

Patchwork Post

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Speakers & Workshops at a Glance:

Sandi Delman

Workshop: Sunday 9/16/2012

Rob Appell

Lecture/Meeting: October 8, 2012
 Workshop: Tuesday 10/9/2012

Nancy Ota

Lecture/Meeting: November 12, 2012
 Workshop: Sunday 11/11/2012

Sharon Schamber

Lecture/Meeting: January 14, 2013
 Workshop: Sunday 1/13/13 &
 Tuesday 01/15/2013

Janice Ellertson

Lecture/Meeting: February 11, 2013
 Workshop: Tuesday 2/12/2013

Pam Kay

Lecture/Meeting: March 11, 2013
 Workshop: Tuesday 3/12/2013

Sue Rasmussen

Lecture/Meeting: April 8, 2013
 Workshop: Sunday 4/7/2013

Leora Raikin

Lecture/Meeting: May 13, 2013
 Workshop: Tuesday 5/14/2012

President's Message

Wow, the end of March and a little warmer weather, it is so nice to live in San Diego. Now it's time to "Spring" into action. A big THANK YOU to those that signed up for positions on the board and to those that talked to me and are thinking of helping out. We still have a few spots left and would love to have several more volunteers. Let me know at our next meeting or give me a call or email and I'd love to discuss it with you.

Our guild quilting calendar still has April & May for lectures & classes. Please take a look at them and consider taking one or both. It is always fun to hear their great tips or learn a new technique. We should all take advantage of their knowledge and get to know our speakers a little bit better.

So if any of you are keeping up with my travel log I got to spend last week visiting my mom in Phoenix along with my sister (from the rainy state of WA). Once again I got to enjoy sitting by the pool and soaking in some more sunshine. We were lucky enough to be able to attend a quilt show in Mesa, AZ. So I did my "quilt" shopping with all the vendors at the show. It always gives me lots of inspiration and gets those creative juices flowing. Now if I could just find the time and energy to get all those quilts finished and the new ones started.

I'm looking forward to seeing all of you at our next meeting on Monday April 8. Thank you for all your responses to the questionnaire. I will be giving an update at the meeting.

Happy Easter and have fun quilting.

Your President,

Becky

Meetings

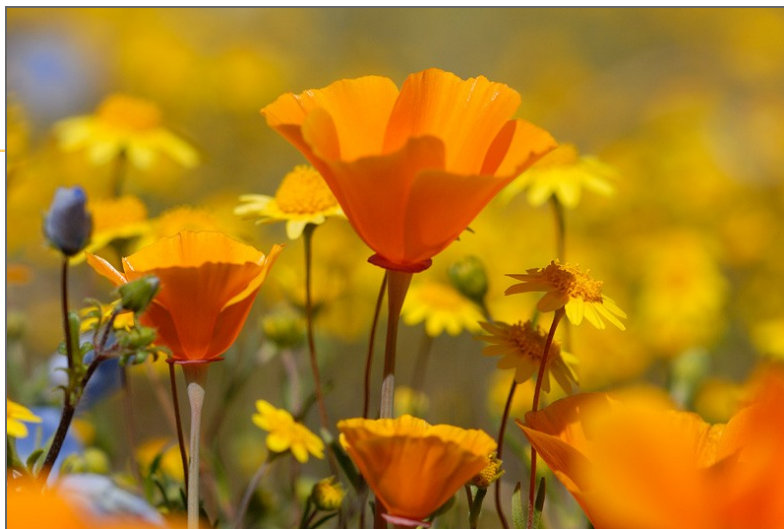
Board Meeting

*Monday, April 1st, 6:30pm at
 Gloria Mauno's home.*

Everyone is WELCOME!

Guild Meeting:

*2nd Monday of the month
 (Sept—June) 7 PM, Garden
 Road Elementary School*



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	Dawnell Muecke
	Tracy Potter
Shared Blocks	Chris Ezzard
	Alice Koenitzer
Small Groups	Karen McCarty
Banner/Custodian	Lee Olson

Retreat

Well we are going to have a full house for the retreat in May. We have 26 participants signed up. Thank you to those who are willing to have three in a room and those who are coming for the day use only. The retreat promises to be another fun filled weekend.

