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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Hello Guild Members,

I would like to thank you for your patience, understanding and encouragement for the last two years while I was president. I am so glad to be part of this talented and wonderful group and I am looking forward to many more years as a member.

Speaking of talent, the quilt show was fabulous. I received so many compliments from friends and family as well as members and other quilters. Thank you to our show Co-Chairs, Kathy and Laurel; our behind-the-scenes miracle workers, Melody and Shawnee; and all the many members who worked so hard to make the show a success.

Congratulations and welcome to our next president, Janelle Hickey. I wish you the best.

Hope to see you all at the meeting.

~Cheryle

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NEXT GUILD MEETING

Wednesday, June 12, 2024

Social begins at 5:30 pm

Meal begins at 6:00 pm

Sharon Kirkwood's Home

1362 Los Coches Ct

Chula Vista 91910

GUILD REMINDERS/UPDATES



CHAIRPERSONS

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

Karen Collin

CHALLENGES

Laurel Maloney

CUDDLE QUILT

Pat Doege

DOOR PRIZES

Burma Dunn

50-50

Joette Fredricksen

FAT QUARTER RAFFLE

Janice Lambert

HISTORIAN

TBA

NEW MEMBER HOSTESS

Jeri Nolfi-Brown

MEMBERSHIP

Janice Lambert

OPPORTUNITY QUILT 2024

Maureen Waterhouse

QUILT SHOW 2024

Laurel Maloney

Kathy Cadwell

REFRESHMENTS

Melody Cernitz

RETREAT

Melody Cernitz

SOCIAL MEDIA

Gloria Sawyers

TICKET SALES

Susan Allers

Wednesday Quilt Classes

Bayview Orthodox Presbyterian Church

505 East Naples St,

Chula Vista, 91911

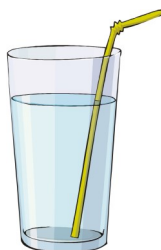
Every Wednesday starting

9:00 am -12 noon

Classes offer a variety of quilting methods led by multiple instructors. Enrollment is open, come when you can, by donation only.

Contact: **Shirley McGuire** smcguire6@cox.net

REFRESHMENTS



It's Potluck Month



Newsletter Submissions

Please submit all newsletter articles to:

chulavistaquiltersguild@gmail.com

Deadline is the 25th of the current month for publication the following month.

Thank you.

GUILD NEWS

Volunteers Needed: Join our ByLaws Revision Committee

We are in need of 2-3 additional individuals to join our current committee tasked with revising our current bylaws.

Our guild's bylaws are the foundation of our operations, guiding our decisions and actions. It is important that our bylaws are updated to meet our current needs and aspirations.

We invite you to be a part of this vital process.

The committee will convene on the following dates:

- July 13, 2024, 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.
- August 10, 2024, 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Meetings will be held at Sharon Kirkwood's house.

The demand is never-ending for quilts/table mats/animal beds/dresses & shorts/baby "stuff" to support our local communities: Meals on Wheels, victims of Maui, Operation Christmas Child, Children's hospitals, Senior homes, Gently Hugged, Silent Voices, Bags for Cancer, and many more so needs.
Please come and join in on our:

MONTHLY ON-GOING CHARITY/DONATION SEWING/CRAFTING SEW-IN

Meets the **first** Monday & Tuesday
(unless otherwise noted) of the Month
from 9:00 am till 2:00 pm

@
Mar Vista Baptist Church
888 5th Street
Imperial Beach, CA. 91932

Bring your sewing machine/supplies & basic sewing tools or crafting supplies and a donation project to work on. There are some projects available to work on as well as some donated fabric. Either bring a sack lunch or snacks to share with others, Coffee, water will be provided.

Here is the schedule for 2024 year (subject to change):

March 4th & 5th
April 1st & 2nd
May 6th & 7th
June 3rd & 4th
July 1st & 2nd
September 2nd & 3rd
October 7th & 8th
November 4th & 5th
December 2nd & 3rd

To All,

I have been supporting this charity for many years. It is another way to recycle and to help our children. I am more than willing to take your cards and separate them for you. The "trademark" cards are used to make scratch pads for homeless and for the orphanages in Mexico.

