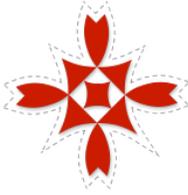


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**Quilters' Guild of Dallas
General Meeting
October 5, 2017**

President Cindy Matthews called the meeting to order at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church. The ice- breaker questions were about the State Fair: Are you going? Will you see the quilts? Did you enter a quilt?

OFFICER REPORTS

1st VP Lut De Meulder reported that many quilts had been turned in and awarded Dana Ryan a gift certificate for a workshop. She announced that we would vote on our favorite challenge quilt later in the meeting and reminded us that we would be sewing on Covers for Kids next month.

2nd VP Sue Maze reported the deaths of two members.

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3rd VP Pat Galvan gave thanks to Our Redeemer Lutheran Church for allowing us to meet there this month. The November meeting will not have a program as we will be sewing on Covers for Kids. Pepper Cory will be featured at the December meeting and will present two workshops. She hopes to have samples next month.

6th VP Richard Larson encouraged us to enter show quilts before the final deadline, and also reminded us that many volunteers are needed to make a successful show.

7th VP Patty Edwards thanked Mary Masal for the lesson of the month on postcard quilts. There will be no lesson of the month in November, but in December the lesson topic will be "Quilt As You Go." She also urged the group to continue to make mini-quilts.

Florence Beaird announced that the directory had been sent to the printers today and will be ready later this month.

Rhonda Anderson reported details about the January retreat, with special emphasis on the meal plans.

Linda Newman reported that there are eight blocks left for the Show Block Contest, with the theme "Tropical Rainforest." Kits are \$10.00 each, which will be returned when the finished block is turned in. She has already received two blocks.

Ten members participated in Bring And Brag, including the 10 year old grand-daughter of a member.

Sherrie Tootle introduced the speaker, Alisa Banks, who presented a program entitled "An Artist Inspired by Quilts."

Following the program, the winners of the challenge quilt contest were announced and given gift certificates to quilt stores. The winners of the Covers for Kids challenge are Judy Kriehn (3rd), Candy Mahaffey (2nd), and Sue Holland (1st). We had nine entries with the same train fabric used in various ways in their quilts!

Cindy Matthews announced that there were five visitors and six new members, for a total of eighty-nine present. Everyone received a door prize of a \$10.00 gift card to the Rockin' Bobbin quilt store.

Respectfully submitted,
Joanne Jones
Secretary, 2017-18