

SANTA CLARITA VALLEY QUILT GUILD

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



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Thank you to everyone who came to play with me on Game Night, Thursday, August 11th. We enjoyed Root Beer Floats and had so much fun together playing Quilto and Left-Right-Center. The prizes were fantastic!!! We started with 300 half yard cuts of top shelf batiks from Candy's Quilt Works. Every player went home with about 10 half yard cuts. Sorry if you could not join us.

Our Habitat for Humanity Veterans will join us at our October Guild Meeting to choose their quilts. I ask that as many of you as possible bring white thread and needles to sew on their personalized labels right there at the meeting. It was too sad to see them go home empty handed after picking their quilts last year.

The Sheriff's Chili Cook-off this fall, at the Equestrian Center, will be held on Saturday, October 15th. Debbie Williams is in charge this year. There will be a sign-up sheet available at the September meeting. This is another great opportunity to sell Opportunity Quilt raffle tickets, not to mention chili tasting, crafts and fun.

Our First Vice President, Kat Bellue, has moved on to new opportunities in Arizona. I miss her already. She hopes to visit with us now and then, but would find it difficult to be our Southern California Quilt Guild Council representative. There is only one more meeting this year. Would someone please step up to cover this last meeting for 2016?

I want to invite any and all members, especially if you are on a committee, to attend the Board Meeting at the new Library in Newhall at 6:30 pm on Thursday, September 15th. Linda Buesching will be presiding over both the Guild Meeting and the Business Meeting as I will be out of the country for September. This is your Guild and your Board wants your input. We do not publish our minutes; if you are curious about what we do at the business meeting, pull up a chair. If you would like your concern on the agenda, my email address is kldolan@att.net, phone (661) 296-7573.

PROGRAMS

You MUST be at the September meeting when our own Joyce Wilkinson will share her secrets for beautiful longarm quilting. She will have a workshop on Saturday 9/9 at her house for everyone interested in learning more. Call Joyce directly for more workshop information: 661-200-3407

The month of October is Community service, but NOVEMBER is a speaker and workshop you don't want to miss: PATRICIA BEAVER IS COMING! Patricia has a wonderful workshop on CRAYON QUILTS. This technique is a fabulous way to get your grandchildren involved with quilting. Gather up your crayons and coloring books to prepare for a fun day.

Call Linda Buesching 661-803-1416 with any questions.

Linda Buesching & Gerry Hogan

UFO (UNFINISHED OBJECT) CHALLENGE

I just wanted to remind everyone that it is not too late to join this year's UFO Challenge. See me at the meeting for rules and guidelines, and know that we only have 4 meetings left for those of you who are planning to share your completed UFO and put your name in for the 50/50 drawing!

Edra "Eddie" Moore

COMMUNITY SERVICE

August Highlights: Our guild sent rainbow heart quilts to Orlando Florida. We also sent blocks for the Modern Quilters Guild of Orlando to put into quilt tops. The quilts will be distributed to the victims and families of the mass shooting at the Pulse nightclub. So many quilts were received that they will have enough for the first responders as well!

I sent around an interest list at the meeting for two workshops. One was for a workshop conducted by our own Patty Vergon. Cost for the workshop will be \$10.00 which will be donated to the guild. Patty will be demonstrating finishing your quilt on your domestic machine. Patty often traces a pantograph, pins the tracing on her quilt and sews away! She will be bringing prepared kits for all attendees. The kit will have designs for the center of your block, corners and boarders. You will need to bring sewing equipment and a large batting sandwich. The cost for the kit is approximately \$8.00. The kit Patty will provide includes copies of a pantograph, tracing paper and pen. She will also talk about enlarging and reducing the pantograph. This is a great opportunity to learn to finish your quilts at home.

I sent a second interest list around for a Featherweight clinic. If you have a Featherweight or antique sewing machine you will want to be there. Lloyd will bring a few of his lovely antique machines to feast your eyes on and teach attendees how to clean and oil their machines. Lloyd also sells quite a few accessories for these machines.

Dates for both workshops depend on when our members are able to attend and when we are able to secure a location. Our choices are Friday or Saturday in October or November or January or February. Please let me know which dates work for you via email or at the community service table.

Thanks for all you do each month to give back to our community! Dana Montaque

MEMBERSHIP

Membership is happy to announce the addition of FIVE new members: Leslie Wright, Julie Robinson, Mary Jones, Judi Rehmann, and Pauline McGrady! Please look for these ladies at our upcoming meetings, introduce yourself and make them feel welcomed!! Remember to wear your name badges at our meetings so we can get to know each other better. Badges can be ordered at the registration table - pin-on (\$10) or magnetic (\$11). Also, Patti thanks her friend, Mary Lundie, for her donation of the wedding ring quilt top for use in guild fundraising – Thanks!

