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Feb 2025

Points of Special Interest

Feb 8, 2025

Executive board mtg 10:00 at the Ouachita parish library

March 8, 2025

Guild Mtg 10:00 at the Ouachita parish library

Moonlight hosting Shop Hop

Begins March 13, 2025

Seeker Springs Retreat

April 14-17

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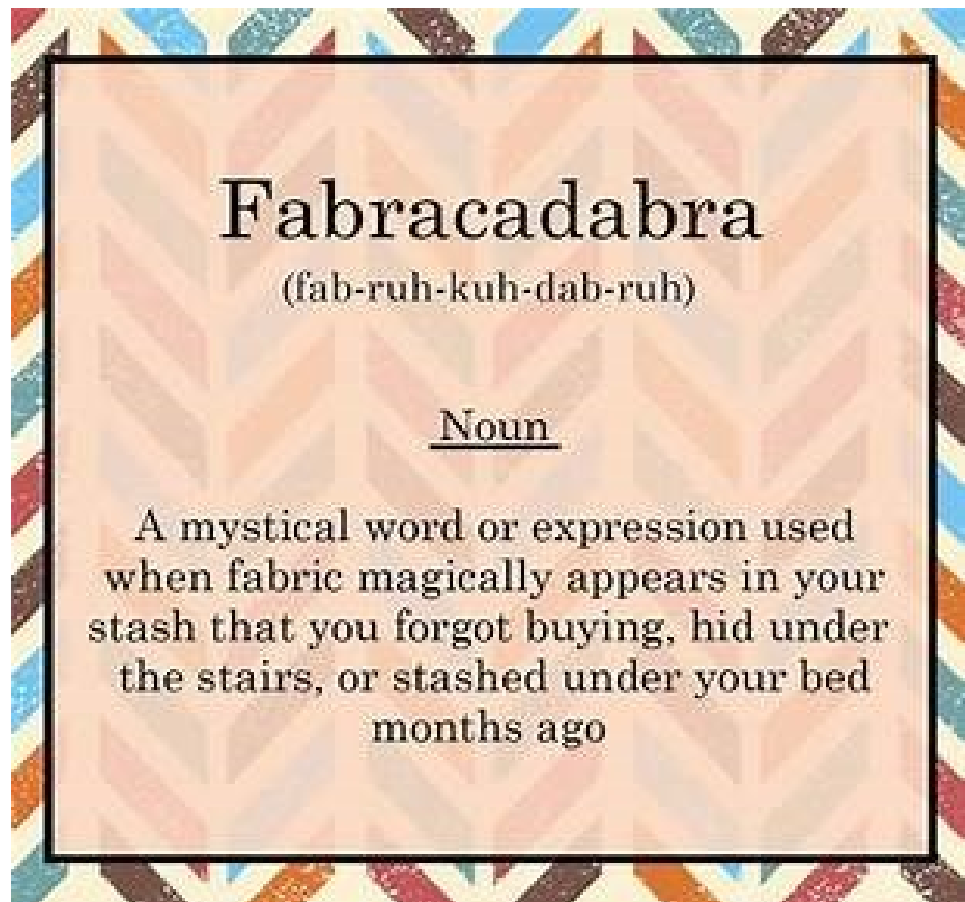
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Hello fellow quilter's hope everyone is staying warm.

Just a reminder about executive board meeting February 8th, 10 am at Ouachita parish library and the guild meeting March 8th , 10 am Ouachita parish library.

Most important the shop hop starts March 13th. We should all get a passport this is a very fun time. I enjoyed the last one, this one will be just as fun. So let's all hop to the beach .

April 14th - 17th is retreat Seeker Springs, Kim Shamblin has details. We can work on shop hop quilt or quilt top for the drawing. Happy sewing Cathy Poe



Morning Stars

President: Kim Shamblin
Secretary: Dale Bankston
Historian: Lahonda Littleton
Parliatarian: Morning Stars!

Vice President: Irene Danna
Treasurer: Donna Evans
Board Rep: Betsy Trapp



Our meeting will be on February 4, 2025 at 9:30 am at the Senior Center.
Look forward to seeing you all there!

SUNSHINE

President: Jean Crain
Vice President: Kathie Hebert
Secretary: Angelle Pellegrin

Treasurer: Sandy Griffin
Historian: Donna Joseph
Board Rep: Theresa LeBlanc



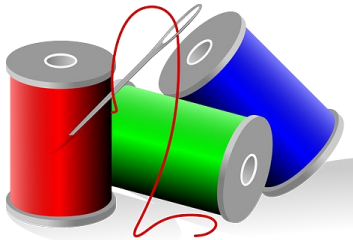
Sunshine Chapter meeting was cancelled due to the inclement weather on January 9, 2025. Next meeting will be the regular scheduled meeting on February 6, 2025, 1:30pm at the Carolyn Rose Strauss Center on Ferrand Street.

Sunshine will discuss UFOs. The Program will be given by Janet Cooper and Donna Joseph on making a Tri Fold Pocket. As always, we will have Show and Tell.