Final payment is due at, or before, the April 8th guild meeting. Hope to see you all at the meeting.

Lou Pennock
Retreat Coordinator

Library News

Thank you all for Shopping In The Light!! Our book sale generated \$70.00 towards new books for the guild.

We will be making our next purchase in early April - PLEASE let us know if there are any books you would like to see added to the library. Call or e-mail Yvonne or Holly.

WE NEED YOUR BOOK DONATIONS! Please keep us in mind when you begin your Spring Cleaning!! If you have any Quilt Books that you no longer want - please consider donating them to the guild. We will add your books to our library or sell them to raise money for new books. If you have a large number of books and don't want to bring them to the meeting, just call Yvonne or Holly and we will pick them up from your home.

We are going to start a new display of library books! Each month (in addition to the library tables) we will set up the white rack and feature all of our books on a **SPECIFIC TECHNIQUE**. April will be Applique. You will be able to see ALL of our applique books at one time. We think our library provides an unlimited number of "adult picture books" - and we are always looking for ways to improve. Please let us know if you have any ideas for how the library could better serve you.

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See you at the Library Table!

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

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

Programs

Sue Rasmussen will be conducting her workshop on April 7th and for those of you who have already signed up - be sure to mark your calendar and remember to attend. If you would like to attend and have not signed up, please come and join us. You can obtain the Supply List from the website and pay at the workshop when you arrive. It's sure to be a great success and you will have your choice of either making the Plumeria Flower or the Single Tree Landscape quilt. On Monday evening, April 8th, Sue will provide us with a trunk show of her art quilts.

The last program of the year will be Leora Raikin. Leora is well-known for her embroidery with beads and fabric and is the owner of African Folklore Embroidery. Some of you may have seen Leora at the Road to California this past January. Leora will be teaching a workshop on Tuesday, May 14th, at the Crazy Nine Patch. If you are interested in the workshop you will need to go onto Leora's website (<http://aflembroidery.com/african-folklore-store.htm>) and let me know what kit you are interested in. We need this information no later than May 5th so that Leora can have the kit pulled and ready for you. This is sure to be an awesome workshop - you won't want to miss it and there is still room to signup. Space is limited so first-come, first-signed up.

Have a wonderful, blessed day and we will see you all on April 8th.

Debra Broyles

Programs

Membership

We had 9 guests at our March meeting. We hope they will return and join us for another meeting soon.

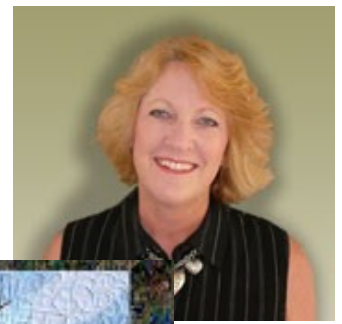
Remember to wear your nametag to the meeting and sign-in at the membership table.

Susan Axelrod

Ellie Cormier

Membership Chairs

Programs / Sue Rasmussen



Opportunity Quilt

Bates Nut Farm Craft Fair April 27 & 28

Come have some fun in the sun, enjoy looking at the current crafts, and take some time out to sit with our Opportunity Quilt, "It's a Riddle." It would be helpful if you sat for an hour, selling tickets, any time from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. We have a prime spot in front of the store, and did well last year.

You can sign up at the guild meeting in April, or e-mail me (rlighthill at att dot net, or please see the guild directory). There are other activities to draw you to the farm: a pancake breakfast Saturday, a classic Chevy show Sunday, and a flea market. Let's hope for good weather!

In the meantime, remember the drawing is June 10. Just a couple months left!

Rebecca Lighthill

Applique Small Group

I belong to a small group which enjoys applique. We are not a class; we meet monthly to exchange ideas, sit & sew, and cooperate on projects. We meet in San Marcos on the afternoon of the second Monday (just before the guild meeting). We are starting a new project that I think is going to be rather fun, and will exchange the starting parts in April. If you are interested in checking out the group (whether or not you want to jump right in on a new project), please contact me at rlighthill at att dot net. Don't wait until the guild meeting!

