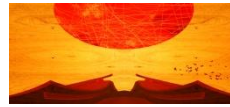




Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild

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



SUMMER'S A HEATIN' UP

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Thank you to members who shared their knowledge at the July meeting.

My only regret is that I was not able to attend any sessions as I was teaching one myself.

Thank you to all the members who came to the meeting-your enthusiastic response was very satisfying to all the teachers.

Do get your machine and bobbins ready for next month's sewing race. It will be fun.

Barbara Montejo

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

Carole Harrison was the winner of the block of the month in July. Congratulations.

The block for September will be a simple windmill block done in fall colors. Do give it a try. See you in August.

Barbara Montejo



PROGRAMS

I hope everyone had a great time at the July meeting; I was so busy doing the Scissor Fobs I did not really have time to look around and see what else was going on!

For August we will be having a little twist on our game night, instead of playing Quilto or Bunco we will be having a Jelly Roll Race. You will need to bring your machine to participate; after break we will have a race to see who can sew their pack of 2 1/2 inch strips the fastest into a quilt top. There is a very good tutorial at

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2bEJLnaZQOU> or you can also just search the Internet using your favorite search engine. I will explain at the beginning of the meeting also.

We will be using community service and other donated fabric and the completed tops will go back to community service for future community service needs.

My best advice is to bring some full bobbins and a fresh spool of thread to keep from having to change in the middle of the race, scissors will also be handy. Prizes will be awarded to all who participate and there will be a time cut-off as we are trying to keep the meetings within a two hour time frame.

PROGRAMS Continued

Hope to see you there and remember this is to have fun and hopefully get some tops made!

September brings us Jan Steffen; she will be sharing the Jodi Barrow's Square in a Square technique and there will be a workshop the Saturday following the meeting.

Remember we will be having a drawing for the book and ruler needed for the workshop for everyone who has paid for the workshop by break at the August meeting. If you are planning on taking the workshop and have given me your check or payment by the end of break you could be going home with the ruler and book that night!

See you in August, machines tuned up and ready to GO!

Eddie Moore

Programs

Suggested items to bring for race:

Sewing Machine

Thread and full bobbins

Scissors

Anything else you need to make YOU happy when sewing!



COMMUNITY SERVICE

Hope this article finds all of our fellow quilters well and managing to stay cool. Thanks so much for all you continue to contribute. We recently received 25 Cat Pads for the Castaic Animal Shelter as well as the 15 pads Anne Watts sent over with a volunteer.

We are currently working on strip quilt kits for game night. They promise to be a fun "mystery top" and the perfect size for lap or shawl wraps.

We have several spray basted quilts ready for quilting. I will bring them to the next guild meeting in August. Should you wish to start on one of these quilts before then, please contact myself or Helena and we can plan to meet you. We will be sending these quilts to the Painted Turtle Camp. We have several turtles cut out ready to be sewn if you would like to work on these, please call Helena. If you have medium to large buttons you would like to donate to this cause please bring them to the guild meeting too.

We are in need of shawls for our senior center. We have fabric if you would like to work on these.

We are trying to remember the name of the person who is collecting threads for a group of girls sewing pillows etc. Would you please give me (Helena) a call; I have several partial spools for this cause.

Thanks again,

Dana Montague 1-818-642-3072

Helena Woodworth 1-661-252-2572

GUILD BUSINESS - BY-LAWS

There will be a meeting on August 9th at 6:00 p.m. at the Methodist church (where our monthly meetings are held) to review our by-laws.

If you are interested in reviewing them and seeing what revisions we need, please come join me.

If you would like a copy to review ahead of time, please let me know. It would be appreciated if you would let me know if you are coming.

Thank you.
Lola Dyroy
296-6790

BLOCK SWAP NEWS

Just a reminder for all participants - Be sure to bring your swap to the August meeting. If you won't be attending, give to a friend to bring and pick up your next challenge. Or contact Megan or Mary Beth for alternative ways to get it to the meeting. Thanks and enjoy the challenges!

HOLIDAY PARTY NEWS

Remember members, we will be having a Holiday Boutique at our December Holiday Party. It's not too early to work on items to donate to the boutique. You can plan on donating items and do holiday shopping at the same time. Donations may be given to Megan Null at the monthly meetings.



SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COUNCIL OF QUILT GUILDS NEWS

The next quarterly meeting will be October 13th. Contracts, Financial Issues and Tax Exempt Status will be discussed. It is also the elections for 2013. This is a good opportunity to see the organization in action and judge if you'd be interested in running for office in the future.

At this meeting, Don Beld will also discuss his book, written with Pam Weeks, on Civil War Quilts.

The meeting is in the Antelope Valley. See Patti Voyles if you'd like to attend for further information.

HOSPITALITY

Those having birthdays in August and February should bring snacks. Silverware, plates and napkins will be provided. Be sure to wish them a Happy Birthday.

Each member who wishes water, tea, coffee or soda should bring their own.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2012 QUILT SHOW –MOUNTAIN TREASURES XXIV

PLACE: BIG BEAR MIDDLE SCHOOL

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TIME: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 - 10-5 & SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER -2- 10-4.

ADMISSION: \$5.00

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BUSY BEARS QUILT GUILD

TREASURERS REPORT

TREASURY REPORT

<u>Beginning Bank Balance</u>	\$9,899.28
<u>OPP Quilt- Sales</u>	\$20.00
Ways & Means:	
Auction	\$1,294.85
Expense	
Administration:	
Misc.	\$16.10
Rent	\$525.00
Newsletter:	
Print-Postage	\$121.12
Programs	
Other	\$11.90
Speaker Fees-Travel	\$500.00
Quilt Show 2012	
Auction - Boutique	\$18.49
Ending Check Balance	\$10,021.52
CDs	\$7,661.16
Total	\$17,682.68

REMINDER

Bring Opportunity Quilt money to turn in at the meeting. Millie Kerr is still collecting funds for the prize drawing at each meeting. A fun way to help us remember to turn in those ticket stubs and the funds collected.