Linda von Mohr and Patti Guitierrez

SCV CHILI COOKOFF

We are invited to have a free booth at the SCV Sherriff's Department Chili Cook-Off on October 15th to sell Opportunity Quilt tickets. There will be a sign-up sheet to (wo)man the booth at the September meeting. Here are the details:

When: Saturday October 15

Time: 10 AM to 4 PM

Location: Jack Bones Equestrian Center

Pitchess Detention Center 26983 Tapia Canyon Road

Castaic

So, sign up – sell some tickets – taste some chili – maybe even drink a beer or two???

Kris Dolan

WAYS AND MEANS

Well wasn't game night great??? Such fun and such awesome prizes. Thank you Kris for making it such a blast.

Way and Means had a spectacular night. Many thanks to all who bought tickets. Our guild now has \$183.00 more and that takes our year to date total to \$1044.00. Fantastic job members!

Our Winners: The Tan and Thread Caddie basket went home with Joan Anderson, the Black and White Box went home with Linda Bushing (this one was a big hit and we may have to do that one again) and the Large Kid Fabric basket went home with Linda Von Mohr.

The Batik Basket that we have been drooling over finally went to a wonderful home with Linda Buesching. If you would like to do this type of basket again please let Ellie or I know. Big congratulations to Linda!

The Thank Yous went to Pauline McGrady, Marcia Dains and Karen Warloe.

Again many thanks to Edra for helping out as our lovely Ellie was out of town.

Happy Sewing,

See y'all soon – from Debbie Williams vacationing in Texas

HOSPITALITY

N-Z Bring Snacks

Kathy Foster

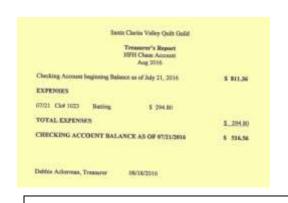
OPPORTUNITY QUILT 2016

If you haven't yet, please see Patty Vergon at the meeting this month to pick up your tickets for this year's Opportunity Quilt! I will have ticket packets for the new members, also!

Patty Vergon

TREASURER'S REPORT





Our treasurer's report isn't available in digital format, increase the % size on your browser to read the details

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

The winner of the July/August BOM was Helen Meraz. Helen please look for me at the September meeting and I will give you the 2 FQ you won.

The block for Sept./Oct. is called Maple Leaf. It's an easy block so do give it a try.

Barbara Montejo

SCVQG Block of the Month

Sept.-Oct. 2016

Maple Leaf

Technique-Pieced

Size-12 1/2 x 12 1/2'

Fabric- gold, dark green, dark red

Cutting: gold

4 1/2' sq. 2

2 47/8' sq. □

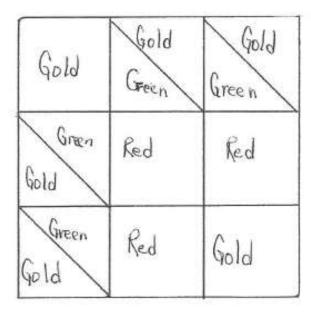
Dark green

2 4 7/8' sq.

Dark red

3 4 ½' sq.

Pieces-13



September, 2016

MINI-GROUPS

Name	Contact	Meeting Information
Saturday Quilters***	Mary Beth Will	Meets last Saturday of Month
	323-387-2260	12:30 to 5:30 p.m. at church behind Goodwill. Attendees split \$50 fee and share snacks
Super Star Quilters ***	Patti Voyles	Meets first and third Tuesday
	259-6198	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	Meets first and third Mondays
	296-7573	9 am to 3 pm (We lunch at La Cocina)
		Call to verify location
The Tuesday Evening	Carolyn Walker	Meets every Tuesday evening at 5:45 PM
Quilters***	661-296-0402	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

GUIDE DOG OF AMERICA QUILT 2017

Just a quick reminder that your dog blocks (12 ½ raw edge) are due this coming meeting (September)! I asked for at least one rainbow color in the blocks. You have a choice of style and block content. If you will have a problem getting the block to me, please email me at patti.voyles@att.net. Thanks for the on-going support from you all! I do have a few blocks that didn't make it into last year's quilt just because I ran out of room. I have them to add to this one. Looking forward to seeing what you have done.

Patti Voyles



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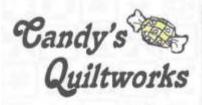
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Things to Remember:

- Next meeting, September 8th
- Initial sign-in sheet at the door
- Verify your contact information.
- Wear your name taq
- Bring Show and Share quilts
- Bring your UFO's for the challenge

This Month's Calendar:

September 8, 2016, 7:00 PM Monthly Meeting Santa Clarita United Methodist Church 26640 Bouquet Canyon Road Saugus, CA.

Thursday, September 15, 6:30 PM Business Meeting – Newhall Public Library



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