

## The Sew & Tell

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### **President's Message**

By Alice Johnson

Top O the Mornin', to Ye, Guild Members! Ever since I spent a wonderful two weeks in Ireland, I really look forward to St. Patrick's Day. Ireland really is as GREEN as green can be!

It was so nice to have yet another new member join NCQA in February, and I would like to introduce Noralee Wells to you. She was born in Chicago and moved to California when she was ten. Both her mother and grandmother taught her to sew at 8 and she made her first little quilt when she was only 10! Then life got busy and she didn't quilt again for many years, since she became a nurse, married, and became mom to a son and a daughter! It was actually her mother who took up the art of quilting and brought Nora back to it as well. Now retired, she is mainly a traditional quilter, but also likes bright colors! Wool work fascinates her, too. Welcome!



Our next Guild Meeting is Monday, March 21, 2022

Gloria Dei Lutheran Church 1087 Country Club Lane Escondido, CA 92026

Doors open 5:45pm

Meeting begins 6:30pm

## March Meeting Program By Carrie Harrison-Mortimer

North County Quilters presents.... The Quilter's Version of MARCH MADNESS!!!

#### SUPER SEW & TELL

Our March guild meeting (Monday, 3/21) will be a chance for you to share with the membership your quilting journey, or at least a part of it. So, join us and bring your special example of.... a special technique, a fun pattern, your first quilt, your worst quilt, or that just plain cursed quilt. Please RSVP to Carrie for your time slot. Cell 760-822-9977 or email harrison.carrie@gmail.com.



### Membership By Lynn Cass

Hello dear fellow quilters, it is always so fun at our monthly meetings. I loved our wonderful own member, Karolyn Hart, who spoke and shared with us all her beautiful wool, stitching, and quilting works of art – so amazing! I wanted to also say that the Show and Tell was wonderful – thank you to all who shared. We surely have some very talented guild members – it is so inspiring to see what you do!

Well, if you didn't get a flyer at the table when you signed in, I wanted to send you the latest and greatest information on the up and coming Quilt Run called Cruisin' Quilters March 4th-12th - (Monday -Saturday 9:30-6:00, Sunday 10:00 - 4:00). There will be free patterns, free templates, and free fabric at each shop! Go online to read about it at www.cruisinguilters.com to receive additional coupons. There will be 6 quilt shops – please support our local shops! If you need more information please text me or give me a call. Thank you all for signing in each month-please stop by the table as you come in because we are starting to get notices about fun quilts events to attend soon! Thank you to those who are inviting family and friends to our monthly meetings and activities.

Happy sewing to you all!

# Your Guild Needs You!! 2022-2023 NCQA Elections are coming up soon!

There are so many moving pieces that keep NCQA thriving. Behind the scenes, a group of members serves as officers and committee chairs to ensure that guild meetings run smoothly and enjoyably for everyone. NCQA is required by our by-laws to present a slate of officers who will guide our guild for the next year. This year, your guild nominating committee consists of Suzie Owen, Carrie Harrison-Mortimer, and Susan Peters. We are eagerly looking for volunteers to serve as officers and committee chairs for the guild during the upcoming year. We welcome volunteers and fresh faces to join the Board. Some of you may have served previously and might want to come back on the board. If you haven't been a board member, perhaps you might enjoy a new and interesting guild experience, serving as a board or committee member. Many different positions are available, so whether your skills - aside from fabulous quilting - are organizational, administrative, technical, financial, or interpersonal, we have positions you might enioy!

If you would like more information or to volunteer, please call one of us:
Suzie Owen 925-864-5022
Carrie Harrison-Mortimer 760-822-9977
Susan Peters 760-741-5432

# Fat Quarters By Janis Newlin

It is great having our meetings back. Please joins us in the Fat Quarter contest at the March meeting. The more participants we have the more fun it is. Our colors will be green and yellow.



### **Good Cheer Quilts**

This month we received 1 quilt and 1 pillowcase from Terry Gillette, 2 pillowcases from Dani Donnachie, and 1 pillowcase from Charlotte Huff. Thanks, ladies!

The 5 women of the Good Cheer committee made 12 quilts, many of them from partially made blocks/quilts donated to us from White Elephant. We love the challenge of figuring out something good to do with abandoned projects. See them all at https://onewomanshands.blogspot.com/2022/02/go od-cheer-quilts-february-2022.html. I forgot to include the link to all the December/January guilts in the last newsletter. Go check them out https://onewomanshands.blogspot.com/2022/02/go od-cheer-quilts-dec-2021-january-2022.html. Don't forget that we have a variety of Good Cheer quilt kits at our table. No time limit to get them done and everything but batting is in the bag. The need is endless and ongoing, and it's a low cost way for you to make a difference for someone in the community. Stop by and pick one up at the march meeting. Happy quilting - Claire, Sandy, Linda, Sue & Leslie

# **Security Blankets**By Maureen McClellan

Thanks to MaryLou and Lynn for their donations. If anyone else has any fleece blankets or fleece yardage to donate to Palomar Forensics for their sexual assault and domestic abuse survivors, please call me at 760-224-3494 and I'll be happy to pick them up. As a reminder, each blanket takes 1-2/3 yards of fleece. Joann's Blizzard solids or subtle prints work well. Trim off selvages, hem all four sides with a single turning and stitch with zig zag or stitch of your choice. Thank you so much for your continued support. It is greatly appreciated.

### **White Elephant**

### By Louise Anselmo and Karolyn Hart

It was great to see everyone at the February meeting! Sales for the month totaled \$75.
This is from an Old Irish Blessing for St. Patrick's Day..... May all God's blessings descend upon you.
May the strength of God pilot us, may the wisdom of God instruct us... Happy St. Patrick's Day!

# Sewing Retreat at Prince of Peace Abbey in Oceanside By Tonita Waters

We have extended the time to send in your deposit until March 15th. There are only 8 spots left. Time is running out if you wish to join the fun. The dates are from July 8-10, the deposit is \$50.00. If you have any questions please feel free to give me a call, 760-815-9244.



### **NCQA Sew Hungry**

Time again to meet up with your quilting friends and enjoy a bite to eat. Please join all of us at the Golden Egg Omelet House on the 2nd Wednesday of the month, March 9th, at 11:30am. Good food and conversation... what could be better than that? 10% of our meal cost will go back to NCQA guild!! Hope you can join us, any questions, please contact Carrie 760-822-9977 or harrison.carrie@gmail.com.

### **March Birthdays**

A very happy birthday to all our members with a birthday this month:

Edie Bradley (3/17) Jan Wesley (3/21)



Remember to stop by the White Elephant table to select \$5 worth of items for your birthday gift!

### **Show and Tell**

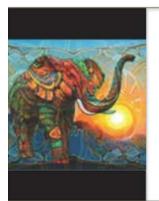


**Gail McDaniels** 

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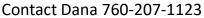
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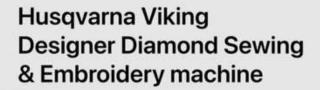














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