

HIGH POINT QUILT GUILD MEETING MINUTES

Northwood Community Center | High Point, NC

Thursday, July 9, 2026 | 6:30 p.m. ET

CALL TO ORDER / WELCOME

After confirming a quorum, President Karen called the meeting to order at 6:28 p.m. She welcomed 34 members and three guests in attendance. Juanita offered a prayer and the guild members and guests enjoyed a potluck.

BUSINESS ACTION ITEMS

Karen invited members to address two items of business that required guild action.

- **Approval of Minutes from the June 11, 2026 Meeting**

Prior to the meeting, the minutes were sent to members via email for review. After a motion by Nancy B. and a second by Robin, the minutes were approved unanimously.

- **Approval of the Treasurer's Report**

Members were sent the treasurer's report for review prior to the meeting. Nancy S. provided a brief report.

-	Checking Balance as of May 2026:	\$9,274.86
-	Deposits Made	\$1,069.00
-	June 2026 Ending Balance	\$10,343.68
-	Outstanding Deposits	\$510.00
-	Outstanding Payments	(\$375.00)
-	Outstanding Credit Card	\$0.00
-	Checking Ending Balance:	\$10,478.68
-	CD:	\$10,000.00
-	Total Balance as of June 7, 2026:	\$20,478.68

Following Nancy S.'s report, Janet offered a motion to approve the treasurer's report and Joann seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Karen then invited committee reports.

- Charity Quilt Committee

Completed charity quilts can be given to Karen at any monthly guild meeting. Patterns and instructions are available as well as quilt labels and guidelines. Elizabeth B. shared information about potato chip quilts.

- Education Committee
Karen passed around information about sewing machine cleaning and other flyers advertising upcoming area quilt shows, including “A Celebration of Quilts” Area Quilt Show in Anderson, S.C., on July 17-18.
- Program Committee
In August, the program will feature SEW HAPPY Quilt Shop and Studio in High Point. In September, the program will be “Bags, Baskets and Bowls.” Of note, there will be no Zoom option in August. Zoom will resume in September.
- Fall Retreat
Alicia shared about the fall retreat. There is still room to attend the fall retreat from October 22-25, 2026. Alicia will still take registration forms and deposits if members are interested.
- Stitching Saturday
Stitching Saturday will be held on July 11 from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If there are questions about Stitching Saturday, contact Juanita. Susan will hold her BASICS class from 10-11 a.m.; the topic will be how to prevent analysis paralysis – making decisions related to quilts. Sew Along, from 1-2 p.m. will be a small quilt project. See Susan if interested. Additionally, Kyle will attend the August and September Stitching Saturdays to clean sewing machines. Alicia is coordinating this effort and a sign-up sheet is available.

ONGOING ACTIVITIES

- President’s Challenge
Karen provided a reminder about the challenge to make a stocking for the students who are part of the Northwood Community Center. There is a sign-up sheet to make sure that all ages are covered. Stockings are due in November. There is Christmas fabric available from donations received from the Guild.
- UFO Tracking
Tracking UFOs will take place until November. In order to get credit for completing a UFO, members must show Susan and Diantha. Susan is leading that effort and can answer questions.

FEATURED PROGRAM

The featured program was a fashion show that highlighted wearable creations made by members of the guild. Donna served as the emcee as guild members described their projects to the group.

DOOR PRIZE / SHOW & TELL

Diantha won this month’s door prize, and guild members showed completed projects, including charity quilts and blankets.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- August Program: The next program will be SEW HAPPY Quilt Shop and Studio in High Point.
- Northwood Donation: The August donation item for Northwood Community Center is canned and/or boxed dinners.
- Stitching Saturday: The Stitching Saturday will be held on Saturday, July 11, 2026, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. This event is free for guild members and \$5 for guests.

ADJOURNMENT

Karen adjourned the meeting at 8:16 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Elaine
HPQG Secretary