



# Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild

*"Promoting the art of quilting through sharing, friendship, education, and meaningful service to our community."*

Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July

## President's Message

The June Block Auction was so fun!!!! Barbara Montejo always does a fantastic job organizing the event for us. The Guild made a lot of money, too. This will help us to provide great speakers and workshops for you.

The June 20<sup>th</sup> quilt distribution was canceled by Habitat for Humanity due to the low number of the families able to attend. I will let you know when they reschedule.

July 12, 2015 is the Americana Folkfest at Towsley Canyon from 3pm to 9 pm. We need you to volunteer to sell Opportunity Quilt Tickets with us. The stronger the showing of Guild members, the more people we can reach out to. If you haven't signed up to help us with an event this year, now is your chance. Please call me.

<http://www.lasummerfest.org/folkfest.html>

Art SLAM was June 4TH In downtown Newhall. At 6pm we will opened our booth to have the citizens of Santa Clarita sign signature blocks welcoming our Veterans of the Habitat for Humanity Homes to Santa Clarita. We will incorporate the blocks into a quilt for the Habitat For Humanity Office. We also sold Opportunity Quilt Tickets and provided a display of our Community Service works and we hung a Habitat for Humanity quilt.

## President's Message (con't)

Wound Warrior Quilts program, has received a request from the Bagram field hospital in Afghanistan which was forwarded to us. They need special 48" x 78" patriotic quilts for the gurneys. We have three completed tops ready for quilting. Any volunteers? You can read more about it at the following link.

<http://southbayquiltersguild.org/blogwp/WoundedWarriors/#sthash.WvB3vfQM.dpuf>

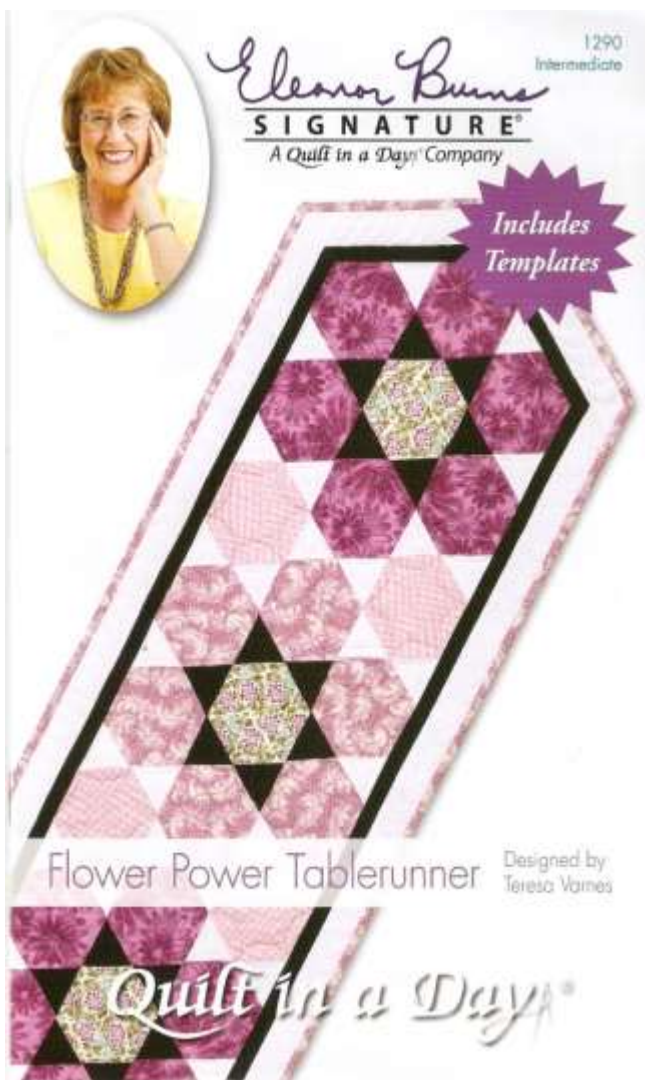
We now have an Opportunity Quilt Committee for 2016 headed by Gabrielle Leko. They will meet to discuss the design and colors to be used. We need a volunteer to form a committee on tickets sales and events for the quilt.

I want to invite any and all members, especially if you are on a committee, to attend the **Board Meeting at the new Library in Newhall at 6:30pm on Thursday, July 16th**. This is your Guild and your Board wants your input. If you would like your concern on the agenda, my email address is [kldolan@att.net](mailto:kldolan@att.net), phone (661) 296-7573.

Kris

## PROGRAMS

Santa Clarita Quilt Guild invites you to join us Thursday July 9 @ 7 pm to meet **Pat Knoechel** from **Quilt in a Day**. Pat will lecture and present a trunk show of her quilts. Saturday July 11, Pat will hold a workshop and teach the Flower Power Tablerunner. Workshop fee \$30.00 + pattern \$12.00.



