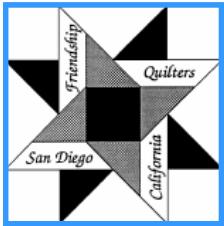


June 2008



Patchwork Post

Friendship Quilters of San Diego

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President's Message June Meeting and Potluck

I have had a great time bringing you the guild programs, speakers, and workshops this year. Thank you to each of you for your support in attending workshops, helping with meeting set-up, holding the quilts for the speakers, and your much appreciated feedback to me. Special thanks to Kathy Kudrawec for her assistance all year with workshop sign-ups and program coordination. I couldn't have done it without you, Kathy.

Our June meeting will be held at Pomerado Elementary School and we will enjoy our "end of the year" Potluck. The President's Challenge quilts will be displayed and you will have an opportunity to vote for your favorite. This meeting will be a time to socialize before we take a couple of months off during the summer.

Remember to renew your membership in June and receive your membership card. Our "Living Treasures" must also renew simply by filling out the membership form to receive their membership card. Some quilt shops give discounts for guild members so

be sure to ask at the shops when you make your purchases.

Also, we will have a "guild appreciation night" at Quilter's Paradise in Escondido on July 14 (6pm-9pm) and your membership card is required that night. Think about bringing a friend to our guild meetings or pass the word about our guild to other quilters you meet who might like to join. Everyone is welcomed!

The Programs starting in September that have been set up by our new Programs VP, LeeMary Heath, are very exciting. Select two or three workshops that inspire you and get signed up early so you're not shut-out.

Special thanks to Debbie Keener for her help, coordination and leadership as our President. I am looking forward to picking up where Debbie left off and serving as your new President. See you soon.

Susan Axelrod - President



A - I = appetizer or salad

J - R = main dish

S - Z = dessert

Water, soda, hot tea and coffee will be provided. Thanks and I'll see you in June.

Lou Pennock

**The June 9th Guild meeting and Potluck will be held at
Pomerado Elementary School, 12321 Ninth Street, Poway.
See the back of this newsletter for directions.**

Retreats

Our next retreat is Nov. 7-9, 2008 in Temecula. I will be taking sign-ups at the June meeting. There are only 26 spots so if you want to go I recommend you come early with a \$25.00 deposit and get signed up.

Now for the bad news: The price for a triple room is \$185.00 and that is only for the person who sleeps on the roll-away bed. The other two people in the room still have to pay the full price of \$195.00. Evidently we never should have been charged the \$130.00 price. The price of a private room is still \$265.00.

Also, I have been telling everyone that we will get two

meals on Friday as compensation for changing the dates of our retreat but that is also incorrect. Dinner only will be provided that day. Evidently, the retreat center has been losing a lot of money recently because their new retreat coordinator is inexperienced and doesn't realize that there has to be at least as much money coming in as going out. This all came as a big surprise to me this morning as I talked to Pat Garcia (the long time retreat coordinator). I hope this doesn't prevent anyone from coming to the retreat. Hope to see you early at the June meeting.

Lou Pennock

July 4th Quilt Show at Old Poway Park

Hi Ladies,

It is almost summer!

For the June meeting Lee Olson is picking up quilts for the 4th of July Quilt show. If your quilt is not ready to hang in the quilt show, you can contact me after June 17th at 858-592-8828. You can drop off your quilt at my address: 10914 Poblado Road Apt. 2112. You can also drop off your quilt July 3rd at Poway Old Park.

Please fill out the form, so we know the title of your quilt.

Thank you

Sincerely Mary Tabar



Friendship Quilters 4th of July Quilt Show

Quilt Name _____

Pieced by _____

Quilted by _____

Telephone number _____

Due to space constraints, some quilts may not be displayed.

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

Store News

To all of you who have donated to the store this year and also all of you wonderful shoppers, THANK YOU. We did pretty well each meeting raising money for our guild. We look forward to serving you next year. (Reminder) no store in June, but will be accepting donations. See you at the pot luck. Thanks again to everyone.

