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Speakers & Workshops at a Glance:

Norah McMeeking

Lecture/Meeting: September 12, 2011

Workshop: Tuesday 9/13/2011

Mary Sue Suit

Lecture/Meeting: October 10, 2011

Workshop: Sunday 10/9/2011

Sheila Groman

Lecture/Meeting: November 14, 2011

Workshop: Tuesday 11/15/2011

Karla Alexander

Lecture/Meeting: January 9, 2012

Workshop: Sunday 1/8/12

Marti Michell

Lecture/Meeting: February 13, 2012

Workshop: Sunday 2/12/2012

Maggie Ball

Lecture/Meeting: March 12, 2012

Workshop: Sunday 3/11/2012

Brenda Henning

Lecture/Meeting: April 9, 2012

Workshop: Tuesday 4/10/2012

Betty Alofs

Lecture/Meeting: May 14, 2012

Workshop: Tuesday 5/15/2012

President's Message

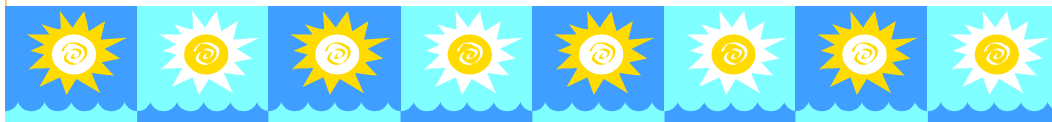
Hello All

Ah... I am sitting on my porch typing this in the sunshine. It feels great as we have just had a very rainy weekend! There is not much news this month – the guild is humming along at its normal easy pace. Everyone is so good at what they do for us that it seems business just takes care of itself.

We do have a great speaker planned for April – Brenda Hennings. I have never tried a “quilt-as-you-go” project. Maybe it is something you would like to experience as well. See the note elsewhere in the newsletter and if you are interested in taking Brenda’s workshop let Valerie know.

Next month we will have the proposed slate of officers and the proposed budget in the newsletter, preparing for votes at our May meeting. It was great to be able to announce that we had a volunteer to become president next year – Thank you Becky Moore! We do still need a group (or individual) to coordinate the Fourth of July show – it is an easy project. We always have a good turn out for that show and we already have a quilt for the raffle - it would be a shame to miss out on participating.

See you all at the meeting! Mary



Meetings

Board Meeting

Monday, April 2nd,

6:30pm at Cheryl

Wilson's home.

Everyone is

WELCOME!

Guild Meeting : 2nd

Monday of the month

(Sept—June) 7 PM,

Garden Road

Elementary School

Membership

Guest fees will be waived for this month's meeting – bring friends for free and pass the word. We have had over 50 new members join the guild this year and many returning members who have been away for quite a while. Be sure to greet those you don't know and make them feel welcomed. Our guild year will end in May, so you can renew your membership now to avoid the long lines later. If you are not receiving our e-mail communications, please see me at the Sign In table.

Susan Axelrod and Ellie Cormier

Membership Chairs

Library News

2011-2012 Officers:

Mary Casner: *President*

Susan Axelrod: *Parliamentarian/
Membership/Banner/Directory*

LeeMary Heath: *Secretary*

Valerie Gall : *Programs for
2011/2012*

Debra Broyles: *Programs for
2012/2013*

Cheryl Wilson: *Treasurer*

Hope Campbell, & Irene
Ashkenas: *Philanthropy*

Dawnell Muecke: *Newsletter*

Karen McCarty: *Opportunity Quilt
2010/2011*

Rebecca Lighthill: *Opportunity
Quilt 2011/2012*

Cheryl Atkiss: *New Member
Hostess*

Roberta Russell: *Public Relations /
Media/Advertising*

Holly Torrez & Yvonne Gagne:
Librarian

Mary Rozendal: *Mailing*

Lisa Bigelow: *Opportunity of the
Month*

Lou Pennock: *Retreats*

Kim Baker: *Refreshments*

Shelly Gragg: *Sharing*

Linda Kaup, Chris Ezzard: *Shared
Blocks*

Amy Treicher: *Telephone Tree*

Don & Lois Russell: *Webmaster*

Sylvia Lovett: *Door Prizes*

Our March book sale was a wonderful success!! We earned \$85.00 towards new books. Thank you so much for donating books to us AND for buying books from us!!

