

## **Guild Purpose**

The purpose of the Guild shall be to provide education and communication, to advance the quality of workmanship and creativity in the members' knitting endeavors as well as to promote the art of knitting.

Dallas Hand Knitters Guild Bylaws  
as Revised 1996

## Preface

The Dallas Hand Knitters Guild Yearbook is published annually in October for the benefit of its members. Yearbook updates are provided monthly in the *Dallas Hand Knitters Guild Newsletter* as well as on the website:

**<http://dallashandknittersguild.com>**

Other benefits of Membership include:

- Monthly Meetings the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month (September through May) at 7:30 PM in the Youth Center of the Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration located on the North West corner of Hillcrest and Spring Valley in Dallas.
- Educational Programs
- Show and Tell
- Monthly Newsletters
- Day Knitters and Night Knitters: The DHKG members also meet informally. Day Knitters meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at Half Price Books I-75 and Northwest Highway; Night Knitters meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month at Half Price Books, I-75 and Northwest Highway.
- Workshops
- D/FW Area Yarn Shop Discounts

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## **2011-2012 OFFICERS**

President.....Suzuko Davis

VP Membership.....Kathy Boyd

VP Education.....Melissa Todora

Secretary.....Denise Clair

Treasurer.....Erin Parilla

Communications Editor.....Joni Lawver

## **2010-2011 Committee Chairs**

To be Announced

# 2011-2012 Meeting Programs

September 6

Emanda Johnson

Color, putting colors together, use of color

October 4

Sabrina Brown

Fair Isle, Knitting with both hands

November 1

Patricia Kalthoff

Cast-ons, different versions of the long tail cast on

December 6

Leahe Serpon

Steeking, what it is and how to do it.

January 3

Melanie Gibbons, Pink Lemon Twist

Lace, using charts, how to mark them how to prep

February 7

Patricia Kalthoff

Knitting backwards, never have to purl again

March 6

Lise Wilson

Entrelac made easy

April 3

Diane Piwko

Blocking, finishing your project the best way.

May 1

Alissa Barton

Cast-offs, a variety of different ways to finish your project

**ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION  
OF THE  
DALLAS HAND KNITTERS GUILD**

The undersigned persons, being officers of the titled association, all of whom are citizens of the United States of American, do hereby certify:

**First:** That the name of this association is the Dallas Hand Knitters Guild, that it was originally formed on July 2, 1991, and has existed in the same legal format of an unincorporated association since that date, governed by its Bylaws as may be amended from time to time.

**Second:** The association is formed in accord with the Texas Uniform Unincorporated Nonprofit Association Act of 1995 (Texas Civil States, Title 32, Chapter 9, article 1396-70.01), pursuant to which it is an "an unincorporated organization, other than one created by a trust, consisting of three or more members joined by mutual consent for a common, nonprofit purpose." (Section 2(b).)

**Third:** The association shall have its mailing address in the City of Dallas, County of Dallas, State of Texas.

**Fourth:** The association is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, and more specifically for **charitable** and **educational** purposes under said Code.

**Fifth:** No part of the net earnings of the association shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its member, officers, Board members, or other private persons, except that the association shall be empowered and authorized to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered to the association as a whole and its members in general, and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the Fourth Article hereof and further detailed in its Bylaws.

No substantial part of the activities of the association shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. The association shall not promulgate or promote any religious belief or beliefs over any other, and shall discourage members from doing so at any formal meeting of the association.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried out by an association or other organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or Texas Uniform Unincorporated Nonprofit Association Act of 1995.

**Sixth:** Upon dissolution of the association, the Board or remaining Officers or their appointees shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the liabilities of the association, dispose of the assets of the association exclusively for the purposes of the association in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Code or Law.

Organizations acceptable for this distribution shall include, without limitation or recommendation: The Linus Project (Ft. Worth branch), the Parkland Foundation and Parkland Health & Hospital System of Dallas, Retired Seniors Volunteer Program, or others that provide hand-knitted and other hand worked items to persons in need.

