

Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild  
Founded 1987  
[www.kaleidoscopequiltguild.com](http://www.kaleidoscopequiltguild.com)

October 2025  
Volume 39, Issue 10



## Kaleidoscopic Voices



### President's Message

Fall is in the air as I write this! So happy for the cooler weather. I hope all of you are doing well. We had a good workshop with Phyliss Cullen featuring faces. I learned quite a bit. Our quilt show is in a couple of weeks. It is always a fun day and we couldn't do it without everyone chipping in. We will have bookmarks at our October meeting and for the quilt show. This month we are working on placemats for Meals on Wheels. Our business meeting will be very short. We will limit sharing to items you can't bring to the November meeting. i.e. you are giving the quilt away before the November meeting. We want to allow as much time for sewing as we can. We will start at 12 noon sewing. Hope you can join us. See you at the meeting.

**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)**

### POINTS OF CONTACT

President  
Peggy Couvrette  
[peggycouvrette@cox.net](mailto:peggycouvrette@cox.net)

1st VP/Programs  
Robyn Phelps  
[rlpetnna1@cox.net](mailto:rlpetnna1@cox.net)

2nd VP/Opportunity Quilt  
Sue Bennorth  
[scsusieq@gmail.com](mailto:scsusieq@gmail.com)

Membership  
Debbie Sherrell  
[debsherrell@cox.net](mailto:debsherrell@cox.net)

Secretary  
Mary Weflen  
[mweflen@yahoo.com](mailto:mweflen@yahoo.com)

Treasurer  
Diane Hamann  
[dhweb@sunwatcher.net](mailto:dhweb@sunwatcher.net)

Newsletter  
James Glunt  
[kaleidoscopenewsletter01@gmail.com](mailto:kaleidoscopenewsletter01@gmail.com)

Boutique  
Melanie Ellsworth  
[ellsworthgma51@gmail.com](mailto:ellsworthgma51@gmail.com)

This month our meeting is at the Lemon Grove Masonic Lodge. The meeting will be our philanthropy sew-in. Don't forget to bring your sewing machines!