Next month will be the ever popular \$1.00 book sale - with lots a little treasures available.

Now that day light savings is in effect - our "Shop In The Dark" table is much easier to see!

Please come by the table to review the books and help yourself to the free magazines that will be on the white rack.

Our March speaker, Maggie Ball, had some amazing quilts in her trunk show. We have both of her books in the library if you are interested in reserving one - just call or e-mail Yvonne or Holly.

TRADITIONAL QUILTS WITH A TWIST

BARGELLO QUILTS WITH A TWIST

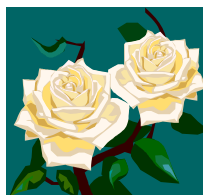
If you have any ideas, suggestions or requests for the library - please let us know.

We have over 600 books available and they are all listed on line. If you don't know exactly what you are looking for, you can browse the entire library by leaving the "search" box empty. When you click on a book title - you are taken directly to the Amazon page which shows pictures and details about the book. Call us if you have any question.

See you at the Library Table!!

Yvonne Gagne 858-693-3904 ydgagne@yahoo.com

Holly Torrez 858-484-8999 Hollyt888@sbcglobal.net



Color Extravaganza

It was so nice to see you all at the guild meeting last night. This coming month will be the last month to add border additions in the "border color extravaganza". The requirement for April is a 4" finished border. Let's make it very colorful. If you are needing some inspiration, the optional technique is "3 dimensional". This could be exciting!

Next month, at the April meeting, you will turn in the one you are working on and everyone will get their own quilt back. You can't show anyone! It is a surprise! During the remainder of April some of you may decide to add a border or finish it off. At the meeting in May we will reveal the quilts for everyone else to see. I can hardly wait to see them all in their colorful beauty.

Have fun and don't hesitate to call if you have questions.

See you in April.

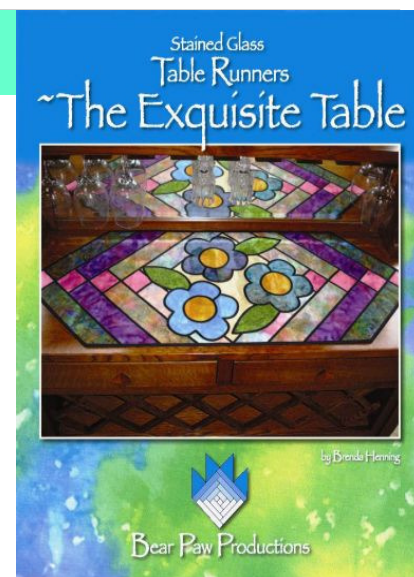
Chris Ezzard 858-774-3497/Linda Kaup 858-271-7226

April Program



Brenda Henning Quilt as You Go Table Runner

The table runner is a terrific introduction to Quilt-As-You-Go Stained Glass. Rotary cut squares, triangles or strips are applied to fusible interfacing to create the body of the table runner. Freezer paper templates are used to cut the applique pieces at each end of the design. This is a very busy 6 hour class period. Most students will not actually sew in class.



Call or email Valerie to sign up for the class !
vjgall@cox.net

858-679-9573

Upcoming Events

April 28 & 29, 2012 – Seven Sisters Quilt Show, San Luis Obispo, CA – for more information go to www.aqgcc.org



Date: Tuesday 4/10/12

Time: 10–4:30pm

Location: Anidon Quiltworks

Cost: \$40 member/\$45 non-member

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Accrual Basis

Friendship Quilters of San Diego Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual June 2011 through May 2012