Should there be no other directive for the disposal of any remaining assets, they shall be distributed in accord with Section 10 of the Texas Uniform Unincorporated Nonprofit Association Act of 1995, or the corresponding provision of any future Texas law concerning such organizations.

**In Witness Whereof**, we have hereby and in the stated capacities subscribed our names as of August 21, 2004 to these Articles of Association.

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Susan Martin, President (2004-2005)

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Barbara Berkus, Treasurer (2004-2005)

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Lea Lohstreter, Vice-President, Membership (2004-2005)

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Elizabeth Duke, Vice-President, Education (2004-2005)

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Sheryl Dial, Immediate Past President (President 2003-2004)

Original was duly signed by the abovementioned and Filed with IRS on August 25, 2004.

This document was approved by the membership on 9/7/2004

**Bylaws  
of the  
Dallas Hand Knitters Guild**  
Revised 2011

ARTICLE I  
Name and Purpose

The organization shall be known as the DALLAS HAND KNITTERS GUILD.

The purpose of the Guild shall be to provide education and communication to advance the quality of workmanship and creativity in the members' knitting endeavors as well as to promote the art of knitting.

ARTICLE II  
Membership

Any person who is interested in the purpose of the organization may become a member by payment of dues, as stated in Article VI, regardless of race, creed, color or sex.

The Guild shall be a non-profit organization and may not form a cooperative in order to obtain a business license or tax number for the purpose of buying knitting supplies at wholesale price.

ARTICLE III  
Board

The management of the Dallas Hand Knitters Guild shall be vested in a Board of Directors composed of six (6) executive officers, President, 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Communications Editor, provided for in Article IV and such executive Board shall set policy.

Meetings of the Board may be called by the President or upon the request of any two (2) other members of the Board of Directors.

A majority of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any Board meeting.

The Board shall be responsible for preparing a budget for the fiscal year to submit to the Guild at the regular meeting in September. After budget approval; any other expense exceeding \$100.00 must be approved by the Board.

In the event of the death or resignation of any member of the Board, the Board in its' discretion may elect or appoint a successor to fill the unexpired term.

#### ARTICLE IV Officers and Duties

The officers of the Guild shall consist of a President, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Communications Editor. Term of office for each officer shall be for one year.

The President shall preside at all meetings of the membership, all meetings of the Board of Directors and shall be an ex-officio member of all committees, except the Nominating Committee. The President with the advice and consent of the Board of Directors shall appoint all standing committees to be established by the Guild, with the exception of the Nominating Committee.

The 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President shall assist the President and serve in the absence of the President. The 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President shall serve as the Chairman of the Membership Committee and shall keep an accurate and up to date list of members in good standing, together with their current addresses and make such information available to the membership.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President shall serve as the Chairman of the Education Committee.

The Secretary shall keep minutes of all proceedings of meetings of the membership and the Board of Directors. The Secretary shall be responsible for all business correspondence at the direction of the President.

The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all monies and present a statement of the current financial condition at all meetings. The Treasurer shall be responsible for overseeing the preparation of the budget.

Communications Editor (CE) – This position's duties include compiling the history of the Guild through but not limited to photographs, digital documents, and other media formats. The CE will also maintain the DHKG website by producing timely postings August through May. Postings will be provided by the Board and members in good standing within the timeline set by the CE. The Communications Editor may designate a third party to assist in web design and site upkeep, if needed.

#### ARTICLE V Committees

The Guild shall have the following standing committees:

##### Membership

- \* make membership information available to members
- \* solicit new members
- \* other duties as needed

##### Education

- \* provide monthly programs September through May
- \* organize special workshops or seminars
- \* other duties as needed

##### Publicity

- \* create interest in the Dallas Hand Knitters Guild
- \* publicize special events
- \* other duties as needed

## Historian

- \* maintain a history of Guild activities through photos, scrapbooks or other media
- \* other duties as needed

Special committees shall be Auditing and Nominating. Additional committees may be added as necessary. The Chairmen of all committees shall be appointed by the President, with the exception of the Nominating Committee.

