

December 2025

Cibolo Creek Quilters Guild

Our Mission: A non-profit 501(c)(3) organization celebrating traditional, modern, and artistic quilting. We promote and advance the art of quilting by exchanging ideas on all aspects of quilting to include teaching and improving our skill techniques, as well as supporting our community with charitable quilts, service projects and events.

Letter from the President

Guild Members,

It has been an honor to serve as your President and Sales Chair. Thank you for trusting me to lead our Guild. I think we have been successful in our focus on community outreach and the opportunities we have provided to get to know each other better. We have worked to simplify what we do to make serving you easier. This was the effort of a great team:

Karen W - PR, ex-President, the one with all the answers
Bonnie - Treasurer, Happy Scrappers, said yes to hard things – rock solid supporter

Andrea, Carol L., Cyndi - Programs, jugglers, magicians
Cathy P - Membership, friendship, Flood Recovery, prize princess

Cyndi - Newsletter Queen

Sharon R. - Charity Quilts, heart of gold

Carol S - Secretary, by my side wrangler

Judi - Retreats & guild memory/historian

I also greatly appreciate Deanie & Elaine, encouragers extraordinaire!

Please take a moment to email, text, or thank in person the team that has made our guild possible.

For His Glory,
Jennifer



Officers

President – Jennifer Hill

President pro tem (Fundraising) – open

1st VP (Programs) – Andrea Friend, Carol

Lunday, Cyndi Snyder

2nd VP (Membership) – Cathy Pineda

Secretary – Carol Schultz

Treasurer – Bonnie Walshe

Committee Chairs

Community Outreach Coordinators –
Sharon Reis and Louisa Fuentes

Happy Scrappers Bee (Charity quilts) –
Bonnie Walshe

Public Relations – Karen Walsemann

Applique Bee – Judi Burr

Newsletter – Cyndi Snyder

Quilts of Honor – Polly Sparks

Retreats – Judi Burr

VOTING RESULTS

2026-2027 President – Carol Schultz
2026-2027 Treasurer – Ann Huddleston
2026-2027 Secretary – POSITION NOT FILLED

2026-2027 Shirley Smith Award Winner – BONNIE WALSH

Membership Renewal

It's that time again. If you haven't done so, please renew your membership either online at cibolocreekquiltersguild.org or you can pay Cathy Pineda directly.

Member Notes

Board Meetings are the first Tuesday of each month and you are welcome to attend. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, January 6, 10 – 11:30 am at the Patrick Henry Public Library Conference Room (2nd floor).

If you are not a board member and would like to attend, please contact Carol Schultz (carol@hchomeandland.com) to confirm and ensure there have no changes in meeting date/time/location.

Copies of the board meetings, guild meeting minutes, treasurer's reports, and newsletters are available on the CCQG website at cibolocreekquiltersguild.org.

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

JoAnn Stone
Kathleen Swafford
Bonnie Walshe
Ann Hinton



Community Outreach/Donation Reporting - 2025

Item Category	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Adult Lap Quilt	4	4	4	5	9	15	5	1	0	5	1	0	53
Teen Lap Quilt	2	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Clothing Protector	12	2	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	0	31
Laundry Bag	0	0	0	0	0	8	12	0	0	12	14	0	46
Walker Bag	2	2	2	30	4	8	14	0	0	4	0	0	66
Wheelchair Quilt	2	2	2	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	12
Baby-Toddler Quilt	24	22	10	2	5	2	7	0	0	4	1	0	77
Twin	1	2	1	1	3	3	0	1	0	2	1	0	15
Quilt of Honor	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Toiletry Bag	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	0	27	0	51
Tote Bag	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	2	0	14
Neck Warmer	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Wall Hanging	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	5
Total All Categories YTD													387

2026 Workshops

April 10, 2026	Vickie Owen	Workshop: Pixelated Quilts	
May 15, 2026	Karen Walsemann	Workshop: Foundation Paper Piecing	Step by step instructions to piece multiple examples of the Whirling Party block. Tips and tools will be demonstrated and watch your primary and secondary designs come to life. You can use kits provided by the Guild or bring your own fabric (per the Supply List)
June 17, 2026	Ruth Johnson, Uptown Blanco	Workshop: Blue Onion	
August 14, 2026	Annie Smith	Workshop: "Absolutely Essential Machine Applique"	
September 10, 2026	Michelle Watts	Wearable Art Trunk & Fashion Show	
September 11, 2026	Michelle Watts	Workshop: TBD	

The 2026 Fun Challenge: Black and White + One



- ✓ Open to all members
- ✓ No entry fee
- ✓ Guidelines:
 - * 40x40" minimum quilt using your choice of black and white fabrics, plus one color
 - ** "One color" includes all the tints, shades, and tones of that color
 - ** The B&W can be solids, tone-on-tones, white prints on black, or black prints on white
 - * use any pattern you'd like
 - * the backing does NOT have to be limited to B&W+1

On October 8th, all members will have the opportunity to vote for their favorite quilts in these categories:

- ✓ Large quilts (>51x51")
- ✓ Small quilts (40-50x40-50")
- ✓ Most interesting back

FAQs – as of 21 Nov 2025. Will be updated as needed

1. Do I need to register? **Yes!** The program team will have a signup sheet so that they can plan for display purposes.
2. Can I enter more than one quilt? **Yes!** You may enter any number of quilts that meet the guidelines.
3. Can I use a panel? **Yes!** As long as it is B&W+1 and at least 40x40".
4. Can I use gray? **Yes!** It's either the blending of black and white or a tone of some color.

