

# Patchwork Post

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## Speakers & Workshops at a Glance:

### Karen Brow

Lecture/Meeting: September 14, 2015

Workshop: Saturday 9/19/2015

### Catherine Wilson

Lecture/Meeting: October 12, 2015

Workshops: Sunday 10/18/2015

### Catherine Redford

Lecture/Meeting: November 9, 2015

Workshop: Mon, Tues & Wed.  
 11/9-11/2015

### Pam Buda

Lecture/Meeting: January 11, 2016

Workshop: Tuesday 1/12/2016

### David Taylor

Lecture/Meeting: February 8, 2016

Workshop: Sun & Mon 2/7-8/2016

### Norma Whaley

Lecture/Meeting: March 14, 2016

Workshop: Tuesday 3/15/2016

### Mary Lou Weidman

Lecture/Meeting: May 9, 2016

Workshop: Sun. & Mon. 5/8-9/2016

## President's Message

Hi Quilters,

The news this month is all about “reflection.” It is hard to believe that in a flash the two years of my term of being your President is coming to a close. I have so enjoyed serving as your leader and working with such a talented group of quilters and will continue serving on the Board and supporting the Guild however is needed. I am confidently leaving the Guild in good hands to Charleen Renne.

This June our calendar year comes to an end and we celebrate 10 months of wonderful quilt gatherings filled with sharing, learning, and supporting one another in our quilting quest. The June meeting/gathering is our Annual Potluck where we celebrate all the achievements of the past year, thank the outgoing Board and welcome the incoming Board. Candy and Colleen, our UFO Chairs, have gathered prizes all year for the UFO Challenge participants, Michelle and Grace will be taking sign ups for membership for next year, and Carol and Elaine will be taking sign ups for the wonderful array of Workshops available for the upcoming year.

The 4th of July Quilt Show is our Guild's Summer Activity. Margaret Bryne will be taking Show Quilts at the June Meeting. Please sign up to help before, during and after the Show. Old Poway Park puts on a truly old fashioned 4th of July celebration so be sure to attend.

I need to say a word about Programs Chair for 2017-18. This is a super large Board position we have not filled. Programs Chair selects speakers and workshops for that year and hosts the speakers for the meeting and workshops. This is a great way to be in the front row for meeting some of our very talented nationally known quilt teachers. SO...please consider taking this position. Some of the contracts for that year are already in place and Carol Kaplan Programs 2016-17, will be a great help.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the June Potluck.

Again I have so enjoyed serving as your President,

Suzy

Bring your favorite dish to share as we celebrate our season's end at our June meeting. Here are some suggestions of what to bring, if your last name begins with:

A thru F - Side Dish/Salad

G thru L - Main Dish

M thru R - Appetizer

S thru Z - Dessert

Drinks will be provided by our Refreshments team.

You may also bring a tablecloth, decorations, and/or setting if you'd like to make your meal special and festive!

# June Potluck!

## Meetings

### Board Meeting

Monday, June 6th, 6:00 pm at

Shelly Gragg's home.

### Guild Meeting:

2nd Monday of the month

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

## 2015/2016 Board

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Special Projects	Candy Mittag Colleen McCune
Opportunity of the Month	Ed and Leah Estrin
Sharing/Picture taking	Clara Silvey
Mini Groups	Karen McCarty
Banner	Marilyn Garner

## Membership

We had 43 members in attendance at our April Philanthropy meeting, and have 161 members.

We will begin accepting renewal and new applications for membership beginning at our May meeting. Membership dues are \$35, please bring exact cash or a check.

Thanks! Michele and Grace

## Library News

Please be sure that you return all of your outstanding Library Books at the June meeting.

We will not have the library table at that meeting but we will be sitting there to collect the returning books.

It is that time of the year when we must contemplate the annual LIBRARY INVENTORY!!

We are required to conduct this inventory every summer to ensure that we are still in possession of all of the guild books. We also eliminate the books which have not been checked out in over two years...those books will either be archived, or offered for sale at our September Book Sale (Shop In The Dark!).

We have placed our last book order for this guild year and will be getting the following books over the next couple of months. If you are interested in reserving one of these books - or any other book - for the September meeting, just call or e-mail one of us.

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QUILT BLOCK COOKBOOK

QUILTED MEMORIES (Mary Lou Weidman)

SCRAP BASKET STRIPS & SQUARES

SIMPLE CHRISTMAS TIDINGS (Kim Diehl)

See You at the Library Table,

Yvonne Gagne

Marilyn Kirschen

Holly Torrez

## New-Officer Nominating Committee

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A big "Thank You" to Suzy and to everyone who volunteered to serve as officers for the upcoming year or two years. We are still looking for additional help with Programs, but the Opportunity of the Month and Hospitality slots have been filled with members who volunteered at our May meeting. Sue Busch will be the Opportunity of the month "Guru", and Ann Morgart has generously agreed to be the Hospitality Chairperson. That, together with the excellent workshops and speakers that Carol has lined up for us, means that next year promises to be one of our best ever.

Charleen Renne

## Philanthropy

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Thanks to everyone for all of your support to Philanthropy during the past three years. We have had a great time cutting, sewing, quilting, and donating many quilts and placemats. Ruth and Karla will do a wonderful job now for Philanthropy and the Guild. It's been fun!!

At May's meeting we had 39 placemats turned in, 13 quilts finished and ready for donating, and 1 finished quilt top turned in. Wow! Yea for you, Quilters!! There were 9 quilt top kits, 6 quilts ready for quilting, and 10 placemat kits checked out. Yea again!