	Jun '11 - May '12	Budget	\$ Over Budget
Ordinary Income/Expense			
Income			
Advertisement, Income	485.00	350.00	135.00
Library Income	415.00	500.00	-85.00
Membership Dues	4,380.00	4,400.00	-20.00
Miscellaneous Income	164.00	68.00	76.00
Opportunity Quilt 2011-12	3,146.00	3,000.00	146.00
Opportunity, Income	258.00	273.00	-15.00
President's Challenge Income	0.00	06.00	-06.00
Programs, Income	2,585.00	4,400.00	-1,815.00
Quilt Show Event	281.00	500.00	-219.00
Gifts of Value	334.65		
Refunds	150.00		
Ways and Means, Store, Income	446.04	250.00	216.04
Total Income	12,740.49	13,837.00	-1,096.51
Expense			
Administration	309.50	275.50	34.00
Block of The Month, Expense	25.00		
Over Prices, Expense	41.90		
Insurance	833.50	810.25	-178.75
Library Expense	405.99	200.00	205.99
Membership, Expense	0.00	50.00	-50.00
Newsletter	408.14	506.72	-101.58
Operational Fees	30.00	20.00	10.00
Opportunity, Expense	143.21	655.16	-491.95
Philanthropy Expenses	18.30	25.00	-6.70
Programs Expense	5,420.46	13,250.00	-7,829.54
Quilt Show Events	72.30	30.00	42.30
Refreshments, Expense	78.61	140.00	-61.39
Total Expense	7,576.91	15,925.63	-8,348.72
Net Ordinary Income	5,163.58	-2,088.63	7,252.21
Other Income/Expense			
Interest Income	75.32	160.25	-104.93
Total Other Income	75.32	160.25	-104.93
Net Other Income	75.32	160.25	-104.93
Net Income	5,238.90	-1,928.38	7,167.28

Small Groups Update

Applique Club - Amidon Quiltworks, Poway - 4th Wed - check with shop to confirm dates) 10-4

*One time fee of \$25, payable to Susan Axelrod (facilitator) Sit & sew with friends, social time, and sharing with the group.

Friday Sit'n Sew - Amidon Quiltworks, Poway 10-4 (check with shop to confirm).

*No fee, or instruction - everyone works on their own projects. Fun time and we get work done!

Fabric Floozies - Quilter's Paradise, Escondido, Wed. 1-3.

*No fee. Original members were taking quilting classes at the junior college until those classes were dropped from the schedule several years ago. They decided to keep getting together anyway. Members take turns teaching (usually demonstrating) projects. Sharing of whatever you have completed, or are working on is encouraged.

Quilts of Valor Sit and Sew - Quilter's Paradise, Escondido - 1st & 3rd Tuesdays 10-4 _Bring sewing machine plus all sewing supplies you need to make a quilt. There will be a limited amount of fabric, blocks and patterns, so please bring your own. Feel free to drop off blocks or 100% cotton fabric. Get more information from Sandra McCullough 858-674-6371, & erthmthr1@sbcglobal.net

Applique Club, Quilter's Paradise, Escondido, 2nd Monday 10-? *No fee. Sit and sew and block exchanges. Contact Rebecca Lighthill at 760-739-5743

Applique Club - CraZy 9 Patch, Ramona -1st Sat. - 10-4 (confirm with shop schedule).

*One time fee \$25, payable to Susan Axelrod (facilitator). Sit & sew with friends, social time, and sharing with the group. *Due to classroom space limitations, this membership is full at this time.*

Dear Jane Club - Amidon - 3rd Tues from 5-9

\$24 to join. Work on miniature blocks reminiscent of quilts from the late 1800's. From a pattern book by Jane A. Blakely Stickle

Quilting4Hope - FQSD Philanthropy - 1st Saturday, 9-11 at Hope Campell's, 177446 Matinal Dr., Rancho Bernardo

Usually a cutting party to make kits to be given out at QFSD meetings.

North Poway Small Group - 2nd & 4th Tues. 10-12 at Various homes. Sit and sew. Call Karen for current details.

South Poway Small Group - 4th Monday 1-3 Various homes,

Sit and sew. Call Karen for current details.