Julie and Ruth

Door Prize Winners

1. Quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, fabric samples from Michael Miller, and quilt pattern from Country Threads, won by Deanna Padilla.
2. Pin-cushion kit from A Quilter's Dream, quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, and fabric samples from Michael Miller, won by Brenda Colia.
3. Quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, & fabric length from Michael Miller, won by Caryl Wilson.
4. Fabric length from Michael Miller, patterns from P & B Textiles, won by Cheryl Dumas.
5. Fabric length from Michael Miller, quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, won by Linda Rathburn.
6. Calendar book from Piecemakers Designs, fabric length from Michael Miller, won by Susan Rolfsen.
7. Card and envelope, won by Jan La Grone.
8. Perpetual calendar planner from Piecemakers Designs, & fabric samples from Michael Miller, won by Linda McCague.
9. Quilt pattern from Country Threads & 4 spools of thread from Coats & Clark, won by Diana Lott.
10. Scrapbooking book from Amidon Quiltworks, won by Beverly Fraser.
11. Xmas quilt book from Quilt in a Day, won by Deb Tait.
12. \$15 gift certificate from Material Possessions, won by Carol Geising.
13. \$15 gift certificate from Material Possessions, won by Cheryl Wilson.
14. Pin cushion kit, pattern, & quilting notions Rosie's Calico Cupboard, won by Valerie Gall.
15. Receiving blanket, won by Lois Sonntag.

Opportunity of the Month

I don't have a receipt, but I believe we raised about \$28 for the guild this month.

The winners were:

Notecards and notepad: Bev Fraser

Charm squares: Carolyn Wright

Quilting patterns book: Dee McClelland

I don't believe I'll be doing a drawing in June, so I'd like to take this "Opportunity" to thank everybody who bought a ticket this guild-year, to congratulate the winners, and say "Let's do it again next year".

Julie and Ruth

Tips and Tricks

Spring is almost over, and we're heading toward summer. Things are heating up. Here are a few tips for staying cool, calm, and collected while you quilt over the summer months.

Before you sit down to quilt, if you don't have air conditioning (I don't), make sure you set your machine up in an area where you have a cool, cross breeze. I open the front door and the back sliding door and sit at the kitchen table where the air blows right through, plus there's a ceiling fan there, also.

Wear cool, comfortable clothes that allow you to move freely, maybe even wrap a sarong around you, kick your shoes off, and get your hair up off the nape of your neck.

Keep hydrated: just as you would when you work out, you should have a bottle of cold water alongside you so you can take a sip every so often. Don't drink soda, it will actually make you thirstier. Remember, too, that often when we think we're hungry, we're actually thirsty.

Here's my last tip, if you're not going to have a get away vacation this year – buy yourself one of those relaxation CD's with the sound of ocean waves in the background. If you stop and close your eyes every so often between quilt blocks, you can imagine you're quilting by the sea in a beach bungalow, the waves crashing on the shore just outside your window. Well, it's worth a try.

Happy quilting. Deanna Padilla

Summer Birthdays (awesome!)

FRANCINE NADEY	June 5	KAREN CRAFTS	July 10
DAWNELL MUECKE	June 6	JANICE JEPSEN-NUTE	July 14
NANCY PECHERSKY	June 6	SUSAN MUGG	July 14
LEE MOSTELLER	June 6	ELIZABETH BROOKINS	July 15
DEBORAH BOYD	June 6	PAT KIKENDALL	July 18
JOAN WARCZAKOWSKI	June 8	JERALYN DUNN	July 20
CANDICE DALTON	June 9	SUSANNA BALL	July 21
JACKIE KOENIG	June 10	DEBBIE TAIT	July 23
JUDY BYRNE	June 14	JULIE MOYA	July 24
KAREN MCCARTY	June 14	MARY SCHROEPFER	July 30
BETTY ALOFS	June 14	CHRISTI GULLEDGE	August 2
FRANCESCA WILLIAMS	June 15	SHELLY GRAGG	August 2
PEGGY QUISENG	June 15	YVONNE GAGNE	August 4
SUSIE JOHNSON	June 17	KAY LETTINGTON	August 4
REGGIE GROSS	June 21	SANDRA MCCULLOUGH	August 5
MARTHA BERNTSEN	June 21	MYRL BIVENS	August 13
MICHAEL AIELLO	June 26	ANITA ZUBLIN	August 17
JAN LA GRONE	July 1	SHIRLEY VIGIL	August 20
CORKY KUHLMAN	July 7	MIRIAM MACHELL	August 21
PAULA SHULTS	July 9	MARY ROUNTREE	August 30



