



Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild

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

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I hope everyone liked Sharon Wilhites' presentation as much as I did. The committee person that we need is not the Hospitality, but the Sunshine Committee. The job entails sending get well cards, etc. that the members let you know need to be sent. EASY JOB. Let me know.

See you all there at the meeting on May 9th.

Donna Chipperfield

UFO Challenge

We now have 37 participating in the UFO Challenge as of our April meeting AND we have had FIFTY that is a big 50 of UFO's completed as of the April 11th meeting!

What an amazing group we as! Keep it up and for those who have not yet joined the challenge, it is not too late!

I cannot wait to see what comes in at the May meeting!

Eddie Moore

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

I was the winner of the March and April Block of the Month. Thank you to the members who made blocks.

The block for May and June is going to be a donation to community service so we can once again make blocks for veterans. Please participate. If you make a block you could win a fat quarter.

We will have the drawing at the June meeting. Any questions give me a call. Barbara Montejo

Block Auction Donations

The May meeting is your last chance to donate items for the June Block Auction. We already have a quilt, quilt tops, blocks, fabric and books. The more items we have the better the auction will be. Please clean out your sewing space- everything is appreciated.

Barbara Montejo 661-670-0293

PROGRAMS

Hello, quilters!

Gotta tell you all about Meet the Teachers in Carson. Just one word: WOW! So many teachers with their fantastic quilts and related fabric objects, pieced, appliquéd, painted, embellished. It's a wonderful event just to go and see even if you aren't a committee chair. We found 3 great speakers with super workshops for 2014.

For our May meeting we welcome Kathy Tanner and her trunk and "truck" show. Kathy is from Quilty Pleasures in Simi Valley, a "one-stop-shop for all your quilting and sewing needs." Besides fabric, they offer a wide variety of classes and activities "all set within a friendly, warm and loving environment. Stop by for coffee or tea and cookies with friends."

Here are some of their offerings: Open Sew every Wednesday (1-4pm), Girl's Nite Out on the third Friday of each month (5:30-9 pm, \$5 donation for The Samaritan Center), Applique Club, Prayers and Squares, Elm Creek Quilt Club, mini-groups, tote classes, Simi Valley Guild workshops, Block of the Month programs, Kid's Camp, free motion classes, beginner quilters. For more information, please visit their website: www.quiltypleasures.org.

PROGRAMS Continued

June is the Block Auction, so get 'em in! July is "How do you do that," and the response last month was great. Please volunteer your talent or your query of what you would like to see; either way is gold!

Check out our guild's website for more calendar information. Community Service days at Millie's gorgeous clubhouse (thank you, doll!) also include free sew with great quilting friends. Don't forget that we are adding Donna's workshop on Saturday, September 14.

Patsy & Gabrielle

HOSPITALITY NEWS

"Let's spring into fresh quilting ideas"
Please bring a snack or drink. Think fresh Spring Holidays fare!
Food: H - N Drinks: O - Z

As always, anything you may want to bring is gratefully appreciated.

The Hospitality Committee



COMMUNITY SERVICE

On April 26th, Community Service was able to make arrangements with Painted Turtle Camp to drop off the quilts, turtles, embroidered wall hanging (it took 2 years to finish and is incredible), and aprons that had been made for the young campers. (Yeah, we now have room in the storage unit for more finished quilts)

They were very grateful and on behalf of Community Service, we wish to thank all the members for their past participation. This is an on-going project that we have taken on, so let's get going for next year! Thanks again for everyone's help.

Kris Dolan, Eddie Moore, Millie Kerr, Lola Dyroy, and Carrie Gereb finished up 4 more emergency quilts. Nice job!!

CS also made a lap size quilt for Millie's senior daycare center for raising funds. A beautiful quilt for a great cause.

Millie's small clubhouse will be available for members to use on Saturday, May 11th. Free sewing (work on your own projects) and community service sewing will be happening that day. Come join the fun and fellowship with other quilters. Hope to see you all soon.

Dana Montague

Helena Woodworth

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THANK YOU

The Guild would like to thank Bill Gershon, Rita's husband, for paying for the printing of the Guild membership directories.

Scholarships

One of the perks of membership in the SCVQG is the opportunity to apply for up to a \$50 scholarship to take a Quilt class. After taking the class, and, fulfilling one of the options to return something to the guild, you will receive the scholarship money. For all the details please stop at the Scholarship table at the guild meeting and pick up an application

OPPORTUNITY QUILT 2014

We have collected 17 blocks so far for next year's OPPORTUNITY quilt. Here is your chance to make a block for what will be an absolutely beautiful quilt. You will be using your own batik fabrics and we have the white on white which is required to be used in the 12 1/2 x 12 1/2 block (the block is any design you choose--Lola has the fabric, if you need any or need more, please call 296-6790). We need your help! We originally were hoping to collect all the blocks by May but we are extending the deadline to June. YOU STILL HAVE TIME!! The committee is looking forward to collecting your blocks! Happy sewing.

