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# **Kaleidoscopic Voices**



President's Message

Our speaker, Susan Lazear was a great speaker last month! I sure learned a lot about the different

textiles around the world. Susan Lazear was a great speaker. For those of us that went to quilt retreat, what a special time we had. Thank you Pat and Judy for organizing it! I got quite a few projects well underway. It is one of my special weekends every year. Thank you Marilyn Carnes for organizing our philanthropy cutting party. We got over 50 kits made. Please help out Debbie Sherrell this month. She will be wearing many hats. Any help setting up chairs, tables, speaker requirements and tear down will be appreciated.

Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of every month at 1:00 p.m. at Lemon Grove Masonic Lodge, 2590 Main Street, Lemon Grove, CA 91945

Doors open at 12:30 p.m.

(We meet on the 2nd Wednesday in December)

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This month our meeting is at the Lemon Grove Masonic Lodge. The meeting will be Julia McLeod presenting "Silk Quilts".

Doors open at 12:30 pm, meeting starts at 1 pm.

#### UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

9/18 – General meeting at Lemon Grove Masonic Lodge. Doors open 12:30 p.m. Meeting starts at 1:00 p.m. This month's presentation will be Julia McLeod presenting "Silk Quilts".

10/2 - No Guild Board meeting this month.

10/16 – General meeting at Lemon Grove Masonic Lodge. Doors open 12:30 p.m. Meeting starts at 1:00 p.m. This month's program will be our annual philanthropy Sew-in. We will be working on our world famous Meals-on-Wheels place mats.

11/1 – Storm at Sea workshop taught by Wendy Mathson from 10 a.m.-4 p.m in the Recreation Facility in Bonita Hills Estates, 275 South Worthington Street, Spring Valley, CA 91977.

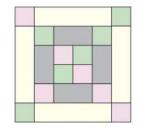
11/13 - Guild Board meeting online on ZOOM. All are welcome. Contact Peggy for information about connecting to the ZOOM meeting. Starts 6:00 p.m.

11/20 – General meeting This month's will be a member spotlight. Our member presenting will be Linda Fox. We are looking forward to learning a little more about Linda's quilting journey!

12/11 Holiday Party at the Masonic Lodge. Doors open 12:30 p.m. Meeting starts at 1 p.m. We are doing something a little different this year. We are having a potluck consisting of "Starters and Enders" - appetizers and deserts. More details will be presented in later months. Stay tuned!



## NEWS FROM OUR PROGRAM CHAIR Robyn Phelps



#### DID YOU KNOW:

The Jane Stickle Quilt is considered one of the most famous quilts in the world.



I hope you all enjoyed Susan's talk, I have asked her to do a workshop "Creating our own Grunge Fabric". Stay tuned as we make this happen. Our September speaker is Julia McLeod, Julia comes to us from the San Francisco Bay Area. She specializes in making quilts from silk that she sources from ties, clothing and furnishings. she primarily uses reclaimed fabrics.

### 2025 Calendar

January 15

Eddie the sewing machine specialist

February 19

In celebration of Black History Month our speaker is Rosemae Dyer. She is going to share her family history via quilts.

March 19
David Hastings
20 Modern quilts from around the world

April 16/ May 21 Violet Vaughnes Back by popular demand, Violet will be sharing her collection of Mountain Mist quilts

June 18 Shelly Swanland, Cathedral quilts and her embellished quilts

July 16 Member spot light Pat Gailband and Judy Shepard

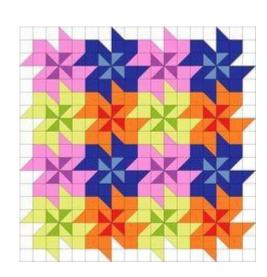
August 20 Ann Truley *An Unseemly Event* 

September 17 Leah McComas Driving in the dark: My journey in Fiber Art

October 15 Philanthropy Sew-in

November 19 Kristie Naranjo The Scrappy Applique

December 10 Christmas Party.



## SEPTEMBER 2024 PHILANTHROPY



## Kaleidoscope Friends

Our October meeting is our Philanthropy Sew-in!!! This is always a great time to sew with friends, meet new ones, and make placemats to donate to Meals-on-Wheels who give them out as gifts to the shut-ins they serve during Christmas. I will be sending out a supply list in the October newsletter, but essentially it is your sewing machine, thread and scissors. The placemat kits are all prepared for you to sew. Last year we donated 356 placemats, which really was amazing.

Please give a round of applause for our members who donated philanthropy quilts at our August meeting: **Diane Hamann**, **Ruth Jones**, **Anna Lancia**, **Suzannah Richardson** (and delivered in person!!!!), **Linda Simpson**, **Margie Wees**, and **Judy Whitney**. **Thank you**!!!

We got mail!!! We received a thank you letter recently from the Northern Arizona VA in Prescott Arizona:

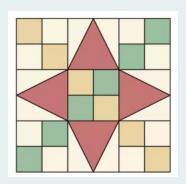
"On behalf of the Northern Arizona VA Health Care System (649) patients and staff, we would like to extend our appreciation to you for your 53 handmade quilts. It is through the efforts of community partners like you that allow us to continue the quality care and services that we seek to provide for our deserving Veterans."

Keep those sewing machines whirling!

Marilyn Carnes (Roseway@cox.net), Marilyn Helkenn, Mary Weflen

#### DID YOU KNOW:

The average quilter owns 4 different types of sewing machines.



