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# SANTA CLARITA VALLEY QUILT GUILD

Promoting the art of quilting through sharing, friendship, education, and meaningful service to our community.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi All,

SPREAD THE LOVE ♥.

This is my message for the season. Be friendly to staff who help you everywhere you go. Ask them how their day has been.

Adding a bit more kindness into the world has a way of coming back to you.

Be kind to those around your family and friends, you never know how long you have with them.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year 🏇 🏇 .

My UFO count isn't what I hoped for. My over achiever goal was 100 I guess it was a little ambitious. I challenged only myself. But there is always next year.

Keep Quilting.

Denise Rifilato

### PROGRAMS

Be sure to join us for our Holiday Party this month, hosted by the Monday Mavens minigroup. See the invitation below – just bring your dish and come and have some fun!

Our January meeting will be Community Service, followed in February master paper-piecer Cindy Myers, who will share her lecture, "My Quilts are not Quiet" and will teach a workshop called Prairie Pinwheels. The supply list will be available at the January meeting.

I look forward to seeing you all on December 14<sup>th</sup>!

Keep on Quilting!

Sue Bennorth

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### HOLIDAY PARTY

The SCVQG cordially invites you to our Annual Holiday Party!

We will be having a gift exchange, so if you wish to participate, please bring a wrapped gift valued from \$15 to \$20 if you would like to participate.

Members with last names starting with A-M are asked to bring an entrée and dessert, each serving six people.

Members with last names starting N-Z are asked to bring an entree and a side dish, each serving six people.

The Hospitality team will supply beverages of water, lemonade, coffee and tea. Please come join us for an evening of fun! See you at the party!

The Monday Mavens

### **MEMBERSHIP**

We want to wish everyone a wonderful holiday season with all your favorite things and time for a little quilting too!

You can plan to sign up and pay your dues for 2018 at the December meeting or in January if you prefer. Dues are \$35.00 or if you are 65 or older, \$30.00.

Make checks payable to SCVQG or pay by cash. See you at the holiday party! Enjoy Your Quilting!

Linda von Mohr & Patty Gutierrez

### WAYS AND MEANS

Well, ladies and gentlemen, the Community Service Night was a big hit. Thank you all who came and participated.

Our baskets were again well received. The beautiful basket with the Fall Table Runner and fall fabrics along with the 5 pack of Rotary Cutter Blades went home with the lucky Carol Harrison. Can't wait to see what she makes with those goodies.

The Mambo fabric with Pattern and Klutz Gloves and fall fabrics went to our very generous Kathy Foster.

The 12-yard basket of Christmas fabrics and 45mm blades went to our very lucky Dolores R Jones.

Our thank-you gifts went to Joan Anderson, Karen Warloe and Kendra Geiger.

December, 2017

The baskets this month totaled \$98.00 that takes our year to date to \$1,344.00. Falling very short of my goal of \$2,000 for the year. Hopefully the really spectacular baskets in December will help with that goal.

Many thanks to Marian again for helping out and to Marsha Daines who will be taking over Ways and Means in January 2018.

Happy Sewing,

Debbie Williams and Ellie Smith

### JOIN THE IFFI GROUP!

Congratulations to all of the IFFI participants, for digging in and completing those projects. We will have our drawing at our December Party and the lucky IFFI participant will take home half the pot, which will be \$90!! Enough monies for a new project or two!!

Next year we will have a new IFFI spokesperson, Pamela Skaggs. She will introduce the new year in January. Give a shout out to Pamela for helping our guild to be a fun and great place to associate with wonderful people.

Quilt-on!!

Joyce Wilkinson

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

A huge THANK YOU to all of our guild members that came to the November meeting. Our community service sew night was a huge success. It was enjoyable to see quite a few Featherweight machines and in so many colors. We had several members doing binding demonstrations, thank you to Patty Vergon, Sherryl Zurek and Denise Rifilato. Our focus for the evening was pillowcases for The Painted Turtle Camp, quilts and placemats for the Senior Center as well as flannel blankets for use in the NICU. Everything we prepared was taken home for completion!

