGLISH PAPER PIECING EPP)

Learn the basics of EPP in this fun, hands-on session

Friday 11:00 am-12:00 pm Saturday 11:am-12:pm

### TRI-COUNTY QUILT GUILD'S COMMUNITY IMPACT

Learn more about the guild's commitment to community service and how our love of quilting impacts the community.

Facilitated by: Sharon Castillo and Jean Chapman

Friday 1:00 pm-1:45 pm

#### MAKE A PAPER ORNAMENT

Unlock your creative potential and create something beautiful in this inspiring hands-on session

Friday: 2:30pm—3:30 pm Saturday 1:00 pm-2:00 pm

#### **How Should I quilt This?**

Join our 2024 Featured Quilt for this interactive session as she shares decision-making tips and other expert advice of selecting a fabulous quilting design.

Facilitated by: Ida Anderson Saturday 2:30pm-3:30 pm





## FEATURED ARTIST IDA ANDERSON



Ida is an extraordinarily talented quilter, and she loves to share her passion for quilting designs and techniques; she also loves to share her love of fabric.

She has inspired many new and experienced quilters through her Machine Quilting Bee and the various classes she teaches.

Ida also encourages other quilters to share their ideas and samples of their works.

Building on camaraderie and mutual support, Ida leads a stress-free environment to ask questions, share ideas and practice new techniques.

She is know for "glass picture frame" on which she draws quilting ideas on a dry erase marker.

She contributes many volunteer hours to our guild, has quilting a number of a raffle quilts, teaches classes, and leads a Bee. She is also a happy, smiling Greeter at our guild meetings and promotes the guild to new quilters.

### **GROUP QUILTS**

1800-01	Cynthia Auble	Flocked Together	
1800-02	Eileen Egloff	Let's Sew	
1800-03	Lisa Hart	On Earth As It Is in Heaven	
1800-04	Valerie Jolly	Oriental Garden	
1800-05	Debbie Spoelker	Machines and Friends	
1800-07	Sharon Castillo	Celtic Designs in Multiple	
Colors			

### KITS BLOCK OF THE MONTH

1900-01	Darby Albers	Texas Bluebonnet Tradition
1900-02	Marilou Black	Long Road Home
1900-03	Chironne Desmond	d Sew Place Like Home
1900-04	Denise Hardcastle	Purple Delight
1900-05	Denise Hardcastle	Sage & Sandstone
1900-06	Jan Heine	Garden Impression
1900-07	Ginny Hilton	My Fantasy
1900-08	Gaile Howland	Miss 30's Kitty
1900-09	Norma Johnson	Aviatrix Medallion My Way
1900-10	Valerie Jolly	Vintage Christmas
1900-11	Charla Reese	Native Cornflowers
1900-12	Kari Souchuk	Colorado Nomad
1900-13	Kari Souchuk	The Matriarch
1900-14	Shari Stone	Ordered Randomness
1900-15	Pat Terry	Forever My Valentine
1900-16	Donna Vandiver	Jane Austen Stars
1900-17	Katia Scopinich	Finley Fleece



### **MACHINE EMBROIDERY**

1600-01 **Barbara Boone** Love Is a Many

Splendored Thing

1600-02 Barbara Boone Christmas Bells are Ringing

1600-03 Dianne Neidigk The Joy of Creating

### 3 D WEARABLE ART HOME DECOR

1700-01	Mary Ellen Atkinson	Umbrella
1700-02	Pam Barman	Hexie Sewing Box
1700-03	Barbara Boone	The Lord Is Come
1700-04	Chironne Desmond	Love Notes
1700-05	Shelia Kristynik	St. Patrick's Pillow
1700-6	Carol Maloney	Home
1700-07	Donna Vandiver	Steampunk Sewing
		Bag

### MESSAGE FROM THE QUILT SHOW CHAIRS

March is finally here, and we are delighted to present to you our *Quilts in Bloom* show!

We applaud all the Quilt Show Committee Chairs, their teams, and the host of volunteers who have worked tirelessly during the past two years to bring this show to fruition.

What a fabulous community of quilters! Their hard work, generosity, and expert knowledge and skills are evident in every aspect of the show.

Thanks, also, to our partners in the community for their continued support of our guild and its show: Bobbins and Threads, The Quilts Shop, and Cypress Crossing Christian Church have graciously allowed us to utilize classroom space for sew days, meetings, and other gatherings required in preparation for the show.

Additionally, the event vendors help make the show possible and add tremendous value for each attendee. We encourage you to stop by their booths and support them as you enjoy the show.

As you shop, chat with others, and view the 200+ quilts that are part of this year's show; we hope your creativity is ignited.

