

Twin Rivers Quilters Guild Business Meeting Minutes November 13, 2025 74 members present

President Fran Rice called the meeting to order at 10:00 am with a greeting and pleasantries, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

A motion was made to accept the October business meeting minutes by Tori Smith, seconded by Carolyn Hansen and passed unanimously.

- ◊ There will be no Business meeting in December and no newsletter. The January Board meeting will be on January 8, the Business meeting on the 15th.
- ◊ All receipts from 2025 should be turned into Evelyn as soon as possible.
- ◊ The Block of the Month will be prepared by Linda Jo Basden and Chris Youngs beginning in January.

Vice President Laure Manette

- ◊ There will be no Blocks for Buddies exchange in December, the next exchange will be in January.
- ◊ The answer to the puzzle in the newsletter is 'sewing through the holidays'.
- ◊ Rolayne Schwendy will teach her quilted jacket class in February and will help anyone from the October class who has not completed their jacket, at the January retreat.

Treasurer Evelyn Bernhardt The 2026 budget is being prepared and will be voted on in January.

Trivia The thimble originated in what country? Jan Penner was selected as the winner from 11 correct entries. The first thimbles were thumb shields used by tailors and sailors in Holland.

Birthdays There are 16 birthdays in October. The November gift bag winner was won by Diana Rezab and December winner was Mary Daugherty.

Committee Reports Oral reports were kept to a minimum to allow maximum time for our speaker.

Block of the Month: Block of the month will resume in January with Linda Jo Basden and Chris Youngs. There were 20 of 24 blocks returned from October, won by Kay Amend.

Day of Sharing: Laure Manette White table clothes available or you may provide your own. Tables are 60" round. Reminder – helium balloons are not permitted in the fellowship hall.

Holiday Lunch: Kathy Farrar There are 81 members signed up for the Holiday luncheon. There will be a wagon outside the dining room for contributions to Coastal Center For Hope and Healing Christmas boxes. Do not bring canned foods. Room will be tight so only bring in the gift exchange or block exchange.

Membership: Membership renewal and dues are due by the end of January. Get your applications to Lynette Keeley. We have 1 guest and 1 new member today.

Quilt Show: Janet Olsen There are 554 days until the next quilt show to be held April 16-18.. Quilt drop off this show will be at the Convention Center.

Raffle Quilt: Janet Olsen The raffle quilt will be revealed at the Christmas luncheon and raffle ticket sales will begin at the Duffy Center.

Retreat: Sue Kleeman reports that the winter retreat is January 25-30 and registration is \$35. There are many currently 21 people signed up, 5 meals will be provided.

Website and Facebook: Fran Rice Please send pictures of one of your quilting projects

Old Business: None

New Business: None.

Our speaker is Lynn Christiansen.

Respectfully submitted, Christine Youngs