Quilt Auction Coming October 11, 2008

The quilt auction will be held October 11, 2008 at the Poway Community Center Auditorium on Civic Center Drive. Preview will begin at 10 AM, the auction starting at 11 AM expecting to be out of there by 2PM. Our auctioneer will be Mike Rupley from Central Sewing.

To date I have a small committee helping, but in the next couple of months I will be needing volunteers for things like actual set up and break down of the auction, cashiering, and quilt modeling during the auction.

To date we have 7 completed quilts, 1 completed wall hanging, 1 holiday pillow and 1 table runner. In addition we have 13 completed quilts pledged. I have received 17 quilt tops to be quilted – many that need backing fabric (seven have been taken by volunteers to be quilted leaving 10 plus an additional 8 quilt tops that will need finishing when those who have pledged them get them to me. Then of course there is binding and labeling that needs to be done. Right now if we can complete what is pledged we will have 48 quilts/wall hangings. I would like to see at least 60 to make this auction a real success.

Now that you know what work we have cut out for us, you can expect a phone call in the near future asking for your help with completing these quilts. If your time is not available, we are always in need of donations of fabric to back and bind some of these quilt tops. Thank you for all you do!!

Candice Dalton

Events Calendar

Jun 6-Jul 27: "Material Guys", Visions Art Quilt Gallery, 2825 Dewey Rd, Suite 100. Art quilts by Bob Adams and Tim Harding and mixed media construction by John Garrett. Free. Tues-Sun 10-4. 619-546-4872. www.quiltvisions.org

Jun 7-8: FantaSea of Quilts Quilt Show, Beach Cities Quilt Guild , Soka University Gymnasium 1 University Drive, Aliso Viejo, CA 92656 General Admission \$8.00. Saturday 1:00PM. www.beachcitiesquilters.org

Jun 14-July 6: San Diego County Fair "Summer of Sports", Del Mar Fairground (closed Mondays). www.sdfair.com.

Jul 25-27: DEBUT International Quilt Festival/Long Beach, Classes begin July 24, tours offered July 23. www.quilts.com.

Aug 2-3: "Quilt Daze VII" (Quilt Show), Yorba Linda Community Center, 4501 Casa Loma, Yorba Linda, CA 92886 (Imperial Hwy. & Casa Loma) Honoring Southern California Quilt Guides. Admission \$7.00 10-4 Saturday & Sunday. For more information contact Franki Solesbee 714 528-5151 or e-mail JoAnn Ardanaz. Email Contact: ylquiltdaze@aol.com

Aug 9-Oct 5: "Figuratively Speaking", Visions Art Quilt Gallery, 2825 Dewey Rd, Suite 100. An invitational exhibition of quilt artists using the human body as their inspiration. Free. Tues-Sun 10-4. 619-546-4872. www.quiltvisions.org

Aug 28-30: 27th Annual San Diego Quilt Show. San Diego Convention Center, 111 W. Harbor Drive, Hall F. Guest Artist - Mickey Lawler. Website: www.sandiegoquiltshow.com.

Listen to : "Quilting with Rosie Radio" Wednesday's from 11 am to 12 noon Pacific time. The show airs weekly. Speak with Rosie live on the air! Call toll-free 877-474-3302.

