



PINE NEEDLES QUILT GUILD DISPATCHER



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President's Message

*H*ello Quilting Sisters!

I have been having a fabulous time up here in the Northeast corner of Washington State. As I write this, I still have two weeks to enjoy this beautiful country. I took three classes at a local quilt shop from Kelly Cline (www.kellyclinequilting.com). She is really into vintage quilting and she has been a teacher for HandiQuilter. I learned a lot of tricks that I will be trying when I return to CA and my own HQ16. I went to a number of quilt shops and collected each shop's Row By Row kit. (www.rowbyrowexperience.com) So fun to see new towns with the local quilt shop as the destination and a small kit to take with me....among other items...wink, wink...😉



PNQG Co-Presidents
Darlene Packard & Mary Bell

Riding the tractor, watching the chickens and their antics, and gazing at the forest right in my 23 acre back yard makes retirement even more attractive. (Everybody remember the song to the Green Acres show years ago?) I'm with Oliver on this! I finished two PNQG mystery quilt tops from 2015, made a wallet, and I have four purses cut out and ready to sew. This is the life!

I'm looking forward to hearing about the adventures of those of you who did some or all of the Southern California Quilt Run and I hear the July Potluck was a great success! And of course, the Mini Quilt Auction! The Home Tour Committee has also been diligently working hard to get our largest fund raiser of the year whipped into shape. Such a busy and industrious group we are!

As much as I love it here in WA, I am looking forward to our August meeting with Laretta Crites and her workshop on the Saturday following. Laretta is funny, witty, and an unbelievably creative lady! I just know you will all love her.

Have a super rest of July and I will see you all soon.

Hugs and stitches!

Darlene,

PNQG Co-President

This Month's Meeting

From Carol Gaines and Elisa Gurley, Programs

Loretta Crites background is in Costume Design with a degree from California Institute of the Arts she has spent many years traveling around the world designing costumes for stage and screen. Her love of textiles and art found a perfect marriage in quilting.

Her quilts have appeared in Quilters Newsletter Magazine, Quilting Arts, IQA Journal, The Quilt Show and have won awards at the Road to California, Houston Festival and many more.

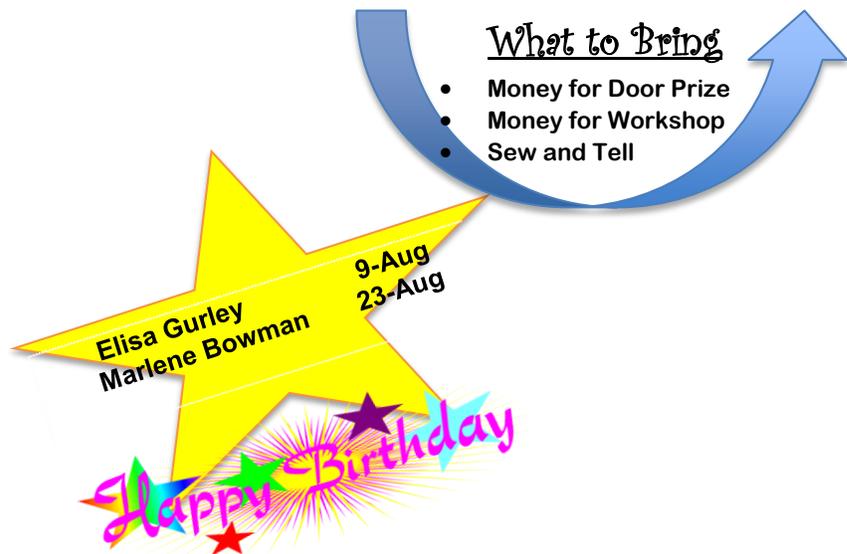
This is one of my favorites that I saw at The Road to California. (*Elisa*)



Editor's Note

The summer has taken over our household! We have had the littles here 3-4 days a week, because their babysitter quit. We've had company, and played at the lake far too many days, then suddenly, it was August first and I hadn't even started on this lengthy volume for you lovely ladies. Please note that the Guild Meeting is coming up THIS WEEK. Oh no!! So soon!

I hope you don't mind another personal note; the date for my next knee replacement is September 16th. I might miss the October meeting, but I want to see everyone's President's Challenge Quilts. Perhaps I'll hobble out for a while that night. Love to you all, *Teresa*



FUTURE MEETINGS/PROGRAMS and WORKSHOPS

- September 12 – TBA
- October 10 – President's Challenge Quilt Show and Judging
- November 14 – Quilt Grab for the Home Tour
- December 12 – Annual Christmas Party and return of quilts

Last Month's Meeting

We had some great trunk shows from our own guild members last month. Here is a sampling from: Joanne Tschantre', Joyce Gwinner, Lynn Crawford, Flo Souza, and Elisa Gurley.



Joanne



Joyce



Lynn



Flo



Elisa

Mini Quilt Auction

Your quilts sold for the following amounts.

1	Icy Orr	\$45	14	Linda Rhoades	\$150	27	Carol Gains	\$40
2	Alice Smith	\$55	15	Elisa Gurley	\$150	28	Susan Butler	\$50
3	Christy Close	\$60	16	Diane Armstrong	\$60	29	Beth Stanton	\$70
4	Charlotte Ketcheside	\$75	17	... & Elisa Gurley	\$60	30	-----	-----
5	Carol Gaines	\$25	18	Carol Gaines	\$45	31	Darlene & Joanne	\$80
6	Carrie McGuire	\$30	19	Teresa Howard	\$55	32	Debbie Stefan/Christi Close	\$45
7	Charlotte Ketcheside	\$210	20	Lorrie Havens	\$70	33	Tuesday Strippers	\$85
8	Diane Armstrong	\$70	21	Harriet McGlothlin	\$170	34	-----	-----
9	Rose Burcher	\$80	22	Nancy Goldstein	\$40	35	Linda Rhoades & Linda Barrett	\$105
10	Joanne Tschantre'	\$35	23	<i>Donation</i>	\$35	36	The Material Girls	\$105
11	Joyce Gwinner	\$70	24	Icy Orr	\$45	37	The Cut Ups	\$200
12	<i>Donation</i>	\$100	25	Lynn Crawford	\$55	38	Antoinette Todd	\$65
13	Alice Smith	\$65	26	Harriet McGlothlin	\$155	39	Marlene Bowman	\$65

27: Most Patriotic, 7: Most Wrightwood, 28: Best Children's, 20: Best Use of Color, 37: Viewer's Choice

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