

Patchwork Post

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September Guild Presentation

Meet Shelley Swanland!

In December of 1999 her first book, "Machine Stitched Cathedral Windows" was published, followed in October of 2001, with "Machine Stitched Cathedral Stars". She was a guest on *Simply Quilts* with Alex Anderson and partnered with RJR Fashion Fabrics, making quilts that appeared in *The Quilter*, *Quiltmaker*, *McCall's Quilting* and *Quilter's World*. This fun, easy



project features three-dimensional flying geese with rolled edges. You should be quilting your three-block, bordered table runner by the time you go home. You can choose between 2 different patterns.

Date: Tuesday, 9/15/09

Time: 10—4 pm

Location: Amidon Quiltworks, Poway

Cost: \$35 member/
\$40 non-member

Kit: \$14

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President's Challenge

This year's President's Challenge is sure to be fun for all. We had tons of fun with our "Name That Tune" challenge and 19 quilts were displayed at our June meeting – great participation! If you missed it, you can view

those quilts on our website. At the September 14th guild meeting, I will present the rules for the 2010 Challenge. Don't be left out - are you ready to join the fun?

Meetings:

- **Board Meeting:** Tues. 9/8/09, 6:30 PM, home of Roberta Russell
- **Guild Meeting:** Mon. 9/14/09, 7 PM, Garden Road (please note the new location)

President's Message

Hope you accomplished some fun things over the summer. I'll be sharing my Alaska trip and cruise with everyone for quite some time – absolutely fantastic! With the summer over, we're back to our routine of family activities, school, and don't forget guild! We want to see your smiling faces at our September 14th meeting at Garden Road Elementary School. We are all "re-charged" for a new guild year full of great programs, workshops, fun and fellowship. Be sure to bring your sharing so we can see what you've accomplished during your summer break.

This year we are hoping to boost our

membership up to 200 members. Renew now and bring a friend – the more the merrier. This is the perfect venue to share your ideas, get opinions, and laugh it up with a great group of quilting buddies. Living Treasures (75+ years young) still need to submit the membership renewal form, but will have their membership dues waived. Come and enjoy all the benefits of guild membership.

Do you have a goal for the year? I know, it's not January, but you can think of your goals in a different context – by guild year. Check out the speakers coming to our guild. Perhaps there is a technique you've

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President's Message (continued)

always wanted to know? This could be your opportunity to accomplish that goal. Three years ago, one of my friends put appliqué on her goal list for that year. She wanted to learn, practice, and become proficient at appliqué. Once this goal was set, she jumped right in! I don't think she has stopped and now she's hooked on appliqué. What about you? Check out the guild workshops being offered this year to learn something new while spending time with guild friends. If you don't know anyone in the guild, no problem; just attend a meeting or workshop and you're sure to meet some new quilting friends. See you at the meeting!

Susan Axelrod, President

Philanthropy

Hope Campbell and JoNell D'Addario with help from Mary Tabar, are now your philanthropy chairs. We will try to do as great a job as Jean and Lee did. Although, it'll take us a bit of time to get up to speed, so your patience will be appreciated.

During the 4th of July Poway celebration, quilts were displayed and then some were donated to organizations. The beautiful Rooster quilt, along with 5 additional quilts, were donated to Children's Hospital. Another fabulous quilt from Linda Card, depicting Route 66, went to the Veterans.

Over the summer Anita Zublin completed 5 tops. Elaine Bierman machine quilted and bound one quilt. And a group of 9 members came to Hope's home to cut up fabric for placemats, wheelchair bags, and quilt tops. These will be ready to check out to you beginning in the September meeting.

Thank you for your contributions. Hope Campbell 858-487-5651 JoNell D'Addario

Have you renewed your membership yet?

Don't let the Quilt Police catch you without your Guild registration card.



Retreats

We still have eight spots open for the Sept. 25-27th retreat in Temecula. The cost is \$200.00 for a shared room and \$270.00 for a private room. Total payment is due at the Sept. 14th meeting. If you have never been on one of the retreats it's a great way to get to know other guild members. We always have a lot of fun and the food is good too. So grab a friend or come alone and get set for a great weekend. If you don't have someone to room with, don't worry, you can get hooked up with someone when you're there. Call me if you are interested: home 858-486-3282, cell 858-722-3018.

For all of you who are already signed up and given a deposit, the balance is due at the Sept. meeting. Thanks.

Lou Pennock

4th of July at Poway Park

Beautiful quilts once again filled Templar Hall in Poway Park for the annual 4th of July Quilt Show. Local quilters as well as international quilt show competitors shared their passion for quilting by entering 30 quilts in the show.



In the Viewers Choice category, Terry Seaburg's "Baltimore Beauty" won first place.

Mary Tabar's "Yesterday" quilt won 2nd place Viewer's Choice.

