



# The Quilting Press

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## President's Message

Hi everyone:

This year is moving by fast! Almost May! I hope everyone enjoyed the April meeting as much as I did. Linda Neal and her "Award Winning Quilts" were amazing! What an inspiration to see something so beautiful.

May is on the way and the Quilt Show is coming soon! I hope you are all working on a quilt to enter in the show. It amazes me how the Irving Quilt Guild does so much volunteer work and then pulls a rabbit out of the hat to fully participate in a Quilt Show by entering quilts and volunteering to work. You are all simply amazing!

Call any of us on the Board if you have questions. We have a fantastic summer planned and look forward to learning new things! May food for those at the end of the alphabet (Q-Z) is May-wiches. Contact Susan Holt if you need to know what to bring.

Happy Spring!

Stitching our lives together with your help,

Shawn  
469 585-9368



### Mother day

Mother's Day in the United States is annually held on the second Sunday of May. It celebrates motherhood and a time to appreciate mothers and mother figures. Many people give gifts, cards, flowers, candy, a meal in a restaurant, or other treats to their mother and mother figures, including grandmothers, great-grandmothers, stepmothers, foster mothers.

### Memorial Day

Memorial Day is observed on the last Monday of May. It was formally known as Decoration Day and commemorates all men and women, who have died in military service for the United States. Many people visit cemeteries and memorials on Memorial Day and it is traditionally seen as the start of the summer season.

## IQG General Meeting Minutes

Date: April 18 Meeting

Meeting was called to order at 7:00PM

Connie Angeles welcomed several visitors to the meeting. No sunshine and shadows this month.

Cynthia talked about TAQG in July. She will have raffle tickets and admission tickets for sale, along with lunch tickets next month.

A copy of the treasury report was given to each table and will be posted.

Susan Turk gave us the next section of the mystery quilt. Susan Grewing showed her sections.

Susan Grewing also showed the North Star Quilt Bock, Narwhale.

Susan Holt mentioned the Quilt Show. Everyone can sign up to enter quilts, to volunteer to work and any mini quilts that you want to donate to the guild for sale. The IQG website has the link posted to do this.

Susan Hyde, Donna Reid and Athenia will be handling our booth.

Linda Scott told that we were finishing the Irish Weave class at Quilters Dream on the 20<sup>th</sup>.

Linda Neil was introduced as our guest speaker from McKinney. She showed her quilts and explained her process for making them award winning and what Judges were looking for. She had 7 steps that judges are checking and added that everyone should consider making the quilt your own by adding small element such as embellishment to them. She had 2 really good sayings, "When you know better, you do better!" and "Luck is preparation meeting Opportunity!"

Evelyn Banks won points for the Angel Quilt drawing. There were several Quilt Of Valor turned in to Carol.

48Hr quilts were shown along with regular show and tell.

Food next month is Q-C, May-wiches. If you didn't sign up get in touch with Susan Holt.

### President's Quilt

May Meeting will be the last time to get your President's block to Susan Turk. Thanks!



# Memorial Day

IRVING QUILT GUILD 2019 BUDGET

INCOME	2019	January	February	March	Quarter 1
	Budget				
Membership Dues(70 mbrs)	\$2,100.00	\$2,106.70	\$ 65.00		\$2,171.70
Advertising	\$100.00				
Misc. Cash Donations	\$100.00				
Magazine/Guild Sales				\$34.16	\$34.16
Misc. Fundraisers	\$200.00				
Programs		\$340.00	\$383.85	\$405.00	\$1,128.85
Retreat (2) 18 @ 300	\$10,800.00	\$4,373.70	\$174.84	\$3,422.70	\$7,971.24
Quilt Show	\$5,500.00				
Total Income	\$18,800.0	\$6,820.40	\$623.69	\$3,861.60	\$11,305.90

EXPENSES	Budget				
48 Hour Appreciation	\$400.00	\$369.60			\$369.60
Membership Supplies	\$200.00				
Membership Guild Events	\$250.00				
Membership Newsletter	\$150.00	\$15.18	\$34.23		\$49.41
Membership Directory	\$150.00		\$122.98		\$122.98
TAQG	\$25.00	\$25.00			\$25.00
1st VP Programs	\$500.00	\$250.15		\$405.00	\$655.15
2nd VP Programs/Pres.Gift	\$200.00				
Community Fund	\$200.00		\$81.10		\$81.10
Rent-Oakview Church	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00			\$1,500.00
P. O. Box	\$150.00				
Texas Sales Tax	\$100.00	\$66.00			\$66.00
Webmaster	\$200.00	\$179.40			\$179.40
Retreat (2) 18 @300	\$10,800.0	\$95.42		\$8,053.85	\$8,149.27
Quilt Show	\$1,300.00				
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$675.00	\$4.78			\$4.78
Total Expenses	\$8,800.00	\$2,505.53	\$238.31	\$8,458.85	\$11,202.6

Anniversary Party Expenses \$278.71

## PINEAPPLE POKE CAKE

1 yellow or white cake mix  
1-2 cups pecans  
1-2 teaspoons vanilla

Mix and bake as directed on box but add additional 5-10 minutes because of pecans.

