



# The Quilter's Express – September 2018

Official Newsletter of the Shiner Heritage Quilters



## Next Meeting:

Tuesday, October 2, 2018 – First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall

Social Time: 6:00 p.m.

Meeting: 6:30 p.m

Hostesses: Jean Bochat, Betty Maskey, Joyce Pavlicek

## Program for October

Chenille Quilts – Annette Meyer and Meagan Campion will present a program on the process of creating a chenille quilt.

## Upcoming Programs

- November – Boutique – Ideas and items for the 2019 Quilt Show Boutique will be presented.
- December – Christmas Party – No Program

Do you have an idea for a program? Is there a quilting technique you have been dying to learn? Would you be willing to present a program and possibly teach a class on a certain subject?

## Upcoming 2018 Block of the Month Workshops

- September 22 – Stars Border
- October – Stars Border – Date not Confirmed
- November 17 – Final Borders

## Hostesses for Upcoming Meetings

- November – Joyce Mahicek, Sherrie Holland, Janet Ferguson
- December – Christmas Party – No Hostesses
- January – Irene Cerny, Toni Rodgers, Kathleen Schacherl

## Janet's Junk

FALL is here, well, on the calendar at least. The last few months have been busy with my transition and we completely forgot about the Christmas Blocks. Thanks to Suzanne Sestak, I was reminded, and she volunteered to head a committee to do the blocks. We will hand those out at the October meeting. I know it is short notice but I am sure we can all get busy and do a block - or maybe two? The Quilt Show is getting closer every day, so keep in mind quilts to enter, items for the boutique and times to volunteer. I hope everyone has had a wonderful September and are ready for October!!!

Thanks, Janet



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## Minutes of the September 2018 Meeting

On September 4, 2018, President Janet Ferguson called the meeting to order and welcomed the members of the Shiner Heritage Quilters. There were 32 members and two guests present.

The Guild members recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

September hostesses, Nola Bohuslav, Alice Janak, and Bernadette Kresta, were thanked. The hostesses for October are Jean Bochet, Betty Maskey, and Joyce Pavlicek.

Janet Ferguson asked if there were any corrections to the August minutes. Corrections were noted. Annette Meyer motioned the minutes be accepted as corrected, and Dee Heberle seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. The treasurer's report was given by Rae Nell Janik. Annette Meyer motioned the report be accepted as read, and Nola Bohuslav seconded. The motion passed unanimously. The treasurer's report was accepted and filed for audit.

Toni Rodgers presented Food for Thought. September birthdays were recognized: Rose Mary Havlik, RaeNell Janik, Pat Maldenka, Carolyn Schroeder, and Marilyn Schroeder. In Sunshine and Shadows, Theresa Belicek said her two knees are doing great. Meagan Campion's son started Pre-School today. Wanda Myers' mother-in-law passed away.

Meagan Campion presented a program on the no-waste flying geese method. She gave tips and tricks on using the method.

Door Prizes were won by Cynthia Cunningham, RaeNell Janik, Jean Bochat, Annette Meyer, Mar Ann Matusek, Annie Havel, and Gladys Muelhstein.

In Committee Reports, RaeNell Janik stated there are 29 people signed up for the bus trip. She asked people to sign up by Tuesday, September 25. Publicity Chair Irene Cerny stated the banner has been changed to reflect the 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend in March. She thanked Janet Ferguson for her help. There are more bookmarks available. Bernadette Kresta stated there are more kits available for Nursing Home Quilts. The standing sew day for Nursing Home Quilts and CPS quilts will be 2:00 pm on the day of the meeting at the Church. Meagan Campion let members know that to date in 2018, the Guild has donated 24 quilts, 5 teddy bears, and 6 pillows. She has spoken with Norma's House, and will coordinate a day for donation to get photos taken. Kathy Riske stated entry forms are ready, and they are on the website. She is working on finalizing vendors. Karen Hermes showed items she has made for the boutique and asked members to be thinking of what they are going to make. Dee Heberle discussed the Challenge Blocks. She stated she will have fabric next month. There is an option for a 12" finished block or a 24" x 24" wall hanging. Meagan Campion handed out the instructions for the next two steps of the 2018 Block of the Month.



In Old Business, Janet Ferguson reminded members about the Guild bus trip to the Austin Quilt Show. RaeNell Janik stated 14 people have signed up.

There was no Old Business or New Business.



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Show and Tell projects were displayed by Bernadette Kresta, Annie Havel, and Karen Hermes.



Janet Ferguson asked members to pick up a questionnaire and fill it out to help the board better serve the Guild.

Dee Heberle motioned the meeting be adjourned. Kathleen Schacherl seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned by Janet Ferguson.

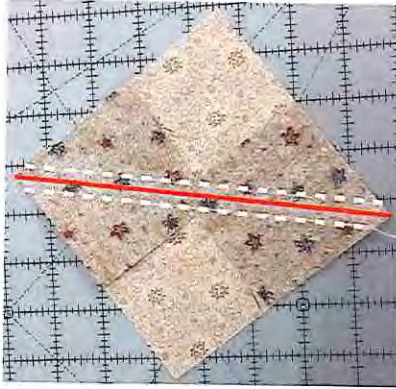
# No Waste Flying Geese

This method makes 4 flying geese at one time with no wasted fabric!

