

# **GALA Quilt Guild Meeting Minutes**

## **July 20, 2024**

**President's Welcome:** Bettyanne McGlinchey called the meeting to order.

There were 36 present including two new members.

**Vice President's Report:** Glenna Shephard

**Programs and Workshops:**

1. Today - resizing blocks presented by Pat Carlson at the end of the meeting
2. Today - Cathy Vancour demonstrating Grace Cutie Frame
3. Today - Round Robin exchange after meeting
4. Today - Brown Bag exchange
5. August program - quilt judge
6. August workshop - zipper pouch with divider presented by Linda Hayes
7. September program - quilting bingo
8. September workshop - Collage quilting presented by Lisa Romans

**Treasurer's Report:** Audrey Bergeron

1. 49 members
2. Balance - \$7,699.56

**Secretary's Report:** Beth Hickman

1. Please look for Monthly Agenda via email Thursday before the meeting
2. Minutes from previous meetings can be found at [galaquiltguild.com](http://galaquiltguild.com) under the Meetings tab
3. If not receiving emails let Beth know

**Old Business:**

1. Guild "Member Yard Sale" now scheduled for November 16, 2024 following the regular meeting
2. NICU blankets in memory of LeeAnn Scogins are due by October 19th meeting
3. Mini Retreat
  - a. Friday and Saturday, July 26-27; 9:30 - 4:00 EST; First United Methodist Church of Phenix City - 1600 Sandfort Road
  - b. You can still sign-up and pay your \$15 if have not already done so.
  - c. Bring your own projects to work on.

- d. Two mini workshops will be available. Friday: Curved Tulip Block led by Audrey Bergeron. Saturday: String quilt block led by Beth Hickman.
- e. Bring scrap fabric you would like to get rid of for a "Scrap Mountain"

4. **September 28th quilt workshop** with Diane Vandiver:

- a. 9:00 - 4:00 EST; First United Methodist Church of Phenix City - 1600 Sandfort Road
- b. Non-member fee is \$50 if room available: Workshop is currently FULL
- c. [butterflythreadsquilting.com](http://butterflythreadsquilting.com) is Diane's website. You may purchase the pattern for Savannah there.
- d. Glenna Shephard has a supply list
- e. The Guild will provide a catered lunch
- f. Tips would be appreciated for the custodian

**Pillow case project:** Bettyanne is still accepting finished pillowcases until December. Kits are available for these.

**New Business:**

1. Suggestions are needed for groups to send donation to and items to donate. The local Veterans home has closed.

**DRAWINGS:**

**Blocks of Valor:** Francis Thomason

**Sign In:** Mary Bray

**Name Tag:** Pat Carlson and Audrey Bergeron

**BOM:** Bettyanne McGlinchey

**Show and Tell:** There were lots of beautiful items shown.

Meeting was adjourned.

**ICE CREAM SOCIAL followed the meeting.**