

Silver Comet Stitchers

March 9, 2026 Meeting Minutes

- President Sherry Byrd began The Silver Comet Stitcher's Meeting just after 6:30 with an invitation for members to Show and Tell about their quilt creations. The business meeting followed.

Business Meeting

- Shannon Tankersley motioned to accept the February meeting minutes; it was seconded by Julie Cribb.
- Reminder of the guild retreat March 16 – 20 was mentioned as well as the Crayon and Red, White and Blue Challenges with Rose sharing the samples for the latter.
- Christina DeMartino gave the treasurer report; the guild's balance is \$13, 198.48, which reflects the \$1,000 grant received from Bank of America.
- Pam Gooden gave the membership report; 68 members, 1 new member, 4 guests and 44 present.
- Guild members were encouraged to login to read the monthly newsletter written by Shannon Tankersley via the Silver Comet Stitchers Website which is maintained by Rose Walter.
- Sunshine Committee mentions were made for Julie Cribb regarding her knee surgery; she was present. Also, condolences were offered to Sandra Burnham, Sharon Maddox and Shannon Tankersley on the passing of their father/grandfather.
- Phyllis Betton updated the guild regarding Community Service. There was a miscount; Twenty more quilts are needed to reach our quota for 2026.
- Robin Banks reminded us of the wonderful goodies in the Ways and Means basket that will be raffled at next month's guild meeting. Raffle tickets are five dollars.
- Thanks was offered for the Hospitality committee, and Shannon requested that those with last names ending in P,Q,R,S bring snacks for next month's meeting.
- Raffles of fat quarters and sewing items was completed to end the business meeting.
- One more item of concern: A nominating committee is needed as three offices will need to be filled for the upcoming year, President, Vice President, and Treasurer. Sandra Geho and Robin Carter volunteered for two of the three Nominating Committee positions.
- Leigh Wright introduced Nancy Hutchinson the Collage Quilter who gave a wonderful presentation on Collage Quilting. Nancy will be teaching a class at Cottontails on April 4th if anyone is interested.