Shawnie ☺ ☺



St. Jude's Ranch for Children Recycled Card Program

Yes! We are still accepting the fronts of your recycled cards (except for Hallmark, American Greetings and Disney which we are unable to accept due to copyright laws) as we continue to revamp our recycled card program in our effort to provide teens with life and work skills.

Please SEND to: St. Jude's Ranch for Children, 100 St. Jude's St., Boulder City, NV 89005.
Stjudesranch.org

We also accept new cards (any occasion) with or without the envelopes. Please do not send cards promoting other charitable organizations. We do not have any cards available to purchase at this time. If you have any questions, please call 702-294-7100.

You can also SUPPORT our programs which help children and youth break the cycle of abuse, abandonment and neglect. Thank you!

CHULA VISTA QUILTERS GUILD STATEMENT ENDING 5/25/24

Beginning Balance.	\$18097.57
Income.	9636.45
Expenses.	5384.62
Ending Balance.	\$22349.40

GUILD NEWS

Chula Vista Quilt Guild Fall Retreat

Join us in the heart of the Temecula Wine Valley to relax, retreat and recharge at the Vina de Lestonnac Retreat Center located at 39300 De Portola Rd., Temecula, CA. 92592.

The 2024 Guild retreat will be held October 24-October 27, 2024, and will be a fun filled weekend, so don't miss out. Sign up now and place your deposit at the next guild meeting.

Pricing:

4 days/ 3 nights-Thursday-Sunday

Single occupancy=\$770.00

Double occupancy=\$570.00

3 days/ 2 nights-Friday – Sunday

Single occupancy = \$555.00

Double occupancy = \$400.00

Bring your deposits to the guild meeting to reserve your spot. Please make checks payable to the CV Quilt Guild. Any Questions-please contact Rebecca Davidson @ radquilter40@yahoo.com or 619-370-0640.



GUILD NEWS

JUNE POTLUCK
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12
5:30pm ...begin eating 6pm
Sharon Kirkwood's Home
1362 Los Coches Ct
Chula Vista, CA 91910
619-861-5412

***THINGS YOU NEED TO BRING**

Your favorite dish and serving spoon to share with
everyone.

A lawn chair... (some will be available

***THINGS YOU DON'T HAVE TO BRING**

All tableware will be supplied.

Bottled water, iced tea and lemonade
will be available

*Doors prizes will be given.

*Rebecca will be on hand to take your deposits for retreat.

*Janice will be there to collect your annual dues of \$30.

*Celebrate our outgoing president.

*Meet and greet our incoming president.

*Recognition of favorite entries at the quilt show.

*Special trunk showing from one of our own members.

Don't miss the evening!

Hope to see you there.

GUILD NEWS

MEMBER SHOWCASE

Proposal for Member Showcase

Many of our members are wonderfully talented. We show them off at our annual Quilt Show and at monthly sharing. We can share their work more fully by showcasing one member at each potluck or perhaps at each meeting.

Purpose

1. Share one member's work in depth
2. Build enthusiasm
3. Inspire others
4. Teach exhibit design
5. Teach show hanging procedures

Requirements for participating

1. Must be a current member
2. Have 5 - 10 quilts/pieces to share
3. Help design the exhibit
4. Help hang and tear down the exhibit
5. Write an artistic statement (1-2 paragraphs about the work) to be published in the newsletter prior to the showcase.

The showcased member may speak during the meeting if they choose and time permitting. This is not intended as a sale (any negotiating or transactions should not be carried out at or during meeting.)

I volunteer to go first at June potluck as a trial run (with my series of 7 silk quilts) and if all goes well, would be happy to chair the project for a year.



"7 Silks"

It started with a gift! My son gave me 4 fat quarters for Christmas in 2007. They were beautiful dupioni silk. That same year the Guild had a speaker and workshop on dying. I participated with a yard of white silk. The result is "Silk Lights". With the exception of the thread used to piece it together it is 100% silk. Then someone else gave me a silk brocade jacket. That same year the Guild had a challenge to use only one shape in the quilt. Hence, "Hidden Village". I made it to match size and general design of the previous silk quilt. Then one of my son's married a lovely lady in a traditional Laotian wedding and I wore a silk Singh. Now I was on a roll. Keeping certain design elements constant, I built "Singh". Long story short, I was given lots more silk so now I have a series of 7.

