



# Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild

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

## Come to Community Service

### President's Message

This year is just zooming by me. Do you feel the same? It was so fun to see the gals from Quilty Pleasures last month. Their patterns are so much fun!! We also had one of our Habitat for Humanity families stop by to pick their quilt.

A big thank you to Dana Montague for arranging a tour of The Painted Turtle Camp. It was wonderful to see the quilts made by our guild on the beds and walls of the camp. Your hard work makes a huge difference to the kids who attend the camp.

Debbie Williams will be helping us to sell raffle tickets at this year's Sheriff's Chili Cook Off at the Equestrian Center on Saturday, October 16<sup>th</sup> from 11 am to 4 pm. Please let her know if you can give her a hand. She needs at least 6 people to sign up to assist her. Any questions, call me.

Time to plan for 2016 already. Look inside for an article from the Nominating Committee regarding next year's board.

### President's Message (con't)

The Guild has started planning your Holiday Party. We will have a pot luck dinner, a gift exchange, (a wrapped gift valued at no more than \$15), and Mary from Pincushion Boutique in Davis, CA..

The Monday Mavens will be meeting at my home during October. If you can come to play on the first and third Mondays, please let me know. We start at 9am, break for lunch, then finish up by 3 pm. Please bring your sewing machine and basic sewing supplies with rotary cutters, and we will get to work on Turtle Camp or Habitat quilts.

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, October 15th**. 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.

## PROGRAMS

November 12<sup>th</sup> is the night to be here. Suzie Parron will present her slide show of the amazing Barn Quilts found across the mid west.

There is no workshop connected to this speaker



## BLOCK OF THE MONTH

We will be drawing a winner of the Crossroads blocks at the Oct. meeting. The winner gets 2 fat quarters and Community Service gets the blocks. We have been able to donate many quilts with the many blocks that have been made over the past few years. Please give it a try. Barbara Montejo

Barbara Montejo 661-670-0293.

## WAYS AND MEANS

It was another good month!! We brought in \$170 with our Halloween Baskets and our Asian basket! Drum Roll.....the winners were Linda Buesching and Helen Mertz won our Halloween baskets and Joan Bole won our Asian Basket. Our thank you gifts went to Delores Roux-Jones, Kathleen Dolan and Sheryl Zurek.

October...we will have **2 Civil War Baskets** and a **surprise basket**....but our Thank-you gifts you won't want to miss...we will have **2 Beehive Skinnys** that are to die for. Remember for every \$5 worth of tickets you buy for the baskets you get one ticket for the Thank-you gifts and they are super terrific as always!

Can't make the meeting? Purchase your tickets ahead of time...send me a check made out to the SCV Guild (24181 Matthew Place Newhall, CA 91321) and I will personally write your name on your tickets for the baskets of your choice and if it is \$5+ you will get a ticket(s) for the Thank-you gifts.

Don't Miss out!!

Also don't forget to volunteer to take over the Ways and Means January...I am here to help you with the transition if you want.

Thanks your Ways and Means Girls,  
Joyce Wilkinson,  
661-753-7865

Kathy Butler, Bunny House and Mary Beth

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

We have listened to our members about what they would like to do on our Community Service "Sew Nights", so here it is!!! We want to invite you all to please come and have fun with your fellow members. We have a ton of things we need help with, which includes:

**SEWING:** YES, we would love you to bring your machine! We have kits for making shawl tops and placemat tops for the Senior Center. We will also have backings, batting and strips that you can pick from to use for the placemats. We are working on making up kits for Turtle Camp take home quilts so hopefully we will have these ready by this time. We may have items that need binding, so if you like to do this, well, super! We should have items that also need labels on them (these can be sewn by either machine or hand). Remember to bring all your sewing supplies (extra sewing needles, scissors, thread, etc.).

**PRESSING:** YES, we will have ironing boards and irons to use to press your pieces. If you don't want to sew, you can certainly help out here. We love our "pressers"! Have a pressing mat and/or iron? Please bring so we can use it too (would be appreciated).

## COMMUNITY SERVICE (cont)

**CUTTING:** YES, we will be doing this too!! Bring your rotary cutters and mats. We desperately need 2 1/2" strips cut for placemats and for binding for Community Service quilts, placemats, Habitat, etc. We will provide the fabric. We do need a lot of cutters for this

It is our wish that there is a place for everyone this night to participate in Community Service.

How wonderful is our group and knowing that you are helping others is just the best feeling!!! Get excited because this will be such a great night! Thanks and remember to mark your calendar for this.

Have any questions or need anything from us (fabric for community service quilts/placemats/shawls), please contact either Dana Montague or me (Helena).

Dana Montague  
Helena Woodworth



## SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

Everyone needs a little Sunshine in their lives once in a while.

Please notify Patsy Heald or Millie Kerr if you know of someone (member or family) needing a ray of Sunshine sent their way.

Thanks. Patsy

\*\*\*\*\*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

## Nominating Committee

Yep, its that time again. If you would like to run for either President, Vice President, Secretary or Treasurer, please let me know by the October meeting as we will vote in November.

We also have non vote-able positions open for anyone interested. Just see me or call me.

Donna Chipperfield

## HOSPITALITY

"COMMUNITY SERVICE NIGHT"

N-Z FOOD  
A-M DRINKS

**SIDE NOTE:** WE ARE LOOKING FOR **DONATIONS**

FOR OUR DECEMBER HOLIDAY PARTY

CLEAR 16OZ SOLO CUPS  
WHITE OVAL DINNER SIZE PLATES (CHINET)  
WHITE *HEAVY DUTY* FORKS, SPOONS, KNIFES

"I KNOW WE ARE BEING VERY SPECIFIC, BUT THIS IS FOR A SPECIAL GATHERING."