While cake is baking, empty a 20 oz can of pineapple bits and 1-2 cups of white sugar, brown sugar or a mix of both together in a pan. (I used 1.5 cups of brown sugar). Stir over medium to high heat until sugar melts. Let sit until cake cools about 10 minutes.

### FROSTING:

1 package cream cheese  
1-2 teaspoons of vanilla  
1/2 cup melted butter  
4-6 cups powdered sugar

About 1/4 cup of the juice of the pineapple mix(just enough to thin frosting enough to spread) Mix well

Poke holes in cake using a knife, wooden spoon handle or chop stick. Reserve and drain about 1/2-3/4 of a cup of the pineapple. Pour the rest evenly over the cake.

Dollop frosting over top of cake. Spread as best you can evenly over cake. Dollop saved pineapple over spread frosting. Spread as best you can. Sprinkle with pecans.

Enjoy

Thanks, Patricia

## Murder by the Book

(2018)

(The first book in the **Bookstore Mystery** series)

A novel by Lauren Elliott

*Addie Greyborne loved working with rare books at the Boston Public Library - she even got to play detective, tracking down clues about mysterious old volumes. But she didn't expect her sleuthing skills to come in so handy in a little seaside town . . .*

Addie left some painful memories behind in the big city, including the unsolved murder of her fiance and her father's fatal car accident. After an unexpected inheritance from a great aunt, she's moved to a small New England town founded by her ancestors back in colonial times - and living in spacious Greyborne Manor, on a hilltop overlooking the harbor. Best of all, her aunt also left her countless first editions and other treasures - providing an inventory to start her own store.

But there's trouble from day one, and not just from the grumpy woman who runs the bakery next door. A car nearly runs Addie down. Someone steals a copy of *Alice in Wonderland*. Then, Addie's friend Serena, who owns a nearby tea shop, is arrested - for killing another local merchant. The police seem pretty sure they've got the story in hand, but Addie's not going to let them close the book on this case without a fight . . .

# Angel Quilts

You turned in 18 Angel Quilts at the April meeting Thursday. These were delivered to Scottish Rite Hospital Friday. The different departments who receive these quilts love them. In addition to being beautiful and colorful they're soothing to the children. You make a quilt you make a smile.

Evelyn Banks won the Lite Red raffle for 4 points again. What luck. Thanks to all for your continued support.

Donna Reid 214 435-4148 [donna@acdenterprises.com](mailto:donna@acdenterprises.com)



## LOVE THY BABY... need to get your Volunteer hours done?

Would you consider doing some small quilts and or Receiving blanks for us?

Love Thy Baby provides all the fabric so if your stash is short and you want volunteer hours please consider doing blankets for us.

We provide all the fabric needed all you have to do is surge or a rolled hem on the 36 x 36 flannel. Small quilts 36 x 36 are completely put together all you have to do is do the quilting on top in the ditch or meandering.

\*Small quilts are 1 for 1 Point

\*Surging or rolled hem on the receiving blankets 10 for 2 Points

\*Hats, diaper shirts and booties are 10 for 2 Point

**Please remember to bring all your Receiving Blankets, small quilts and hats back to our next meeting. Please make sure you return them in the white bag that you took them in along with the tag on the bag**

If you have any questions, please contact me.

I thank you – and Love Thy Baby thanks you.

LaCora McSwain 972-255-6233 or [l.mcswain4@verizon.net](mailto:l.mcswain4@verizon.net)



## Speakers & Workshops for 2019

16-May	Program	Sharon Wilhelm -- Slashings Bold and Dangerous
18-May	Workshop	Angel Quilts & Love Thy Baby (Jaycee Small)
20-Jun	Program	No Speaker June Pot Luck
22-Jun	Workshop	2 Fabric Borgello Amy (Jaycee Large)
18-Jul	Program	Must Love Fabric lecture and merchandise from shop
20-Jul	Workshop	No Workshop (Jaycee Small)
15-Aug	Program	FAT QUARTER SHUFFLE (GUILD ACTIVITY)
17-Aug	Workshop	No Workshop (Jaycee Small)
19-Sep	Program	Terry Mosher -- History of Male Quilters Since the 16th Century
	Workshop	Distinctive Dresden English Paper Piecing Terry Mosher (JC Small)
17-Oct	Program	Michelle Dorsey -- Trunk show on her Bags
19-Oct	Workshop	My Retreat Bag (Jaycee Small)
21-Nov	Program	Mary Calloway - Kooky, Quirky, Crazy, Quilts plus Unusual Collectibles
23-Nov	Workshop	Guild Mystery Quilt - Susan Turk (Jaycee Large)
19-Dec	Program	Christmas Party
	Workshop	No Workshop