May the seeds of a new quilt or crafty project take root and inspire you to create something beautiful.

JANICE TOLER
STEPHANIE MOSS
SHARI STONE

## RAFFLE QUILT MAKERS



A special thanks to those who worked on the raffle quilt.

Quilter: Becky Burkett

Piecing: Charmaine Fritchey

Lynn Loyd

Debbie Spoelker

Shari Stone

Hand Applique: Nancy Youens



# ORIGINAL DESIGN ONE MEDIA

1500-01	Janet Deschamps	The Quilty Cake
1500-02	Lane Devereux	Monarch Majesty
1500-03	Shelia Evans	Vintage Express
1500-04	Shelia Evans	Fanfare
1500-06	Sara Irwin	In Just Spring
1500-08	Peggy Wheeler	Waipoo Falls
1500-09	Linda Whipkey	African Skies

# ORIGINAL DESIGN MIXED MEDIA

1510-01	Suzanne Gilbride	Peace in the Woods
		And the Creatures
		That Live There
1510-02	Connie Grudzinski	He Loves Me
1510-03	Patsy Mosby	Yukata Dream
1510-04	Nancy Royal	Tranquil Garden
1510-05	Janice Toler	Owl Love!



### **MODERN DESIGN SMALL**

1200-01 Jennifer Cutler Mod Tumbler1200-02 Rebecca Gar The Arkenstone

1200-3 Michelle Lewis Solitude

### OTHER TECHNIQUE

1300-01 Susan Bozwarth Ring Around The Hexies
1300-02 Denise Hardcastle Crazy Triangles
1300-03 Lauri Loasby Penelope Peacock
1300-04 Carol Maloney Snowman & Son

### **MINIATURE**

1400-01 Madison Horinek Foggy Stream

1400-02 Clark Johnson Poinsettia

1400-03 Charla Reese Grandmother's Flower

Garden

1400-04 Shelly Wiggins Mini Stars

1400Nancy Youens Oh My!

### **2024 SHOW COMMITTEE**

Admissions Bobbi Miller Boutique Debby Dodge Featured Artist Ida Anderson Judges Debbie Spoelker Photography Suzanne Gilbride **Programs Charmaine Fritchey Quilt Hanging** Marietjie Englebrecht **Ouilt In Take** Mary Jane Sterbanz

Raffle Quilt Elaine Bullard & Bev Volker

Ribbons Suzanne Gilbride & Deborah Durr

Schoolhouse Stephanie Moss Silent Auction Janet Winkler

Social Media Lisa Hart

Tin Can Raffle Donna Vandiver
Treasure Isle Sharon Castillo

Vendors Rhonda Van Alstine Volunteers Denise Hardcastle

Website Barbara Boone





### PHOTOGRAPHY AT THE SHOW

You may photograph the hanging quilts as part of Tri-County's Quilt Show, 2024 Quilts In Bloom.

Please remember copyright protection before displaying a photograph for anything other than personal use, including the posting of the photo on the internet.

If you see something you like in a vendor booth, please respect all posted notices concerning photographs, or if nothing is posted, please ask the vendor for permission to take a photo before doing so.

#### **QUILT SHOW JUDGES**



Cindy Erickson started her career as an interior designer, then specialized in creating applique wall hangings and clothing for boutiques. Since being introduced to the rotary cutter and half-square triangles, she's been unstoppable. She makes commission quilts and samples for vari-

ous international companies. She is an NQA certified Quilt Judge and teaches quilting and clothing specialty classes at Bernina Sewing Center in Omaha. She is qualified to judge Master Quilts, Modern and Art Quilts of all techniques.



**Jackie Ruffing** has had a love for quilting since she received her first quilt in 1972 from her great-grandmother. She has studied the process of drafting block designs and quilting templates. She moved from hand quilting to

long-arm quilting. Jackie's judging and quilt show experience include country fairs; guild shows; and partner shows with the National Association of Certified Quilt Show Judge (NACQ), As a candidate in the certification program with NACQ, Jackie feels she

### **MACHINE APPLIQUE SMALL**

1010-02	Suzanne Gilbride	Garden State Big Bird
1010-03	Jan Heine	Make Yourself at Home
1010-04	Janie Jewel	Doggies in the Window
1010-05	Debbie Spoelker	Asilomar Flowers

### **MODERN DESIGN LARGE**

1100-01	Martha Alderson	Tranquil Fields
1100-02	Janet Cary	Winding River
1100-02	Sharon Castillo	Arrows in the Night Sky
1100-04	Marie Engelhart	Meandering River
1100-05	Robin Galvin	Aurora Blue Skies
1100-06	Donna Granat	Roxanne's Midnight Garden
1100-07	Linda Niemeyer	Tranquil Fields
1100-08	Linda Niemeyer	All Roads Lead to Aggies
1100-09	Marian Page	Snowflake in Blue



