

June 2015

Dispatcher

June 9 Meeting

What to Bring:

Name Tag and Door Prize Money
Library Books and Totes
Show and Tell
Completed Block of the Quarter
Completed Christmas Quilt Block

Business Meeting

Show and Tell

Break

Door Prize

Program - The Batty Lady

Alicia Campbell, The Batty Lady, will be sharing her knowledge of batting and quilting. Her Facebook page says "warm and cuddly, soft and snuggly, batting makes it a quilt." Visit her website at www.battylady.com.

Refreshments:

Kathy Buxton
Sandra Witts
Stephani Neal
Harriett McGlothlin

Door Prize:

Linda Barrett

Note from Carol Gaines, Home Tour Chairman:

Home Tour and Boutique

I will be forming the committee for the various jobs of the Home Tour. Please watch for the sign-up sheet coming around at the next meeting.

June Birthdays

Marilyn Caudron	1-June
Carol Gaines	13 June



Note from Fran Ouimette, Boutique Chairman:

The application for Boutique Vendors is included here on page 7. The deadline for this application and payment of your table is August 15. Invitations to outside vendors will be sent after the August 5 deadline.

Quilt Guild Shows

Sept 5-6 – Busy Bears Quilt Guild (Labor Day Weekend)

Where: Big Bear Middle School, 41275 Big Bear Blvd, Big Bear Lake.

Admission: \$5.00

Boutique, Vendors, Door Prizes, Baskets, Quilts for Sale

Www,BusyBearQuiltGuild.com for more info.

Sept. 26-27–The Flying Geese Quilters Guild presents its quilt show, "A Harvest of Quilts" (<http://www.HarvestOfQuilts.com>) on Saturday, September 26, 2015, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. & Sunday, September 27, 2015 10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. at SOKA University in Aliso Viejo, California. Over 300 traditional and non-traditional style quilts will be on display. It brings together the "best of the best" in quilting, with aisles of displays, retail exhibits, craft boutique, antique quilts display and live quilt auction at 2 p.m. on Saturday. Free parking. \$10 admission.

Future Programs

July 11 – Mini Quilt Auction at Mountaineer Days

July 14—Annual Potluck at Wrightwood Country Club,

Featuring the quilts of our own star quilters.

August 14—Shelly Swanland

Lecture and trunk show, and a workshop the next day.

September 8 – Jean Imprey—Trunk Show

September 9 – Jean Imprey—Workshop "Pineapple Express"

October 16-18 – Save the date for a weekend workshop at the Methodist Camp.

2016—Our program chairwomen have been to the latest Meet The Teacher-Meeting and contracted for great new programs and workshops. Watch for further info.

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Mini Quilt Auction

We are at the deadline for turning in Auction Quilts, ladies. Please bring your Auction Quilt to Icky Orr to our June 9th meeting. If you can't make it to the meeting, make arrangements with Icky to get it to her before June 30th. The auction is on July 11th this year. If you have not signed up to work, please do help us out by scheduling a time with Icky. 760-249-6210

The lovely quilt pictured here is a great example of one of this year's donations. There was no name on this one, and Icky and Joy cannot remember who left it with us. Please identify yourself and a reminder to everyone else that we need your names on the quilt so you can be credited with your beautiful work.



Shelly Swanland Embellishment Workshop

August 15, 2015

Place and time to be announced.

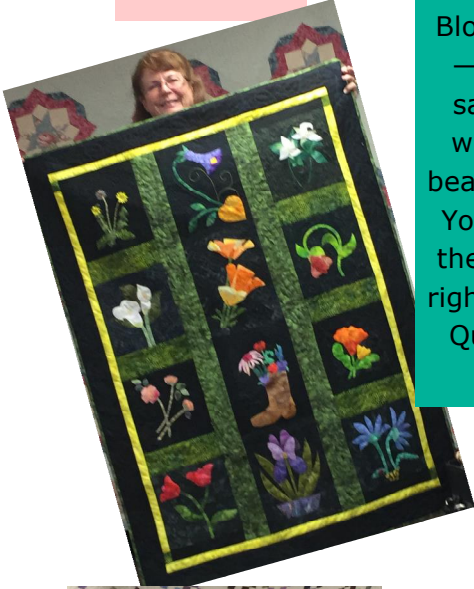
Shelly will be giving a lecture and trunk show entitled "From Quilts to Twilts, Anything Goes" at our August 14 meeting. And, the following day she is leading a class. See Page 6 for the supply list for this class. Be sure to note that if you purchase the \$15.00 kit there are certain supplies you will not need. Also note there are some items that will not be included in the kit, such as the background piece, and the #8 beads. She will also have items for sale to supplement what you do not have.