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

## UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

10/15—Philanthropy Sew-In

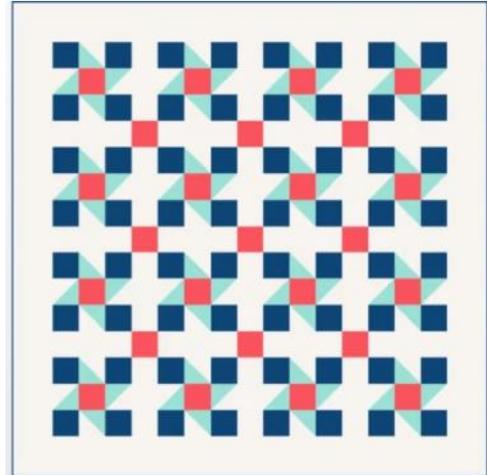
10/18—Kaleidoscope's Quilt Show

11/5—Board meeting on Zoom

11/19—Kristie Naranjo—*The Scrappy Applique*

12/3—Board Meeting on Zoom

12/10—Holiday Party



### 2026

01/07—Board Meeting on Zoom

01/21—Guild—*Favorite tool, technique, or quilt*

02/04—Board Meeting on Zoom



02/18—Dru Farrell—*Sew Treasured*

03/04—Board Meeting on Zoom

03/18 Kristie Naranjo—*Color*

04/01—Board Meeting on Zoom

04/15—Trudy Cleveland—*Shoot Your Quilt*

05/06—Board Meeting on Zoom

## NEWS FROM OUR PROGRAM CHAIR Robyn Phelps

### 2025 Calendar

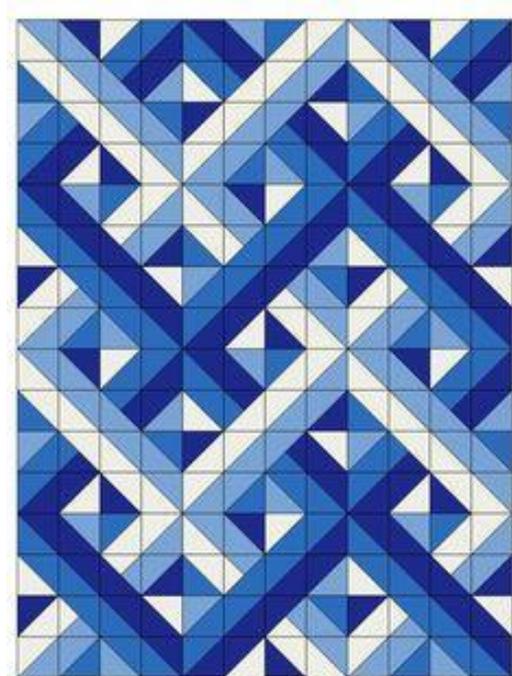
October 15  
Philanthropy Sew-in



October 18  
Kaleidoscope Quilt  
Guild Quilt Show

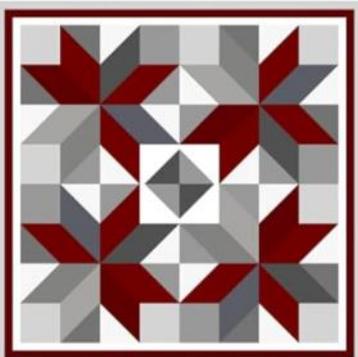
November 19  
Kristie Naranjo  
*The Scrappy Applique*

December 10  
Christmas Party.



#### DID YOU KNOW:

The AIDS Memorial Quilt is generally recognized as the world's largest quilt by area, measuring over 1.2 million square feet and weighing approximately 54 tons. Alternatively, the Guinness World Records identifies the Manta da Cultura, a patchwork quilt completed in Portugal in 2000, as the largest by area, measuring 25,100 square meters (270,174 sq. ft). Another contender for the title of largest historic quilt is a massive quilt made for the North Dakota centennial.



## OCTOBER 2025 PHILANTHROPY

### *Kaleidoscope Friends*

When we take the photo this year, I hope you are in it!!!



Bring your sewing machine to our October meeting for our Philanthropy Sew-in!!!!

Yes!!!! The meeting you have been waiting for all year is finally here, this month. It is a lot of fun to get together and all sew “for the cause”. We have 89 placemat kits all made and ready to go; there is

at least one waiting for you! Please come and join the team. We will be making placemats for Meals-on-Wheels. These placemats are used as Christmas gifts for shut-ins for Meals-on-Wheels clients. The placemat you make may be the only Christmas gift that some lonely senior receives this year. There is a gift tag provided with each kit, so you can write a short message to the recipient.

What you need is your sewing machine, scissors and thread (OK, I’m bringing a seam ripper also, just in case) Here’s the list:

Sewing Machine (with 1/4” foot)

Thread (white, green and/or red)

Scissors, pins, rotary cutter and seam-ripper

And, if you want: a small cutting board to use next to your sewing machine; a small iron and pad

[Ironing boards, mats and rulers for squaring-up will be provided]

We plan to open the hall and set up starting at noon on Wed Oct 15, so you can arrive then to help, or a few minutes later to start sewing before the meeting.

Keep those sewing machines whirling! See you at the October meeting.

Marilyn Carnes ([roseway@cox.net](mailto:roseway@cox.net)), Marilyn Helkenn, Mary Weflen

# Quilt Show Entries

We have plenty of entries for the quilt show! Thank you!!!

## OPPORTUNITY QUILT

### 2025 OPPORTUNITY QUILT

Thank you to everyone who picked up, sold and/or paid for their Opportunity Quilt Tickets. We have made more than \$1,600 so far – and that's before the quilt show next month! We are still in need of an opportunity quilt chairperson, so please volunteer – I will be happy to coach you!



Sue Bennorth Cell: 661-644-3787

## NEWS FROM OUR PROGRAM CHAIR

This is the information for groups that were mentioned at the last meeting

### Applique

Meets the second Saturday of the month at Mount Miquel; 325 Kempton Street Spring Valley. Contact Linda Fox @ [foxyquilter@sbcglobal.net](mailto:foxyquilter@sbcglobal.net) if interested

### Wednesday Quilt Class

Every Wednesday 9am to 12pm  
Bayview Orthodox Presbyterian Church  
505 East Naples Chula Vista  
Contact Shirley McGuire @ [smcguire6@cox.net](mailto:smcguire6@cox.net) if interested

### Quilting

La Mesa Adult Enrichment Center  
Every Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. the cost is \$2 and is held in The Craft Room.  
8450 La Mesa Blvd  
La Mesa, CA 91942  
619-667-1323  
Contact Patty Smith (guild member) (619) 325-7719

Robyn Phelps  
[rlpetnna1@cox.net](mailto:rlpetnna1@cox.net)



# Kaleidoscope of Quilts Quilt Show

## Kaleidoscope of Quilts Quilt Show Saturday October 18th 10 am – 4 pm

Set Up Friday afternoon 4:30-7:30pm  
(We will have sign ups at the meeting.)