If you know of other groups, or need more information, contact:

Karen McCarty kerimac@hotmail.com 760-703-5191

Retreats

We have 22 participants signed up for the May 4-6th retreat in Temecula. There are 4 spots left. If you are new to the guild, this is a great way to get to know other members. We always have a great time and you have the opportunity to get lots of projects done. If you have any questions or are thinking about going, call me. I can't promise that there will still be space available when the April meeting come around.

Lou Pennock / Retreat Coordinator

Philanthropy

The Cutting-Up Parties are a great success in cutting out kits to be checked out. The next Cutting-Up Party will be April 7 from 9:00 to 11:00 at Hope Campbell's house. Bring your mat, ruler and rotary cutter.

Hope's Campbell's house is at

17446 Matinal Drive

San Diego, CA 92127

House phone 858-487-5651

Next month look for new kits to check out and machine quilt on regular machines. The quilt tops that were put together at the Quilt-a-Thon will be paired with batting and backing and ready for machine quilting. They are child-size quilts, so you won't need a long arm quilting machine.

Thanks for all the donations you make.

Friendship Quilters received a donation of a bolt of batting from Barbara Winkler, SoCal Quilts of Valor for use in many any of our quilts. We are most appreciative of this large roll, or bolt of batting.

Hope Campbell and Irene Ashkenas



Join us for Friendship Guild Appreciation Day!

Sunday April 22nd from 1-4pm

Fun Fabrics, Demo Corner, Treats and a Mini Quilt Show!

As a special thank you members will enjoy 20% off your entire purchase!

Thank You, Martha Berntsen

The CraZy 9 Patch

2260 Main St.

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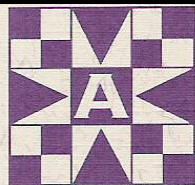
April Birthdays

BIRTHDAY	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME
Apr 02	SUSAN	PRIOLEAU
Apr 05	ELAINE	BIERMAN
Apr 06	COLLEEN	CRAVEN
Apr 08	MARY	SCHOOLING
Apr 11	CHERYL	ATKISS
Apr 12	SUSAN	SCHUTZ
Apr 15	RUTH	O'NEIL
Apr 16	NOREEN	REDD
Apr 17	IRENE	ASHKENAS
Apr 23	BETTY	CRUPI
Apr 24	KAREN	FRASER
Apr 24	LEIGH	AUBERSON
Apr 25	PAT	BROWN
Apr 26	LEEMARY	HEATH
Apr 27	DEBRA	GITTELSON
Apr 27	APRIL	KOCHUR
Apr 28	NANCY	OPSTAD
Apr 28	PEGGY	MARTIN
Apr 29	BRENDA	COLIA
Apr 30	NORMA	HAYES

