



Quilters By Heart's Desire

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QBHD MEETING

February 19, 7:00 p.m.

Quilt Basting

Dates to Remember

North Louisiana Guild Show
February 23-24, West Monroe, LA

Rankin County Sit-N-Sew
March 9th

QBHD Retreat
March 15h & 16

Quilters –

The prediction of more rain and ice kept us from meeting in January. Best to not be on the roads and safely at home. We missed Marilyn's advice on how to get our quilts ready for a quilt show. The Gulf States Quilting Association registration of quilts for their April show is now in the past. If you entered a quilt and need shipping pointers, Marilyn will be happy to answer any questions.

The MQA event this past weekend in Wesson was a huge success. One of the largest attendances on record; other than the year they had Bonnie Hunter classes. The venue, entertainment, programs, FOOD and show-n-tell were all excellent. It was great to see a lot of familiar faces. MQA has a new and improved website and most attendees had registered on line.

Pam Avara and I also made our first Gulf States Quilting Association (GSQA) meeting in January. We experienced drenching rain when we arrived for the meeting, but it was worth it. The meeting and programs were very informative. GSQA have just revamped their website and it is very user friendly. The program on Flip and Fuse quilts was well done, especially as it was a last-minute program substitute.

The list of upcoming quilting events continues to grow and I hope everyone gets an opportunity to attend a few. Speaking of events, our first retreat is scheduled for March 15 and 16; the second one will be in July on the 26th & 27th. So be sure to mark your calendars.

Happy Quilting!

Patricia

Watch the replay of play of the WLBT Studio 3 segment [HERE](#).