It's Free and We Feed You!

We ask that members please bring snacks (non-sticky) for the hospitality table.

Please invite your family and friends.

## FROM THE TREASURER

The Guild has enabled Zelle payments! If you wish to use Zelle, please remember the following:

- You will need to set up Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild as a recipient.
- Use the email address **kqg1987@gmail.com** to send the payment. If the system does not confirm that the email address you entered belongs to **Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild**, double check and make sure you entered it correctly. **YOU CANNOT GET YOUR MONEY BACK IF YOU SEND IT TO THE WRONG EMAIL ADDRESS.**
- In the Notes section, make sure you enter what the payment is for: Dues, Opportunity Quilt, Retreat, etc.
- The entry on your bank account will be your receipt, although I will try to acknowledge all payments.

-Diane Hamann, Treasurer



## Kaleidoscope Quilt Show Saturday October 18, 2025

10am—4pm

Lemon Grove Masonic Lodge  
2590 Main St, Lemon Grove

**It's Free!**

- ◆ **Over 100 Quilts** on Display
- ◆ **Quilt Sales Boutique** (quilts and other hand made items ... Just in time for Christmas ... very reasonably priced! )  
Cash or check accepted. No Credit cards
- ◆ Last Chance for Guild **Opportunity Quilt Tickets**. Winner drawn at end of show!
- ◆ **Houses Around The World— Challenge**
- ◆ **Philanthropy and Toile** painting display

[www.kaleidoscopequiltguild.com](http://www.kaleidoscopequiltguild.com)

**Free Refreshments!**

## Local Quilt Guilds

[San Diego Metro Modern](#)

[San Diego Modern](#)

[Chula Vista](#)

[Sunshine](#)

[Friendship](#)

[Seaside](#)

[Legacy](#)

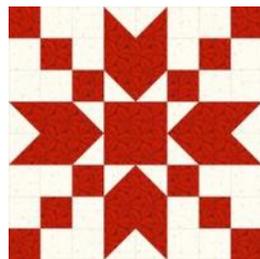
[Canyon](#)

[Stitching Sisters](#)

[San Diego People of Color](#)

[Julian Women's Club](#)

[Village](#)



[El Camino](#)

[Beach Cities](#)

[Valley of the Mist](#)

[Surfside](#)

[Fallbrook](#)

[North County](#)

[Orange County](#)

[Flying Geese](#)

[Raincross](#)

[Inland Empire Modern](#)

[Coachella Valley](#)



# Open Guild Position for 2026

We need to fill Opportunity Quilt for 2026.

Anne Sonnett is taking Program / Workshop Chair.  
Thank you Anne.

## Opportunity Quilt

The quilt for 2026 will be done and that will not be the responsibility of the chair.

This too can be done by a couple of people

Responsibilities:

Hand out tickets and collect monies for the opportunity quilt

Take the opportunity quilt to other guilds

Set up Opportunity quilt at our monthly meetings

Plan 2027 Opportunity quilt. We do have applique blocks "Hop to it" ready to be hand stitched. Some are already done.....

Again this can be done by a committee or a couple of people. PLEASE volunteer to help keep our guild running.



# LAYERED PORTRAIT WORKSHOP



# LAYERED PORTRAIT WORKSHOP



A special thank you goes out to Judy Thacker for taking pictures during our meeting.

