

Kaleidoscopic Voices

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This month our meeting is at the Masonic Lodge. The program this month will be our annual philanthropy workshop. We are making placemats for Meals-on-Wheels distribution.

Please join us!





Peggy Couvrette, President

President's Message

The count down to our quilt show has started! We have lots of quilts from our members. The show is laid out. Placards being printed. Thanks, Karen, for entering them all in Excel. Debbie is going through our inventory for drapes and boutiques and getting all our ducks lined up. So appreciate everyone's efforts. Please look at article below about time table to drop off quilts, set up, the show and tear down

This meeting is our annual philanthropy meeting. We will be doing placemats for Meals on Wheels. Please bring your sewing machine and join us. Marilyn Carnes and her elves have worked hard to get kits together for this meeting. We will have a very short meeting and sharing so we have more time to sew. We will be starting at 12 noon. Hope to see you there.

Peggy





Upcoming Dates to Remember

10/15 – Quilt show quilt drop-off. 1:00 p.m.– 4:00 p.m. at Peggy's house. This is the final day for quilt submission delivery.

10/18 - General meeting at the Masonic Lodge. Doors open for setup and sewing at 12:00 p.m. Short business meeting starts at 1:00 p.m. This month we will be holding our annual philanthropy workshop to make Meals-on-Wheels placemats. Information below.

10/20 – Quilt show setup. Starts at 4:30 p.m. Anyone that can help is very appreciated!! 10/21 – Kaleidoscope of Quilts Show. Much information below.

11/1 – Guild Board meeting online on ZOOM. All are welcome. Contact Peggy for information about connecting to the ZOOM meeting. Starts 4:00 p.m.

11/15 – General meeting at the Masonic Lodge. Doors open 12:30 p.m. Meeting starts at 1:00 p.m. This month's presentation will be speaker Leigh Zieber presenting "Little Treasures".

12/13 – Holiday Party at the Masonic Lodge. Doors open 12:30 p.m. for appetizers. Meal starts at 1:00 p.m.

Our October Birthdays

10/6	Stephen Garcia
10/13	Trudy Ooms
10/13	Debbie Sherrell
10/19	Ruth Jones
10/28	Peggy Couvrette
10/29	Sue Bennorth

Happy Birthday!

Kaleidoscope Website is available for viewing: www.kaleidoscopequiltguild.

October Hospitality Volunteers

<u>Snacks</u> Joan Nickerson Ruth Jones Kathy Smith Beverages Judy Shepard

Opportunity Quilt Chair Person

Thank you Glen Baker for doing such a great job with the opportunity quilt. Glen is ready for someone else to have this opportunity! The Great News is we have two quilts in waiting so for the next two years we are set. We need someone to handle getting tickets out to people, tracking who has paid and organizing showing the opportunity quilt at guilds and different venues.

Holiday Party is Rapidly Approaching!

Our 2023 Holiday Party is fast approaching. The date is December 13. Doors open at 12:30 for appetizers and meal will be served around 1. We will have sign-up sheets at the October meeting for helpers to decorate the tables and for food items for the pot-luck lunch. Guild will provide a sliced ham and maybe a turkey.

Start thinking about you would like to bring!

Treasurer's Report	
September 2023	

Balance, September 1, 2023 (Includes Retreat Deposits of \$8,290) (Includes Petty Cash/Opportunity & Membership of \$100)	\$19,493.04
Income	
Guests	\$20.00
Memberships	\$12.50
Opportunity Quilt	\$358.00
Boutique	\$1,796.00
Total Income	\$2,186.50
Expense	
Check #2217 Vina de Lestonnac - 2023 Retreat Payment	\$6,777.00
Check #2218 Vina de Lestonnac - 2024 Retreat Deposit	\$1,894.00
Check #2219 LGMTA - September Rent	\$100.00
Check #2220 J. Shephard - Retreat Supplies	\$72.50
Check #2127 City of Lemon Grove - Hang Show Banner	\$35.00
Check #2128 S. Bouchard - September Program	\$423.75
Total Expense	\$9,302.25
Balance September 30, 2023	\$12,377.29

Kaleidoscope of Quilts Show Information October 21st 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Here are the important dates:

Quilt Drop Off – Sunday October 15th 1 pm – 4pm at Peggy's house. Quilts MUST be received by Sunday the 15th. We put the quilts in order as they are going to hang. It makes set up go so much smoother. If you can't make this time frame, please contact Peggy to make arrangements.

Challenge Quilts – Please make sure to bring a picture of your inspiration for your art piece.

Quilt Set Up – Friday October 20th 4pm – 7:30 -- The Boutique will start set up at 1 pm. Please wear closed toe shoes with a back on them. Please no sandals. Just want to keep everyone safe

Quilt Show Saturday October 21st 10 am – 4pm -

1. We ask that you park in the neighborhood to allow parking for our guests.

2. We ask that you bring 2 dozen cookies or snacks for our hospitality table. Please nothing gooey

BOUTIQUE QUILTS On Web site

4 pdfs on our website showing picture of quilt, size and price. Very reasonably priced. Great holiday gifts! They pdfs have been updated.

Take a look at our website. Please identify the quilts by number. They will be in that order. **www.kaleidoscopequiltguild.com**



October 2023 PHILANTHROPY

Bring your sewing machine to our October meeting for our Philanthropy Sew-in!!!!

Yes!!!! The meeting you have been waiting for all year is finally here, this month 😳 We will be making placemats for Meals-on-Wheels. Kits are all prepared and packaged for you. All you need is your sewing machine, scissors and

thread (OK, I'm bringing a seam ripper also, just in case 😏) Here's the list:

Sewing Machine (with $\frac{1}{4}$ " foot)

Thread (white, green and/or red)

Scissors and maybe seam-ripper

Ironing boards, mats and rulers for squaring-up will be provided.