## ARTICLE VI

### Dues

Dues shall be set at \$30.00 for a yearly membership and shall become due and payable on or before the September meeting. Dues will be prorated to \$15.00 for members joining after January 15<sup>th</sup>. *<revised 5/4/2004>* A prospective member may attend one meeting as a guest.

## ARTICLE VII

### Meetings

Special meetings of the Board of Directors of the Guild may be called from time to time by any two (2) members of the Board of Directors. Members of the Board of Directors shall be notified at least ten (10) days in advance of the special meetings.

Membership meetings shall be held once a month on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday from September through May.

Thirty (30) percent of the members of the Guild currently in good standing shall constitute a quorum for a regular meeting of the members.

## ARTICLE VIII

### Elections

At the March membership meeting, a Nominating Committee of at least three (3) members shall be elected for the purpose of nominating officers of the Guild for the next annual term. The Nominating Committee shall be prepared to present its proposed slate of officers at the April membership meeting.

An annual election of officers shall occur at the April membership meeting, at which time additional nominations from the floor shall be permitted.

The newly elected officers of the Guild shall be installed at the May membership meeting.

## ARTICLE IX

### Amendment of Bylaws

Suggested amendments to the Bylaws shall be presented to the President for presentation to the Board of Directors. Upon approval, such amendments shall be presented to the membership in writing. At least one month must intervene between the meeting at which an amendment to the Bylaws has been proposed and the meeting at which such an amendment can be considered for adoption. Thirty (30) percent of the members of the Guild currently in good standing shall constitute a quorum for a regular meeting of the members. A majority vote of the registered members present is required to adopt the proposed amendment or revision.

Digital Documents or electronic signatures will be accepted as a form of written notice

## ARTICLE X

### Parliamentary Procedure

*Robert's Rules of Order*, as revised, shall govern all procedures and parliamentary matters of the Guild meetings.

# GUILD HISTORY

On July 2, 1991, eleven knitters gathered to discuss forming an organization where they could share their knowledge and skill in hand knitting. Within two months, the Dallas Hand Knitters Guild was formed.

Today, the Dallas Hand Knitters Guild has more than 100 members. The Guild has hosted workshops with world-renowned teachers, such as Alice Starmore, Beth Brown-Reinsel, Nancy Bush, Nancie Wiseman and Gloria Tracy.

## 1991–1992

### Officers:

President	Sue Tuley
VP Membership	Judy Gamper
VP Programs	Susan Corser
Secretary	Kelly Rosier
Treasurer	Carol Groves

### Highlights:

Program format established  
Bylaws adopted  
First workshop: Making Cotton Behave by Melba Kerley  
Membership total: 52

## 1992–1993

### Officers:

President	Linda Ramsey
VP Membership	Sheryl Dial
VP Programs	Maria Taiclet
Secretary	Sabrina Brown
Treasurer	Diane McCrudden

### Highlights:

Logo adopted  
First annual membership directory  
First newsletter  
First fund-raising project: Red canvas knitting bag  
Taos Wool Festival trip  
Trunk show and slide presentation by Alice Starmore  
Membership total: 82

## 1993–1994

### Officers:

President	Sabrina Brown
VP Membership	Carol Groves and Joan Hall
VP Programs	Sandy Melton
Secretary	Diane Piwko
Treasurer	Heather Keith

### Highlights:

Workshops:  
Knitting Ganseys by Beth Brown-Reinsel  
Seamless Argyles by Suzanne Thompson  
Membership total: 89

## 1994–1995

### Officers:

President	Sandy Melton
VP Membership	Sabrina Brown
VP Programs	Sheryl Dial
Secretary	Patricia Kalthoff
Treasurer	Heather Keith

### Highlights:

Workshops:  
Color Theory for Knitters by Suzanne Thompson  
Ullard Ethnic Sweater by Beth Brown-Reinsel  
Folk Socks by Nancy Bush  
*Dallas Morning News* photo featuring DHKG  
First Golden Needle Award given by President  
Membership total: 102

