

Patchwork Post

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Meetings:

Board Meeting Monday,
April 4th, 6:00pm at Susan
Axelrod's home.

Guild Meeting : Monday
April 11th - 7PM at Tierra
Bonita Elementary School
at 14678 Tierra Bonita
Road off Twin Peaks Rd.



President's Message



Wow – April. How can that be? Looking back we had a great month since I last wrote for the Patchwork Post.

The Jinny Beyer event was truly fantastic. How amazing it was to sit in an auditorium filled with people who had a shared passion for color and design and hear the lectures. I for one will never again look at choosing fabrics for a quilt in the way I used to. For those who missed the announcement at the general meeting, the guild purchased 2 of Jinny's color palates and have them available to be checked out through the library. We also had an interesting talk presented by Billie Lauder at our March meeting. I think beginning quilters may have found her ideas of particular interest.

Our April meeting will feature one of our own, Peggy Martin. I know that her class was close to being full so if you have a desire to learn how Peggy works her magic contact LeeMary Heath as soon as possible.

These programs are essential to making our guild as great as it is. However, we are in danger of not having programs to present in the 2012-13 year. To date, no one has volunteered to be Program Chair and to put the process of arranging for speakers in motion. It would sadden me to see that happen but if we do not have a Program Chair these wonderful experiences will go away as did other fun activities such as the guild "store". If you have any interest of volunteering for this position please give any one of the board members a call to discuss your ideas.

As I close for the month I would like to send one last reminder that we will hold our April 11th meeting at Tierra Bonita Elementary School instead of in our typical home of Garden Road. Hope to see you all there .

Mary Casner

President
Friendship Quilters of San Diego



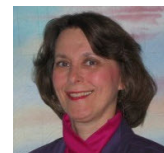
Peggy Martin – Millennium Star

When: Sunday, 4/10/11 10 am – 4 pm

Where: Amidon Quiltworks, Poway

Cost: \$35.00 member/\$40 non-member

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2010-2011 Officers and Committee Chairs:

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Lou Pennock: *Refreshments, and Retreats*

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Ruth Jones/Ann Albertson: *Block Exchange / Round Robin*

Amy Treicher: *Telephone Tree*

Don & Lois Russell: *Webmaster*

Membership

"Bring a Friend for Free Night" on April 11th

We had a great turnout at the meeting last month with 7 new members and 12 guests.

In April you are encouraged to bring a friend (one or more) and receive an extra door prize ticket for each guest you bring. Just come to the membership table to get them signed in and proceed to the Door Prize table to receive your tickets.

Even if you have already used your guest pass, your guest can attend for free in April. See you at the meeting.

Membership Chairs - Susan Axelrod and Ellie Cormier



Philanthropy

Philanthropy received many completed kits and original donations. At the March guild meeting we received 3 completed original quilts, 12 original and kit placemats, and 2 wheel chair bags.

Lee Olson helps with the distribution and has taken 4 quilts to the Veteran's hospital. Placemats go to Meals on Wheels and the elderly recipients are always thrilled to receive these unique hand-made placemats.

Next month the UCSD Neonatal intensive care isolette covers will be back for checkout. Peggy Castor and Hope Campbell have tweaked the pattern for better fit, so look for more panels to construct and machine quilt.

The CraZy 9 Patch Quilt Shop in Ramona made a donation of fabric. Thank you.

And Thanks to Roberta for helping Philanthropy in March when both Hope and JoNell had schedule conflicts.

Hope Campbell

Retreats

We have 23 participants signed up for the May 13-15th retreat at Vina de Lestonnac in Temecula. We still have 3 spots left so if you want to go, give me a call or come early to the April meeting to sign up. If you have never been on one of the retreats, please try to come. We always have a lot of fun. The cost is \$230.00 for a shared room or \$300.00 for a private room. All money is due on or before the April meeting.

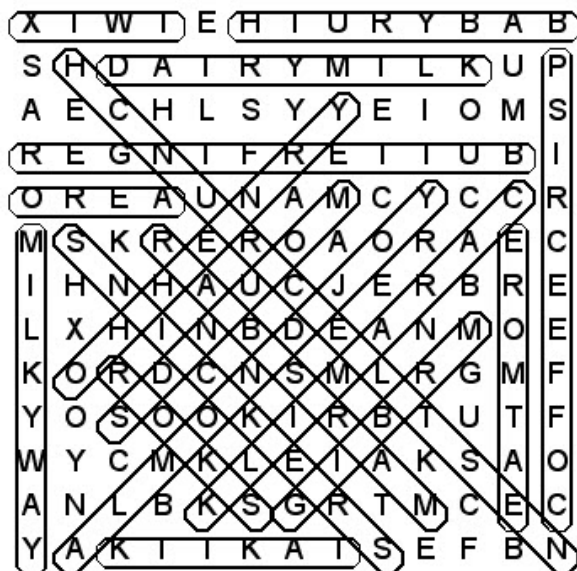
Lou Pennock—Retreat Coordinator



3 spots left

Puzzle Solution (Puzzle on Page 7)

Chocolate Bars



Remember to frequent the individuals and businesses that advertise in our the newsletter and be sure to thank them for their support of our Guild.