# LAYERED PORTRAIT WORKSHOP



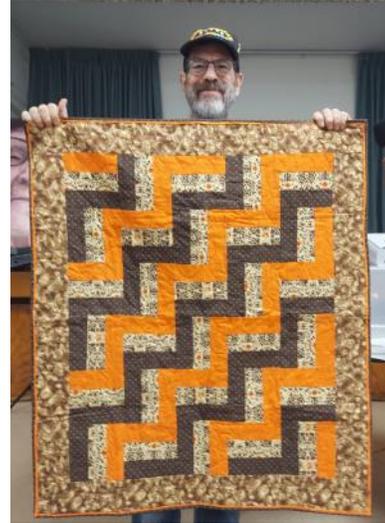
# SEW AND TELL



# SEW AND TELL



# SEW AND TELL



# SEW AND TELL



# SEW AND TELL



# SEW AND TELL



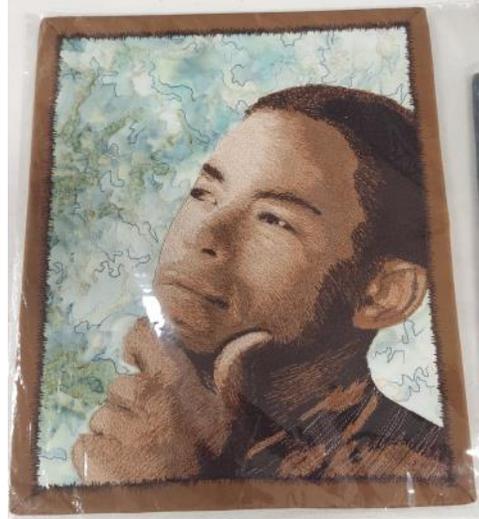
## SEW AND TELL



## Lea McComas—Thread Painted Portraits



## Lea McComas—Thread Painted Portraits



## FRIENDSHIP GROUPS

### Friendship Groups

I am organizing development of and sign-ups for quilting circles that we are going to call Friendship Groups for our members. I have 15 names so far and will be collecting additional names of those interested at the October meeting. The sign-up sheet did not make it all around the room last month, so I will be hanging on to it at the front of the room next month so you can come up to sign it. There are a few additional pieces of information that we need from each of you who have signed up, so please visit the list even if you are already on it.

There are three existing opportunities available. They are:

### La Mesa Friday Class

La Mesa Adult Enrichment Center

Every Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. the cost is \$2 and is held in The Craft

Room.

8450 La Mesa Blvd

La Mesa, CA 91942

Contact Patty Smith (guild member) (619) 325-7719

619-667-1322 Office number for Center



### Applique Group

Meets the second Saturday of the month at Mount Miquel Convent; 325 Kempton Street Spring Valley. Contact Linda Fox (guild member) at [foxyquilter@sbcglobal.net](mailto:foxyquilter@sbcglobal.net) if interested

### Wednesday Quilt Class

Every Wednesday 9am to 12pm

Bayview Orthodox Presbyterian Church

505 East Naples Chula Vista

Contact Shirley McGuire at [smcguire6@cox.net](mailto:smcguire6@cox.net) if interested



I hope to organize the groups after the quilt show. Please think about whether you could host a group and how often you would like to have it meet. I think this will lead to some great fun and lasting friendships!

## SEPTEMBER MEETING MINUTES

Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild Newsletter  
Regular Meeting September 17, 2025

The meeting was called to order by Peggy at 1 pm. We had three guests. There is a Friday morning quilting class at the La Mesa Adult Enrichment Center. They need more members. There is \$15,699.78 in the treasury.

Programs/workshops

October- Philanthropy sew in

November-Kristie Naranjo— the scrappy

Appliqué

December - holiday party

We will have bookmarks at the next meeting. Ann will do programs next year.

Challenge - Glen— houses around the world. 108” around.

Quilt show boutique- Melanie turn your item in to Melanie.

Sign up sheet being passed around to work at show. Bring non gooey food for refreshments at show. Set up will be at 4:30 pm on Friday. Must wear closed toe shoes.

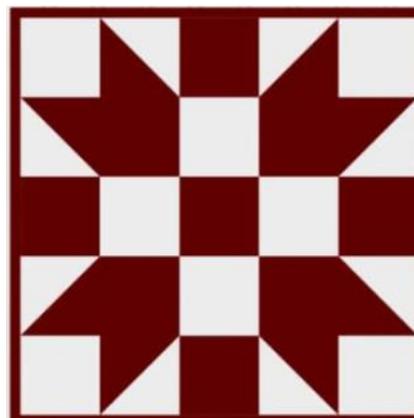
Retreat— next year August 28th- August 31, 2026. Double members- \$640. Non members \$ 665.