The Most Whimsical quilt was Janice Rudgers' Chicken's With An Attitude". Janice donated that quilt to Children's Hospital

Most Patriotic quilt was awarded to Linda Kamm's quilt "Long May They Wave...Jack McKenzie Sr.". This quilt was named in honor of Linda's Father-In-Law.

The 4th of July Raffle quilt, a Lone Star pieced by Peggy Martin and quilted by Jennifer Nunez was won by Miss Teen Poway Natassia Grzeskiewicz. The raffle quilt brought \$514 to the guild.

Refreshments

I hope you all had a relaxing summer and are now in the mood to start baking goodies to share.

I'm looking forward to another great year of interesting speakers and potlucks. See you soon.

Thanks. Lou Pennock



2010 Opportunity Quilt



FQSD's 2009/2010 Opportunity Quilt, Baltimore Elegance, has made the rounds from the 4th of July Poway Quilt Show to the International Quilt Festival -Long Beach. The winner of this stunning quilt will be drawn at the FQSD June 14th meeting. Proceeds to date are \$474. Get your tickets at the guild meeting.

Program Schedule 2009-2010

October 2009 is Barbara Dieges Blended Triangles. Workshop is Tuesday 10/13/09 10 a.m.—4 p.m. at Quilter's Paradise in Escondido. \$30 members/ \$35 non-members. Pattern \$5.

November 2009 - Cathy Hoover with Wild and Crazy Curves. Workshop is Sunday 11/08/09 10—4 at Quilter's Paradise in Escondido. Cost is \$40 members / \$45 non-members

January 2010—Arlene Stamper Thyme to Water Block Exchange. Workshop is Saturday 1/16/10 10-4 pm at Quilter's Paradise in Escondido. Cost is \$30 members/ \$35 non-member. Kit: \$20

February 2010 is Susan Prioleau with Exploring New Color Pairings. Workshop is Saturday 2//13/10 10—4 pm at Quilter's Paradise in Escondido. Cost is \$30 members / \$35 non-members (includes a \$10 fabric kit)

March 2010 is Melinda Bula with Fabulous Fusible Flowers. Workshop is Sunday 3/7/10 10—4 pm at Quilter's Paradise in Escondido. Cost is \$40 member / \$45 non-member. Kit: \$12.00 required.

April 2010 is Rami Kim The 5th Dimension. Workshop is Tuesday 4/13/10 10—4 pm at Quilter's Paradise in Escondido. \$40 members/\$45 non-members.

May 2010 is Marilyn Fromherz Creating a One of a Kind Art Vest. Workshop is Tuesday 5/11/10 10-4pm at Quilter's Paradise in Escondido. Cost is \$25 members/ \$30 non-members.

Have you heard the news???

Mary Tabar's Yesterday quilt and Peggy Martin's Eye of the Storm quilt have both been selected as finalists at the 2009 International Quilt Festival / Houston Show—A World of Beauty.

Congrats to both of them.



Getting to Know You (submitted by Deanna Padilla)

I defy you to spend more than five minutes in Kathi Doleshal's company without breaking into a smile or laughing out loud; her sense of humor and sociable personality will have you opening up to the lighter side of life. No wonder that many of her quilts are imbued with this same quality.



Kathi's first quilt, created about eighteen years ago, was made from scrap squares of terrycloth, double-knit, cotton, and who knows what else, I was scared to ask. "None of the corners matched," laughed. *Why am I not surprised.* But she says it is still a treasured quilt, loved by generations of family dogs, oh, and even the cat!

Thankfully, Kathi took some quilting classes after that little treasure, first with Peggy Martin, who introduced her to the idea of joining the Friendship Quilt Guild, and more recently with Mary Tabar & workshops at Amidon Quiltworks. Kathi found she knew many women from the guild, and made more friends, including Reggie Gross. She and Reggie partnered to run the fabric store for the guild, and had so

much fun that they signed up for a second term.

Kathi's quilting skills have certainly improved over the past two decades, as I'm sure you can attest to if you've seen her quilts. The first quilt she entered in the 4th of July quilt show in Poway, titled 'Broken Back Mountain', won the 'whimsical' category. No surprise there. Encouraged, she entered the next year and won in the same category again!

Kathi has some interesting hobbies besides quilting. She collects miniature doll-house furniture, and is proficient at making the furniture & accessories herself. She explained, enthusiastically, that she designs the furniture so that the drawers and doors actually open and close. "A toothpaste cap", she added, "can become a waste paper basket, or turned up the other way, a lamp shade."

She also collects 70's fabrics – including polyester, double-knits, and cottons. Some are fabrics left over from when she used to make clothing for her son. Gosh, I had no idea anyone collected 70's fabrics. And if you think I'm going to own up to having a *clue* as to what 70's fabric looks like, think again.

