

**Modern Quilt Guild
July 11, 2024 – Minutes**

Location: Tucson Jewish Community Center

Zoom

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Meeting ID: 820 5447 1335

Meeting Called to Order at 6:37 pm by Suzanne Sabin.

President's Preliminary Comments: Suzanne Sabin reported that we are looking for our next Vice President and Treasurer. Ken Harry will be promoted to President next year and Chris Patrick's tenure is coming to an end in December 2024. Members were asked to contact an officer if they are interested.

2025 QuiltCon Community Outreach Challenge Quilt: Ken Harry summarized the rules and timeframe for the Challenge Quilt, whose theme is Lines and Bars. He asked members to email him or Suzanne Sabin with ideas for designs.

Secretary's Report: Suzanne Shema reported there were no minutes from the June 2024 meeting but if there had been, they would have reported show and tell and the joyful consumption of ice cream.

Treasurer's Report: Chris Patrick reported \$2585.88 in the Guild's checking account and \$1198.65 in savings.

Membership Report: On behalf of Melody David-Baker, Chris Patrick reported that the TMQG currently has 78 members and today's meeting had 2 attendees via Zoom.

Quilting for Others - Beth Sellers delivered three kits for quilts that need to be quilted.

Program Coordinator – Michelle Vaughn reminded members of upcoming events: Flying Geese in July and Curved Piecing in September. She described possible classes in the autumn, including: ice dying, indigo dying, and a scrappy triangle shag rug. For spring 2025, she discussed the possibility of contracting with Mary Bolan to teach a class on Special Effects with Color and asked for a showing of member interest in such a class. Upon motion, which was seconded and approved, it was voted that Guild funds of up to \$450 would be used to pay Mary Bolan for a guild presentation, with the understanding that members would be individually responsible for other costs of Bolan's class/workshop.

Website Committee: Mary Belin reported no news.

Stash Coordinator – Ken Harry reported the stash is in good shape but he is always happy to receive more.

Social Media – James Hodges reported no news.

2025 Retreat Committee – No news from Mae Weller.

Focus Fabrics – No news from Sue Wells.

Red, White & Black Challenge: Elaine Romanelli displayed a fabric, to be used as backing for a group-created quilt, and distributed packets of red/black/white fabric for members to sew into at least 20 blocks.

Show and Tell

Upcoming events:

Class Days	Virtual Sew Days	In-person Sew Days
Flying Geese: July 13	Saturday after our monthly meeting.	1 st Monday of each month 3 rd Wednesday of each month Last Saturday of each month
Curved Piecing: September 14	July 13	Sat July 27 Mon Aug 5 Wed Aug 21 Sat Aug 31
All dates TBD		

*Sew days at Archer Center, 1665 S. La Cholla Blvd., Tucson, AZ 85713 from 10 am to 2 pm. Bring a project, and your sewing machine. Bring your lunch or a snack.

Meeting adjourned at 7:44 PM

Next Meeting, Aug 8, 2024 – 6:30 pm at Jewish Community Center

2024 Board Members

President- Suzanne Sabin at President@Tucsonmodernquilts.com

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