Grateful Threads

President: Tomi Tharp
 Secretary: Teresa Thomas
 Historian: Angi Sandifer

Vice President: Donna Gwin
 Treasurer: Peggy Moffett
 Board Rep: Lucy Holtzclaw



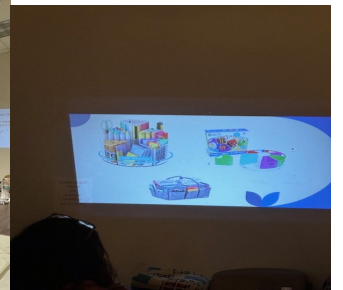
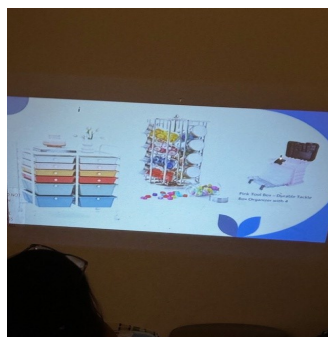
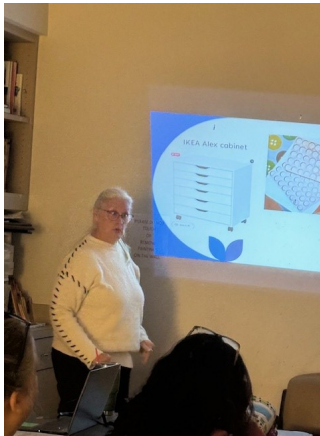
Members of Grateful Threads met Monday, January 6, 2025, at the Carolyn Rose Strauss Senior Center.

Member Donna Gwin presented our program on “How do you do that? A look at sewing space organization”. The program was great and offered many wonderful ideas. Members plan to use the ideas to organize and start out the new year with goals for completing projects in their space.

Members also participated in Show and Tell, showing great items they made, as well as some gift items used to celebrate something they made.

The chapter will meet on February 3, 2025 at Carolyn Rose Strauss Senior Center. Meet and greet at 5:30pm, meeting begins at 6pm. The program “I found a Quilted Heart” and “Pocket Prayers” will be presented by Donna Gwin and Lucy Holtzclaw.

We will also have River Raffle at the February meeting. Bring those once



Moonlight

President:
Secretary:
Historian:

Lila Strode
Karen Bradford
Jeanie Caldwell

Vice President:
Treasurer:
Board Rep:

Donna Vandevender
Sherry Clark
Sandra Harrington



HAPPY NEW YEAR!!! 2025 came in with a roar. Wintry mix on our January meeting night. And more predicted before February gets here. Hope everyone stayed healthy, warm, and got lots of quilting done on our “snow” days.

Donna has a fun program planned for our February Meeting – one guaranteed to tie into one of those new year’s resolutions we always make – but don’t often follow through on. That’s right – SEWING ROOM ORGANIZATION. How many of us have put that on the list and just didn’t quite get there? She’s going to discuss tools, tips, and organization hacks. If you have any tips, organizers or hacks that worked for you, bring them.

She’s also going to give a quick overview of charities in the area that could use quilts.

Last year we voted to start our meetings at 5:45 p.m. so we’d have more time for our programs and still get out closer to 7:00 instead of later. For those coming directly from work Lila is going to have some snacks for us during our pre-meeting visiting and meeting new members and visitors. WE had a great turn-out at the Guild Christmas Party. Moonlight had a lot of quilts represented in last year’s Guild Challenge. Great job!!! And, in spite of all the moans and groans, this year’s challenge looks to be a lot of fun. It’s your “Happy Birthday” quilt. The color to be used in your two-color quilt is determined by the color assigned to your birthday month.

January -	1 bright floral themed fabric.	July -	Pink
February -	Blue	August -	Yellow
March -	Peach	September -	Lime green
April -	Red	October -	Orange
May -	Aqua	November -	Lavender
June -	Purple	December -	Green

Stay warm and safe during the winter weather – and get lots of quilting done. See you on February 6.

Hi,

This is Sally Johnson, President Elect of the Quilters' Guild of Acadiana and Co-Chair of our annual auction.

We are trying to get the word out about this event and was wondering if you could include it in your upcoming newsletter or on your website.

Here is a link to the event details on our website: <https://www.quiltersguildofacadiana.com/about-5>

The Quilt Auction will take place on Saturday, April 5th at the Grace Presbyterian Church Hall - Lafayette, LA.

We would love it if members of other guilds would attend and of course, the public is welcome!

Let me know if there is anything else that we can provide so that you can help us get the word out.

NLQG 2025 GUILD CHALLENGE

“Happy???? Birthday Challenge”

TWENTY TWENTY-FIVE is the year to go in a completely different direction with our challenge. No more COVID. No more thinking about the environment. No More sharing. Just something fun. (Of course, thinking about the environment is desirable. Sharing and bartering for fabric is much to be desired.) But the key is fun!

A two-color quilt. The birthday color and white – or if you must – black. But that’s it.

Your birthday color has been chosen for you. No changes – no swaps – no personal preferences.

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You can go wherever your fancy takes you. For all of the months, except January, you can use multiple fabrics in the birthday color. They must read the birthday color.

It can be any size, shape, genre, pattern.

Make your very own fun birthday quilt.

And for transparency, there was no color swapping. I did not “accidentally” pull purple for January and green for May. Karen was there with me to ensure honesty and complete randomness in the drawing. So, start planning those two-color quilts. Have FUN!!





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