OPPORTUNITY QUILT 2014 COMMITTEE

Donna Chipperfield

Dana Custer

Lola Dyroy

Patsy Heald

International Quilt Festival

International Quilt Festival/Long Beach, CA will be August 2nd-4th, 2013 with preview on the 1st, at the Long Beach Convention Center

Please announce at your meetings and/or put in your newsletter our show dates and that we are looking for workers to help hang the special exhibit quilts before Festival, guardians to watch over the quilts during Festival, doorpersons to take tickets, and workers to help with takedown of special exhibit quilts after the show is closed. These are paid positions (\$8 an hour). We also pay for parking (up to \$10) and you receive free entry for each day you work (a \$10 value). If your guild does not have an opportunity quilt, members can work to earn money for the guild and still receive free entry and parking. The money will be combined and one check will be written to the guild.

International Quilt Festival (Cont.)

Those interested, should send their address and phone numbers along with the show(s) you are interested in working. I will contact them for that show when the time comes. To put on a show this size we need your help. Any and all help is very much appreciated!

Thank you!

Terri Winsauer

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www.quilts.com/worktheshows/LongBeach
will be ready May 28th!

Find the latest information about our shows at www.quilts.com

Please note: I am working on several shows at this time. Please be sure to have IQF/Long Beach on the subject line.

We're Quilts!

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COUNCIL OF
QUILT GUILDS QUARTERLY MEETING

SC Council April meeting was a special "Meet the Teachers" event. These council meetings begin with the requisite reports and parliamentary voting. New and old business and board positions can be voted on as well. The business meeting is then adjourned and the program begins.

Meet the Teachers was well-planned and provided guild reps and interested members of each guild with a unique opportunity. They could actually meet and interact with prospective traditional and modern quilt teachers. Each teacher was given 3 minutes to present their "teaching product". Most teachers also had a table set up to display their various classes and sign contracts if offered by a guild.

It is so much easier to be able to hear and meet with teachers in the local and distant areas in one location. Sometimes we are not aware of teachers that are virtually in our back yard. This can also make learning new experiences fun while keeping the costs of the meeting speakers/workshops to a much more affordable level.

Participating in an event such as the Meet the Teachers also points to the importance of getting information from surveys and member input prior to attending. Our Program Chairs and guild leaders want to hear from you on speakers and those you'd like to see in a workshop as well as other ideas. So let them hear from you often; it need not be just an annual thing.

*****Mini Groups*****

Friday Friends ***

See Caryl Jo or Cherrie Maylis

Meets 2nd & 4th Fridays

7 p.m. Shadow Hills Presbyterian Church

10158 Johanna Ave. Sunland

S.E.W.U.P.'s

New meeting location to be announced.

Meets Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

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

The Tuesday Night Group ***

Carle Kouri 661-252-0741

21303 Soledad Canyon, Saugus

Greenbrier East Mobile Home Park

Recreation Center 5:45 p.m.

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



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SCVQG Block of the Month

May and June 2013

Boston Star

Technique-Pieced

Block Size-12 1/2' x 12 1/2'

Fabrics- white on white, red, and blue

Cutting- white on white 1 5 1/4" square cut on the diagonals ☒

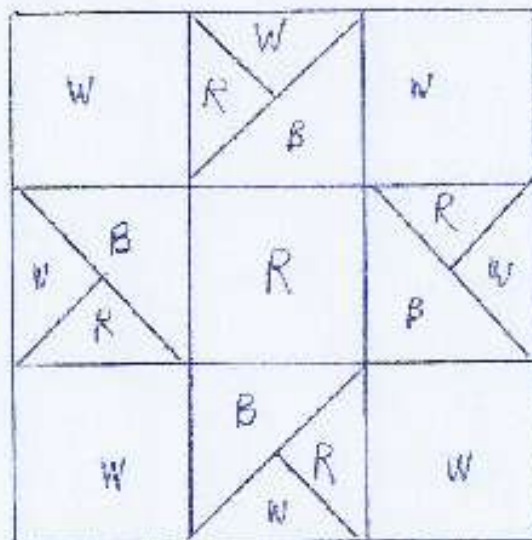
4 4 1/2" squares

Red 1 5 1/4" square cut on the diagonals ☒

1 4 1/2" square

Blue 2 4 7/8" squares cut on the diagonal ☒

Total pieces- 17



Things to Remember:

- ❖ *Read about changes to Block of the Month Entry*
- ❖ Initial sign-in sheet at the door
- ❖ Verify your contact information.
- ❖ Wear your name tag
- ❖ Food: H-N
- ❖ Drinks: O-Z
- ❖ Show and Share quilts

This Month's Calendar:

May 9, 2013, 7:00 PM
Santa Clarita United Methodist Church
26640 Bouquet Canyon Road
Saugus, Ca.
Kathy Tanner

Business Meeting: April 16, 2013
Newhall Library, Heritage Room



Check out our website:

www.scvquiltguild.org

WOW! See the newsletter online!

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