



Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild

"Promoting the art of quilting through sharing, friendship."

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As I was planning the agenda for our guild's August business meeting I stopped to think about how time has sort of gotten away from me. Yikes, my term as guild president is drawing to a close.

I will miss many of the things I have had the opportunity to do while president and frankly have to admit it has been a pretty easy assignment. I thank you for letting me serve.

In the last two weeks I have received a phone call and an e-mail from businesses that want to sign up for our quilt show. I have never been contacted so far in advance before so maybe this is a good sign for the economy and quilt shows in general.

Unfortunately I had to tell them "we weren't there yet". I explained that we haven't really started recruiting a quilt show committee, looked for a venue, and of course secure the all important head of the show committee.

I know last year's show location was a bit out of our valley, but it worked well and maybe we can do that again. If you have any suggestions for a show location, speak up. One of the first things the committee needs to know is where it will be held.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE Continued

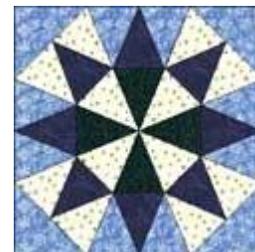
On the subject of locations we need, do you have access to a clubhouse, recreation room, or something similar where our guild can hold classes? This is something we need to secure for future planning.

One last thing, I would like to invite you to display a quilt at the Samuel Dixon Family Health Clinic in Newhall. Quilts that fit into fall color schemes, Thanksgiving, Winter, and other seasonal ideas will work best. You can call me at home to discuss the size and other display details. (661-251-2222)

They have enjoyed the quilts we have displayed in recent months and let us know how cheered the patients are by something warm and friendly on the walls.

We are truly a great group.

Susie Bakman



PROGRAMS

OCTOBER - SANDY TURNER will be our guest speaker. She is an award winning teacher with lots of information about enhancing our quilt borders.

Saturday, October 16th is Sandy's Workshop on Attic Windows. I hope you had a chance to see her samples!!! Wow!!! The workshop is 9am to 3pm at Millie's large clubhouse at the Parklane Mobile Home Park. The cost of the class is \$65.00 and as always includes a light breakfast, lunch and snacks.

You know you always have a great time at our workshops so please see Kristeen to sign up or call (661) 296-7573 or kldolan@att.net.

BIG NEWS...Sandy has agreed we can go up to 25 quilters and I already have 18 signed up...so get your reservation and fee in as quickly as possible. You can view Sandy's website at <http://www.sandyturner.com/>



NOVEMBER - COMMUNITY SERVICE

**DECEMBER - HOLIDAY PARTY WITH
PINCUSHION BOUTIQUE**

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Please be sure to sign in as you enter the meeting every month. This gives us an accurate account of members who attend and you a chance to get a ticket for the raffle at the end of the meeting.

Best regards,

Adva Price,
Membership Chairman 661-298-1385
adva_p@yahoo.com

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Just a reminder, bring in your completed placemats in October for distribution in November and December. Please help us to bring some cheer to the Seniors and shut-ins of the Santa Clarita Valley. The Senior Center distributes about 350+ meals per day to the shut-ins. So every placemat helps. We are also still working on the shawls for the Seniors in need - they need to keep warm and with the economy as it is - they can't afford large heating bills. The shawls we have been making are about 24 X 26" wide and 65-70 inches long. This is a local charity that we support.

We are looking forward to receiving the Homeless quilt tops that some of you so graciously offered to sew the patches on. Yvonne, and her group need to get these completed for the cold weather ahead. We would like to distribute these as well as the pillows in December as well.

Thanks to all of you that turned in "works in progress" our numbers continue to increase. We received an additional 3 senior shawls, 12 placemats and 3 lap quilts as well as 2 homeless tops at the last guild meeting. Stop by and pick up a project.

Helena Woodworth 661-257-2572
Dana Montague 661-295-0877

OPPORTUNITY QUILT TICKETS
"RED, HOT, AND STARRY"

If you have not picked up your tickets, paid for them, or turned the ticket stubs in, please bring to the October meeting.

There was no drawing in September because of the block auction. However, there will be twice as many drawings in October so twice as many winners! We will hold a drawing each month through November awarding prizes to three members who have sold their tickets and turned in their money. You need not be present to win as we will hold your prize for you.

Anne Watts

CHALLENGE QUILT

Quilts need to be brought to the November meeting (see original instructions for how to present). They will be voted on by those in attendance that evening.

There will be monetary awards for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.

Thank you,
Bonnie Weber



GUILD LIBRARY

Our librarian, Carmen Recinos, has received many new books and magazines from the results of Block Auction.

Come by at the next meeting and check out all the new subjects and ideas. It's a great way to learn more about quilting and quilting techniques. And no late fees to worry about.

BLOCK AUCTION

Thank you to everyone who donated, helped sort and run the auction as well as all those who bought from our cash and carry tables, silent auction and regular auction.

The guild made \$1,697.80 and a great time was had by all.

Barbara Montejo
Block Auction Chairperson

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

Carol Harrison was the winner of the Sept. block of the month blocks. Congratulations Carol.

The block for November is called Blue Chains and while it has 28 pieces it is really an easy block. Do give it a try.

I'm looking forward to seeing many, many, blocks at the October meeting. I gave out over 60 block kits at the September meeting so I'm hoping to see that many and more.

Barbara Montejo

NEWS

The Guild now rents a 10x10 storage locker at the same facility, Golden State on Soledad Canyon.