## WAYS AND MEANS

Get ready set go....Ways and Means will have some great baskets and some surprises for our July raffles...you won't want to miss them!!

Thanks, Joyce, Kathy, Bunny and Mary Beth

Just a note: Coming January we will need a new Ways and Means Committee. It has been great fun putting baskets together for you to enjoy. I will be willing to help put baskets together for the first few months to get you started...we already have a theme for our baskets for next year so that will help get things started.

Thanks, Joyce

## BLOCK OF THE MONTH

The drawing for the block of the month will be at the June meeting. Eight blocks have already been turned in and they are beautiful. I do hope that you will give one a try.

Barbara Montejo.

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

A big thanks to everyone who brought back items, whether done partially or completed or made fabric donations. The items we took in completed included 16 placemats and 1 shawl for the Senior Center, 8 completed turtles, 14 aprons and 2 lap and 3 twin quilts for Turtle Camp, and 2 lap quilts for Childrens Advocate. Job well done!!! We also got some "orphan" blocks which we can use for centers of placemats and scraps of batting which we will give to Turtle Camp. Also, a big, wonderful thanks goes out to our guild member, Phyllis McKenna, for donating two full boxes of awesome fabric for Community Service to use. So, if you need fabric, please contact either Dana or Helena, and they should be able to help you out.

Please remember that Turtle Camp would like the following measurements for their quilts:

Lap (take home quilts) 35" - 40" wide x 45" - 60" long

Twin quilts for their cabin beds - 60" x 80"

Turtles - ask Helena for help with them

For the month of June, we gave Turtle Camp 8 lap quilts, 4 twin quilts, 14 aprons, and a few bags of batting/stuffing for the turtles.

Thanks again to our guild for your great participation in helping out Community Service. We really need everyone's help to achieve our goals for the year. Please check us out in the back.

Dana Montague  
Helena Woodworth  
Stephanie Johnson  
Lola Dyroy

## SCCQG COUNCIL HAPPENINGS

A source to get up to the minute information on potential teachers is provided by SCCQG. Our Los Angeles council of member quilt guilds holds a "Meet The Teachers" each spring to gather teachers in one place. Each teacher is allowed 3 minutes to describe their special quilt skills. We can also get an idea of their presentation skills. Teachers also have booths set up with their products and quilting samples.

Member guild representative Program Chairs may bring contracts and set up their annual programs in one day and place.

You as a quilt guild member can help by letting your program chair and/or board members of any speakers you'd like to see for the next year. It's a good way to suggest speakers to check out at the next "Meet the Teachers" event.

You can help with our yearly programs with your input. Catch one of your board members at a meeting and let them know of your ideas. We are always welcoming your input. Send me an email at [catball6@yahoo.com](mailto:catball6@yahoo.com) or catch me at the meeting.

Kat Bellue

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President, Council Representative.

## MEMBERSHIP

Sorry I missed the auction. Sounds like it was a success. There were 40 members in attendance and 2 guests. Hope to see more of you at the next meeting! Remember to pick up your 2015 directory of members.

Rita

Membership chairperson

Email: ragershon@aol.com

### \*\*\*\*\*Mini Groups\*\*\*\*\*

#### **Saturday Quilters \*\*\***

Mary Beth Will 323-387-2260  
Meets last Saturday of Month  
12:30 to 5:30 p.m. at church behind  
Goodwill. Attendees split \$50 fee and  
share snacks.

#### **Super Star Quilters \*\*\***

Patti Voyles 259-6198  
Meets first and third Tuesdays  
7 p.m., rotating member's home

#### **Cut-Up Mini Group (full for now)**

Joyce Wilkinson  
Meets the fourth Tuesday of each month

#### **Monday Mavens \*\*\***

Kris Dolan 296-7573  
Meets first and third Mondays  
9 am to 3 pm (We lunch at La Cocina)  
Call to verify location  
(Maven means connoisseur/mentor)

**\*\*\* indicates membership is open. If you want to attend a meeting, we recommend calling to be sure that nothing has changed since this listing**

## SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

EVERYONE NEED A RAY OF SUNSHINE

Our thoughts are with Gerry Hogan who recently lost her brother.

Good Wishes go with Millie Ballace in her move to San Fernando Valley.

Please notify Patsy Heald or Millie Kerr if you know of someone needing a ray of sunshine sent their way.

## HOSPITALITY

"Happy July 4th"

Let Freedom Ring

A-M you are FREE to bring whatever you want. The committee will supply drinks.

## FOR SALE

I have an embroidery/quilting machine for sale.