April Birthdays

BIRTHDAY	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME
Apr 02	SUSAN	PRIOLEAU
Apr 03	LUCY	MOFFITT
Apr 05	ELAINE	BIERMAN
Apr 11	CHERYL	ATKISS
Apr 12	SUSAN	SCHUTZ
Apr 15	KATHY	KUDRAWEC
Apr 15	RUTH	O'NEIL
Apr 16	NOREEN	REDD
Apr 17	IRENE	ASHKENAS
Apr 17	BONNIE	DRESSER
Apr 23	BETTY	CRUPI
Apr 24	LEIGH	AUBERSON
Apr 24	KAREN	FRASER
Apr 26	LEEMARY	HEATH
Apr 26	DORIS	SCHOOLING
Apr 27	DEBRA	GITTELSON
Apr 28	PEGGY	MARTIN
Apr 28	NANCY	OPSTAD
Apr 29	BRENDA	COLIA
Apr 30	NORMA	HAYES

New Members

Welcoming **SEVEN** new members from our March meeting. They are:

Michael Dwyer
 Andrea Fincham
 Debra Gittelson
 Julie Graham
 Jane Jensen
 Mary Olson
 Donna Poster

Enjoy!

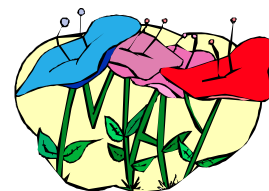
Cheryl Atkiss—New Member Hostess



Refreshments

Thank you to everyone who brought treats to share at the March meeting. I know it's not always easy to make something or to even find time to stop at the store. Your efforts are very much appreciated. In April we will celebrate the arrival of Spring (I know it officially started in March). I hope you are still in the mood for baking. See you there.

Lou Pennock



Library News from Holly and Yvonne



Once again your tremendous support of our Silent Auction turned the event into another big success. We made \$73.00 which will go toward our last book purchase of the year.

We will be buying those books right after our April meeting. We have received a couple suggestions for new books and we hope that more of you will e-mail or call us with your recommendations.

We checked out 110 books at our meeting.....we appreciate your patience at our table. We bring as many books as possible to each meeting and there just isn't any additional table space for us to spread out further. Please scan through the books listed on our website for the opportunity to see all the books our guild owns. Leave the Search Box blank and all the titles will come up alphabetically. The newest books added to our library last month are:

- * DUAL IMAGE APPLIQUE
- * QUILT FIESTA
- * CIRCLE QUILTS
- * JAPANESE TAUPE QUILTS
- * RADIANT NEW YORK BEAUTIES
- * CHRISTMAS WITH POSSIBILITIES
- * SIMPLE STENCILING - DRAMATIC QUILTS
- * BEAUTIFUL ALPHABET APPLIQUE - Zena Thorpe

If you would like to reserve any of these books (or any other book) just call or e-mail us.

In April we will have a \$2.00 book sale. This is your chance to get a few wonderful additions to your

personal library for very little money. And, speaking of your personal library - if you are doing Spring House Cleaning and want to get rid of some books - please give them to us. Just bag them up and bring them to the meeting. We will either add them to the library or sell them to buy new books.

See you at the Library Table!

Holly & Yvonne

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Door Prizes

Bag - Janet Haas

Bag - Barbara Friedman

Quilter's Dream Green Batting - Donna Poster

Book - Quilts with a Spin by Piece O' Cake Designs - Frances Symon

Quilter's Dream Batting - Francine Nadey

Quilter's Dream Batting - Judi Q

Moda Fat Quarters & \$5 Coupon from Amidon Quiltworks

Pin Place - Carol Weckman

Pin Place - Ruth Bygress

Roberta

Door Prizes

Calendar of Events

April 8—10 2011 The 16th Annual Quilt Show The Best of the Valley at the McDermott Field House 365 N Sweet Brier, Lindsay, CA This is a judged and Juried show. Admission \$10 or \$15 for a 3-day pass; children under 12 free admission with an adult. Friday & Saturday 9—5; Sunday 10—4 pm Web-site: www.botvquilts.com Show info: Suzanne Kistler 559-625-5430

April 9—10 2011, "Patterns in Time Quilt Show", 1273 High St, Auburn, CA. Info: maryleedrake@sbcglocal.net

Machine Quilters Exposition—MQX East 2011, 11 - 16 April 2011 at the Rhode Island Convention Center, One Sabin Street in Providence, RI 02903. Machine Quilters Exposition, LLC (MQX) is an annual machine quilting show and conference founded by machine quilters, Janet-Lee Santeusano and Mary Schilke. MQX embraces all machine quilters, regardless of the size or model of machine used to complete the quilting process. Website: <http://www.mqxshow.com> (for both East and West shows)

April 30—1 May "Seven Sisters Quilt Show" at Alex Madonna Expo Center -100 Madonna St, San Luis Obispo, CA. 48 Vendors. Saturday 9—5 and Sunday 9—4. Show is sponsored by the Associated Quilt Guilds of the Central Coast. Admission \$10 wristband; children under 12 free admission.