Philanthropy- Marilyn Carnes - sew in is next month. Making placemats for meals on wheels. We will start at noon.

Hospitality-set up for the year. Kathryn.

Newsletter- James- deadline is Tuesday September 30.

Mary Weflen  
Secretary



# KALEIDOSCOPE QUILT GUILD

## TREASURER'S REPORT

### SEPTEMBER 2025

<b>Balance, September 1, 2025</b>		<b>\$15,699.78</b>
<i>Includes Petty Cash</i>	\$100.00	
<i>Includes Prior Retreat Deposits</i>	\$0.00	
<i>Includes Prior Workshop Deposits</i>	\$825.00	
<i>Includes Boutique Float</i>	\$383.00	
<b>Income</b>		
Memberships	\$25.00	
Guests	\$15.00	
Opportunity Quilt	\$212.00	
Workshops	\$0.00	
Retreat	\$0.00	
Boutique	\$290.00	
Donation	\$0.00	
<b>Total Income</b>		<b>\$542.00</b>
<b>Expenses</b>		
Check #2301 P. Cullen—Workshop	-\$800.00	
Check #2303 LGMTA—September Rent	-\$100.00	
Check # 2305 K. Diamond—Hospitality	-\$20.55	
Check #2306 L. McComas—September Program	-\$460.00	
<b>Total Expenses</b>		<b>-\$1,380.55</b>
<b>Balance, September 30, 2025</b>		<b>\$14,861.23</b>



**Don't Forget!**

**Kaleidoscope  
Quilt Show**

Saturday, October 18th, 2025

(Countdown—3 days after our October Meeting)





Canyon Quilters of San Diego  
**PRESENTS 2025**



# Holiday Marketplace

**WHEN**

October 25, 2025  
11am - 2pm

**WHERE**

Cathy Hopper Senior Center  
4425 Bannock Avenue in  
Clairemont SAn Diego, CA

**WHY**

Holiday Gifts  
Gifts for Friends  
Gifts for the home  
Freshen up your decor  
Stunning Quilts  
Fabric Collections  
Café with lunch or snacks

**Quilt Sale** 25 Spectacular Quilts

**Fabric** Over 50 curated fabric collections

**Baskets** Filled with gift items for everyone on your list

**Cafe** For your convenience  
Lunch and snack menu

**Boutique** Napkins and Placemats  
Holiday Ornaments

Mug Rugs

Potted Plants

Fabric Boxes

Decorative Pillows

Pop-Up Containers

Organizers

...and more



# Fallbrook Quilt Guild

presents  
Quilted  
Treasures



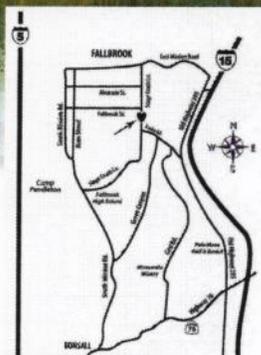
November  
7-8, 2025  
10:00 am -  
4:00 pm



Admission \$10.00  
Children under 12 free  
with adult  
No strollers  
Handicap accessible



Son Rise Christian  
Fellowship  
463 S. Stage Coach Lane  
Fallbrook, California  
Free parking



Auction at 12:30 p.m daily  
Country Store - Vendors  
Featured Quilter: Ann Turley  
Demonstrations - Opportunity Quilt  
Food and Beverages  
Many quilts on display

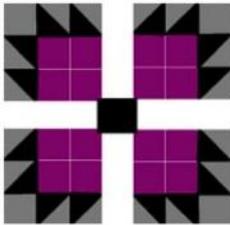
## Upcoming Quilt Shows

October 8, 2025 through November 23, 2025

Long Beach Modern Quilt Guild presents "Perspectives – A Fiber Art Exhibition" at the Zena and Pauline Gatov Gallery, Alpert Jewish Community Center, 3801 E. Willow St., Long Beach. Hours: Monday through Thursday, 6 a.m. - 9 p.m.; Friday, 6 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, 7 a.m. - 5 p.m.

This exhibit is free and open to the public. More info: [www.longbeachmodernquiltguild.com](http://www.longbeachmodernquiltguild.com)

### Flying Geese Quilters Guild - Quilt Show



We eagerly await the return of our quilt show in 2025. We're excited to reunite and share in the joy of quilting together.

