

Patchwork Post

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Speakers & Workshops at a Glance:

Helene Knott

Lecture/Meeting: September 8, 2014

Workshop: Tuesday 9/9/2014

Bonnie Hunter

Lecture/Meeting: October 13, 2014

Workshops: Sun, Mon, Tues.
10/12-14/2014

Julia Zgliniec

Lecture/Meeting: November 10, 2014

Workshop: Saturday 11/15/2014

Patricia Pepe

Lecture/Meeting: January 12, 2015

Workshop: Tuesday 1/13/2015

Jan Krentz

Lecture/Meeting: February 9, 2015

Workshop: Saturday 2/7/2015

Sally Collins

Lecture/Meeting: March 9, 2015

Workshop: Saturday & Sunday 2/7-8/2015

Lenore Crawford

Lecture/Meeting: May 11, 2015

Workshop: Sun. & Mon. 5/10-11/2015

Meetings

Potluck Board Meeting

Monday, November 3rd, 6:00pm at
Charleen Renne's home.

Guild Meeting:

2nd Monday of the month

(Sept—June) 7 PM, Garden Road
Elementary School

President's Message

Dear Quilters,

A few things struck me as I walked through North County Fair Mall this afternoon. Santa Claus has already arrived, holiday decorations are abundant and the music is seasonal. This left me feeling a bit behind as I am still looking forward to Thanksgiving, pumpkins, turkeys, etc. Guess it is time to get my mind right. I will however not share with you how many shopping days to Christmas!

This past month has been an active one for Friendship Guild. 24 of us spent the Halloween weekend on retreat in Temecula. A fine time was had by all. Some kept two machines going, some worked on multiple projects and others worked hard at completing their project. A highlight was the pincushion Chicken party favors made for everyone by Lou Pennock, our retreat master! It was her job to keep "order", make sure we made it to meals and found our rooms. This is a tall order and she did a great job. Just to share, the food was wonderful. We might have had a short uphill walk to the cafeteria but we "rolled" downhill to the classroom.

Our meeting in October featured quilt appraiser and teacher, Julia Zgliniec. Her knowledge of antique quilts was very interesting. In the workshop she had us produce a quilt with modern fabrics using timeless design concepts. You may look forward to a very nice show and sharing from this class.

The December meeting is the Annual Christmas Potluck. Come prepared to share a dish and enjoy one another's company. You can bring table settings to decorate a table, or you are invited to sit at the Presidents Table and meet new members. There will also be craft tables where members will bring items to sell. If you are interested in being a vendor, call Cheryl Wilson to sign up. Tables must be reserved in advance and are \$10.

Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas,

Suzy

Craft Tables

If you have anything you'd like to sell at our December meeting, you can rent a table for \$10. The table size is half of a folding table. It's a great time to earn some extra shopping cash, and a great place for others to start their holiday shopping. Please contact Cheryl Wilson if you're interested in renting a table. Tables must be reserved in advance.

Holiday Potluck

Our December guild meeting will feature many delicious dishes, made by YOU! Please see below for suggestions on what to bring. You're also welcome to bring place settings and décor to spice up the place!

- A thru C - Side Dish
- D thru J - Main Dish
- K thru M - Appetizer
- N thru R - Salad
- S thru Z - Dessert

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Opportunity of the Month	Ed and Leah Estrin
Sharing/Picture taking	Clara Silvey
Mini Groups	Karen McCarty
New Member Hostess	Nicole Clear
Loot Locker	Nicole Clear
Door Prizes	Mary Olson and Karen Dean

Library News

Thank you for Shopping In The Dark at our \$1.00 sale...it really was dark! We earned \$50 towards new books which we will buy during December. PLEASE let us know if you have some ideas about which books we should add to the library. Call or e-mail Yvonne or Holly - just give us the names of any books you have wanted to see in our collection.

There will be no library table at the December meeting - however - we will be happy to bring any reserved books! Just e-mail or call us with your titles - there is NO limit to the number of books you can check out. We will be available to collect any books you wish to return.

We added three new books to the library last month:

PERFECT QUILTS FOR PRECUT FABRICS Each of these 64 specially selected designs is ideal for precuts. Brilliantly organized by the cut of fabric, these projects offer plenty of appeal for both traditional and modern quilters

QUILTING THE CLASSICS Twenty influential quilters from across the stylistic spectrum—including Jacquie Gering, Darlene Zimmerman, Allison Aller, and Victoria Findlay Wolfe—present their unique creative vision of timeless designs. Each pattern, from bear paw to flying geese to log cabin, comes with step-by-step instructions for two adaptations, one traditional, the other modern.

NEW WAYS WITH JELLY ROLLS The 12 stunning quilt designs are all accompanied by easy to follow step-by-step instructions which will you to get the quilts to come together very quickly for fast results.