THANK YOU



## Treasurer's Report

Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild

Treasurer's Report  
HFH Chase Account  
Sept 2015

Checking Account beginning Balance as of Aug 20, 2015 \$ 2,573.42

### EXPENSES

07/16 Ck # 1007	Quilting	\$ 260.00
07/16 Ck # 1008	Quilting	\$ 73.96
07/16 Ck # 1009	Quilting	\$ 178.00
08/20 Ck # 1010	Fabric & Notions	\$ 51.97
09/17 Ck # 1011	Notions	\$ 41.82

**TOTAL EXPENSES** \$ 605.75

**CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE AS OF 08/20/2015** \$ 1,967.67

Debbie Ackerman, Treasurer 09/17/2015

Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild

Treasurer's Report  
Sept 2015

Checking Account beginning Balance as of Aug 20, 2015 \$ 11,359.49

### INCOME- Deposits

09/14 Membership	\$ 80.00
09/14 Ways and Means	\$ 166.00
09/14 OpQuilt Ticket sales	\$ 70.00

Total Deposits \$ 316.00

**TOTAL BALANCE** \$ 11,675.49

### EXPENSES

08/20 Ck # 1277	Admin/mileage	\$ 34.50
08/20 Ck # 1278	Raffle Permit	\$ 20.00
08/20 Ck # 1279	Community Service(shipping)	\$ 15.02
09/17 Ck # 1280	Newsletters	\$ 31.35

**TOTAL EXPENSES** \$ 100.87

**CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE AS OF 08/20/2015** \$ 11,574.62

Certificate of Deposit Accounts as of 07/31/2015 \$ 7,708.64

**Total Balances** \$ 19,283.26

Debbie Ackerman, Treasurer 09/17/2015

## PROJECTS FOR HOME SHOW BOUTIQUE

Welcome to Fall. Time to get started on new projects. While you're looking for new ideas and patterns to try, how about something for our Home Show Boutique in April 2016?

If you love making small items, how about bags to go into purses, eyeglass cases, handy items to use every day?

Items that can be used in the kitchen or dining room are also popular and easy to create in a short amount of time.

Items for the home such as ornaments for every season are very popular now. Have you created a fall ornament for your home? Make an extra few for the boutique. If you prefer crafting or knitting, knitted or crocheted dish cloths are practical and a fun, easy project while tv watching. Also, ornaments can be created when wanting a break from that queen sized quilt.

Use your imagination or tried and true items and bring to the next guild meeting in October.

Remember the Home and Garden show is not just for quilters, although we love it too. Next year it will be held in Central Park and will be in tandem with Earth Day.

We will have some free patterns at the next meeting for you to pick up for inspiration. We'll also be asking quilters to share fabric if they'd like to thin their stash for a good cause.

Please let me know if you need additional information or if you and/or your mini group or friends are making goodies right now. We'll share with the guild in the next newsletter.

Remember this boutique is a way to show your community at large what quilters do and are all about.

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# SCVQG Block of the Month

Sept.- Oct. 2015

## Crossroads


Technique-Pieced


Size- 12 1/2" x 12 1/2"

Fabric- Children's fabric and cream

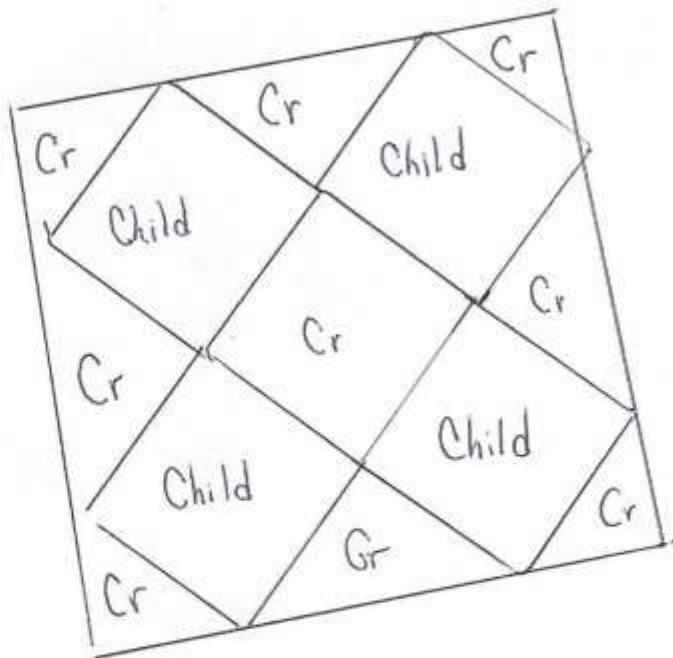
Cutting- Children's 4 4 3/4" sq.

Cream 1 4 3/4" sq.

2 3 7/8" sq. cut on the diagonal 

1 7 1/4" sq. cut 

Pieces-13



## Things to Remember:

- ❖ *Next meeting, October 8th.*
- ❖ *Business meeting is October 15.*
- ❖ *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 October**

## This Month's Calendar

October 8, 2015, 7:00 PM  
Monthly Meeting  
Santa Clarita United Methodist Church  
26640 Bouquet Canyon Road  
Saugus, CA.

October 15, 2015, 6:30 PM  
Business Meeting  
Newhall Library, Heritage Room

Oct. 8-10, 2015  
Quilt Craft and Sewing Festival  
Fairplex, Pomona, CA

Oct. 10, 2015  
Glendale Quilt show Bazaar  
First Congregational Church  
2001 Canada Blvd. Glendale



Check out our website:

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

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