Saturday, October 11, 2025 - 9:00 - 4:00 pm

Cost: \$10 (ample free parking)

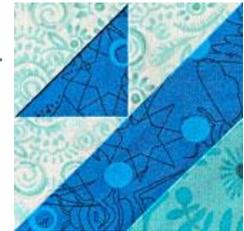
Location:

Norman P. Murray

Community and Senior Center

24932 Veterans Way

Mission Viejo, CA 92692



October 17, 2025 Sierra Gold Quilt Show in Plymouth CA

## KALEIDOSCOPE QUILT SHOW

SATURDAY OCTOBER 18, 2025 – 10am – 4pm

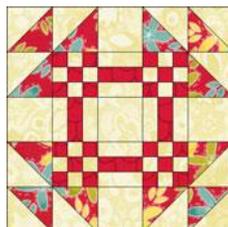
It's FREE

Lemon Grove Masonic Lodge – 2590 Main St.,  
Lemon Grove

Over 100 Quilts on Display, Quilt Sales Boutique, House  
Around the World Challenge, Philanthropy and Tole  
Painting Display.

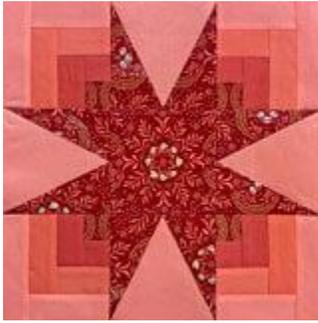
Free Refreshments!

[www.kaleidoscopequiltguild.com](http://www.kaleidoscopequiltguild.com)



# Upcoming Quilt Shows

November 7, 2025 Mountain Heirloom Quilt Faire in Murphys CA



FALLBROOK QUILT GUILD  
Presents QUILTED TREASURES QUILT SHOW

November 7-8, 2025

10am – 4pm

SonRise Christian Fellowship  
463 S. Stage Coach Lane, Fallbrook, CA

Admission: \$10.00

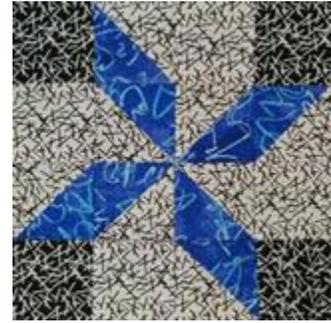
Children under 12 Free w/adult.

NO STROLLERS

Handicap Accessible

FREE Parking

[www.fallbrookquiltguild.com](http://www.fallbrookquiltguild.com)



NOVEMBER FEST - Seaside Quilt Guild

Tuesday - November 11th, 2025

12:30 - 3:00pm

Quilt Auction, Raffle Basket, Boutique

Gloria Dei Lutheran Church -33501 Stonehill Drive  
Dana Point, CA 92629

December TBD from 5:30-8:30: Candlelight Tour and Holiday Lights at Heritage Hill Park in Lake Forest to celebrate each of the Winter Holidays. Stroll through restored 19th century buildings adorned in period decor and listen to Victorian carolers.

In addition, FGQG members quilts will be displayed in the homes.

Admission \$?; 25161 Serrano Road in Lake Forest.



Road to California Quilter's Conference & Showcase

January 21-24, 2026

at the Ontario Convention Center

General Registration - August 18, 2025

VALLEY QUILTERS

46TH Annual Quilt Show

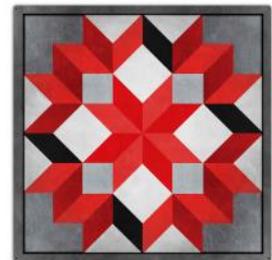
February 13th and 14th 2026

10am - 4pm

Group Tickets - 10 or more available at discounted pricing.

For more information - contact

President - Grace Ward [info@valleyquilters.org](mailto:info@valleyquilters.org)



## CLASSIFIED ADS

Are you looking to part with something sewing related? Perhaps you know of someone who is. If you would like to have something posted here you can send your article to me and a picture of the item if possible, along with your asking price (make sure to mention the best way to contact you). The cost is free. Send your article to:

[kaleidoscopenewsletter01@gmail.com](mailto:kaleidoscopenewsletter01@gmail.com)

### Services



### Looking For...

Looking for unused Hoffman Big Dream Fabric Panels. If you have a panel that you are not going to stitch I would like to talk to you about buying it.