We also added the following donated books to our library:

BIG ONE-STAR QUILTS BY MAGIC - Nancy Srebro

BLOCK MAGIC - Nancy Srebro

ENCYCLOPEDIA OF CLASSIC QUILT PATTERNS

FABULOUS QUILTS FROM FAVORITE PATTERNS

FAST FUSIBLE FLOWER QUILTS - Nancy Mahoney

FAT QUARTER FUN - Karen Snyder

FAT QUARTER QUILTING - Sue Penn

LOOKING TO THE STARS - Rhoda Bennett

PATCHWORK QUILTS MADE EASY - Jean Wells

QUICK METHOD LIBERTY QUILTS

QUILT ALONG WITH EMILIE RICHARDS: WEDDING RING

QUILTS IN THE TRADITION OF FRANK LLOYD WRIGHT - Jackie Robinson

SMALL QUILTS, BIG EVENTS - Julia LaBauve

SUSANNA CULP 1848 - Brenda Papadakis

TRIED & TRUE - Barbara Brandeburg

See you at the Library Table!

Holly & Yvonne



Philanthropy

We had another amazing month for placemats. At the last meeting we had 37 more Christmas placemats turned in, which makes our total so far 193. In addition to that, several placemats kits were checked out with promises to finish and return them before Thanksgiving. We will meet the 200 placemat goal that we set for Meals-on-Wheels this year. That is absolutely wonderful. Thanks to you, Friendship Quilters!! Job well done.

We have several quilt kits out and three finished quilts ready to be delivered to Project Linus. Ruth, a friend and I met recently to create some more quilt kits. Some are for quilt top construction only. The first Saturday in December will be our monthly Cutting Party from 10:00 to 12:00 at Charleen's house, 14336 Trailwind Road, Poway. We will be cutting placemat kits for 2015. We only have about five kits left! It's great to see our huge stash of fabric flying out of the bins and becoming placemats and quilts. Thanks to everyone for getting involved in our philanthropy projects.

Charleen & Ruth

Opportunity of the Month

Thank you to the members who participated and purchased raffle tickets at the last meeting. We hope that you all like the items we are putting in the prize packages. Let us know if there is something you would like to see.

Remember, if you have items you purchased and changed your mind about doing, we are happy to take them and put in the opportunity of the month prize package. This helps the guild with fund raising.

Until our next meeting,

Ed and Leah Estrin



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Budget

Cheryl

Friendship Quilters of San Diego Balance Sheet As of May 31, 2015

	<u>May 31, 15</u>
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Checking Friendship QOSD	17,698.48
Friendship Quilters of San Diego	20,926.23
Total Checking/Savings	<u>38,624.71</u>
Other Current Assets	
Prepaid Expense	1,277.75
Total Other Current Assets	<u>1,277.75</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>39,902.46</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>38,802.48</u></u>
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	27,118.76
Retained Earnings	4,374.39
Net Income	7,309.31
Total Equity	<u>38,802.46</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	<u><u>38,802.48</u></u>

December Birthdays!

<u>BIRTHDAY</u>	<u>FIRST NAME</u>	<u>LAST NAME</u>
1-Dec	PEARL	AIELLO
7-Dec	ADRIANNE	FLAHERTY
8-Dec	FRAN	LEWIS
8-Dec	ELAINE	SWATNIKI
13-Dec	CATHERINE	WILSON
14-Dec	CINDY	CROWELL
16-Dec	JEAN	SCOFIELD
19-Dec	ALICE	KOENITZER
23-Dec	JO	LINDSTROM
23-Dec	CAROL	GILBERT
27-Dec	DIANNE D	HOUSER
31-Dec	MARY	ROZENDAL

Membership

We had three guests at our November meeting, and one new member Welcome **Annette Cummings**. We currently have 193 members.

Membership Cards available for pickup at the Membership table:

Remember to bring your boxtops, wear your nametag and sign-in at the membership table.

Michele & Grace

Membership Chairs

Un-Finished Object Challenge

Nanu nanu Fellow Friendship Quilters

We have Forty-four members signed up for this years UFO Challenge. Thirty-two projects have been completed so far. Wow!!!

It is not to late to join in the fun. Join now and get busy. It is great to get those projects done. Forms and Rules are on our web site.

Emily Gail Wyett



Door Prize Winners - November

Three Holiday Patterns won by **Kathy Mount**

Embroidery Pattern and Floss Package won by **Barb M**

Kansas City Star Pattern Set won by **Ed Estrin**

Fat Quarter Bundle won by **Mary Casner**

Fabric Bundle with Pattern won by **Liz Schmidt**

Fabric Bundle with Pattern won by **Beverly R**

Around the Block Pattern won by **Cheri Schenck**

Three Tumbleberries Patterns won by **Sue Albright**

Green Fabric Yardage w/thread won by **Pauline Romanowski**

Pin Fabric Yardage won by **Mary Rozendal**

Winter Warmers Book won by **Grace Steinway**

Flash of Gold Fat Quarter Bundle won by **Charleen Renne**

Quilts of Valor

"Quilts of Valor was created by founder Catherine Roberts to ease the wounded spirit from the ravages of war. The quilts are an expression of love and comfort to help heal. Please check the Block of the Month table so you can make a patriotic block that will be part of a completed Quilt of Valor. Or, come join us at Bits and Pieces any Tuesday from 10:00 to 4:00. Questions about quilt size, design, etc., please contact Sandra McCullough at sandra@quiltsvalorisdnc.org"

Block of the Month Program

First I want to thank everyone who has participated in Block of the Month. The large majority of those blocks were spot-on for size. Thank you for paying careful attention to seam allowances.