Rebecca Lighthill

SMALL GROUPS

I know there are some of you out there who would like to get to know other members better. Our meetings, with these fantastic speakers is wonderful, but it doesn't give us that opportunity to become better acquainted with one another. If you are one of those people who would like to join a small group that meets on a regular basis in each other's home for sit & sew with friends, social time, and sharing with the group, please contact Karen McCarty at karenmccarty3@gmail.com. Small groups are such a nice way to really get to know other quilters.

Also, our other small groups have found new homes. We hope you find one that is right for you.

* Friday Sit 'n Sew . (10-4) meets at Paradise Sewing, 12639 Poway Road, Poway, CA 92064, 858-679-9808, 760-745-4140, www.paradisesewing.com *No fee, or instruction – everyone works on their own projects. Fun time and we get work done!

*Fabric Floozies (2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 1pm-3pm) meets at Sewing Machines Plus, 713 Center Dr., San Marcos (Behind Guitar Center/Walmart, off Nordahl).

*Quilts of Valor (1st & 3rd Tuesday, 10-4) meets at Bits and Pieces, 12625 Danielson Ct., St. 111, Poway 92064. 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

*Quilting4Hope – FQSD Philanthropy - (1st Saturday, 9-11) at Hope Campbell's, 177446 Matinal Dr., Rancho Bernardo. Usually a cutting party to make kits to be given out at QFSD meetings.

*Applique Club (4th Wednesday, 10-4) They are meeting at Paradise Sewing in their NEW location, 12639 Poway Road, Poway, CA 92064, 858-679-9808, 760-745-4140, www.paradisesewing.com. One-time fee of \$25, payable to Susan Axelrod (facilitator) Sit & sew with friends, social time, and sharing with the group.

If I've left out anyone, please let me know. I'll add them to this list. Karen

March Door Prize Winners

1. Four pieces of hand dyed fabric, won by Mary Olson.
2. Stained Glass Flower Garden book, donated and written by Brenda Henning, won by Judith Cook.
3. Turning Twenty Again book, won by Cathy Castleberry.
4. The Tile Revival book, won by Marilyn Philips.
5. Botanika pattern donated by Amidon Quiltworks, won by Thelma Allen.
6. 12 Pattern set of Sampler Blocks to Recall the Civil War, donated by Amidon Quiltworks, won by Carol Y.
7. Four pieces hand dyed fabric, won by Holly Torrez.
8. Two year planner and fabric, donated by a generous member, won by Yvonne Gagne.
9. Borders Made Easy roll to stitch on, donated by a generous member, won by Pat Brown.
10. Package of Charms and a spool of Gutermann thread, won by Karen Dean.
11. Two year planner and a fabric, won by Ruth O'Neil.
12. Package of Charms and a spool of Gutermann thread, won by Ruth O'Neil.

For the following, prizes were donated by Rochelle Yoelin:

Adrienne Flaherty; Mary Lewis; Carol Gilbert; Carol Bell; Jeanick Tippo; Jennifer Shults; Kim Ski; Brenda Colia; Michael Dwyer; Lorraine Marstall; Terri Wetter.

SHARED BLOCKS

ROW QUILT EXCHANGE

We hope that all of you who have been participating in the 'Row Exchange' have been enjoying the experience of making five blocks each month. We think it has been interesting to see the different row strips and then decide how to use the block we chose within the different guidelines each month. We have just exchanged bags for the last time. Everyone should end up with at least five strips to use in their quilt. Be sure to return this last bag at next month's meeting and get yours in return. I think we will all be delighted with our rows. During April you can add to your rows and complete the top or quilt. We will reveal our quilts at the May meeting. Fun!

See you in April

Chris Ezzard & Alice Koenitzer

Philanthropy

Philanthropy held its annual Sew-a-Thon on Monday, February 18 at Bits and Pieces in Poway. We made Disappearing Nine-Patch quilt tops that we had cut out during the January cutting-up party.

Philanthropy donated 20 placemats, 1 table runner, and 3 lap-size quilts to Meals on Wheels. Two juvenile quilts were donated to Rady Children's, and 1 quilt was donated to Veterans' Hospital.