Get Ready for our October Retreat!

Here are the details as we know them for our retreat:

- When: October 15-18, 2015
- Where: Huddle House at the Methodist Camp, located right here in Wrightwood
- Cost: \$50.00 — sleeping arrangements will be up to you; stay at the Huddle House, or sleep at home. The cost is the same. To be able to keep the cost at \$50 per person we will need to have 15 members sign-up. Otherwise, the cost will go up somewhat to be divided among the number of people attending.
- Project: Bring your own UFOs or new projects.
- Sign-Up: Sign-up sheet will be circulated at the new few meetings.
- Info: More info to follow over the coming months.

Material Girls Block Exchange — two quilts, same blocks, with different beautiful results. You can bid on the quilt on the right at the Mini-Quilt Auction, July 11.



Beautiful piecing and color by Marlene DeJongh.



On left, Mary Bell's paper piecing on Red Bull. Wow!
On right, Rose Burcher's explosion of color, also paper pieced. Ditto!



Meet Susan Butler
Co-Vice President of Membership



I live with my sister, Teresa Howard in Wrightwood. I have one child and her name is Kris, her husband is Will and they have 2 beautiful children, Blake who is 6 and Lily who is 3. My husband passed away in 2010, after 30 years of marriage.

I grew up in Colton, Ca. and in 1980 I married Bill, he lived down the street from me when we were children. On a cold winter day our daughter was born, in 1982. We moved to Phelan when Kris was 7. My grandson was only 2 when his beloved grandpa died. He never got to meet our granddaughter Lily, but she would have won his heart. A while after my husband passed away, my sister moved in with me, together we bought a house in Wrightwood and have been here a month. We moved to Wrightwood because we hate the desert and I can't afford to live at the beach.

At first, I was a preschool teacher and when that didn't work out, I worked for Snowline School District as a one on one aide for 18 years. I retired in 2011 and I still haven't figured out what I want to do when I grow up.

I love everything crafty. I've been quilting for about 9 years; I like doing art quilts & machine embroidery, appliqué, crochet, knit, etc. I also sell Stamping Up, so if anyone wants to make cards or do scrapbooking, call me. (I seriously don't believe I have any talent.)

I love Christmas and anything to do with that holiday. I have about 25 boxes of decorations! Halloween is my second favorite. I love to travel; I've been to London, Paris, Canada, Hawaii and all over the USA.



Embellishment Workshop

by Shelley Swanland

Participants in this workshop will learn a variety of techniques, as they put together the nine Mini Squares, that I regularly use in my embellishment projects including embroidery stitches and silk ribbon embroidery, two kinds of gathered flowers, how to use lace and linens, using beads, buttons and found objects. I will include a demo of how to paint your own rayon lace motifs.

The list of items I used to make up the Embellishment Sampler is below. View it as an example of what you need but use your own stash and collections. There is no wrong item and we will play with whatever you bring. Your sampler should reflect you.

Supplies

Embellishment Sampler Pattern
(½ price of \$6.00 at workshop)

Rotary Cutting Supplies including a small ruler

Embroidery Scissors

Regular Scissors

Old scissors to use with the Wire Edge Ribbon

Embroidery Needles

Chenille Needles Size 18 to 22

Beading needles

Pins

Beige and tan threads for basting and applique

I like to use Coats and Clarks Hand Quilting

Materials (These items are only needed if you do not purchase the Kit)

Background Fabrics

9 Linen or cotton squares minimum of 4" each

9 Muslin squares minimum 4" each

Lace, hankies, etc

At least 6 Pieces of Lace and trims in a variety of widths and types at least 4" long each

Two Old fashioned Hankies with cool edges

A 2 ½" diameter Doily, you will use ¼

One 4" piece narrow Rickrack

Pearl Cotton

Pearl Cotton #8 in Yellow, Lt Green, Med Green, Dk Green, Pink and Tan.