Contact Kathryn Diamond

### For Sale

Bernina 440QE

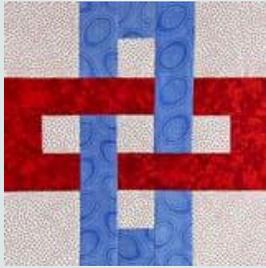
Have fallen in love with a Juki so my former love, a Bernina 440QE needs a new home.

She comes with her carrying case, feet, including a walking foot, brand new-never used embroidery attachment or even taken out of carrying bag.

She was just serviced. Asking \$400 —

Contact Leah Estrin by email or phone. [Lzestrin@yahoo.com](mailto:Lzestrin@yahoo.com) or 858.395.5800





### Did you know?

The "smallest quilt" is not a single item but a category, with the smallest being "micro mini" quilts (less than 6"x6") and individual dollhouse or pocket prayer quilts, which can be as small as 3"x3". For perspective, the "smallest" finished squares used in traditional or postage stamp quilts are often 1" or smaller, though this can make them challenging to construct.



# "Quilters are not greedy, they are just materialistic."

If you have any questions or comments regarding the content of the newsletter or would like to submit an article or classified ad, please contact me at

[kaleidoscopenewsletter01@gmail.com](mailto:kaleidoscopenewsletter01@gmail.com)

## Refreshments for our October Meeting:

### Snacks:

**Linda Fox  
Sylvia Wallace  
Glen Baker**

### Beverages:

**Margaret Winbury  
Anne Sinnott**

## October Birthdays

<b>Stephen Garcia</b>	<b>10/6</b>
<b>Linda Torgersen</b>	<b>10/9</b>
<b>Trudy Ooms</b>	<b>10/13</b>
<b>Debbie Sherrell</b>	<b>10/13</b>
<b>Ruth Jones</b>	<b>10/19</b>
<b>Joan Sieber</b>	<b>10/23</b>
<b>Peggy Couvrette</b>	<b>10/28</b>
<b>Sue Bennorth</b>	<b>10/29</b>

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

### The Following Quilt Shops offer Classes

### Check out their Website

[Sew Hut](#)

[Cozy Creative Center](#)

[Paradise Sewing](#)

[Quilt In A Day](#)

[My Quilters Cottage](#)

[Grand Central Quilt n Stitch](#)

[El Cajon Sew & Vac](#)

[The Creative Coop](#)

[Between Stitches](#)

[Sew Treasured Quilt Shop](#)

[Sewing Machines Plus](#)

[Material Happiness](#)

[Visions Museum of Textile and Art](#)



---

## Local Quilting Supply Shops

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

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 Central Quilt n Stitch  
100 N. Rancho Sante Fe Rd,  
Suite 118  
San Marcos, CA 92069  
760-295-0446

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

El Cajon Sew & Vac  
1077 Broadway  
El Cajon, CA 92021  
619-442-2585

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

Mosaique Quilts and Crafts  
222 E. Broadway  
Vista, CA 92084  
760-842-4884

Fringe Fabrics  
3457 El Cajon Blvd  
San Diego, CA 92104  
619-230-5442

Material Happiness  
2244 Logan Ave.  
San Diego, CA 92113  
619-289-7802

La Mesa Sew & Vac  
5346 Jackson Drive  
La Mesa, CA 91942  
619-698-2972

[Eddie the Sewing Machine  
Repairman](#)  
619-408-3383

# Miscellaneous Links

## Free Patterns

[Free Quilt Patterns From Carol Doak](#)

[Free Two Color Quilt Patterns – Top Picks](#)

[Free Solid Quilt Patterns – Top Picks](#)

[Top 10 Free Robert Kaufman Quilt Patterns](#)

[Top 7 Free 3-Yard Quilt Patterns](#)

[Top 15 Free Easy Quilting Patterns for Beginners](#)

[Robert Kaufman](#)

[Moda](#)

[Riley Blake](#)

[Nuts and Bolts](#)

[Layer Cakes](#)

[Top 16 Free Easy Layer Cake Quilt Patterns](#)

[30 Totally Free Layer Cake Quilt Patterns for Beginners](#)

[Free Layer Cake Quilt Pattern: Oh Susannah](#)