Treasurers Report submitted by Cheryl Wilson

Friendship Quilters of San Diego Balance Sheet As of May 14, 2008

		<u>May 14, 08</u>
ASSETS		
Current Assets		
Checking/Savings		
Checking Friendship QOSD	9,490.52	
Friendship Quilters of San Dieg	14,438.17	
Total Checking/Savings	<u>23,928.69</u>	
Other Current Assets		
Prepaid Expense	600.00	
Total Other Current Assets	<u>600.00</u>	
Total Current Assets	<u>24,528.69</u>	
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>24,528.69</u></u>	
LIABILITIES & EQUITY		
Equity		
Opening Bal Equity	27,118.76	
Retained Earnings	-1,761.41	
Net Income	-828.66	
Total Equity	<u>24,528.69</u>	
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	<u><u>24,528.69</u></u>	

Quilt Donations from Arizona Quilt Guilds

A guest from Arizona Quilt Guilds, Donna Oldenburg visited our guild this month to present 30 quilts of various shapes, sizes and themes, donated from Arizona Quilt Guilds to benefit San Diego County residents whose homes were destroyed in the October 2007 wildfires.

We are in awe of their generosity and grateful for it! Several quilts are already earmarked by guild members for people in our community. If you know of someone who lost their home due to the October wildfires and would like to present them with one or more of these quilts, please contact Debbie Keener at 619-561-9243 or keener80@cox.net.

2008-2009 Workshops

Workshops are filling up. Only \$10.00 to hold your spot. Sign up early. Guests are welcome for workshop fee plus \$5.00. For information regarding speakers or workshops, please contact: Lee-Mary Heath, 760-440-9238, heathshlm@cox.net.

Block of the Month

We've had such a good time doing Block of the Month this year, and would really like to encourage everyone to keep it going next year. Diana Lott is going to be running it next year, and she's going to have a sign-up sheet at the June meeting for those of you who didn't get the chance to prepare blocks this year. It really is fun to participate in, so please -- let's fill up that sheet!

Here's what you get to do when you do sign up: You get to pick out which block you would like the group to do, and the fabric it will be made out of. You will cut 40 blocks from the fabric that you've chosen and will put it, along with the directions and drawing name tag, in baggies that are provided for you. Each person will get two blocks for \$2.00 (so there will be 20 sets that are sold). They will bring them back finished the next month, and you will get 20 back while the other 20 will be given to one of the participants after their name is drawn. Wha-la! Instant quilt for both of you! What a great deal! It really is fun and the members really enjoy it! So hurry over to the Block of the Month table at the June meeting and get your name on the list before there aren't any spaces left! We're looking forward to seeing you then.

Kim Szewczynski and Dawnell Muecke

Swan Song

I plan to enjoy my retirement from public life, but I'll still have my hand in things a bit. I'm looking forward to helping out with the Auction and plan to continue in my role as Newsletter Editor. And I look forward to seeing all of you at the meetings and such.

Remember that we'll be doing Viewers' Choice for the President's Challenge quilts at the June meeting. Please call me at 619-561-9243 or send an email to keener80@cox.net to coordinate drop off / pick up of your quilt before the June meeting.

Also remember that the June board meeting is a potluck and that both the outgoing and incoming board should attend. This is an opportunity for outgoing board members to transition any supplies / documentation and for incoming board members to ask any questions they might have about their new role.

Thank you members for your support over the past year. It has been my pleasure to serve as your interim President in Loretta Harry's absence.

Debbie Keener

Friendship Quilters Guild of San Diego is a non profit corporation organized to educate the community and to promote interest in all forms of quilting. General Guild meetings are usually held the second Monday of the month, at Valley Elementary School, Poway, CA.

Annual membership is \$25 from June 1 to May 31 of the following year. At the January meeting, membership dues are reduced to \$15 for the remainder of the fiscal year. Members who are not able to attend meetings or enjoy other benefits of regular membership may pay \$10 per year for a "Newsletter-only" membership and pay the guest fee of \$5 per meeting on the occasions when they are able to attend a meeting.

More information is available on the website at www.friendshipquilterssd.org.

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*** Board Meeting

This month's board meeting is Monday, June 2nd @ 7:00 PM at the home of Mary Casner. This meeting is for both the incoming and outgoing officers and committee chairs. The meeting is a potluck. Please bring a dish to share with friends. Please contact Susan at sewsalot@aol.com to discuss a topic at the meeting.

