PINE NEEDLES QUILT GUILD DISPATCHER

June 2019

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Congratulations to Marlene



She won Best of show and Best of Class at the San Bernardino County Fair

Pine Needles Quilt Guild General Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at the Wrightwood Community Center. Located at 1275 Park Dr. Wrightwood, CA 92397

Doors open 6 and the meeting starts at 6:30, this month's meeting is on the 11th. July meeting will be on the 13th.

CHAIR POSITIONS

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Some of our evening's sharing



Our guest speaker was Anne Sonner. Her trunk show was very inspiring as well as her genealogy stories. I wish I had the forethought to save my children's drawings and make them into quilts. I may have some drawings, but I'll have to search all those boxes that have been put away.









PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Carol Gaines909-559-0099 gainsmath@yahoo.com



The sixth month of this year is approaching already. I am ready for some sunny weather and more camaraderie with fellow quilters!

June is the month to turn in any outstanding quilts for the mini-quilt auction and the President's challenge. We have 25 quilts so far for the auction. The variety and workmanship are wonderful. We do need more quilts to make our auction a big success.

It's now time to focus on our Home Tour. Please plan to create quilts to showcase in December. I personally like to create one (or more) new quilt(s) each year for that event. We will be asking for volunteers to help with that event. Besides being a fundraiser for the guild, the Home Tour provides a community event that benefits local organizations and draws people to the town for the day or weekend. Consider hosting friends or relatives for that day and tour the homes together! The board meets the 4th Tuesday of each month at 4 pm at the Wrightwood library. Join us if you have items for discussion or just want to learn more about the guild! See you at the June meeting!

Carol

June will be the last meeting before the Auction. Please read and consider:

Most of the positions for the day of the auction have been filled. I need four more people. I need two people for quilt sitters from 12 to 2. This position requires you to be with the quilts, answer questions, hand out ballots and count votes. I would love to see a couple of new members sign up for this. Excellent opportunity to get involved and be part of the fun!

I also need one more runner and one more Vanna. Vannas walk the quilts through the crowd so everyone has a chance to see them close up. The runners take the quilt after the walk through and the green card from the scribe and deliver to the back table where the sale is finalized.

It's a fun day and aids in paying our speakers, workshops and donations. So please be ready to join and sign up for one of the above positions. If you have questions prior to the meeting you may call me at 760.662.6652
Thank you, Rose

Block of the **Quarter**

Block of the quarter is due this meeting. Don't forget your block!



This Month's Upcoming Events

Tuesday June 11th General Meeting 6:30 Wrightwood Community Center

Wednesday June 12th Beautiful Bindings class, 10 am - 4pm doors open @9am Wrightwood Community Center

Sat/Sun June 8h & 9th Flying Geese Quilters Guild Show @ Soka University

Sun June 16th HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

June Program

This month Helen Young Frost will be visiting us from Tucson, AZ. Helen has been in the quilting world for many years. You may recognize her mother's name, Blanche Young. They wrote many books on quilting starting in the 1980s! Helen's lecture will be the "The Quilter's Magic Show: Lots of Tricks for Better Quilts". Is perfect patchwork an illusion? Add these techniques for precise cutting, easier matching, and efficient pressing to your bag of tricks! Learn the secret behind ripple- free borders and great bindings. Get terrific ideas for improving your quilt and enjoy some magic tricks too!

Her workshop on Wednesday, June 12 is "Beautiful Bindings". It will be held at the Community Building from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. We will open the building at 9:00 am for set-up and will start promptly at 10:00. There is still space available in the workshop. Cost is \$30 plus the \$15 kit fee. Achieve smooth bindings with perfect corners and learn a great method for joining the ends. You'll also get great tips on preparing your quilt for binding. You'll make a sample of traditional binding then practice angled and scalloped edges. Try new "gourmet" bindings such as two-color and faux piping. All quilted fabric and bindings are included in the kit. (\$15 kit fee per student).

Scissor Sharpening Service

Richard Raponi will be bringing his truck and tools to the June guild meeting to sharpen scissors and knives. The price for scissors vary by length but the standard 8" is \$10. Knives are \$1 per inch. Serrated knives are \$1.50 per inch. We will be dropping them off to him outside before the meeting starts so he can work on them while we are having our meeting. Also, please plan on paying him as you deliver the scissors/knives to him so we don't disrupt the meeting/lecture. He accepts cash, checks, or charge cards. BE SURE TO PUT YOUR NAME ON EACH PAIR OF SCISSORS/KNIVES!



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Refreshments

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