Membership -

only about 105 guild members have renewed their membership. Don't forget to sign up at the next guild meeting.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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Date: _____ Application Year: 2009/2010

Name (please print): _____ New / Renew (please circle)

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Living Treasure: 75 or older yes (Membership form required, fee waived)

Newsletter – Please circle one (default is for Online copy): **Online / Mailed**

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Bring completed form and dues to next meeting or mail to:

Friendship Quilters, PO Box 1174, Poway, CA 92074-1174

Calendar of Events

VISIONS ART QUILT GALLERY CLASSES AND LECTURES

“Painting and Composition” with Emily Richardson, 9/25, 10-4

Emily Richardson Exhibition Artist’s tour, 9/25, 1-2:30

“Layer by Layer” with Australian Art Quilter Gloria Loughman, 10/5, 9-3:30

For more class information and supply lists see www.quiltvisions.org and click on News/Events/ Classes

Sep 5 - 6: Busy Bears Quilt Guild of Big Bear Lake Mountain Treasures XXI 2009 Quilt Show; Weekend; Big Bear Middle School 41275 Big Bear Blvd., Big Bear Lake, Ca. 92315 Sat. 10-5 Sun. 10-4 Admission - \$5.00 Children under 12 Free Boutique, Exhibit Quilts, Vendors, Wearable Art, Door Prizes For More Information call: Sharon 909 844-4545 or Bonnie 909 866-3906 Email Contact: bbcquilter@yahoo.com

Sep 17 - 19: San Diego Quilt Show – San Diego Convention Center. www.sandiegoquiltshow.com.

October 16-17: Ramona Quilt Show – It’s hard to believe that we have been doing this for ten years. Like they say, time flies when you’re having fun. The Back Country Quilters do enjoy putting on their yearly show, and each year trying to make it a little better than the year before. If you haven’t been to one of our shows in recent years, you are in for a pleasant surprise. This is really a “cool” Quilt Show. This is a SAVE THE DATE notice. It will be October 16 and 17, from 10:00 to 4:00 at the Mountain View Community Church located at 1191 Meadowlark Way in Ramona. It’s FREE.

Check next month’s Patchwork Post for the exciting details.

September Birthdays

BIRTHDAY	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME
9-Sep	DEBBY	SHARP
9-Sep	JACQUELINE	PARADA
11-Sep	BUCK	POLK
15-Sep	RUTH	DICKERHOFF
15-Sep	RICKIE	WHYTE
16-Sep	KAREN	CONTINE
17-Sep	WENDY	WALLEN
17-Sep	DEBORAH	LANCASTER
18-Sep	LINDA	CARD
18-Sep	CAROL	GIESING
19-Sep	NADINE	ENSEY
20-Sep	GERI	BENSON
20-Sep	ELLEN	REMPLE
20-Sep	JULIE	PYKA
22-Sep	LINDA	WILCOX
23-Sep	DEB	DONOVAN
24-Sep	LOIS	SONNTAG
25-Sep	HELENE FRIEDRICK	
25-Sep	HOPE	CAMPBELL
26-Sep	ELLYN	PYKA
28-Sep	JERRE	MAYER
29-Sep	PEGGY C	ASTOR

Treasurer’s Report

(submitted 8/18/09 by Cheryl Wilson)

Friendship Quilters of San Diego Balance Sheet As of May 31, 2010

	<u>May 31, 10</u>
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Checking Friendship QOSD	12,475.98
Friendship Quilters of San Diego	20,143.70
Total Checking/Savings	32,619.68
Other Current Assets	
Prepaid Expense	835.00
Total Other Current Assets	835.00
Total Current Assets	<u>33,454.68</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>33,454.68</u></u>
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	27,118.76
Retained Earnings	2,031.87
Net Income	4,304.05
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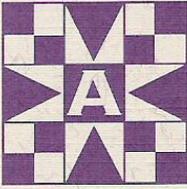


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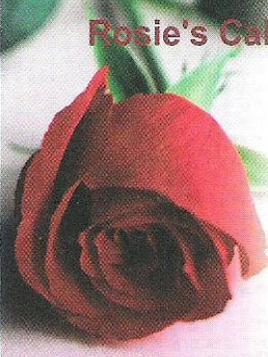
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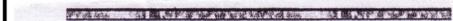
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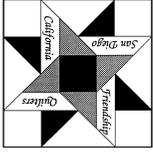
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Next General Meeting

September 14, 2009

- Name Tag
- Refreshments to Share
- Your Mug
- Library Books / Birthday Book Donations
- Donations for the Guild Store (on hold for now)
- 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 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 held the second Monday of the month. Please check each month's newsletter for up-to-date location information.

Annual membership is \$25 from June 1 through May 31 of the following year. At the January meeting, membership dues are reduced to \$15 for the remainder of our fiscal year. Members who are unable to attend the meetings or enjoy the 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 our website at www.friendshipquilterssd.org.

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