Baby Lock ellageo plus used for approximately 1.5 years. It comes with 100 plus spools of isaccore thread worth \$400.00+, 10+ packages of stabilizers worth \$100.00+, Large Tutto wheeled tote (Retail \$170.00). 5 embroidery CD patterns + Flash drive patterns, USB cord. Has Hoops and more. \$3500.00

Contact: Joyce Wilkinson 661-753-7865

## Treasurer's Report

Checking Account beginning Balance as of April 16, 2015 \$ 5,207.42

### **INCOME- Deposits**

04/20 Op Quilt Ticket sales \$ 3,408.00

04/20 Ways & Means \$ 393.00

04/23 Boutique \$ 1,179.75

04/23 Art Slam \$ 50.00

05/18 Membership \$ 320.00

Total Deposits \$ 5,350.75

### **TOTAL BALANCE**

**\$ 10,558.17**

### **EXPENSES**

04/16 Ck # 1255 Administrative \$ 239.41

05/05 Ck # 1256 Boutique \$ 108.43

05/05 Ck # 1257 VIOD \$ \*\*\*\*

05/05 Ck # 1258 Administrative \$ 131.48

05/14 Ck # 1259 Membership Directory \$ 71.40

05/14 Ck # 1260 Programs \$ 373.00

05/14 Ck # 1261 Programs \$ 400.00

### **TOTAL EXPENSES**

\$ 1,323.72

### **CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE AS OF**

**04/16/2015 \$ 9,234.45**

**Certificate of Deposit Accounts as of**

**02/28/2015 \$ 7,706.91**

**Total Balances \$16,941.36**

HFH Chase Account

May 2015

Checking Account beginning Balance as of April 24 2015 \$ \*\*\*\*\*

### **INCOME- Deposits**

04/28 Opening Deposit \$ 100.00

04/30 Grant from city of Santa Clarita \$ 4,500.00

Total Deposits \$ 4,600.00

### **TOTAL BALANCE**

**\$ 4,600.00**

**EXPENSES** 05/05 Ck # 9990 Initial deposit funds/fabric purchase \$ 601.34

05/05 Ck # 9991 VOID \$ \*\*\*\*

05/05 Ck # 9992 Quilting \$ 70.56

05/05 Ck # 9993 fabric purchase \$ 19.00

### **TOTAL EXPENSES**

\$ 699.90

### **CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE AS OF**

**05/21/2015 \$ 3,900.10**



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**Saturday, July 18, 2015**  
**10:00 am**

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Save the date for a home dedication and key ceremony for this  
growing public/private partnership with the City of Santa Clarita.

21550 Centre Pointe Parkway  
Santa Clarita, CA 91350  
(refreshments & lunch provided)

For further information, please contact Stacey or Donielle  
(818) 884-8808 or Volunteer@HumanityCA.org

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# SCVQG Block of the Month

July - August 2015

Churn Dash

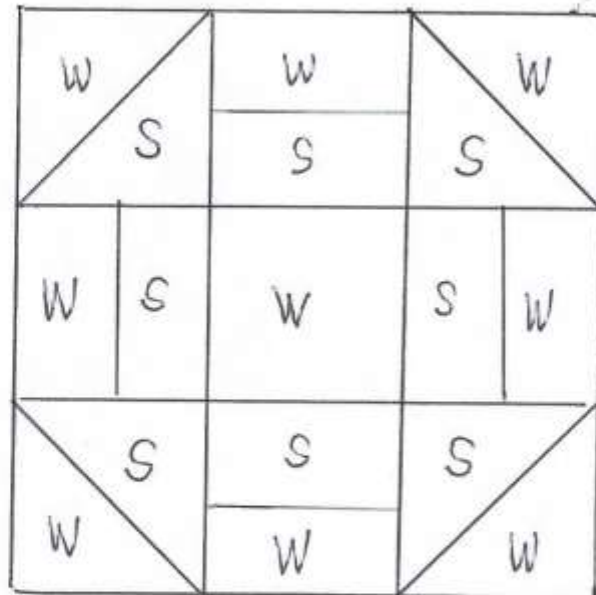
Technique-Pieced

Size- <sup>15</sup>12 1/2" x <sup>15</sup>12 1/2"

Fabric- Striped and white

Cutting- Striped	2	5 7/8" sq. cut on the diagonal	◻
	4	3" x 5 1/2"	
White	4	3" x 5 1/2"	
	2	5 7/8" sq. cut on the diagonal	◻
	1	5 1/2"	

Pieces-17



### Things to Remember:

- ❖ *Next meeting, July 9.*
- ❖ *Business meeting is July 16.*
- ❖ *Read about changes to Block of the Month Entry*
- ❖ *Initial sign-in sheet at the door*
- ❖ *Verify your contact information.*
- ❖ *Wear your name tag*
- ❖ *Show and Share quilts in July*

### This Month's Calendar:

July 9, 2015, 7:00 PM  
Monthly Meeting  
Santa Clarita United Methodist Church  
26640 Bouquet Canyon Road  
Saugus, CA.

July 16, 2015, 6:30 PM  
Business Meeting  
Newhall Library, Heritage Room



Check out our website:

[www.scvquiltguild.org](http://www.scvquiltguild.org)

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