BEES



Everyone is invited to participate in our monthly bee gatherings. No experience is required. These are opportunities to get together with friends, share ideas, learn new things, and collaborate on projects.

Applique Bee: Regular meetings have resumed and will be meeting at Kronkosky, Craft Room #134 the third Thursday of the month at least until the end of the year. We are able to get there at 9:30am for those that want an earlier start and have room until noon. Contact Judi Burr (appr216@yahoo.com) for information. She will update you on the location of the upcoming meetings.

Happy Scrappers: Meets the first Wednesday of the month, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at The Center in Boerne. This group works together on quilts that are later donated to our local charities. We need volunteers to sew, cut, or iron. Contact Bonnie Walshe (brwalshe@gvtc.com) for more information.

Sew and Sews (Bulverde): Meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, 1:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m. at the Hidden Trails Amenity Center. This group works together and independently on all types of projects, many of which are quilts that are donated to local charities. Contact Donna Adkins (profadkins9961@yahoo.com) for more information.

Upcoming Events

January 8, 2026

Demo by Susan Dreis and Gail Brunell – Exploding Pineapple Demo

February 12, 2026

Speaker -Deborah Bradley with The Texas Quilt Museum – A Legacy of Texas Quilts

March 12, 2026

Hello Spring! Extended Show and Tell

April 9, 2026

Vickie Owen – Pixelated Quilts Trunk Show

April 10, 2026

Vickie Owen – Pixelated Quilt Workshop (Location TBD)

May 14, 2026

Karen Walsemann – Foundation Paper Piecing

May 15, 2026

Karen Walsemann – Foundation Paper Piecing Workshop (Location TBD)

June 11, 2026

Summer Social

June 17, 2026

Ruth Johnson – Workshop on Blue Onion Quilt at Uptown Blanco

July 9, 2026

Carol Schultz & Programs Team - Patriotic Quilt Extended Show & Tell

August 13, 2026

Annie Smith – Machine Applique Trunk Show

August 14, 2026

Annie Smith – Absolutely Essential Machine Applique Workshop (Location TBD)

SEW & TELL

(If we missed your names or listed names incorrectly, please let us know)

Lisa A.



Joyce C



Carolyn S.



Karen V.



Amy T.



New Member(s)



Lorna L



Donna F.



Unknown



Mimi M



Happy Scrappers



Susan Da



Karen W.



Hobbs Batting, and you

Did you know that the [Hobbs Batting Company](#) has a program just for organizations that quilt for charity? And it's so easy to participate – all you need to do is turn in the UPC label from packaged Hobbs batting to Andrea Friend. She and a Board member will take care of the rest.

This batting will not be resold. It will be used by CCQG members to create items for donation to charitable institutions or groups.



Charity Batting Program - Hobbs Quilt Batting

We love quilters who give back! So many members of our community participate in quilting for a variety of worthwhile causes that we'd love to support. Here's how you can help: Post photos of your charity projects on our Instagram Feed. Let us know that you use Hobbs Batting in your projects and please include the name ...

www.hobbsbatting.com

You can contact these members directly if you need help finishing a charity quilt:

Long Arm Quilters:

Tracey B
Ann H
Judi B
Tammy S

Quilt Binders:

Karen W
Cathy P
Ann H
Gail B
Cyndi S
Andrea F
Mimi M
Donna A
Susan Dr
Susan Da

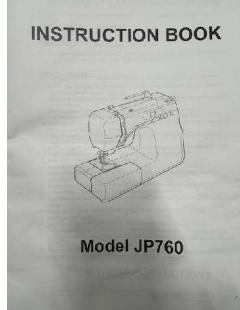
For donation quilts contact Ann H. for batting. Be prepared with information about the size of the quilt and she can cut you a piece.

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Contact Ann Hinton

(830) 955-6020



STARS OVER TEXAS QUILT SHOW

The Friendship Quilt Guild is excited to announce their 2026 Stars Over Texas Quilt Show on February 20 and 21, 2026, at the Fireman's Training Center at 1101 Hwy 290 West, Brenham, Texas, 77833. The biennial show features traditional and contemporary quilts in a judged exhibition. There will be vendors selling fabric, sewing machines, as well as a boutique for unique gifts, quilts for sale and hospice quilts on display. Tickets are \$12.00 and children under 12 are free.

More information about the quilt show may be found at FriendshipQuiltGuild.com.



Friday, February 20, 2026
10 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Saturday, February 21, 2026
10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Admission \$12 – Children under 12 free
Fireman's Training Center
1101 Hwy 290 W
Brenham, TX 77833
Juried
Contemporary - Traditional
Quilt Show
Quilts for Sale ~ Boutique ~ Vendors
Door Prizes
HOSPICE Brazos Valley
Charity Quilt Challenge
Donation Quilt Drawing – 3 p.m.
Saturday, February 21, 2026
Donation Tickets 6 for \$5

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Our donation quilt is called "Lucky Stars" - pattern design by Linda Jenkins & Becky Goldsmith from Piece O' Cake Designs from Q&T Publishing. The quilt is 80 x 90 inches. It was pieced and hand quilted by guild members and custom quilted by Helen Rode. We want to thank Deborah Wallace for the quilt photography.

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