

Recap February 2026

We had 34 members present for our general meeting held on Monday, February 9, 2026. Quorum requirements were met.

A new budget for the year was presented to the club. The board decided that we would pare back expenses since we spent a lot of our reserve for the new machines we purchased last year. We don't want our reserves to go below \$ 5000 as it changes some of the parameters of the club. After some discussion, the motion was voted on and carried. For a copy of the proposed budget, if you weren't at the meeting, contact Treasurer Karen Kretchmar.

Cyndi Strohmer led a focus group that proposed a new location for the library. It will be located in the northwest corner of the room and cut down by about a third. This measure is designed to give more access and better lighting to the library. It also cuts down on the use of ladders in the room, which is a safety issue. That measure was also voted on and carried.

Our new President, Karen Lee, commented on the non-stop helpfulness of our community of quilters that have been helping some of our members who have been struggling a little getting used to our new machines. She also read a thank you note from the dance company for allowing them to use our room for changing their costumes during their performances. Along with the note was a 50\$ gift card for the club.

Secretary Linda Pendleton asked us to read and accept the minutes provided for the January meeting. Voted and carried. She also announced the sewing table sale drawing and collected the money for the entries for those who were interested. It was a really good deal for \$50.00. Joan Ladley bought the table .It was just taking up room in the quilt room. Linda also announced that we would be doing a 50/50 drawing each meeting. The tickets are 1\$ and 6 fir 5\$. The proceeds will be split by the ticket drawn and the club. This month we collected \$126.00. Char Counts

won and got \$63 and the club got \$63. Each quarter we will raffle off an item donated to the club as well.

It was also announced that we would not be making a raffle quilt for next year. This will be the last year of selling tickets. The tickets for the current year's quilt will be available at the March meeting. We will have a table at the craft fair this year for the drawing.

Vice President Gail Selter said the monitor list will only be posted in the room. Too many people were confused by the one sent out in club email. If you have questions about monitoring credits please contact Gail directly.

Committee reports

All meetings are held in the quilt room unless otherwise stated.

AccuQuilt meets the fourth Monday of the month from 9-12 . If you are not familiar with the AccuQuilt system feel free to go check it out. There are some lovely things you can do.

Block of the Month is the fourth Thursday from 9-12. You can still sign up for it.

Window sales will be having some workshops to boost sales this year. If you participate in them your name will go into a drawing for a prize to be determined later. Fabric will be supplied. This also applies to people that donate stuff for the window that they brought in from home. The window display has been revamped to boost sales as well. They need baby quilts.

Mix and Match meets on the third Thursday at 9. Kathi Panfili has a Laurel Birch cat design for your next project. All are welcome.

A flower appliqué class will be held on March 7 from 9-3, conducted by Pat Conway. If you are interested give Pat a call to see if there are any spaces left in the class. The fee is \$20.00

We no longer have a person in charge of sunshine. There is a container in the room with sympathy, get well and blank cards in it. If you become aware of a need for one, Please take a moment and fill one out. Have everyone in the room sign it, please.

Next month the program will be: “Rulers, rulers and rulers. Like, dislike, can’t live without, what is this, I want to trade” Bring yours.

No other reports were made. If you have a question about a class or special interest group. Please consult the calendar on our website.

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Please let me know if I have made any errors in this recap. I will correct them.