Last year we donated 203 placemats to Meals-on-Wheels. Let's see if we can match that total this year.

Wow!!!! we received so many beautiful quilts for philanthropy at our September meeting. Thanks goes to: Kathy Smith, Karen Brixner, Margaret Winbury, Rita Anaya, Kathryn Diamond, Alice Converse, Linda Simpson, Margie Weese, & Julie Reyes.

If you haven't made your quilt for philanthropy yet this year, I have some quilt kits available for you. Stop by the philanthropy table and pick one up.

Keep those sewing machines whirling! See you in October!

Marilyn Carnes (Roseway@cox.net), Marilyn Helkenn, Mary Weflen

OCTOBER 18TH - PHILANTHROPY SEW-IN You can come early if you want - Noon This is the meeting where we sew placemats for Meals-on-Wheels. Please bring: Sewing machine ‡" foot - if needed Thread - white, and maybe red or green for sewing binding Scissors [& seam ripper] Ironing boards, and cutting mats will be available.

Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild General Meeting September 20, 2023

The meeting was called to order by President Peggy Couvrette who welcomed everyone including the Sunshine Quilters with their opportunity quilt.

Membership – Karen Brixner announced we had 2 guests and 1 new member – Sue Bennorth.

<u>Programs</u> – Robyn Phelps – The 2024 guild programs will be available at the quilt show. Robyn suggested a trip to tour the Hoffman factory in Mission Viejo, tentatively in April. The tour is free with a 25-person minimum.

September – Sue Bouchard – What If? September 28 & 29 – Robyn's workshop is full.
October – Philanthropy Workshop
November – Leigh Zeiber – Little Treasures vintage quilts; Members can bring their own vintage quilts for her to discuss.
December – 12-13-23 – Holiday Party

<u>Challenge</u> – Karen Brixner reminded members that entries are due along with a photo of the inspiration piece.

<u>Retreat</u> – Judy Shepard, Pat Gailband – 2024: August 28-September 1st. Prices have gone up \$80 (\$535 for 3 nights and 8 meals). First payment is due in February 2024.

<u>Philanthropy</u> – Marilyn Carnes said that our Philanthropy Sew-in will be next month, and encourage everyone to bring their sewing machine and help sew placemats for Meals on Wheels.

<u>Opportunity Quilt</u> – Gwen Baker – \$47 was raised at the Sunshine guild meeting, and \$71 at the Chula Vista guild. We are currently looking for someone – or several people- who would like to handle the opportunity quilt for 2024 (the quilt is already sewn).

<u>Quilt Show</u> – Peggy announced that the show will be October 21st, 10-4 and entry forms are due today. Karen was thanked for making a database of quilt entries. Sign-up sheets went around for volunteers. Quilts need to be dropped off at Peggy's on Sunday October 15, 1-4 PM. Peggy asked everyone to bring cookies for our snack table (non-sticky). Lemonade will be served.

<u>Christmas Party</u> – Glen Baker - sign-up sheets went around for helpers. Sign-ups for food will be available next month.

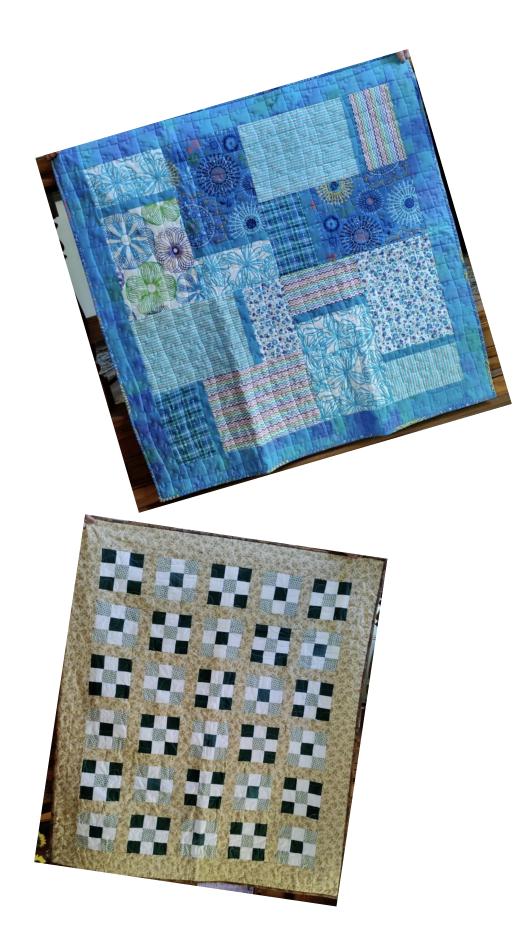
Sharing was enjoyed by all.

Meeting adjourned

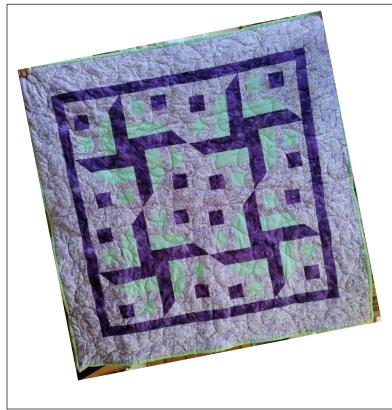
Marilyn Carnes Secretary pro-tem

September Philanthropy quilts.















Kaleidoscope Monthly General Meetings

When: 3rd Wednesday of each month. Meeting starts at 1:00 p.m. Where: Lemon Grove Masonic Center, 2590 Main St., Lemon Grove, CA.

Kaleidoscope Monthly Board Meetings When: 1st Wednesday of each month Meeting starts at 4:00 p.m. Where: Meeting online with ZOOM.

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