Thanks for all you do for our community,

Dana Montague - email: mdlsmontague@sbcglobal.net or 818-642-3072

# TREASURER'S REPORT

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Treasurer's Report

Oct. 2017

Beginning balance \$16,979.01

Deposits 614.98

Expenses 14.51

Checking balance \$17,593.99

CD as of 8/31/17 7,720.64

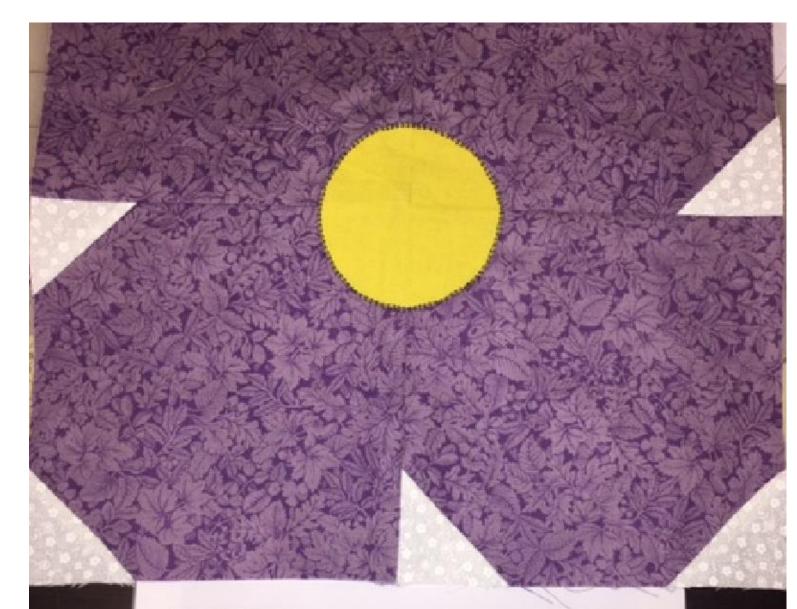
Total Balance \$25,300.12

Barbara Montejo

### **BLOCK OF THE MONTH**

Wow, Block of the Month has been a great success this year! The Pansey blocks are coming in and we will have a wonderful quilt+ with a garden of flowers. You can still turn in you block from this year at the December meeting, City Scapes, Patriotic Bento Box and the Pansey blocks. Turn them in early since will be drawing for our Thank-you gifts.

I will be introducing our next new block in January, so get ready, you are going to love it!! *Joyce Wilkinson* 





# Prosy for Spring Sept, Oct, Nov.

12.5" Block 12" finished block

Cut four 6.5" squares of any calor or floral print for the flower petals

Cut eight 2.25" squares of white or off white for the background.

Cut one 3" Circle of Yellow fabric with fusible web for the panay center

- A Sew one 2.25" square of background fabric to the two top corners of each block. Trim off the extra fabric from the briangle.
- 8. Sew the four blocks together two at a time, making sure you rotate the blocks as in the picture.
- C. Iron on the flower center and stitch down as you like.

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### **MINI-GROUPS**

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Name	Contact	Meeting Information
Super Star Quilters ***	Patti Voyles 259-6198	Meets first and third Tuesday 7 p.m rotating member's home
Cut-Up Mini Group (full for now)	Joyce Wilkinson	Meets the fourth Tuesday of each month
Monday Mavens ***	Kris Dolan 296-7573	Meets first and third Mondays 9 am to 3 pm (We lunch at La Cocina) Call to verify location
The Tuesday Evening Quilters***	Carolyn Walker 661-296-0402 New members please call first for instruction and directions.	Meets every Tuesday evening at 5:45 PM Greenbrier Estates East Mobile Home Park – Recreation Room 21301 Soledad Canyon Rd.

\*\*\* indicates membership is open. If you want to attend a meeting, we recommend calling to be sure that nothing has changed since this listing

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- Next meeting, December 14<sup>th</sup>
- Initial sign-in sheet at the door
- Verify your contact information.
- Wear your name tag
- Bring your Sweet Treats
- Bring Show and Share quilts

### This Month's Calendar:

December 14, 2017, 7:00 PM Monthly Meeting Santa Clarita United Methodist Church 26640 Bouquet Canyon Road Saugus, CA.

No Business Meeting in December



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