April 30—May 1 The 27th Annual Springtime in the Pines Quilt Show Nevada County Fairgrounds, 11228 McCourtney Rd in Grass Valley, CA. Sat 10—5 and Sunday 10-4. Info: momandgram702@yahoo.com. Website: www.pinetreeguild.com Admission: \$6.

Ontario Open Art Exhibition May 6—Jun 19, 2011 at Museum of History and Art, Ontario, 225 South Euclid Ave., Ontario, CA 91762. Phone (909) 395-2510

International Machine Quilters Assn (IMQA) presents the 15th annual **Machine Quilters Showcase - MQS May 11-14, 2011** [with classes beginning on May 9] the Overland Park Convention Center near Kansas City, MO. Website: <http://www.mqsshow.org/>

CVQG Quilt Show at Bonita Historical Museum July 20—Oct 1—call Janet Stevenson , 619-422-7388 or Email: bobscww@cox.net for more information.

Machine Quilters Exposition—MQX West at the Oregon Convention Center in Portland, Oregon October 11-15, 2011. A totally new quilt show, MQX West Quilt Show will be hosted in Oregon. MQX West is like it's big sister MQX EAST held in New England in the spring. This new quilt show promises beautiful quilts, wonderful vendors and exciting prizes.



Paradise Sewing

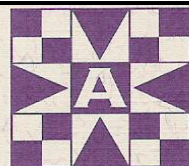
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Profit and Loss

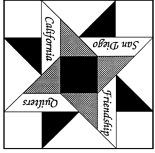
Friendship Quilters of San Diego Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual June 2010 through May 2011

	Jun '10 - May 11	Budget	\$ Over Budget
Ordinary Income/Expense			
Income			
Advertisement, Income	400.00	300.00	100.00
Block Exchange/Round Robin	0.00	80.00	-80.00
Block of The Month, Income	0.00	180.00	-180.00
Library Income	495.00	200.00	295.00
Membership Dues	4,815.00	3,800.00	1,015.00
Miscellaneous Income	193.00	80.00	113.00
Opportunity Quilt 2011-12	692.00	0.00	692.00
Opportunity, Income	473.18	135.00	338.18
President's Challenge Income	45.00	50.00	-5.00
Programs, Income	2,675.00	3,780.00	-1,105.00
Quilt Show Event	421.00	500.00	-79.00
Quilts of Valor	820.71		
Retreats	943.04	200.00	743.04
Special Event Programs	8,360.05	26,650.00	-18,289.95
Unclassified	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ways and Means, Store, Income	119.55		
Total Income	20,452.53	35,955.00	-15,502.47
Expense			
Administration	699.54	940.00	-240.46
Advertisement, Expense	0.00	60.00	-60.00
Block Exchange/Round Robin Exp	0.00	50.00	-50.00
Door Prizes, Expense	0.00	80.00	-80.00
Insurance	751.75	1,750.00	-998.25
Library Expense	683.28	200.00	483.28
Membership, Expense	129.05	100.00	29.05
Newsletter	481.14	810.00	-328.86
Operational Fees	20.00	80.00	-60.00
Opportunity, Expense	344.53		
Philanthropy Expenses	0.00	50.00	-50.00
Programs Expense	6,275.55	9,315.00	-3,039.45
Quilt Show Events	326.88	50.00	276.88
Refreshments, Expense	156.52	100.00	56.52
Special Event Programs Expenses	7,688.99	13,100.00	-5,411.01
Total Expense	17,557.23	26,685.00	-9,127.77
Net Ordinary Income	2,895.30	9,270.00	-6,374.70
Other Income/Expense			
Other Income			
Interest Income	147.99	350.00	-202.01
Total Other Income	147.99	350.00	-202.01
Net Other Income	147.99	350.00	-202.01
Net Income	3,043.29	9,620.00	-6,576.71

Balance Sheet

Friendship Quilters of San Diego Balance Sheet As of March 17, 2011

	<u>Mar 17, 11</u>
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Checking Friendship QOSD	11,523.58
Friendship Quilters of San Dieg	20,616.11
Total Checking/Savings	<u>32,139.69</u>
Other Current Assets	
Prepaid Expense	1,035.08
Total Other Current Assets	<u>1,035.08</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>33,174.77</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>33,174.77</u></u>
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	27,118.76
Retained Earnings	2,832.72
Net Income	3,223.29
Total Equity	<u>33,174.77</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	<u><u>33,174.77</u></u>



Next General Meeting

April 11th, 2011

- ☐ Name Tag
- ☐ Your Mug
- ☐ Library Books / Birthday Book Donations
- ☐ Donations for the Loot Locker
- ☐ 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 meet
this month at:**

Tierra Bonita Elementary School

14678 Tierra Bonita Road (off Twin
Peaks Rd.)

Poway, CA 92064-5299

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
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