## TOP SEWING MACHINES STILL MADE IN THE USA:

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Janome

Consew

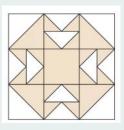
# Upcoming Quilt Shows

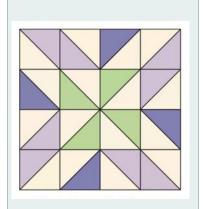
Temecula Outdoor Saturday, October 5, 2024

International Quilt Festival October 31-November 3, 2024

> Road to California January 22-25, 2025

Quiltcon February 20-23, 2025





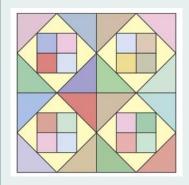
# OCTOBER'S PROGRAM IS OUR PHILANTHROPY SEW-IN



October 16 th is our Philanthropy Sew-in. This is where we get to sew placemats for Meals-on-Wheels - they are so appreciative of this. They serve meals to many shut-ins, some of whom have no family support. When the Meals-on-Wheels volunteer delivers a meal to them during the Christmas season, the placemat is a special gift of love – letting these lonely folks know that they are remembered.

Each placemat has Christmas fabric on one side, and non-holiday fabric on the other — so it can be used all year. To personalize the gift, a card is pinned to each placemat, letting the recipient know that it is from Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild, and the person who made it signs their (first) name.

This is always a fun meeting, lots of talk, laughter, and placemats! I hope you will look forward to bringing your sewing machine to this meeting and joining all the fun.



## AUGUST PHILANTHROPY QUILTS



"No one has ever become poor by giving." - Anne Frank

## **AUGUST SHARING**











































## Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild

Members' Challenge: 2024

## Theme: 'Here Comes the Sun'

We hope the 'Here Comes the Sun' theme will be fun and encourage your imagination to think about all the many ways the sun can be interpreted. Some ideas to get you started would include sunflowers, sun faces, sunshades, and of course the song by the Beatles, 'Here Comes the Sun'

This challenge is open to all Guild members. Entry is limited to one entry per member. Since this a not a quilt show year, the quilts will displayed at the **November 20th** meeting. There will be prizes for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place winners determined by members voting for their choices. The quilts and entry forms will need to be turned in to Glen Baker on a date and place that will be designated at a later time.

Quilts submitted will be limited to a perimeter of 160" and be any shape that does not exceed the perimeter. Any style such as traditional, modern or art may be used.

Contact Glen Baker with any questions: <a href="mailto:gglenb@aol.com">gglenb@aol.com</a> or 619-823-9249

#### **Entry Form**

Member Name	
Quilted By	 
Name of Quilt	
Size of Quilt	
Description	
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## RETREAT PHOTOS

































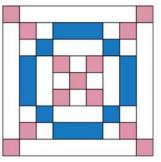






# KALEIDOSCOPE QUILT GUILD TREASURER'S REPORT

## **AUGUST 2024**



Balance, August 1, 2024		\$22,950.34
Includes Petty Cash	\$100.00	
Includes Prior Retreat Deposits	\$7,480.00	
Includes Prior Workshop Deposits	\$0.00	
Income		
Memberships	\$12.50	
Guests	\$20.00	
Opportunity Quilt	\$75.00	
Retreat	\$1,850.00	
Workshops	\$160.00	
Total Income		\$2082.50
Expenses		
Check #2254 P. Couvrette - Boutique/2025 Opportunity	-\$269.43	
Check #2255 LGMTA - August Rent	-\$100.00	
Check #2257 S. Lazear - August Program	\$233.75	
Check #2258 Vina de Lestonnac Ret. Ctr 2024 Balance	\$7,248.00	
Check #2259 Vina de Lestonnac Ret. Ctr 2025 Deposit	\$1,683.00	
Total Expenses		-\$9,534.18
Balance, August 31, 2024		\$15,498.66



September Birthday	S
Suzannah Richardson	9/9
Susan Grant	9/11
Judy Whitney	9/12
Ed Estrin	9/14
Joanne Sundahl	9/24
Kris Napora	9/25
Peggy Mitchell	9/26
Melanie Ellsworth	9/30

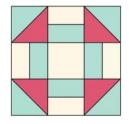


# Let's welcome two new members to our guild, Peggy Mitchell and Rosemae Dyer!

#### **Refreshments this month:**

#### Snacks:

Margaret Winbury Marilyn Matteson Beverages: Judy Whitney



### Rosie's Calico Cupboard 7151 El Cajon Blvd. San Diego, CA 92115 619-697-5758

Sew Hut 4226 Balboa Ave. San Diego, CA 92117 858-273-1377

Cozy Creative Center 756 Jamacha Rd. El Cajon, CA 92019 619-670-0652

Paradise Sewing 13242 Poway Rd. Poway, CA 92064 858-679-9808

## Local Quilt Shops

My Happy Place 2405 Main St. #4 Ramona, CA 92065 760-654-3060

Quilt In A Day 1955 Diamond St. San Marcos, CA 92078 760-591-0929

Grand Country Quilts 801 Grand Ave, Ste. 102 San Marcos, CA 92078 760-471-1114

Inspirations Quilt Shop 27350 Valley Center Rd., Ste B Valley Center, CA 92082 760-751-9400 Quilter's Paradise 304 Enterprise St, Ste. E Escondido, CA 92029 760-738-9677

Sewing Machines Plus 713 Center Dr. San Marcos, CA 92069 760-739-8222

Quilter's Cottage 131 E. Fig St., Ste. #6 Fallbrook, CA 92028 760-723-3060