[Jelly Roll](#)

[30+ Jelly Roll Quilt Patterns that use 2 1/2" fabric strips: All Free!](#)

[30 Free Jelly Roll Quilt Patterns - Hailey Stitches](#)

[Jelly Roll Quilt Patterns Free - Fat Quarter Shop](#)

[Scrappy](#)

[How to Make a Quilt Using Fabric Scraps – Quilt-As-You-Go Method](#)

[Binding](#)

[How to Join Binding Ends with No Overlap or Bulk—Video](#)

[Sewing Machine](#)

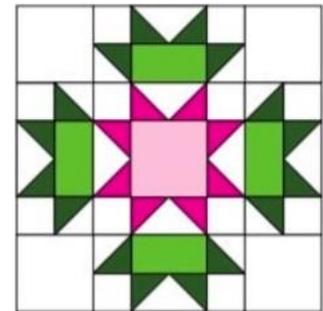
[The Surprising Genius of Sewing Machinees - Video](#)

[Paper Piecing](#)

[41+ Modern And Free Paper Piecing Patterns To Quilt Today](#)

[20 Free Paper Piecing Patterns \(EPP and FPP Patterns\)](#)

[Free Paper Piecing Patterns to download ~ 115+ designs, multiple sizes](#)



## Miscellaneous Links (cont'd)

### Stars

[35 Dreamy Star Quilt Patterns: All Free!](#)

[Top 7 Free Two Color Quilt Patterns](#)

[40 Free Star Quilt Patterns to Put Stars in Their Eyes!](#)

[45 Free Star Quilt Patterns](#)



### Cutting

[12 Ways to Cut up Fat Quarters for Quilting](#)

### Fat Quarters

[Top 19 Free Fat Quarter Quilt Patterns](#)

[Three Fast and FREE Fat Quarter Quilts You Can Make in a Weekend](#)

### Fat Eighth

[Free Fat Eighth-Friendly Quilt Patterns](#)

### Fat Quarters

[The Ultimate Fat Quarter Project Guide: 40+ Free Sewing Patterns](#)

### Quilting Calculator

[Robert Kaufman Quilting Calculator App](#)

### Squares

[Be There or Be Square: 20 Easy Quilt Patterns Using Squares - All Free!](#)

[Charmed, I'm Sure: A Free Quilt Pattern Bursting with Summer Charm](#)

### Blocks

[Basket Weave Quilt Block Free Tutorial: Traditional Design in Two Sizes](#)

[260+ Free Quilt Block Patterns in Multiple Sizes](#)

[Marcia Hohn's Quilter's Cache! \(all I can say is WOW...lots of blocks and more\)](#)

More links coming soon!



## More fun with Artificial Intelligence

Prompt: What type of people quilt? (Let's see what it says)

People who quilt come from diverse backgrounds and are motivated by a variety of factors, including artistic expression, creating heirlooms, connecting with tradition, and enjoying the problem-solving and creative release of the craft. There are many different "types" of quilters, such as the perfectionist planner, the deadline sprinter, the fabric collector, and the scrappy improviser, but ultimately, quilting appeals to people who are creative, detail-oriented, and enjoy making something both practical and beautiful.

## Block of the Month

I thought I would try something new. Every month I will include a block of the month. Pick a theme and choose which blocks you want to make. These are by Riley Blake Designs and are available free online. The difference here is that every month I will be choosing blocks from different years. The size of the blocks are 10" x 10" finished.

**This month's Block of the Month is**

### **Fanfare**

September 2025 Block of the Month was [Lynx](#)  
August 2025 Block of the Month was [Daylesford](#)  
July 2025 Block of the Month was [Jack in the Box](#)  
June 2025 Block of the Month was the [Playing With Blocks](#)  
May 2025 Block of the Month was the [Tilt-A-Whirl](#)  
April 2025 Block of the Month was the [Lady of the Lake](#)  
March 2025 Block of the Month was the [Scrappy Churn Dash](#)  
February 2025 Block of the Month was the [Moab Block](#)  
January 2025 Block of the Month was the [Glint Block](#)  
December 2024 Block of the Month was the [Windmill Block](#)  
November 2024 Block of the Month was the [Sundial Block](#)  
October 2024 Block of the Month was the [Pinwheel Star Block](#)