I love the look of the silk and, as a hand quilter, I love how it needles. Working with silk has its challenges but there are simple work arounds. I also loved working in series, following the same parameters for a lot of the design. And, I am excited to show my collection of "7 Silks".

MEETING MINUTES

May 2024 Meeting Minutes

General Meeting

- Melody proudly introduced our new slate of officers for 2024:
 - * Janelle Hickey, President
 - * Jan Mellinger and Lindy Wilhelm, co 1st Vice Presidents and Programs
 - * Sylvia Jacintho, 2nd Vice President and Newsletter
 - * Sharon Kirkwood, Treasurer
 - * Susan Bellis, Secretary
- Melody also gave a brief report on Thursday's quilt show set-up activities.
- Cheryle reported on the purchase of our new microphone.
- Cheryle needs all members to send in their Distinguished Service Awards nomination form.
- Susan Allers thanked all who took the Opportunity Quilt to other guilds and various organizations to sell opportunity tickets. Melody and Jeri took the quilt to Seaside Quilters. Jan Mellinger to it to Rotary. Karen and Lynda took the quilt to Sunshine Quilters.
- Karen Collin had the last two blocks for the Block of the Month ready for pick-up.
- Rebecca Davidson report on our Fall Temecula Retreat. She is accepting \$50 retreat deposits to hold your place. She distributed flyers with the dates and costs.
- Guest speaker, Donna Dwyer, from Inspirations Quilt Shop in Valley Center, gave us a trunk show of her quilts. She shared the calendar of shop events and encouraged us to come visit. The shop sells high quality fabric. The shop is open Tuesday - Saturday, 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM, Thursday nights until 8:00 PM. They have an online shop and ship the same day.

Submitted by
Susan Bellis



2024 CVQG QUILT SHOW



Congratulations on Our Highly Successful Show!

This was our most successful show ever in terms of number of exhibits and attendance! Here are the statistics:

- 163 entries, a 41% increase over last year. With the Hoffman, we had a total of 203 items on display, a new record!
- About 75% of our members entered an item, up from less than 50% last year.
- Approximately 388 guests attended. That's 50 more people and a 15% increase over last year's attendance.
- All of the expenses aren't in yet, but we estimate the guild will make more than \$2,250 in profits.

Our booth/raffle sales were a bit less than last year, despite having more guests, so maybe the economy factored in. We still made about the same amount of profit as last year due to the increased attendance so there are no fiscal concerns from the committee.

There are so many people that contributed to the success of this year's show that we can't list them all but here are some of the standouts:

- Particular thanks go to **Nancy Teahan**, our Bayview Liaison, her **husband Chuck, Juan, Craig, Jackie and her husband** and the other Bayview members who helped with set up, take down and returning the Church spaces to their normal configuration after the show.
- **The Boy Scouts**, under the direction of their leader, Todd, were instrumental in loading, unloading and storing our equipment after the show, in addition to moving furniture back into place at the church. You guys are the best!
- **Melody Cernitz**, our show designer, who had to create new hanging methods to accommodate the increased number of entries.
- **Shawnie Meeks**, our Registrar, who had to extend the show program due to the increase in exhibits.
- **Brenda Moore and Bob Rollbusch**, who creatively set up the Hoffman with its numerous 3-D items. **Janet and Bob Stevenson**, who came in to help with the Hoffman and staked off the grassy area behind the church.

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2024 CVQG QUILT SHOW

- **Sylvia Jacintho**, who ordered the fancy bookmarks for us.
- **Jacque Blix**, who came in early on Wed before the show to help move all the furniture out of the sanctuary, as did my next-door neighbors, **Janine and Susan** (who don't even sew!). That's a lot of chairs, people! Next year we'll have a 0800 sign up on the Wed before the show for volunteers to move furniture.
- Mike Hickey, Karyn Slade's son, David, and Joette's son, Brian, helped throughout the show, we are so grateful for the extra muscles!
- Melissa Arnold and her helpers with the Job's Daughters Food Service.
- All 7 of our vendors, most of whom want to come back next year, yay!
- Beckie Edwards and Lindy Wilhelm, who were present throughout the show, and all the members who took one or more volunteer slots to work the show. We can't do it without the workers! Thanks to everyone staying and helping with take down, we were clear of Bayview at 4:30, including vacuuming the spaces, and finished storing the equipment at CCCC at 5:30.