### HAND APPLIQUE LARGE

900-01 Theda Flournoy Fairegarden

900-02 Candi Hays Flower Garden

900-04 Nancy Royal Ravens in a Gilded Cage

### HAND APPLIQUE SMALL

910-01 Michelle Lewis Happily Finished

910-02 Laurie Loasby Orange Peel

### MACHINE APPLIQUE LARGE

1000-01 Rebecca Burkett Zebra of a Different Color

1000-02 Mary Laskowski Liberty of Regent Street

1000-03 Laura Phipps Gilden Dresden II: Flying

Purple Eater

1000-04 Kimberly Wilcox Granny's Garden

1000-05 Dianne Neidigk Ole Blue Eyes



Shawn Sickle admired quilting from afar while she raised her family and ran a business. She mother was an avid quilter, and they would regularly go to quilt shows. In 2010, the opportunity to make a quilt for her granddaughter came, and the rest if history. In 2018, she expanded her repertoire with long-arm quilting.

Since becoming a candidate for NACQ, Shawn actively judges and works in shows throughout the country. In 2023, she was a finalist in the Cherrywood Fabric Challenge and the Hoffman Fabric Challenge. She was also juried into a Studio Art Quilt Associates show. She loves to share her passion for the craft and wants to empower and encourage fellow quilt-makers.



Sherry Massey began quilting in 1980. She is honored to be Oklahoma's first NACQJ Certified Judge. She is a member the Edmond Quilt Guild.

Sherry has had two quilts juried into AQS shows in Paducah for fall 2017, and spring 2019. She teaches EPP classes, and she is the Senior Registrar for the Oklahoma History Center where a collection of over 400 quilts is housed.



### **HAND QUILTED**

100-01 Gaile Holland100-02 Laure LoasbyStars in Your EyesFlowering Gum

### **MIXED TECHNIQUE**

300-03 Suzanne Gilbride Bob Who???