And as of now we have at least 70 placemat kits ready for sewing and 15 quilt kits ready for action. Thank YOU!

It makes you proud to say you are a Friendship Quilter, doesn't it?

Charleen and Ruth

## Opportunity of the Month

Thank you to all of the members and guest who participated in our drawing. We only raised \$70 but lots of nice people to talk to and smiles to be had.

Mondays winners were:

Karla Seyb Stockton

Michael Dwyer

Sue Busch (with a C)

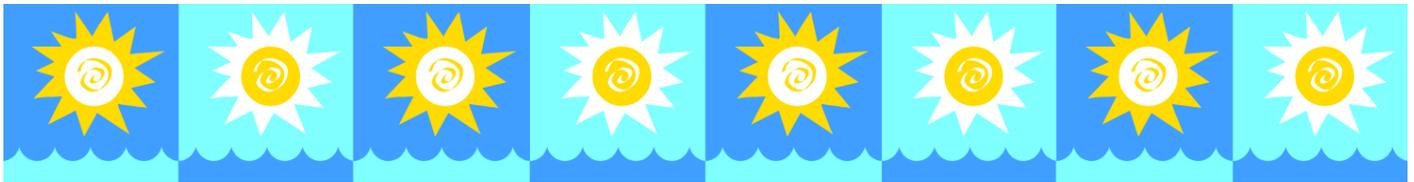
Congratulations to our winners.

Leah and I will be out of town for our next meeting. We will be a Clown Camp Reunion in LaCrosse, WI.

Thank you for two years of fun and fund raising. Sue Busch will be the next chairperson for Opportunity of the Month. Please support her as you have supported us for the last two years.

We will see all of you at the first meeting of next year.

Ed and Leah Estrin



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## 4th of July Quilt Show

Hello Quilters!

As I mentioned last night, the Friendship Quilters 4th of July Quilt Show is fast approaching. The community enjoys it and it is an opportunity for us to showcase our quilts.

For those of you who have never put a quilt in a show – now is the time! For the rest of us – pull out one of your completed quilts from this year (perhaps a UFO??) or years past – the people of Poway are waiting to see it.

The Quilt Show is part of the Poway 4th of July celebration at Old Poway Park (14134 Midland Road, Poway) and we will be set up in Templars Hall. We need volunteers for the set up on July 3 at 5:00 pm (takes about 1 ½ hours), white glove service at the show (July 4 10:00 AM – 4:00PM) and take down at 4:00 PM after the show on the 4th. Shelly Gragg repaired all the quilt stands which will make the whole process much easier than last year (**thank you Shelly!**)

We are in the process of obtaining an Opportunity Quilt for raffle and will need volunteers to sell tickets. Visitors will vote on the quilts so we will be giving out ballots and tallying them too.

We usually have about 50 quilts which makes for a spectacular show. Your quilts can be of any theme or size and with a sleeve or without. There will be a special patriotic quilt category in honor of the holiday. Prizes will be awarded!

Your quilts may be dropped off at the June guild meeting and I will take good care of them. Or, I will come to you and pick them up closer to the 4th. Easy! If you are not able to pick your quilt up on the 4th, I will hold it for you and/or deliver it back to you.

Last year we had a wonderful group of volunteers and a beautiful array of quilts. I have no doubt we will do it again.

Please let me know if you are able to help in anyway and whether you will have a quilt for the show.

1. Volunteers are needed for set up on July 3 at 5:00 PM
2. Volunteers are needed from 10 AM – 4:00 PM on July 4th. Please specify the time you are available.
3. Volunteers are needed for take down at 4:00 PM on July 4th.
4. Attached is an informational form for your quilts. From this I will make a display card for each quilt.

I look forward to hearing from you. Please contact me with any questions.

Margaret Byrne

Cell 619-985-3375

## June Birthdays!

Jun 07	MICHELE	CASSIDY
Jun 08	BARBARA	TRITCHLER
Jun 08	JOAN	WARCZAKOWSKI
Jun 09	LIZ	SCHMIDT
Jun 10	JACKIE	KOENIG
Jun 11	MARY	OLSON
Jun 11	COLLETTE	MC MANUS
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Jun 26	LINDA	BROWN
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Jul 03	JO ANN	ROUBINEK
Jul 03	NANCY	AMIDON
Jul 07	CORKY	KUHLMAN
Jul 08	PAM	SCHMIDT
Jul 10	MARGARET	BYRNE
Jul 12	ANNETTE	CUMMINGS
Jul 14	PATRICIA	FULLER
Jul 14	MARILYN	GARNER
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## Opportunity of the Month Corner

Summer is here and it is time to spend some time in the sewing room. Before you start sewing, maybe it is time to go through your “stuff” (tools, patterns, fabrics, etc.) and see what you no longer need to keep. How about that pattern you made and have no intentions of using again, or that ruler you bought and found you already had it in your collection of rulers? I would like to be your conduit to pass those special items on to a lucky Opportunity of the Month raffle winner. Your help is greatly needed in order to make that raffle all the more fun to win. Of course, it also helps the guild to raise money each month. You can contact me for pick up, or bring it to the guild meeting in September. Please continue to donate when you can as the donations are always welcome any time of the year.

Thanks for your help with this program.

Susan Busch 858



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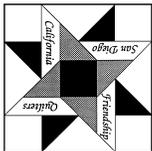
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Next General Meeting

**June 13, 2016**

- Name Tag
- Your Mug
- Library Books
- Items for Sharing
- [Birthday Door Prizes](#)
- Pot Luck Dish

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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