## Key Lime Pie Cheesecake Bars

- 1 can (8 oz) Pillsbury™ refrigerated crescent dinner rolls
- 4 oz (half 8-oz package) cream cheese, softened
- 1/2 teaspoon grated lime peel
- Dash of salt
- 1 can (14 oz) sweetened condensed milk (not evaporated)
- 1/2 cup Key lime juice
- 1 egg yolk
- About 1 cup whipped cream topping, if desired
- Additional grated lime peel, if desired

Preheat oven to 350°F. Line 8-inch square pan with foil, allowing foil to extend over two sides of pan; spray foil lightly with cooking spray.

Unroll dough; separate into two short rectangles. Place one rectangle in bottom of pan; press to cover bottom, pressing seams to seal. Press seams to seal on other short rectangle of dough. Cut into 4 (2-inch-wide) strips. Press strips around edges of pan, pinching seams to seal between bottom dough and side dough. Use fork to gently pierce dough all over. Bake 5 minutes; remove from oven.

Meanwhile, in a large bowl, beat cream cheese, 1/2 teaspoon lime peel and the salt with whisk until well combined. Beat in condensed milk, lime juice and egg yolk with whisk until smooth.

Pour into partially baked crust in pan. Bake 18 to 20 minutes longer or until crust is light golden brown and bars begin to pull away from sides of pan. Cool to room temperature, about 45 minutes. Cover pan with foil; refrigerate 3 hours.

To cut bars, lift foil to remove bars from pan; place on cutting board. Cut into 3 rows by 3 rows. Top each with whipped cream topping and lime peel. If you can't find Key limes, substitute with a mixture of equal parts lime juice and lemon juice. Switch the Key lime juice and lime zest with lemon juice and lemon zest for a Lemon Cheesecake Bar!

## 2019 Mystery Quilt Challenge – April

Irving Quilt Guild by Susan Turk

**Unit 5** (label and put in ziplock bag)

Instructions given for Lap Size. **Twin Size will be in parenthesis.**

### **Summary:**

Make 24 (48) rectangle snowballs using fabric 1 & 5. Unfinished size should be 2 ½" X 6 ½"

### **Detail Instructions:**

- Fabric 5 - Cut 24 (48) 2 ½" X 6 ½"
- Fabric 1 - Cut 48 (96) 2 ½" X 2 ½"
- Mark a diagonal line on wrong side of the 2 ½" squares
- Arrange two 2 ½" squares align with each 2 ½" X 6 ½" rectangle (see diagram), right sides together. Sew on the lines drawn.



- You have three options for the excess fabric from the Snowball:
  - o Leave it alone
  - o Cut off the excess and either keep or trash it.
  - o Sew a line ½" away from the previous sewn line toward the outside. Cut in between the sewn lines and keep the small triangle for a mini quilt or another project.
- Press Rectangle shape and should measure 2 ½" X 6 ½".

It should look like this:



\*\*\* If you have any questions, please email Susan Turk ([susanturk182@hotmail.com](mailto:susanturk182@hotmail.com))

# Friendship Groups

Guild members are cordially invited to join a sewing group for fellowship, growth and stitching.  
Most groups have room for new members.

## Threadpickers

Threadpickers meets at Saint Mark's Episcopal Church which is at the corner of 6<sup>th</sup> St. and O'Connor on the second Thursday of each month, from 10 am to 2 pm.

If you are looking for a friendly daytime group, please meet with us at St Mark's! You can "Brown Bag" your lunch and bring your drink or choose one of the restaurants in downtown Irving.

Bring a project to work on and be ready for a couple of hours of friendship and good conversation.

For more information, contact me!

**Cynthia Gladden**  
**972-790-9024**



## Frayed Knots

(Second: Monday 4:30PM – 6PM)

We meet on the Second Monday at 1:00pm to sew for the day and have a meeting at Jaycee Park in the Large room.

Several of us did bring our machines and were productive. This is an opportunity to meet, sew, and get help if you need it. Of course, our opinions are worth what it cost you to get it, nothing.

Come for the afternoon to sew and have fun. Everyone is invited. We finish about 5:30 and clean up to go home.

