Black Swamp Quilters Guild Minutes

October 8, 2026

Program: Files Not Piles: Organizing Strategies for Quilters by Linda Schell

Visitors: Amanda Haynes from Findlay and Joanne Fife from Bowling Green
New Members: None

Minutes: September's minutes were motioned to be accepted by Kathy Hassink and seconded by Susan Ramos. Motion carried.

A line will now be included in the monthly minutes to acknowledge the program and speaker. This line was retroactively added to the September minutes.

Treasurer's Report: Stephanie Lane gave the report.
Motioned by Wendy Jenkins, seconded by Bess Wood. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Bettina's Collage Class: Nine students participated in the class and had a great time. We hope to be seeing a "parliament of owls" in "show and tell" in the next couple months as the ladies finish their projects. Bettina was a good teacher.

Fall Retreat 2026: Fall retreat is next week! We are completely full. A couple of notes:

- Howard Johnson asked that we not have any personal irons due to electrical problems in the room. Please do not bring an iron, not even a mini one. Extra ironing boards will be provided by the guild.
- The massage cost has changed to $15 for 10 minutes and $25 for 20 minutes. 20 minutes is the maximum time slot.
- Meals included are Thursday at 6pm, Friday at 12pm, Saturday at 12:30pm, Sunday at 12pm. Dinner will not be served.
- The garage sale will take place Saturday 2-4pm. The free table will be out all weekend.
- There will be 2 games of left-right-center (bring 12 strips of fabric, 6 for each day), one each day. Saturday will have bingo. A scavenger hunt will be open all weekend.
- Anyone setting up Thursday may arrive at 11am. Others may arrive at 1pm.
- There will be a tote at the door to drop off your challenge quilt. Charity quilts will also have a tote for drop off.

QANA Festival 2027: The first committee meeting has been held and early organization has begun. The group will be meeting approximately monthly until things begin to pick up in the spring.

Martie Berry has requested donated baskets for the raffle baskets at the show. She needs approximately 20 more baskets.

NEW BUSINESS

Elections:

Ballot:

- President - Jeanne Langendorfer
- Vice President - Wendy Jenkins
- Secretary - Karen Glassford
- Member at Large - Deb MacLean and Bethany Pfouts

President, Vice President, and Secretary ran unopposed. Member at Large was a contested role. Paper ballots were distributed for the vote.

Elected Positions:

- President - Jeanne Langendorfer
- Vice President - Wendy Jenkins
- Secretary - Karen Glassford
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Historian: Sheila Painter has agreed to serve in this role.

Pillowcases for Soldiers: Sarah DeCola accepted pillowcases tonight. This is an ongoing project for anyone interested. They do not need to be red, white, and blue.

Prepared by Secretary, Becky Cox.