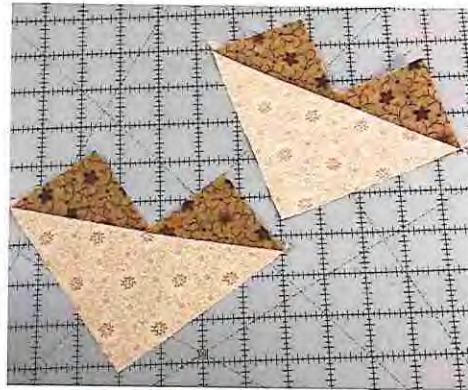
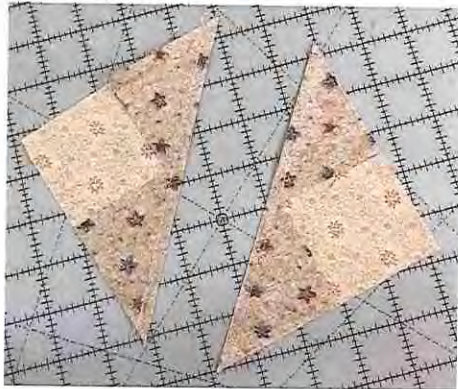
**Cutting:** Cut one large square (goose fabric) and four small squares (background fabric). Use the chart below to determine the size of your squares based on your desired finished flying geese size.

**Step 1:** Draw a line from corner to corner on the wrong side of all four of your background fabric squares.

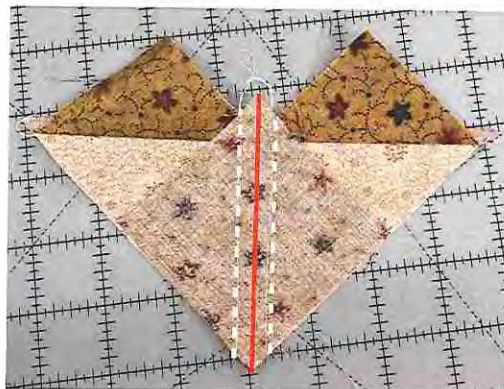
**Step 2:** Place your goose fabric square right side up and two of your background fabric squares on opposite corners right sides down. The lines on the wrong side of your small squares should form one long line as illustrated. Make sure the edges of your fabrics are aligned, and secure the small squares with pins or glue. Sew  $\frac{1}{4}$  " on either side of your drawn line.



**Step 3:** Set your seams by pressing the fabric flat with your iron. Cut on your drawn line. Press your background fabric open.

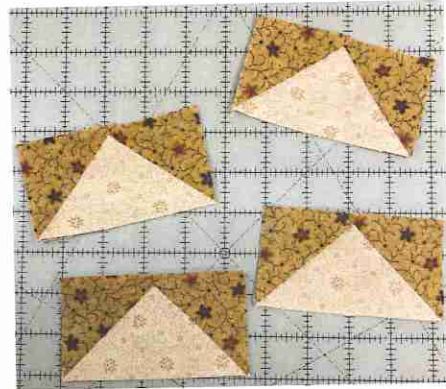
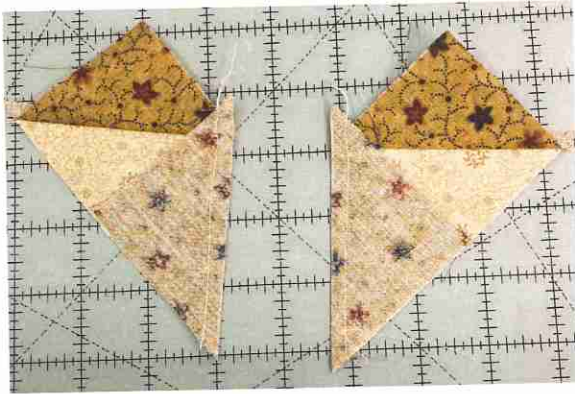


**Step 4:** Place your two partially completed geese right sides up and place one background fabric square in the corner as shown. Make sure the edges of your fabrics are aligned, and secure the small squares with pins or glue. Set  $\frac{1}{4}$  " on either side of your drawn line.



# No Waste Flying Geese

**Step 5:** Set your seams by pressing the fabric flat with your iron. Cut on your drawn line. Press your background fabric open.



You now have 4 perfect flying geese! You can square up if you choose, but, if you are careful with your 1/4 " sew line, you should not have to square up much.

## THE NO WASTE FLYING GEESE CUTTING CHART

### How To Cut Patchwork for No Waste Flying Geese

Finished Size of Geese	1 Large Square	4 Small Squares
1" x 2"	3-1/4" x 3-1/4"	1-7/8" x 1-7/8"
1-1/2" x 3"	4-1/4" x 4-1/4"	2-3/8" x 2-3/8"
2" x 4"	5-1/4" x 5-1/4"	2-7/8" x 2-7/8"
2-1/2" x 5"	6-1/4" x 6-1/4"	3-3/8" x 3-3/8"
3" x 6"	7-1/4" x 7-1/4"	3-7/8" x 3-7/8"
3-1/2" x 7"	8-1/4" x 8-1/4"	4-3/8" x 4-3/8"
4" x 8"	9-1/4" x 9-1/4"	4-7/8" x 4-7/8"
4-1/2" x 9"	10-1/4" x 10-1/4"	5-3/8" x 5-3/8"
5" x 10"	11-1/4" x 11-1/4"	5-7/8" x 5-7/8"
5-1/2" x 11"	12-1/4" x 12-1/4"	6-3/8" x 6-3/8"
6" x 12"	13-1/4" x 13-1/4"	6-7/8" x 6-7/8"