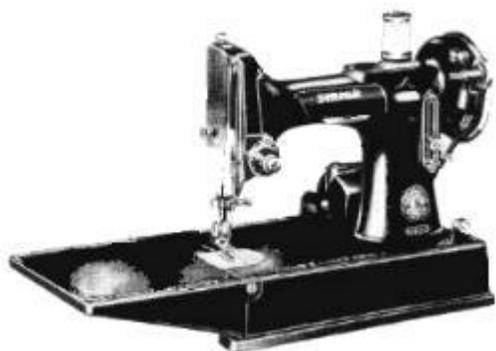
Last Sunday my family moved us into K-37. The code to the gate is the same and the key is the same. The management has given us a discount based on our good works and community service. \$100 per month is the lowest offer around. No other facility would extend this reasonable price to us.

The paid account will be prorated for the mid-contract switch. Boxes were moved into the locker according to their contents, i.e.: quilt show, community service, guild business. If anyone would like to re-arrange or even add an additional set of shelves, please feel free.

You are now able to move Guild property out of your garage and into the locker. I know your husbands and families will be as thrilled as mine.

If you need a key, contact Susie Bachman, Dana Montague, or Adva Price.

Kris Dolan



HOSPITALITY

Only a few more weeks until Halloween and I am looking longingly at the beautiful oranges, browns and blacks in my fabric stash and closet! Am I the only one who is drawn to certain colors depending on the season and weather? Perhaps I should be looking at the brighter colors to ward off the darkness that seems to be coming earlier and earlier.

What a fun auction that was! Thanks to the helpers who sorted all of that fabric into well thought out lots. I could hardly tear myself away from the cash and carry table and am kicking myself for the things that I didn't buy.

Thanks to Anne Watts, Adva Price, Eddie Moore, Karen Warloe, Helena Woodworth, Dana Montague, Connie Viner, Barbara Spencer, Carmen Recinos, Nancy Beck, Lois Stucker, Barbara Montejo and anyone else who brought food and missed the signup sheet. Big thanks to whoever donated the knives, forks, spoons and napkins to the Guild!

For the October meeting, let's "treat" ourselves to healthy foods inspired by the beginning of harvest time, before the big holidays "trick" us into overindulging in all their yummy goodies.

Foods Y-F Drinks G-J

Your Hospitality Committee,
Eddie Moore and Mary Beth Will

Farewell to Pat Garant, she will be missed.

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.

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NEWSLETTER HELPER(S) NEEDED

If you'd like to get involved in the Quilt Guild but might want to just get your feet wet, the Newsletter staff can use your help.

We need someone to take the completed newsletter to the local copy shop and print off copies, fold, staple, and label and add postage. Then those newsletters that are to be mailed just need to be dropped off at the post office. Fellow quilters are welcome to help as well.

If you would like to take an active role in the Guild but aren't sure what you'd like to do and this sounds like a great beginning, please let Stephanie Johnson or Kat Bellue know.

Stephanie Johnson 661-257-1349
Kat Bellue 661-753-3359

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

Do you enjoy your time with the Quilt Guild and wish you could do more? If the Holidays are your favorite time of year and you really get inspired to participate in fun activities with your fellow quilters, why not think about volunteering for the Quilt Guild Holiday Party in December!

We need volunteers to chair committees and be holiday helpers as well. The December Meeting is our Holiday Party and the tables are decorated festively, there are great prizes and just great fun.

Volunteers can coordinate the potluck for side dishes to go with the Guild-provided main dish. They can also help in decorations and setup and take down. There are other ways to participate as well and it's a great way to get to know your fellow quilters.

This is a great opportunity to participate in an annual fun activity with the Guild and a great way to meet other members of YOUR Guild. Please let Kat Bellue know either in person at the next meeting or via email at catball6@yahoo.com or by phone at 661-753-3359 how you would like to help out.



UPCOMING QUILT SHOWS & EVENTS

America, My Home

Honoring Service Personnel

Rancho Santa Susana Community Center

October 2nd & 3rd

Saturday 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Sunday 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Simi Valley Quilt Guild

Info: Kathi (805) 492-1589

www.simivalleyquiltguild.org

A Quilter's Palette

The Ritz Gardens - Whittier

October 8th & 9th

Friday 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM

Saturday 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Los Angeles County Quilters Guild

Info: Linda Duncan (310) 604-0725

Outdoor Quilt Show

12th Annual Old Town Temecula

Saturday, October 2, 2010

10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Valley of the Mist Quilt Guild

Info: www.valleyofthemistquilters.com

Email: votmq@yahoo.com 951-506-5100

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Info: Linda Duncan 310-604-0725

Linda Williams 562-426-2418



*****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

A Quality II 255-1870

25864 McBean Parkway, Valencia

Meets Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

Sisters in Stitches

Lavonne Davidson 251-9795

Meets every other Wednesday 10

a.m.

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

SPECIAL NOTE:

If anyone is interested in starting a new mini group, please send an email message or speak to Kat Bellue at the next Guild meeting. She will get the information in the next newsletter. Be sure to include days of the week, frequency of meetings, and times as well as space availability or restrictions.

Kat Bellue

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Things to Remember:

- ❖ Bring Block of the Month Entry
- ❖ Initial sign-in sheet at the door
- ❖ Wear your name tag
- ❖ Food Y to F, Drinks G to J
- ❖ Show and Share quilts

This Month's Calendar:

October 14, 2010 7:00 PM
Sandy Turner, Guest Speaker
Santa Clarita United Methodist Church
26640 Bouquet Canyon Road
Saugus, Ca
October 21, 2010 - Business Meeting
6:30 PM
Greenhouse Cafe

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Check out our website:

www.scvquiltguild.org

WOW! See the newsletter online!