

## **PPQG Day Meeting Minutes July 11, 2025**

### **ATTENDEES**

- 60 attendees
- 1 new member (Mary Montgomery)
- 1 visitor

The meeting was called to order by Day Coordinator Patty Belvin at 10:01 am.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

- June 2025 Minutes: Motion to accept the June minutes was made by Nancy ShROUT and Jeanne Surber. Motion passed.
- June 2025 Treasurer's Report: No corrections. Motion was made to accept the Treasurer's Report as received for audit by Linda Odell and Lois Bates. Motion passed.
- Linda Odell reported "It's fixed." (referring to the website)
- President Shonda Berry asked for volunteers for a storage unit committee. This committee would work on dismantling the shelving in the old unit, moving and installing the shelving at Newmarket Baptist Church, and moving the guild belongings. Trucks and assistants are needed to help with the moving. Patty Swan noted that the guild has paid rent through Sept. 12th at the present storage facility.
- Susan Waddles (40th Anniversary) displayed T-shirts commemorating the 40th anniversary that can be purchased for \$15 each for sizes XS to XL and \$17 for sizes above 2X to 4X. Colors are blue, red, and gray and styles are short-sleeved crew neck or V-neck T-shirt. Please order shirts today, at the retreat, or at either of the August guild meetings. Cash or checks payable to PPQG are accepted. The guild will get a discount once forty shirts have been ordered. If one wishes to see the shirts and how the sizes run, go to T-Mania at Patrick Henry Mall (near Yankee Candle). The V-neck shirts run small and the crew neck shirts run large. Sandy Barnes and the guild thanked Susan for all her work on this upcoming celebration.
- There were 3 birthday celebrants for the month of July who selected fat quarters.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Cathy Sampson reported a last call for 9 squares for the block swap at the guild retreat. Contact Cathy if you have not turned yours in.
- Cathy Fowler reported the Bargello workshop has been moved to Friday, September 5th. This will be a make-up session that Barb Rutan has volunteered to teach. She also reminded members that once they have signed up for a workshop, there is no refund once the workshop is less than two weeks away. One can "sell" their class to another member, but there will be no refunds past that point. The Arpilleras class has been canceled after not meeting the minimum required signups.

- Debra Jones from Honor Quilts for Veterans requested that members please keep these donations going. Joy, Shirley, Calie and Bonnie have all helped with this important group. There are 7 tops that need to be quilted and there are volunteers who have offered to bind quilts as well. This group has backing and batting to be used for making quilt sandwiches. It would also be helpful to have someone prepare batting for quilts that are already measured. Honor quilts meet at St. George's church on July 12th.
- Peggy Taylor and Shonda Berry for Small Service Projects: Four quilts were received from Marilyn Rivera, 5 quilts from Frances McCay, and 1 quilt from Joyce McKeel. These baby quilts are donated to CHKD and Riverside Hospital.

## **PROGRAM**

The planned program speaker canceled due to pneumonia. The program was a display of and the story behind a favorite quilt of individual guild members. Quilts were displayed by Patty Swan, Gail Damato, Jeanne Surber, Cathy Fowler, Barbara Linde, Kitty Tully, Nancy Shrout, Loy Holt, Erika St. Dennis, Joy Duke, Carolyn Floyd, Natalie Hutchinson, Sandy Curran, Nancy Garnett, and Barbara Rutan. Sandy Curran encouraged the guild to submit a guild exhibition for Road2VA for 2026.

## **ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS AND NEW BUSINESS**

- **UFO'S:** Barbara Rutan thanked Jean and Megan Bailey for their help. UFO's were displayed by Joyce McKeel, Barbara Linde, Jeanne Surber, Valerie Lee, Natalie Hutchinson, Nancy Shrout, Peggy Taylor, Cathy Sampson, Lois Bates, Cathy Fowler, and Frances Tweedy. The drawing winner was Cathy Fowler.
- **BOM:** BOM is on vacation. Instructions were given out in June. Please return your blocks at the August meeting.
- **SUNSHINE:** Sandy Barnes is the sunshine person. Please alert her if you know of someone who should receive a card.
- **MONTHLY MINIS:** Winners were Barbara Rutan, Heide Borchardt, and Judy Madaras.
- **RAFFLE QUILT:** Catherine Elliott explained that the Raffle Quilt is displayed at the Sunshine Quilt Shop. Please sell tickets and buy tickets. The drawing will be on October 10th.
- **FINAL SHOW AND TELL:** Quilts were displayed by Lori Murdock, Natalie Hutchinson, Cathy Sampson, Barbara Linde, and Gail Damato.
- **DOOR PRIZES:** Door prizes were won by Coleen Ortiz, Crystalann Duarte, Frances McCay, Loy Holt, and Valerie Lee.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:31 AM.

Respectfully submitted by Judy Madaras