March Door Prizes

1. Fat Quarters from Red Rooster Fabrics
Marcia McValley
2. \$10. Gift Certificate from The Quilter's Faire
Francine Nadez
3. Pattern Collection from Piecemakers Country Store
Jackie Keenig
4. Fat Quarters from P & B Fabrics
Linda Rathbun
5. \$10. Gift Certificate from the Quilter's Faire
Thelma Alley
6. Book - Pineapple Stars
Helene Friedrick
7. \$10. Gift Certificate from the Quilter's Faire
Norma Hatley
8. Book - Machine Applique Made Easy
Jerre Mayer
9. Fabric Panel from Amigon Quilt Works and a Pattern from a generous member. *Denise Pocholske*
10. Then if Stary Night Hallow - Cookie Siegel
11. Borders Made Easy from a Generous Member *Karen Dean*
12. Mary Olson
13. Michele Cassidy
14. Janice Rudgers
15. Pat Wolfe
16. Rebecca L
17. Suzy Weinbach
18. Becky Moore
19. Cynthia Manning
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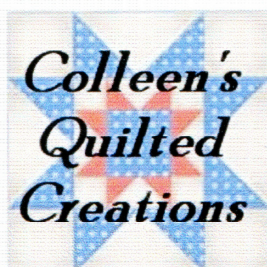
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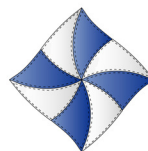
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Opportunity, Income	394.00	273.00	121.00
President's Challenge Income	0.00	98.00	-98.00
Programs, Income	3,195.00	4,400.00	-1,205.00
Quilt Show Event	381.00	500.00	-119.00
Quilts of Valor	199.66		
Retreats	2,775.31		
Ways and Means, Store, Income	556.82	230.00	326.82
Total Income	16,463.79	13,837.00	2,626.79
Expense			
Administration	755.50	275.50	480.00
Block of The Month, Expense	25.00		
Door Prizes, Expense	41.90		
Insurance	733.50	810.25	-76.75
Library Expense	451.26	200.00	251.26
Membership, Expense	44.77	50.00	-5.23
Newsletter	481.97	509.72	-27.75
Operational Fees	20.00	20.00	0.00
Opportunity, Expense	143.21	635.16	-491.95
Philanthropy Expenses	18.30	25.00	-6.70
Program Expense	8,411.33	13,230.00	-4,818.67
Quilt Show Events	72.30	30.00	42.30
Refreshments, Expense	78.61	140.00	-61.39
Total Expense	11,277.65	15,925.63	-4,647.98
Net Ordinary Income	5,186.14	-2,088.63	7,274.77
Other Income/Expense			
Other Income			
Interest Income	106.28	180.25	-73.97
Total Other Income	106.28	180.25	-73.97
Net Other Income	106.28	180.25	-73.97
Net Income	5,292.42	-1,908.38	7,200.80

Loot Locker

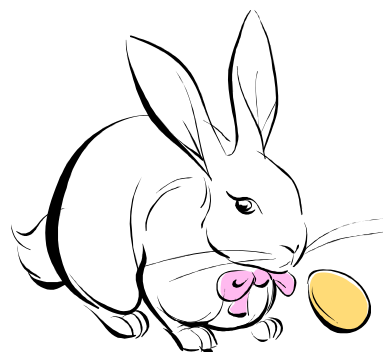
We collected \$36.25.

Spring is a great time to go through your treasurers and bring in items you no longer want.

Cheryl Atkiss

New Members

Welcome to our newest member Frank Palmer. We look forward to seeing you at the meetings!



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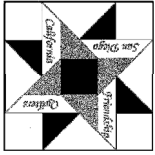
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Next General Meeting

April 9th, 2012

- ☐ Name Tag
- ☐ Snack item to share
- ☐ Your Mug
- ☐ Library Books / Birthday Book Donations
- ☐ Loot locker items
- ☐ Items for Sharing

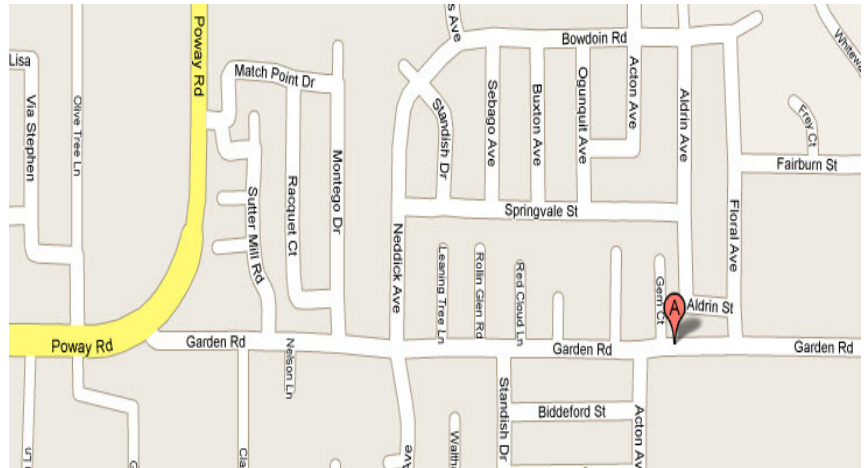
Doors Open for Setup 6:00pm

Tables Ready 6:30pm

Meeting Begins 7:00pm

Please help put chairs away after the meeting

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