Quiltn' for You!

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*****Mini Groups*****

Friday Friends ***

See Caryl Jo or Cherrie Maylis
Meets 2nd & 4th Fridays
7 p.m. Shadow Hills Presbyterian
Church
10158 Johanna Ave. Sunland

S.E.W.U.P.'s

New meeting location to be announced.
Meets Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

Saturday Quilters ***

Mary Beth Will 323-387-2260
Meets last Saturday of Month
12:30 to 5:30 p.m. at church behind
Goodwill. Attendees split \$50 fee and
share snacks.

Super Star Quilters ***

Patti Voyles 259-6198
Meets first and third Tuesdays
7 p.m., rotating member's home

The Tuesday Night Group ***

Carle Kouri 661-252-0741
21303 Soledad Canyon, Saugus
Greenbrier East Mobile Home Park
Recreation Center 5:45 p.m.

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SANTA CLARITA VALLEY QUILT GUILD
MONTHLY MEETING
AUGUST 9, 2012 7-9 PM
SANTA CLARITA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
26640 BOUQUET CNYN, SAUGUS, CA

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

A letter we recently received from the Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Home of California illustrates the part our quilts have in the lives of others.

The letter says:

Dear Ms. Woodworth and Members of the Santa Clarita Quilters Guild,

On behalf of the California Department of Veterans Affairs and the Veterans Home of California in West Los Angeles, I would like to thank you all for your kind donation of fabric and accessories for a very talented Veteran resident, who is also a talented seamstress!

I know that is not the first time you have honored our Veterans with your talents. Our residents are still enjoying your beautiful quilt donation - and will continue to for many years to come.

I am told that our resident is going to be handcrafting special bibs for residents with the fabric you have donated. I know they will be very much appreciated.

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It is wonderful that caring members of our communities, such as the Santa Clarita Quilters Guild, take time to remember and honor our wonderful Veterans with such thoughtful acts of kindness. We appreciate your efforts and this donation of fabric and accessories - very much!

Thank you for all you do - and for helping to improve the quality of life for our deserving Veterans.

Sincerely,

Louis Koff
Director

As you can see by this letter, what we do to contribute to our communities is appreciated and improves the quality of the lives of those in them. A big thank you to all members for their contributions!



SCVQG Block of the Month

Sept. 2012

Fall Windmill

Technique- Pieced

Block Size- 12 1/2" x12 1/2"

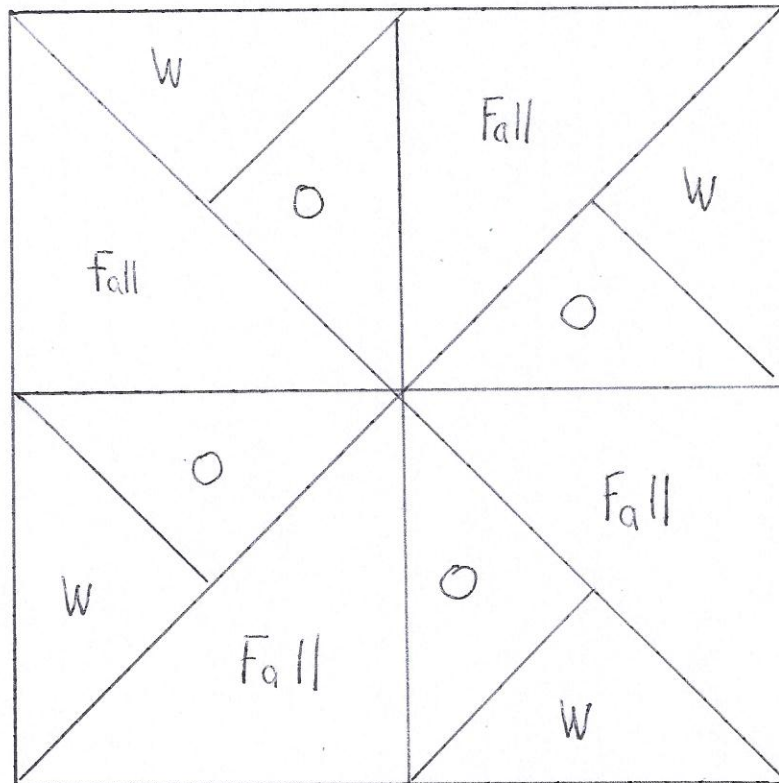
Fabrics- white on white, orange, fall fabric

Cutting- white on white 1 7 1/4" sq. ☒

Orange 1 7 1/4" sq. ☒

Fall fabric 2 6 7/8" sq. ☒

Total pieces- 12



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Things to Remember:

- ❖ **THE GREAT JELLY ROLL RACE.**
- ❖ **Bring Block of the Month Entry**
- ❖ **Initial sign-in sheet at the door**
- ❖ **Wear your name tag**
- ❖ **Snacks from It's Your Birthday Month
August & February**
- ❖ **Show and Share quilts**
- ❖ **Bring Block Swap Project**
- ❖ **Bring in Sold Opportunity Quilt
Ticket Money.**

This Month's Calendar:

August 9, 2012 7:00 PM

Jelly Roll Race.

Santa Clarita United Methodist Church

26640 Bouquet Canyon Road

Saugus, Ca

August 16, 2012 - Business Meeting

6:30 PM Greenhouse Café, Saugus, CA.

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