## 1995–1996

### Officers:

President	Sheryl Dial
VP Membership	Denise Thuesen
VP Programs	Susan Corser
Secretary	Patricia Kalthoff
Treasurer	Libby Patterson

### Highlights:

Cash award established for Texas State Fair:  
*Excellence in Hand Knitting Techniques and Use of Color*  
Workshop:  
Fair Isle by Beth Brown-Reinsel

1<sup>st</sup> Annual Knitting Retreat:  
30+ Things Every Knitter Should Know  
by Carol Anderson, owner of Cottage Creations  
*Dallas Morning News* article & photo:  
“Rise of Hand Knitting”  
DHKG booth:  
Quilter’s Guild of Dallas Quilt Show  
Bylaws revised  
Fund-raising project: Yarn Junkie mug  
Membership total: 93

## 1996–1997

### Officers:

President	Patricia Kalthoff
VP Membership	Anne Gervasi, Betty Kay Seibt
VP Programs	Lissa Batton
Secretary	Wilma Malhiot
Treasurer	Heather Keith

### Highlights:

DHKG sponsored State Fair of Texas award for *Excellence in Hand Knitting Techniques and Use of Color* awarded to Kaki Gemmell

### Workshops:

Orenburg Lace Shawls by Olga Federova  
Slip-Stitch by Gloria Tracy  
Aran Cardigan from the Neck Down by Beth Brown-Reinsel

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Knitting Retreat:

PS...It Fits by Mary Eggelston

Membership total: 91

## 1997–1998

### Officers:

President	Susan Corser
VP Membership	Judy Gamper
VP Programs	Sheryl Dial
Secretary	Wilma Malhiot
Treasurer	Sharon Scott

Circular Knit-In Set-In Sleeves by Joan Schrouder

Designing the Perfect Fit by Gloria Tracy

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Knitting Retreat:

Bohus Knitting by Wendy Keele

### DHKG booths:

Celtic Heritage Festival  
Woolenworks Barn to Yarn  
Quilters' Guild of Dallas Quilt Show  
Dallas Blooms

Fund-raising project: Natural canvas knitting bag  
Membership total: 127

### Highlights:

DHKG sponsored State Fair of Texas award for *Excellence in Hand Knitting Techniques and Use of Color* awarded to Marie L. Vallin

### Workshops:

Negotiating Necklines by Joan Schrouder

## 1998–1999

### Officers:

President	Sabrina Brown
VP Membership	Diane McCrudden
VP Programs	Felecia Johnson
Secretary	Jackie Merriman
Treasurer	Gay Carrington

Norwegian Fana Cardigan by Beth Brown-Reinsel

Interlocking Diamonds and Short Row Lace Doily by Nancie Wiseman

### 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Knitting Retreat:

Entrelac, Shocking Stockings, and Encased Seams by Joan Schrouder

### DHKG booths:

Machine Knitters Forum  
Celtic Heritage Festival  
State Fair of Texas  
Quilters' Guild of Dallas Quilt Show

Fund-raising project: Natural canvas knitting bag  
Membership total: 128

### Highlights:

DHKG sponsored State Fair of Texas award for *Excellence in Hand Knitting Techniques and Use of Color* awarded to Libby Patterson

### Workshops:

Gansey by Beth Brown-Reinsel

## 1999-2000

### Officers:

President	Jackie Merriman
VP Membership	Julie Harris
VP Programs	Sheryl Dial
Secretary	Susan Martin
Treasurer	Gay Carrington

### Highlights:

DHKG sponsored State Fair of Texas award for *Excellence in Hand Knitting Techniques and Use of Color* awarded to Christine Cantrell of Lubbock, Texas

Workshops:  
Norwegian Lusekofte by Beth Brown-Reinsel

Colorwork with Short Rows, Tuck and Roll, Fancy Borders & Intarsia Ribbing with a Twist by Nancy Wiseman