Colleen Craven quilted the September Quilts of Valor blocks and that quilt is ready for presentation. We have several talented long-armers in our guild; and I hope some of you will be willing to share your expertise as we make these Quilts of Valor for our Veterans and Service Members. If you can help, please contact me.

October's Amish blocks were won by Ruth O'Neil. We look forward to seeing what she creates from her windfall. I have completed the QoV top.

Remember that November's blocks are to be returned in JANUARY. Send your blocks with a friend if you are unable to attend. You can't win if you don't return your blocks.

Kay Lettington

Small Groups

If you had an interest in joining one of our great small groups, but didn't get the chance to sign up at our November meeting, you don't have to wait until next month. Just give a shout to Karen McCarty at karenmccarty3@gmail.com. She'll see that your information gets to to proper group.

Thanks, *Karen*

Programs

Programs has some great news: **Collette McManus** has volunteered as program's chair for 2015-16. We have an exciting line-up of speakers for that year already but we have some amazing ladies still to come this year: Patricia Pepe, Jan Krentz, Sally Collins and Lenore Crawford. Be sure to sign-up soon as space is very limited. In a couple of those classes we are limiting them to 20 people due to space constraints at Paradise Sewing.

Wasn't Julia Zgliniec wonderful? She was so knowledgeable about antique quilts and was so much fun to get to know at dinner. Please feel free to come to Dinner with the Speaker each month when we meet at The Brigantine at 4:45 on meeting day, and eat on the patio. Thanks to all of you who are taking advantage of the classes and are so supportive of the guild. I can't believe I was a closet quilter for so many years before I was invited to come to a guild meeting. We have something special at Friendship Quilters, and that would be YOU!

Elaine Swatniki

Cookie Corner

With the holidays upon us, thought I'd share one of my favorites to bake at this time of year.

Gloria Mauno, newsletter editor

Lemon Dream Bars (from Pillsbury)

MAKES 1 and 1/2 dozen bars.

Ingredients

- 1/3 c. Butter
- 1 c. Pillsbury Best All-Purpose Flour*
- 2 Tbsp. Sugar
- 2 x Large eggs, beaten
- 1/2 c. Firmly packed brown sugar
- 3/4 c. Coconut, minced
- 1/2 c. Funsten's Nuts, minced (*I use walnuts*)
- 1/4 tsp Salt
- 1/8 tsp Double-acting baking powder
- 1/2 tsp French's Vanilla
- 2 tsp Grated lemon rind
- 2 Tbsp. Lemon juice
- 1 c. Sifted confectioners' sugar

Directions

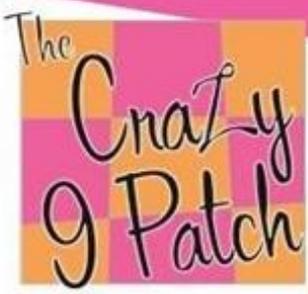
1. BAKE at 350 degrees for 15 to 20 min, then for 25 to 30 min.
2. Cut butter into flour and 2 Tbsp. sugar till mix resembles coarse crumbs. Press mix firmly into ungreased 11x7, 9x9 or possibly 8x8 inch pan. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) 15 to 20 min till set but not brown.

Combine in mixing bowl, the Large eggs, brown sugar, coconut, nuts, salt, baking powder, and vanilla. Spread over partially-baked dough.

Bake at 350 degrees for 25 to 30 min. Frost immediately. Cook 15 min; cut into bars.

Lemon Frosting: Combine lemon rind, lemon juice and confectioners' sugar. Mix till smooth. *For use with Pillsbury's Best Self-Rising Flour, omit baking powder and salt.

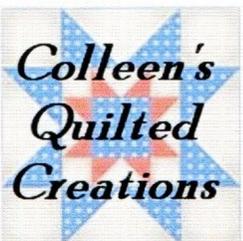




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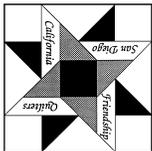
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Next General Meeting

December 8, 2014

- Name Tag
- Your Mug
- Library Books
- Items for Sharing
- Potluck Item to Share

Doors Open for Setup 6:00pm

Tables Ready 6:30pm

Meeting Begins 7:00pm

Please help put chairs away after the meeting

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