

A QUILT OF MANY COLORS

A Wimberley Valley Quilt Guild Newsletter

FEBRUARY 2026

REGULAR MEETINGS:

Business Meetings— are the 1st Wednesday of each month. We gather at 9:30 am, meeting starts at 10 am. Program follows for 1 hr after. **Next date is Wed, Mar 4, 2026.**

Knotty Stitchers— meets 1st Monday from 10:30 am—12:30 pm at the Wimberley Community Library. **Next date is Mon, Mar 2, 2026.**

Charity Quilts – meets 2nd Wednesday of the month from 10 am – 3 pm. **NEXT date is Wed, Mar 11, 2026.** Bring your machine and other supplies you may need. BYO lunch & drink.

Charity Quilts2 – meets 3rd Wednesday of the month from 10 am – 2 pm. **NEXT date is Wed, Mar 18, 2026.** Bring your machine and other supplies you may need. BYO lunch & drink.

PhD – “Projects Half Done”— meets 4th Wednesday of the month from 10 am – 3 pm. **Next date is Wed, Mar 25, 2026.** Bring your machine, and something YOU’D like to “get’r done!” BYO lunch & drink.

PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS:

March 4, 2026—Regular meeting, then Betty Tand: Improv Quilts: “Sewing Without a Pattern”

April 1, 2026 – Regular meeting, **BRING your challenge block Sally prepared for us.** Then, Jeffree Itrich and Judy Steward: “Quilt Mystery Books Wedding Ring Quilt” and “Grandmother’s Fan Quilt”

April 2, 2026 – **WORKSHOP:** Double Wedding Ring Quilt: Judy Steward

May 6, 2026 – **Short Regular meeting**, then vote on WVQG Executive positions. Install new officers who will start their term on May 31, 2026. Then **Spring Western themed Luncheon.**

June 3, 2026 – **Regular meeting**, then Marie Welsch: “Art Quilts, 3D Objects and Landscape Quilts”



Wimberley Valley Quilt Guild's Website:

Wimberleyvalleyquilt-guild.org

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Next Challenge block - **Due APRIL '26**

Sally De la Haye provides the instructions and one piece of fabric. You can add from your stash to complete the block.
\$1.00 per block. For every block you turn in, you get a ticket to win all the blocks for that month. This month's block is a disappearing 9 patch. These are a series of pics of how you will put the block together.

Cheri Cheever won the blocks from the last Challenge.



Pat Krov, a former member, is selling her Bernina 590 Sewing & Embroidery Machine. It is in excellent condition, & has been serviced regularly with Sew Little Time. She is just not using it much anymore. She is asking \$2,500.00.

Pat Krov

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Hope your Valentine's Day included a little time with your sewing machine, too.





May 6, 2026
Luncheon time

10:30 am Arrive to set up, bring in your Vittles
11:00 Tootin' Tootin'
Good time begins!



Thoughts from a creative genius:

A 7 year old little boy once asked Jim Hensen, "How did you do all this stuff?" Jim said, "First you gather a group of people that you love and that love you. Then, give them an idea that has enough empty space in it to make it their own. And, when you get it back, it will be more beautiful than you ever thought possible."

That reminded me of how it is when you participate in a Quilting **Round Robin**. The original quilter makes the 12 inch center, then every month, the little quilt gets a new border added. The quilt rotates thru 5 hands in all. When you see it back after 5 months, it is more beautiful than you ever thought possible!



LEFT—This was my first time participating in a Round Robin. And, I was delighted to see it when it was returned back to me!





ABOVE—Fran Adams’ showed her One Block Wonder “Water Lilies” quilt. “Look, Mr. Monet, I Hexed Your Water Lilies!”



ABOVE—Joey Manning shows us her Mini-quilt from the “Let’s Make Mini’s” class with **Linda Hasselberg**.



LEFT - Sally de la Haye showed her folding zippered tote. She also made the quilted bag she has on her arm!



ABOVE—Jill Fasken displays her paper pieced quilt using hand dyed fabrics. The quilt is called, “The Blue Star In The Sky.”

Tips & Tricks—as easy as pulling a rabbit out of a hat!



ABOVE—**Jane Smith** showed how easy it is to turn 3 yard cuts into 3 quilts with **Olga Harwell** and **Stefani Voss**.



Above—**Kathy McGee** demonstrated binding tips to **Diane Rankin**.



ABOVE—**Donna Hector** showed different sewing and quilting gadgets to **Judy Bradbury** and **Stephanie H.**



LEFT—

Bert Nickelson told **Olga Harwell** how easy it is to make hexies, and to do English paper piecing. She shared other quilting tidbits.



ABOVE—**Sandy Derr** gave bag making tips to **Janice Fisher**, **Kay Siler**, and **Mary Tomlinson**.

RIGHT—**JoAnne Sherburne** showed **Stephanie H** how to make 8 HST's at one time.





X-Blocks Workshop with Doris Rice Cedillo

Our X-blocks pattern — make a table runner and / or placemats.



Some X-blocks that are ready to sew together!



X-Blocks make beautiful additions in Doris Rice Cedillo's quilts. Notice how she uses them in borders, and in individual blocks.



ABOVE—The Texas quilt panels are able to be purchased during the Blue-bonnet Shop Hop in 9 local Texas quilt shops during **March 18-28, 2026.**



Doris made most of these quilts to go with the focus and panels in each cities' Shop Hop she participated in. She used her X-Block rulers to make eye-catching borders in those quilts! She travels all around the US to teach classes!