300-04 Clark Johnson Sandhill Cranes

300-05 Laura Phipps Gilden Dresden I: Teal

Paradise

300-06 Marietjie Engelbrecht Windpump Somewhere

In Africa

### **MIXED TECHNIQUE**

310-01 Jeanne Brown Land That I Love 310-02 Eva Ellison Friendship Jubilee

310-03 Jaine Jewell Popped Up

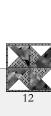
310-04 Mary Laskowski Glory to Ukraine

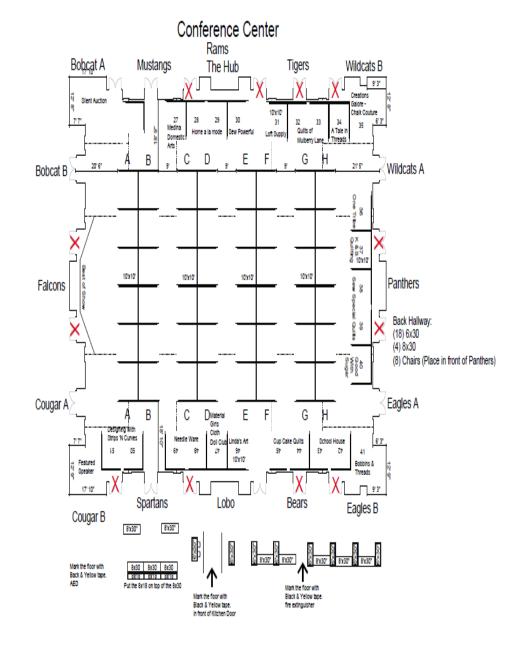
310-05 Patricia Lopes Tis The Season

310-06 Gail Smith Ties That Bind

310-07 Katie Stovall American Blooms

310-08 Donna Vandiver Twinkling Dresden's





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### PAPER PIECED LARGE

700-01 Martha Alderson Wensleydale Blues

700-02 Karen Cook Judy

700-03 Jennifer Cutler Crimson Poppy

700-04 Jo Dick Amermerizing

700-05 Marie Engelhart The Beast Becomes a Beauty

700-07 Ginny Hilton Lumina Feathered Star

700-08 Becky Noe Celtic Sunflowers

700-09 Tara Webb Poppy

700-10 Shelly Wiggins Scraps Forever

700-11 Nancy Youens Rainbow Circles

### PAPER PIECED SMALL

800-01 Becky Noe Grandpa's Dogwoods

800-02 Lori Smith So Dearly

800-03 Rhonda Van Alstine Colorful Designs

800-04 Nancy Youens Colorful Minis

800-05 Anita Arendall Wicked Wahani

# TRADITIONALLY PIECED EXTRA LARGE PROFESSIONALLY QUILTED

410-01 Mary Ellen Adkinson Silence of the Lambs

410-02 Jeanne Brown Farmer's Wife Sampler

410-03 Robin Galvin Churn Dash Path

410-04 Valerie Jolly Valerie's Broker Star

410-05 Tina Lauzon Good Morning

Sunshine

410-06 Tina Lauzon Soft Braids

410-07 Dianna Moore Spinning Poinsettias

410-08 Marian Page Australian BQ

410-09 Debbie Spoelker Starry Night

410-10 Mary Willyard Aussie



# TRADITIONALLY PIECED LARGE NON PROFESSIONAL

420-04 Madison Horinek
 420-05 Eileen Egloff
 420-06 Laura Phipps
 Dad's Starlit Retreat
 Boxes of Scraps
 Jolly Green Giant

# TRADITIONALLY PIECED LARGE PROFESSIONAL

430-01 Mary Ellen Atkinson Happy Scrappy 430-02 Ida Anderson Intertwined 430-03 Cynthia Auble Beth's Stars 430-04 Deborah Durr Celebrating Independence One Block Wonder 430-05 Jaine Jewell Day at the Lake 430-06 Lee Ann McGuinn Timeless 420-07 Kimberly Wilcox 430-07 Lee Ann McGuinn Old Navy 4th of July Quilt 430-08 Beverly Volker Two Color Pineapple 430-09 Janet Winkler Holiday Tree 430-10 Marietjie Engelbrecht Sunflower Galore 430-11 Victoria Queen Zing & Flutter



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# TRADITIONALLY PIECED SMALL NON PROFESSIONAL

600-01 Jo Dick Charlie & His Ladies

600-02 Eileen Egloff Astros

600-03 Rebecca Garcia Cobblestone Flower

600-04 Clark Johnson My World

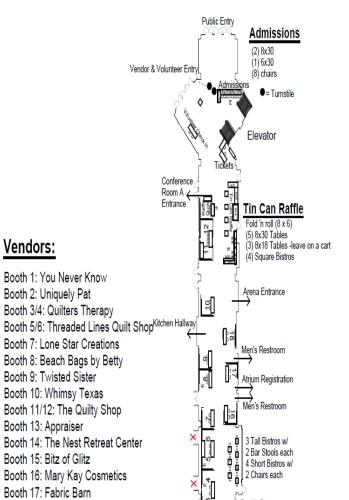
600-05 Lynn Loyd Christmas Borders Galore 600-06 Patsy Mosby Life is Just a Bowl of Cheery

# TRADITIONALLY PIECED SMALL PROFESSIONAL

610-03 Susan Bozwarth	Busy Bee Borders
610-04 Susan Bozwarth	Save the Selvages
610-06 Janet Cary	Highland Coo
610-07 Janet Cary	Falling Leaves
610-08 Deborah Durr	Batik Sampler
610-09 Marsha Franty	Texas Our Texas
610-10 Laura Gunn	Sewcialites
610-12 Marian Page	Checks Anyone
610-13 Beverly Volker	Precision Piecing



## Atrium



Vendors:

Booth 2: Uniquely Pat

Booth 9: Twisted Sister

Booth 13: Appraiser

Booth 15: Bitz of Glitz

Booth 17: Fabric Barn

### TRADITIONALLY PIECED MEDIUM

500-01 Kathy Arvin An Elegant Cottage

Home for the Holidays 500-03 Donna Granat

500-04 Carol Maloney **Batiks Galore** 

500-05 Bobbi Miller Sturgis Motorcycle Rally

Curved Flowers 500-08 Rhonda Van Alstine

## TRADITIONALLY PIECED MEDIUM **PROFESSIONAL**

510-02 Rosanna Daly Dia de los Muertos

510-03 Marsha Franty Spirit

**Baltimore Baskets** 510-04 Marsha Franty

510-05 Shelia Kristynik Feathered Star Texas

510-06 Mary Laskowski My Kaffe Flower Garden

Reunited Friends 510-07 Dianna Moore

Something New 510-08 Stephanie Moss

510-09 Carolyn Neiman Acadia

510-11 Katie Stovall **Bunny Trails** 

Diamond Chain 510-12 Lucy Supler

Chickens 510-13 Tara Webb

510-14 Tara Webb Vote

510-15 Yvonne Wilson Southwest Mountains

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