Silk Ribbon

7mm Green 1 yd, Peachy Pink 1 yd and Pink 3 yds

4mm Green 1 yd, Lt Green 1 yd, Lt Pink 3 yds, Dk Pink 1 yd and Blue 2 yds

Other Ribbon

1" Pink Wire edge ribbon ½ yd

1" Green Wire edge ribbon ½ yd

¾" Organza ribbon with gold edges

½" Organza ribbon with gold edges

Beads

Leaf Beads in Pink 6 of one and 7 of a second color or design

A variety of gold or pearl beads suitable for flower centers

#8 beads iridescent gold, pearl, pink or beige neutral 30 of two different kinds

#8 beads for securing squares to larger background 144, iridescent gold, pearl or beige neutral

Miscellaneous

Small decorative buttons

Heart shaped buttons

Decorative Paper clips

2 Painted Rayon Lace Motifs

Optional Kit

I will put together Optional kits for the Nine Mini Squares for \$15.00 each. They will be based on the Embellishment Sampler but **won't** include the background piece they are mounted on, buttons, charms or the small attachment beads (the ones you need 144 of).

I will also bring items for sale to supplement whatever you can't find.

Please feel free to email questions. I want everyone to have a wonderful time.

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Holiday Home Tour Boutique Application

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City, Zip _____

Merchandise description: please be specific _____

Cost: \$20.00 per 6-ft table or
\$40.00 per 6-ft table (If you wish
to be excused from committee
responsibilities.)

**Vendors: No children under
the age of 14 please.**

Date: December 5th 2015
Set-up: 9:30am
Open: 11:00am or earlier if ready
Close: 4:00pm or a little after if busy

**Please use a white cloth to the floor on
each table-all backstock out of view
under table, not behind you. NO
Merchandise in the aisle. Max
2 people, 2 chairs at each table.**

Mail application to:

Fran Ouimette
P.O. Box 504
Wrightwood. Ca. 92397

**All Guild member vendors will be
required to assist with setup and
tear down of all tables on the day
of the boutique and stay until the
building is in the same condition as
we found it. No exceptions.**

DEADLINE Aug 15th
Applications must be
received by **Aug 15th**

**Guild member vendors are also
required to serve on the boutique
Committee. Responsibilities include
attending committee meetings if
asked and helping to make the
homeowner gifts. To be excused
from the committee responsibilities
you may pay the non-member fee for
your table. See above.**

to insure your spot.
Invitations will be mailed to
outside vendors directly
after the deadline.

**Please Note: Tables may not be shared with non-members.
Check with Fran if you have any questions.**

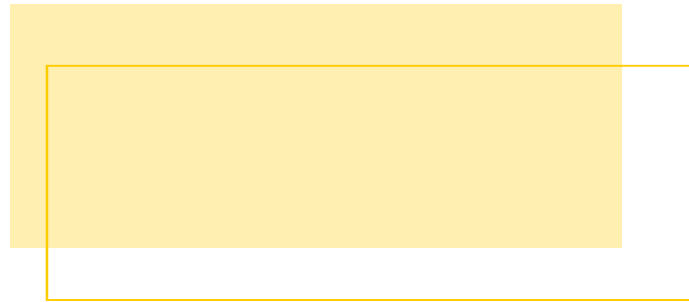
Make checks payable to: **Pine Needles Quilt Guild**

Pine Needles Quilt Guild is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged merchandise before, during or after the PNOG Holiday Boutique.

Pine Needles Quilt Guild

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Calendar



May 23-31—

San Bernardino County Fair

June 9,

PNQG Meeting —Batty Lady

July 11

Mini Quilt Auction

July 14

PNQG Annual Potluck at
WW Country Club