Thank you to all of you who sewed the quilt tops, machine quilted the quilts, adding binding to a quilt, sewed up placemat kits or original placemats, and wheel chair bags.



Budget

Friendship Quilters of San Diego

Balance Sheet

As of May 31, 2013

	May 31, 13
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Checking Friendship QOS D	11,277.75
Friendship Quilters of San Diego	20,848.66
Total Checking/Savings	32,126.41
Other Current Assets	
Prepaid Expense	1,116.50
Total Other Current Assets	1,116.50
Total Current Assets	33,242.91
TOTAL ASSETS	33,242.91
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	27,118.76
Retained Earnings	2,162.79
Net Income	3,961.36
Total Equity	33,242.91
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	33,242.91





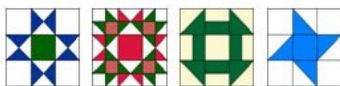
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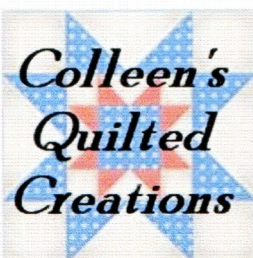
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Quilt Word Scramble

ANSWERS from March!

1. Quilting
2. Calico
3. Round Robin
4. Bernina
5. Flying Geese
6. Settings
7. Blocks
8. Sewing
9. Stitching
10. Finished Size
11. Reverse Applique
12. Long Arm Quilting
13. Crazy Quilt
14. Bargello

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April Birthdays!

BIRTHDAY	FIRS_NAME	LAST NAME
Apr 02	SUSAN	PRIOLEAU
Apr 05	ELAINE	BIERMAN
Apr 06	COLLEEN	CRAVEN
Apr 10	CATHY	RECINOS
Apr 11	CHERYL	ATKISS
Apr 12	SUSAN	SCHUTZ
Apr 15	RUTH	O'NEIL
Apr 16	BARBARA	MULLEN
Apr 23	BETTY	CRUPI
Apr 24	KAREN	FRASER
Apr 24	LEIGH	AUBERSON
Apr 25	PAT	BROWN
Apr 25	DONNA	WATT
Apr 26	LEEMARY	HEATH
Apr 27	DEBRA	GITTELSON
Apr 28	PEGGY	MARTIN
Apr 28	NANCY	OPSTAD
Apr 29	BRENDA	COLIA
Apr 30	NORMA	HAYES

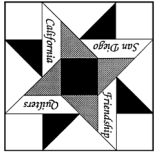
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Next General Meeting

April 8, 2013

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

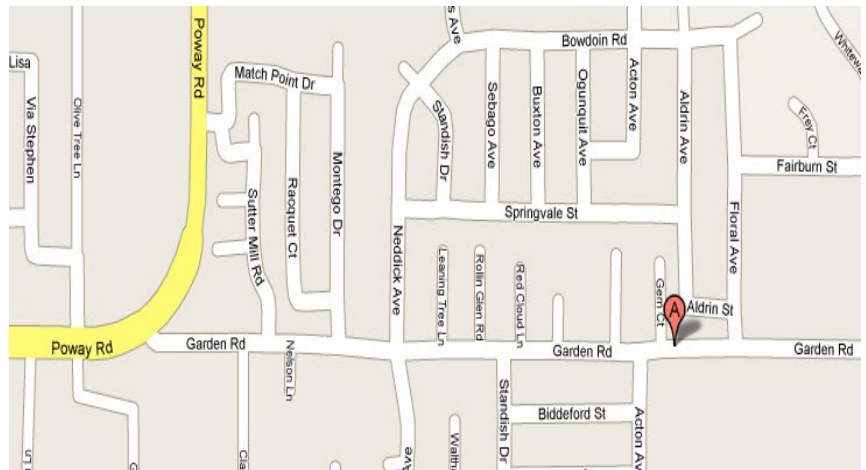
Doors Open for Setup 6:00pm

Tables Ready 6:30pm

Meeting Begins 7:00pm

Please help put chairs away after the meeting

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