



Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild

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

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Wasn't the August meeting fun! The Jelly Roll Race was a blast and everyone who was there had a great time. It was one of our best Game Nights!!

The hot summer days are hopefully not making you spend less time quilting- there are only 3 1/2 months until the holidays.

See you in September.
Barbara Montejo

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

There were no entries at the August meeting but as hope springs eternal so I'm hoping there will be blocks at the September meeting.

The block for October is a cute block made with 4 shades of brown. Do give it a try.

Barbara Montejo



PROGRAMS

I hope everyone had a good time at the August Meeting. All those participating seemed to be having a good time!

Congratulations to **Joyce Wilkinson** (first place) **Martha Stratton** (second place) and **Ellie Smith** (third place), and everyone else for competing.

We had quite a quilt race; some learned a new technique and we also started some quilt tops for our Community Service projects and I hope a nice change from our previous games of Quilto!

I took home the finished and almost finished tops and completed the almost finished. I have 8 completed tops. I know that Helena has some also; some were dropped off at the business meeting. Everyone who took yours home to finish, please try to remember to bring to the September meeting. If you don't mind please take a few minutes to give them a little press before you bring them back, that way they will be ready for the next step.



PROGRAMS CONTINUED

We will be having Jan Steffen for our September 13th meeting speaker. Her topic will be "It is Hip to be Square" and she will be doing a workshop for "Pineapple Picnic Quilt" the following Saturday, September 15th.

Jan has let me know she is willing to have a max of 25 students so we can accommodate a few more in the workshop if anyone else would like to join us. Millie Ballace is currently working on confirming the larger community room at her mobile home park for the workshop. I will bring directions to the meeting for those of you who do not know how to get there. Those who have paid for the workshop will get preference over those who have signed up and not paid if the workshop list goes over the 25 person limit.

CONGRATULATIONS to **Mary Beth Shimkus-Will** for being the winner of the drawing for the book "Advancing on II" and Ruler for the September workshop!

We will be having Sherry Werum for our October speaker and workshop. She will be speaking on "Mosaics and the Quilts They Inspire" and she will be doing a workshop on "Mosaics and Motifs Table Runner". It looks like an interesting combination of techniques, and she will have kits available at the October meeting. For those of you interested in the kit, it is \$35.00 and includes 4 yards of fabric, and the homework of making the tubes is already done! She says she will bring a variety of fabric options.

PROGRAMS CONTINUED

Sherry has requested we limit those taking her workshop to 12 or 15, so be sure to sign up and give me your payment for the workshop at the September meeting if you are interested in attending.

Sam Hunter will be our January 2013 speaker; I hope I will have more information on her workshop by the September meeting.

See everyone at the September meeting!

Eddie Moore
Programs

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Welcome visitors and members.

Don't forget to sign in when you arrive and get a ticket for the drawing at the end of the evening!

You can contact Debbie Ackerman or myself, Rita Gershon, for membership questions or payment at ragershon@aol.com or dophindeb@aol.com

See you at the meeting.

Debbie Ackerman and Rita Gershon
Membership Chairpersons

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COMMUNITY SERVICE

How about that jelly roll race? We had 17 machines humming away as well as several diligent assistants matching up strips to help speed up the process. We currently have 25 finished tops. Now we have the opportunity to learn another new technique, spray basting! Please bring your completed pressed top to the next guild meeting. If you like you may add a 4inch border to each side lengthwise.

We will provide batting and backs for the quilts which are intended for disaster relief and/or senior shawls.

Helena and I will announce a couple of dates and locations to meet and spray baste these tops. We hope to pass the spray basted quilts out at guild meetings to our quilters for completion. We also have some tops that we collected that night that need to be pressed and have borders sewn on.

We also have 25 placemat kits ready to go. We still need about 150 in order to make our goal for the Senior Center. They deliver 350 plus meals a day to the seniors in need.

Please contact Dana or Helena with any questions or requests you may have. If we know what you can help us with, we'll bring the project to the next meeting.

Thank you all for your participation.

Helena Woodworth 661-257-2572
Dana Montague 661-295-0877

DISPLAY OPPORTUNITIES

Samuel Dixon Health Center

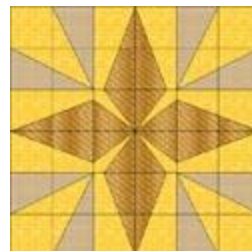
I am looking for 6 quilts to fill the walls at the Samuel Dixon Health Center for the next 6 months. They have loved our contribution to their environment and begged me to allow them to continue to enjoy the quilts the last time we went in. I had thought of stopping since I cannot find anyone to replace me for this task! They won me over for one more try with their sincere pleas.

To meet the quilt hangings, we need the following sizes:

- 1 single to double bed size
- 1 single bed size
- 2 wall size (quilt store samples in the 36-40" square range (can be rectangular)
- 1 lap quilt - goes in children's dental office
- 1 small quilt - must fit between two windows so it is at most 18" wide

If you are willing to loan quilts to them for the period, please try to bring them to the September meeting. I will have the contracts with me so you can see the agreement we have with the facility. If you want to sell the quilts, we let them know. I had an offer on one that was hanging there 6 months ago! If you cannot make the meeting and are willing, please email me at patti.voyles@att.net.