DHKG booths:  
Celtic Heritage Festival  
State Fair of Texas  
Quilters' Guild of Dallas Quilt Show  
Mesquite Quilt Show

Community Service  
Genesis Women's and Children's Center  
Austin Street Shelter  
Tarrant County Women's Jail Knitting Program

Fund-raising project: Natural canvas knitting bag  
Membership total: 124

## 2000-2001

### Officers:

President	Libby Patterson
VP Membership	Marsha Semple
VP Programs	Sheryl Dial
Secretary	Rojean Taylor
Treasurer	Debbie Ward

### Highlights:

DHKG sponsored State Fair of Texas award for *Excellence in Hand Knitting Techniques and Use of Color* awarded to Genie Cavendar of Frisco, TX

Workshops:  
Intarsia by Keeley Stuever of Guthrie, OK

Modular Knitting by Irene York of Lake Tahoe  
City, CA

Twined Knitting by Beth Brown-Reinsel of Delta, PA

DHKG booths:  
Celtic Heritage Festival  
State Fair of Texas  
Quilters' Guild of Dallas Quilt Show

Community Service  
Genesis Women's and Children's Center  
Tarrant County Women's Jail Knitting Program

Fund-raising projects: Worm Books  
Natural canvas knitting bag  
Membership total: 133

## 2001–2002

### Officers:

President	Rojean Taylor
VP Membership	Marsha Semple Jennifer Blanton
VP Programs	Sheryl Dial
Secretary	Julie Harris
Treasurer	Libby Patterson

### Highlights:

DHKG sponsored State Fair of Texas award for  
*Excellence in Hand Knitting Techniques and Use  
of Color* awarded to Holly Minor

Tenth Anniversary Tea at S&S Tearoom

Workshops:

Danish Sejero Skra-Troje by Beth Brown  
Reinsel

DHKG booths:

Celtic Heritage Festival

Community Service

Tarrant County Women's Jail Knitting  
Program

Fund-raising project: Worm Books, Pins & Charms

Membership total: 124

## 2002–2003

### Officers:

President	Leahe Serpan
VP Membership	Bettie Waddle Olga Pena
VP Programs	Carrie Paige
Secretary	Sabrina Brown
Treasurer	Lynn Everett-Lee

### Highlights:

DHKG sponsored State Fair of Texas award for  
*Excellence in Hand Knitting Techniques and Use  
of Color*

Workshops:

Danish Nattroje by Beth Brown-Reinsel

DHKG booths:

Celtic Heritage Festival

Quilter's Guild of Dallas Quilt Show

Community Service

Tarrant County Women's Jail Knitting  
Program

Fund-raising project: Navy Sock bags,  
Pins & Charms

Membership total: 118

## 2003–2004

### Officers:

President	Sheryl Dial
VP Membership	Marsha Semple
VP Programs	Jennifer Blanton
Secretary	Sabrina Brown
Treasurer	Sheryl Dial
Newsletter Editor	Margo Lynne Hablutzel

### Highlights:

Workshops:

Scottish Sanquhar Gloves by Beth Brown-Reinsel

DHKG Demos and Events:

Knit Out and Crochet, Too

Old City Park Demonstrations

Celtic Heritage Festival

Quilter's Guild of Dallas Quilt Show

Community Service

Tarrant County Women's Prison Knitting  
Program

Fund-raising project: Navy Sock bags,

Membership total: 142

## 2004–2005

### Officers:

President	Sabrina Brown
VP Membership	Lea Lohstreter
VP Programs	Diane Piwko
Secretary	Kate Rayburn
Treasurer	Barbara Berkus
Newsletter Editor	Margo Lynne Hablutzel

Seamless Arans and Latvian Mittens by  
Beth Brown-Reinsel

DHKG Demos and Events:  
Knit Out and Crochet, Too  
Celtic Heritage Festival  
Quilter's Guild of Dallas Quilt Show

### Highlights:

Workshop:

Community Service:  
Tarrant County Women's Prison Knitting Program

Fund-Raising Project: Navy Sock Bags  
Membership total: 124

## 2005 – 2006

### Officers:

President	Betty Kay Seibt
VP Membership	Lea Lohstreter
VP Programs	Sheryl Dial
Secretary	Maki Roberts
Treasurer	Barbara Berkus
Newsletter Editor	Sabrina Brown

Faeroese Shawls by Jackie Erickson-Schweitzer

DHKG Demos and Events:  
Knit Out and Crochet, Too  
Quilter's Guild of Dallas Quilt Show  
Norwegian Festival  
Celtic Festival

### Highlights:

Workshops:

Knitted Lace Edgings by Jackie Erickson-  
Schweitzer

Community Service:  
Tarrant County Women's Prison Knitting  
Program

Fund-Raising Project: Navy Sock Bags  
Membership total: 151

## 2006 – 2007

### Officers:

President	Lea Lohstreter
VP Membership	Regina Beach Libby Patterson
VP Programs	Sheryl Dial
Secretary	Elizabeth Rittlemeyer
Treasurer	Marsha Schwitzer
Newsletter Editor	Kris Elliott

swatching, proper measurement, gauge, and step-by-step construction  
Slide presentation of upcoming book by Beth Brown-Reinsel

### DHKG Demos and Events:

Knit Out and Crochet, Too  
Quilter's Guild of Dallas Quilt Show  
NBC Channel 5 Health Fit Expo  
Celtic Festival

"Roadshows"/sweater tutorials at various yarn shops

### Community Service:

Tarrant County Women's Prison Knitting Program

Membership total: 192

### Highlights:

#### Workshops:

Maureen Mason-Jamieson "Collar Obedience Training"

#### Programs for the year:

"Start to Finish—The Circumnavigated Sweater"  
Monthly Programs included yarn selection, gauge

## 2007 – 2008

### Officers:

President	Maki Roberts
VP Membership	Regina Beach Erica Finch
VP Programs	Jennifer Tallapaneni
Secretary	Miriam Quinn
Treasurer	Mary Hoge
Newsletter Editor	Kris Elliott

"Knitting Backwards" by Patricia Kalthoff  
"Alterations for Fit and Style" by Sabrina Brown  
"Crochet for Knitters" by Alissa Barton

### DHKG booths and other events:

Celtic Heritage Festival  
Quilter's Guild of Dallas Quilt Show

### Community Service

Knit Out and Crochet, Too  
9<sup>th</sup> Annual NBC Channel 5 Health Fit Expo  
The Plano Blackland Prairie Festival  
Heart House Dallas Volunteers  
Tarrant County Women's Jail Knitting Program

Membership Total: 183 members

### Highlights:

#### Workshop:

"25 Slick Tricks Of The Trade" by Candace Eisner Strick  
October 21, 2007

#### Programs for the year:

"Very Variegated" by Suzann Thompson  
"The Victorian Thimble Bag" by Mary Jo Mundell  
"Fearless Steeking" by Susan Corser  
"Double Knitting" by Jennifer Tallapaneni  
"Needle Felting" by Christine Cadorette  
"Zipper How To's" by Alissa Barton

## 2008-2009

“Repairing Your Knitting” by Alissa Barton  
“Moebius Knitting” by Sherry Anderson  
“Blocking Techniques” by Janice Lynn  
“It’s Only Yarn” by Lise Wilson

### Officers:

President	Gigi Firth
VP Membership	Erica Finch, Mary Hoge
VP Programs	Jennifer Tallapaneni, Regina Beach
Secretary	Denise Clair
Treasurer	Maki Roberts
Newsletter Editor	Sabrina Brown

DHKG booths and other events:  
Celtic Heritage Festival  
Quilter’s Guild of Dallas Quilt Show  
Community Service  
Knit Out and Crochet, Too  
Tarrant County Women’s Jail Knitting Program

