

***Twin Rivers Quilters Guild Business Meeting Minutes February 15, 2026*** 67 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.

There was a delay in preparing the January minutes, review and voting will occur in March.

◇ Claudia Moran will take over as guild treasurer.

◇ Becky Barnes has resigned at chair of the Member Outreach committee. Cathy Cox has volunteered to fill the position.

**Vice President** Laure Manette

◇ The photo pattern workshop taught by Roxane Lessa of Cary Quilting Company, on Friday April 10, will be held at the Mariott Springhill Suites, on Hotel Dr. Cost for the workshop is \$30.00.

◇ Loving Stitches, of Fayetteville will teach a class about quilting with rulers on domestic sewing machines. The cost of the class is \$30, and also requires a non-refundable purchase of a ruler. You must have a ruler foot and know if you have a high or low shank machine. Sign up is now open.

◇ Today is an exchange day in the blocks for buddies project.

**Secretary** Christine Youngs

◇ A note from Pamlico Gardens nursing home thanking us for the holiday pillowcases was read.

**Treasurer** Fran Rice presented the financial summaries of the guild's savings, expenditures, and income.

**Trivia** When she wrote the book "how to make an American quilt", how many years had she been a quilter? Six out of thirtyfour entries knew the correct answer was zero. Winner is Jenny Nebe.

**Birthdays** There are 9 birthdays in February The gift bag winner was Linda Drabeck

**Committee Reports**

Block of the Month: Linda Jo Basden and Christine Youngs. The February block is a heart design. A piece of white background fabric was provided. The winner or 16 returned blocks was Rolayne Schwendy.

Charity Quilts

Children (Lorraine Wocel) Refer to the newsletter.

Military (Mary Daugherty) Please keep them coming.

Nursing Home (Nancy Houyoux) No report.

Coastal Center for Hope and Healing: Nancy Hausman We will again be collecting outdoor toys at the summer picnic.

Community Service Projects Nancy Houyoux Reminder that though the January 22 sew was cancelled due to snow, you can still make fidget quilts at home to turn in at the business meeting. On February 19 will sewing clothing protectors.

Day of Sharing: Laure Manette The Day of Sharing is approaching quickly. Please verify what table you have signed up for, as well as the volunteer opportunities.

Door Monitoring: Sandra Egolf Please sign up if you are able.

Duffy Center: LuAnne Tridico Please check out our display.

Library: Caludia Moran We have 13 new books. Please check out the cabinet and refer to the list of holdings found on the website.

Membership: Lynnet Keeley Membership renewal photos are due. We have 3 new members today and 1 guest.

My Sisters House: Pat Kruger No report.

New Member Tea: Carolyn Hanson It looks like the open dates are Memorial day weekend, stay tuned.

Quilt Show: Janet Olsen There are 428 days until the next quilt show to be held April 16-18. There will be a quilt show meeting at 10:42, after the board meeting.

Raffle Tickets: Mary Daugherty Tickets are currently for sale at the Duffy Center and through members. Please see Mary Daugherty if you have not picked up your packet of tickets for \$20.00. Sales at the Farmers Market will begin in mid-April.

Retreats: Winter - Thank you to all who made the 'week' a fun success. Spring – 36 signed up.

Show and Tell: Pam Bonina (1), Pat Fitzpatrick (1) Paula Paganucci (1), Ann Holton (1), retreat jackets (4), Becky Barnes (1), Jody Givens (2), Jan Penner (1), Jenne Nebe (1), Eleanor Reilly (1), Suzie Tibbets (1), Gail Dorman (1), Betsy Perry (1).

Sunshine Kay Amend Alvina Diello, get well.

Website and Facebook: Fran Rice Send appropriate content to Fran Rice.

UFO Completions: Janet Olsen Claudia Moran (2), Mary O'Neil (3), Holly Pace (1), Rae Gee (1), Susan Faith (2), Karen Schoch (2).

Old Business: None

New Business:

Quilt Con Modern Quilt Show, Raleigh, NC February 19-22.

Tori Smith and Marty Kaminski made a Quilts of Valor presentation to Ed Dzioba.

Respectfully submitted, Christine Youngs