If you have any questions, please call me!

Sue Gray

214-850-9517

### Food for the first half of 2019:

May: last names from Q-Z

June: Potluck Dinner

## Material Woman

(Second Monday - 6-9 pm – Holy Family Church)

Throughout the year we work on new blocks and quilt patterns. We turn these into Angel Quilts and use them in our own projects. Everyone is welcome to bring their own projects to work on. All are welcome.

Donna Reid  
[donna@acdenterprises.com](mailto:donna@acdenterprises.com)





## Officers

### President:

Shawn Carr

### 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President:

Linda Scott

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-President:

Susan Turk

### Treasurer:

Cynthia Gladden

### Secretary:

Ginny North

## Chairpersons

### Angel Quilts:

Donna Reid

### Audit:

Deborah Kay

### Door Prizes/Fabric Lotto:

IQG Team

### Historian:

Nancy Norris

### Hospitality:

Susan Holt

### Keeper Quilts:

Janie Merritt

### Love Thy Baby:

LaCora McSwain

### Membership:

Suzanna Fox

### Newsletter Editor:

Judy Poole

### Nomination:

### Parliamentarian:

### Quilt Show:

Carol Cook

### Quilts of Valor:

Carol Cook

### Raffle Quilt:

### Scholarships:

### Sunshine & Shadow/ Welcoming:

Connie Angeles

### TAQG:

Cynthia Gladden

### Webmaster:

Susan Turk

## Officer's Meetings

The Officers and Committee Members meet the second Thursday of each month at Oakview Baptist Church (north entrance) at 1004 South Story Road, Irving. We meet at 6:00 and everyone is welcome.

## Long Arm Machine Quilters

Linda Cole	214-727-4397
Janie Merritt	469-644-2867
Linda Scott	972-986-7890
Bonnie Sloan	972-252-8067
Susan Turk	214-236-7975

## May Birthdays

2	Mae Harless
9	Cynthia Jauregar
9	Jeannie Persyn
16	Ginny North
16	Barbara Coughlin
27	Susan Hyde
27	Pam Setzhorn
28	Susan Turk



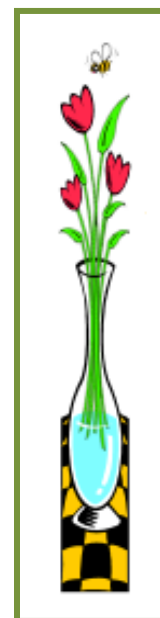
## Membership

Current Members	78
New Members	0
Meeting Attendance	44
Guests	0
Total attending	44

## Dues Information

The Guild's annual dues are due at the November meeting for the following year. All members are required to wear their current membership card as their name badge. A 50¢ fine is charged if not worn at the meeting.

**Dues are \$30.00 per year.**



*Be Courteous to our  
Speakers and Members*



*and **TURN OFF** your **CELL  
PHONES**  
during the meetings!*



## Irving Quilt Guild

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### NEWSLETTER DEADLINES

Please submit all newsletter contributions, letters, reports, black & white photos, prepaid advertisements, etc. to the editor at [judy343@tx.rr.com](mailto:judy343@tx.rr.com)

All ads must be prepaid, camera ready, and fit the size requirement. Ads received after the deadline will be included in the next month's publication. Deadline for publication is the third Thursday of each month for the following month's issue.

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\$15.25/6 mo; \$30/yr.

**1/4 pg (3.5X4.5)** \$5.75/mo;  
\$15/3 mo; \$29/6 mo; \$57/yr.

**/2 pg (7X4.5)** \$11/mo;  
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\$107/6 mo; \$210/yr.

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### May Meeting Reminders:

- Items for Show and Tell
  - ❖ Angel Quilts
  - ❖ Quilt of Valor
  - ❖ Love Thy Baby Items
- Food & Drink – Q-Z

March 2019			
5/11/19	Officers Meeting	6:00 pm	Oakview Baptist Church
4/18/19	Guild Meeting	6:30 – 9:00 pm	Oakview Baptist Church
2nd Monday	Frayed Knots	4:30 - 9:00 pm	Jaycee Park
2nd Thursday	Threadpickers	10:00 am – 2 pm	Saint Mark's
2nd Monday	Material Women	6:00 – 9:00 pm	Holy Family Church

### IRVING QUILT GUILD MISSION STATEMENT

Promote fellowship among persons interested in all aspects of quilt making. Preserve our quilt-making heritage and traditions. Participate in quilt-related projects that are of service to our community.

**Please visit our website  
to learn more about the IQG!**

**[www.IrvingQuiltGuild.com](http://www.IrvingQuiltGuild.com)**

*They Served With Honor*  
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