Finally, this success was only accomplished by team efforts led by the Show Committee members:

Burma Dunn	Sharon Kirkwood	Karyn Slade
Pat Doege	Lynda Reynolds	Janice Lambert
Brenda Moore	Maureen Waterhouse	Robyn Phelps
Susan Allers	Joette Fredericksen	Joy Schlarb
Jeri Nolfi-Brown	Billie Crino	Susan Bellis
Gloria Sawyers	Debbie Elliott	Nancy Higgins

We are already planning next year's show. A request has been made to Bayview for use of their facilities on our traditional second weekend in May, which will be **May 9-10, 2025**. **Nancy, our liaison**, has told us that Bayview was happy with the condition of their spaces after cleaning up so she expects that they will approve us for next year.

Looking ahead, we will be asking for volunteers for a working party this fall to go over all of the quilt racks and other equipment. Some of it needs repairs and some of it may need to be replaced. Stay tuned and please help out when we call for volunteers!

Laurel Maloney and Kathy Cadwell, Show co-chairs.



SHOW AND SHARE



Thank you for sharing your creativity

UPCOMING EVENTS

<p>June 13-15, 2024</p>	<p>Quilt Show Reno Thursday-Friday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Grand Sierra Resort & Casino 2500 E Second St Reno, NV 89595</p>
<p>July 11-14, 2024 July 18-21, 2024</p>	<p>Southern CA Quilters Run Thursday-Saturday, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Sunday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Various Shops in the Southern CA area www.quiltersrun.com for more information</p>



A Note from Newsletter Editor

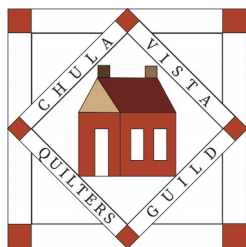
I wanted to let everyone know that I would love to hear any tidbits, stories, quotes, quips, etc. that you would be willing to share. Sometimes I just don't have enough content for the newsletter.

This is your newsletter and I would love to hear your ideas. Please submit them to the guild's email address.

Thank you.



By the Yard Comics



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WEDNESDAY QUILT CLASSES

Bayview Orthodox Presbyterian Church
505 East Naples St,
Chula Vista, 91911

Every Wednesday starting
9 -12 noon

Open enrollment: DONATION WELCOME
Come share what you're working on and learn new
patterns and techniques!

Contact: **Shirley McGuire**

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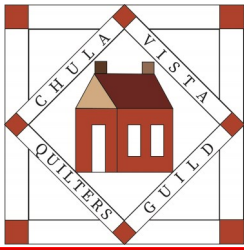
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ANYTIME!

Contact Sylvia Jacintho at
chulavistaquiltersguild@gmail.com

Fat Quarter Raffle

Jan=red	May=beachy	Sept=halloween
Feb=greens	June=red,white,blue	Oct=fall colors
Mar=flowers/showers	July=summer	Nov=Christmas
April=stars	Aug=no meeting	Dec=your choice



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"Chula Vista Quilters Guild" for public

"Chula Vista Quilters Group" for members

The Guild meets the 2nd Wednesday
of each month
at:

**Community Congregational
Church Meeting Room
276 'F' St.
Chula Vista, CA 91910**

(Enter at the back near the
intersection of Church and Center
Streets)

Social Starts at 6:00 pm

Meeting begins at 6:30 pm

Program begins at 7:00 pm

REMEMBER TO BRING

- ♦ Name Tag
- ♦ **DUES**
- ♦ **Guest/New Member**
- ♦ \$ for Block of the Month
- ♦ \$ for 50/50 drawing
- ♦ Fat Quarter- **Red White & Blue**

**This does not apply in June as we have our
annual potluck!**

UPCOMING BOARD MEETING

TBD

All Members are welcome