

## Quilting Bees of Murfreesboro 2017 Highlights

### Workshops

January-Trunk Show by Lakeshore Quilters  
February- One Yard Challenge led by Lori S.  
Lori S. also started the pinwheel Block of the Month.  
March- Kim L. supplied fabric for blocks and taught us how to make I Spy Jar Blocks for a Charity Quilt.  
April-Art Quilts by Lauren R., Nanette F., Pat C., and Natalie P.  
May- Spring Fling  
June- Janice R. gave a Chicken Trunk Show  
July- Adrienne B. and Cathy C. gave program on Dating Quilts  
August- Quilts in the Boro Country Store  
September - Flavin Glover Class  
October - Fall themed Projects by Carmen S., Pam R. and Carla C.  
November - Charity Show and Tell  
December- Christmas Party

### Sit and Sews

January- A representative from Camelot Foster Care came and talked about what the Quilts we donated meant to the kids. They asked if we would donate again in 2017.  
February-  
March- Kim L. I Spy Jars Boys  
April- Evelyn T. Star Strip Block  
May- Charity sit n sew  
June- Quilts in Boro Country Store  
July- Quilts in The Boro Country Store  
August - Charity Pillowcases  
September - Rebeca T. Striped Fabric Workshop  
October - Fall themed Projects by Carmen S., Pam R. and Carla C.

### More Fun

This year we had 34 members participant in the 1 Yard Challenge.  
There were 128 UFOs completed in the UFO Challenge.

### Tips of the Month

Membership soared to 75 with a waiting list.

Bee members participated in QOV Sewing Day at Threads.

26 members attended our 3rd Annual Retreat which was at Center Hill Lake this year.

We also had members attend both the winter and fall TVQA retreats along with 2017 Assembly Day in Clarksville, Tn.

As always we had members at every TVQA meeting and 4 articles written for TVQA's Newsletter.

Some of our members entered Quilts in Quiltfest, Tn State Fair, and Quilts in the Boro. Many Ribbons were won.

### **Charities**

Our Charity donations were donated to Redbird, Camelot, and Bags of Love. They included over 100 quilts and 108 pillowcases.

We donated to Toys for Tots in Dec.