### Highlights:

Membership Total: 155 members

Workshop:  
“Strickly Shawls” Lace Workshop by Candace Eisner  
Strick, October 4-5, 2008

Programs for the year:  
Bluebonnet Cardigan Knitalong with Patricia Kalthoff

## 2009-2010

"A Variety of Toe Shapes" by Sabrina Brown  
"Strong Heel - a Heel and Gusset Variation" by Jeannie Oden  
"Socks Toe Up, Part 1 & 2" by Lise Wilson

### Officers:

President	Mary Jo Mundell
VP Membership	Elizabeth Sutherland, Janet Pacheco
VP Programs	Sheryl Dial, Annette Campbell, Lea Lohstreter
Secretary	Denise Clair
Treasurer	Maki Roberts
Newsletter Editor	Sabrina Brown

### Highlights:

#### Workshop:

There was no workshop this year.

#### Programs for the year:

Socks, Sock, and more Socks  
"Sock Overview & Cast On" by Alissa Barton  
"Casting On Options" by Patricia Kaltoff  
"Socks 2 at a Time" by Sherry Anderson  
"Cuff Patterns: Lace, Adding Beads, Cables, etc" by Jackie Erickson-Schweitzer  
"Heels and Gussets" by Betty Kay Seibt

### DHKG booths and other events:

Celtic Heritage Festival  
Quilter's Guild of Dallas Quilt Show  
Community Service  
Knit Out and Crochet, Too  
Tarrant County Women's Jail Knitting Program

### Location

We lost the space at Transfiguration and had to make an emergency move in March to C.C. Young, at 4847 West Lawther Drive Dallas, TX 75214

Membership Total: 181 members

## 2010-2011

"The Herd is Coming!" with Ron & Theresa Miskin  
"Hands on Design" with Diane Piwko

### Officers:

President	Denise Clair
VP Membership	Elizabeth Sutherland, Janet Pacheco
VP Programs	Sheryl Dial
Secretary	Sugie Dotson
Treasurer	Erin Parilla
Newsletter Editor	Sabrina Brown

### DHKG booths and other events:

Celtic Heritage Festival  
Quilter's Guild of Dallas Quilt Show

### Community Service

Knit Out and Crochet, Too  
Tarrant County Women's Jail Knitting Program

### Highlights:

#### Workshop:

There was no workshop this year.

#### Programs for the year:

Shawl Knit-Along, designed by the Knitting Fairy, Alissa Barton:

"Lace Overview"

"Get an Edge On"

"Shawl Design Opportunities"

"Shawl Finishing & Blocking"

"Knitting Design: 98% Hard Work; 2% Knitting" with Suzan Thompson

"EPS-Elizabeth's Percentage System: with Patricia Kalthoff

### Location

We held the first meeting at C.C. Young, then moved to The Hockaday School  
11600 Welch Road  
Dallas, 75229

Membership Total: 152 members

## Golden Needle Awards

The Golden Needle Award was introduced in 1994-1995 and is given annually by the President to the guild member who has done the most to move the guild forward. The recipients are as follows:

1994 – 1995 .....	Sheryl Dial
1995 – 1996 .....	Betty Kay Seibt and Ann Gerasi
1996 – 1997 .....	Kris Elliott
1997 – 1998 .....	Judy Gamper
1998 – 1999 .....	Libby Patterson
1999 – 2000 .....	Julie Harris
2000 – 2001 .....	Marsha Semple
2001 – 2002 .....	Marsha Semple
2002 – 2003 .....	Margo Lynne Hablutzel
2003 – 2004.....	Christina Lee
2004 - 2005.....	Jackie Merriman
2005 – 2006.....	Lea Lohstreter
2006 - 2007.....	Sheryl Dial
2007 - 2008.....	Regina Beach and Erica Finch
2008 - 2009.....	Patricia Kalthoff
2009 - 2010.....	Denise Clair
2010 - 2011.....	Sabrina Brown

## DHKG Life Members

Mary Eggleston Lyle (September 2003)  
Sheryl Dial (presented May 2007)