Patti Voyles



TREASURY REPORT

TREASURERS REPORT July 2012

<u>Beginning Check Balance</u>	\$10,021.52
<u>Income</u>	
Opp Quilt-Sales	\$126.00
Programs:	
Other	\$394.75
Ways & Means:	
Auction	\$1.75
Ways & Means- Other	\$27.00
<u>Expense</u>	
Administration:	
Misc	-\$47.56
Comm Service	-\$347.50
Quilt Show 2012:	
Auction - Boutique	-\$148.00
Hospitality	-\$147.29
<u>Ending Check Balance</u>	\$9,880.67
<u>CDs</u>	\$7,663.41
<u>Total</u>	\$17,544.08

GUIDE DOGS OF AMERICA OPPORTUNITY QUILT

It is getting close to when I need to put these blocks together! I received seven blocks from the August general and business meetings. A very good beginning! We need a few more to make the large (double to queen) size quilt that we have been providing. Blocks need only be on a dog-related theme and be either 12 1/2" or 8 1/2" unfinished.

I will be collecting them in September! Let me know if you cannot make the meeting and I will gladly come get them from you.

Patti, GDA quilt coordinator for SCVQG (a part of our community service effort)

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COUNCIL OF QUILT GUILDS

Council Meeting

This is a quarterly meeting that will be on October 13th. I will not be able to attend - I have to go to a memorial service and a wedding on the east coast. We need a volunteer to cover the meeting for us. Please speak, call or email me if you are willing to go and take notes. This meeting is to cover contracts and financial issues that we need to deal with in our guilds. The meeting will be from 10-12 at the Lancaster United Methodist Church and is sponsored by the Antelope Valley Quilt Guild.

Patti Voyles, 1VP, Council Representative



LIBRARY NEWS

Hey Quilters, Here's the new site for our library:

<https://sites.google.com/site/scvquiltguildlibrary/>

Come and visit our site. Also, we're accepting book donations. Keep checking for new items and further information. Be sure to visit our library at the meeting or browse online.

Thanks!

Megan Null

HOSPITALITY NEWS

If your birthday is in September or it was in March, please bring a snack to the September Meeting. If you would like to have something to drink, be sure to bring it along. Our new system seems to be working great and it's a great way to say Happy Birthday and Thank You to our fellow quilters.

UPCOMING EVENTS

HARVEST OF COLORS 2012 QUILT SHOW

September 22nd and 23rd 10 am to 5 pm. To be held at the Earl Warren Showgrounds with free parking in Santa Barbara.

Sponsored by Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara and Goleta.

Check the website for weekend pass specials and featured artists. www.coastalquilters.org

A MOUNTAIN MEADOW QUILT SHOW

September 29th and 30th 10 am to 4 pm.

The Peace Center at Buckhorn Camp Idyllwild, CA.

Mountain Quilters of Idyllwild can be contacted for more info at:

idyquiltshow@verizon.net

CELEBRATE! QUILT SHOW

October 6th and 7th at Rancho Santa Susana Community Center, Simi Valley, CA.

Saturday 10 am to 5 pm, Sunday 10 am to 4 pm. Sponsored by Simi Valley Quilt Guild.

Check the website for more info at

www.simivalleyquiltguild.org

*****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



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SCVQG Block of the Month

Oct. 2012

Shades of Brown

Technique-Pieced

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

Fabrics- 4 shades of brown

Cutting- Lightest 4 3 1/2" squares

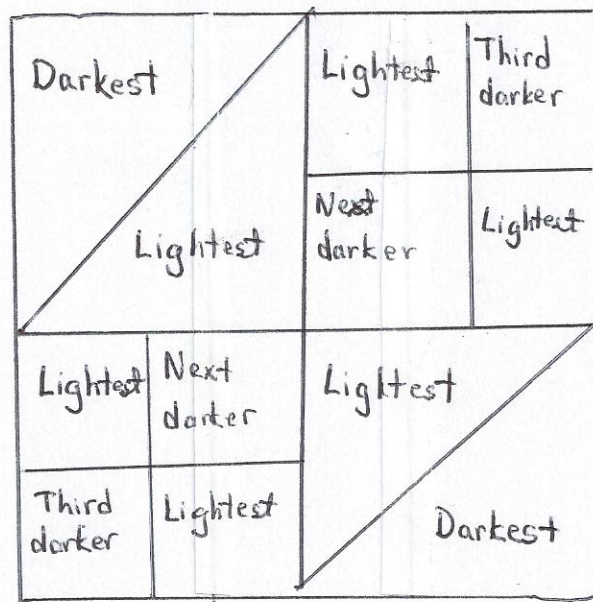
1 6 7/8" squares ☐

Next darker 2 3 1/2" squares

Third darker 2 3 1/2" squares

Darkest 1 6 7/8" square ☐

Total pieces- 12



Things to Remember:

- ❖ Jan Steffen - Speaker
- ❖ Bring Block of the Month Entry
- ❖ Initial sign-in sheet at the door
- ❖ Wear your name tag
- ❖ Food: It's Your Birthday Month
September & March
- ❖ Show and Share quilts
- ❖ Bring Block Swap Project
- ❖ Bring in sold Opportunity Quilt
Ticket Money

This Month's Calendar:

September 13, 2012 7:00 PM

"It's Hip to be Square"

Santa Clarita United Methodist Church

26640 Bouquet Canyon Road

Saugus, Ca

September 20, 2012 - Business Meeting

6:30 PM Greenhouse Café, Saugus, CA.

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Check out our website:

www.scvquiltguild.org

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