The budget published herein was approved by members of the Friendship
Quilters of San Diego at the May 12, 2008 general meeting

Friendship Quilters of San Diego Profit & Loss Budget Overview

June 2008 through May 2009

04/11/08

Accrual Basis

04/11/08

Accrual Basis

	TOTAL	TOTAL
	Jun '08 - May 09	Jun '08 - May 09
Ordinary Income/Expense		
Income		
Advertisement, Income	400.00	
Block of The Month, Income	300.00	
Membership Dues	3,900.00	
Miscellaneous Income		
Dec Mtg Craft Table	30.00	
Opportunity Quilt	600.00	
Total Miscellaneous Income	630.00	
Opportunity, Income	200.00	
President's Challenge Income	40.00	
Programs, Income		
Workshop Attendees	5,225.00	
Total Programs, Income	5,225.00	
Ways and Means, Auction, Income	5,000.00	
Ways and Means, Store, Income	400.00	
Total Income	16,095.00	
Expense		
Administration		
Equipment	50.00	
Internet Services	130.00	
Office Supplies	55.00	
Postage	55.00	
Printing	55.00	
Total Administration	345.00	
Block of The Month, Expense	50.00	
Door Prizes, Expense		
Office Supplies	50.00	
Postage	41.00	
Door Prizes, Expense - Other	75.00	
Total Door Prizes, Expense	166.00	
Insurance		
Fidelity Bond	100.00	
Floater Insurance	120.00	
Liability Insurance	980.00	
Total Insurance	1,200.00	
Library Expense	450.00	
Membership, Expense		
Directory Printing	65.00	
Misc. printing costs	50.00	
New Member Expenses	100.00	
		Net Income
		-1,496.00
		Net Ordinary Income
		-1,846.00
		Other Income/Expense
		Other Income
		Interest Income
		350.00
		Total Other Income
		350.00
		Net Other Income
		350.00
		Membership, Expense - Other
		265.00
		Newsletter
		Postage and Delivery
		500.00
		Printing and Copying
		1,500.00
		Total Newsletter
		2,000.00
		Opportunity, Expense
		Opportunity Quilt Expense
		300.00
		Total Opportunity, Expense
		300.00
		Philanthropy Expenses
		50.00
		President's Challenge Expenses
		100.00
		Programs Expense
		Administration
		115.00
		Hospitality and Travel Costs
		3,750.00
		Speaker Fee
		2,750.00
		Speaker Workshop and Fees
		5,650.00
		Total Programs Expense
		12,265.00
		Quilt Show Events
		50.00
		Refreshments, Expense
		100.00
		Ways and Means, Auction, Expenses
		500.00
		Ways and Means, Store, Expense
		100.00
		Total Expense
		17,941.00
		Net Ordinary Income
		-1,846.00
		Other Income/Expense
		Other Income
		Interest Income
		350.00
		Total Other Income
		350.00
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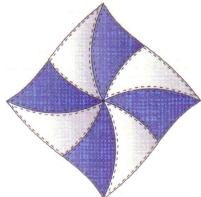
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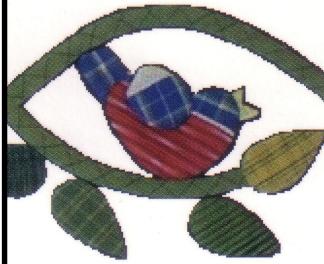


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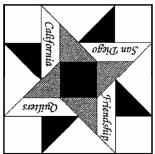


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Jun 2008

Next General Meeting

June 9, 2008



- Name Tag
- Refreshments to Share
- Your Mug
- Library Books
- Donations for the Guild Store
- Items for Sharing

Doors Open for Setup 6:00pm

Tables Ready 6:30pm

Meeting Begins 7:00pm

Please help put chairs away after the meeting

Friendship Quilters of San Diego
will meet at
Pomerado Elementary School
in June

12321 Ninth St.
Poway, CA 92064
(858) 748-1220

Pomerado Elementary School is located
North of Poway Road on the corner of
Pomerado Road and Ninth St. Parking
and the meeting room are on Ninth St.

