

Patchwork Post

FRIENDSHIP QUILTERS GUILD OF SAN DIEGO

September 2003

President's Message

Dear Quilters,

I hope that everyone has had a great summer and survived the heat without too much difficulty. I participated in the Southern California Quilt run again this year and had a blast. Of course I spent too much money, but I discovered a new quilt shop that had great fabric. It is called The Cotton Shop, and was in Manhattan Beach. It had quite a bit less fabric as the six of us departed for the next stop on the run. As I write this I am looking forward to the San Diego quilt show and hope to see many of you there! As well as many great quilts too.

My biggest news this summer is that I have put my house on the market

and am hoping to sell it. When it sells I will be relocating to Prescott Arizona. This means a lot of exciting changes for me, and some sad ones too. September will be the last meeting that I will conduct as the President of Friendship Quilt Guild. The first order of business will be to elect someone to be the president for the next year. This past year as being president has been a busy one, and I have had so much fun. I will certainly miss all my friends from the guild and especially my friends from the Morningstar group. I thank you all for putting up with me and wish you the best in the coming year.

Sincerely,

Susie Martin

September 08, 2003 Guild Meeting

Sally Collins: Quality Workmanship and How to Achieve It

Our speaker this month is Sally Collins from Walnut Creek, California. Sally is an award winning quilter and the author of "Small Scale Quiltmaking" and "The Art of Machine Piecing", published by C & T Publishing. Her prize-winning quilts have been featured in galleries and in national and international quilt shows. They have been published in Quilter's Newsletter Magazine, Miniature Quilt Magazine, and the book, "Christmas Traditions." Sally has been a quiltmaker since

1978. She describes herself as a traditional quilter with a love of the process of quiltmaking, the doing. Her presentation, "Quality Workmanship and How to Achieve It" will include slides, lots of quilts, and a discussion of the quiltmaking process, as well as the little ins and outs of how to achieve quality workmanship.

Shelly Gragg and Rebecca Lighthill
1st Vice President/Programs

Program Schedule 2003-2004

September 8, 2003

SALLY COLLINS

"Quality Workmanship and How to Achieve It"

October 13, 2003

SANDY TURNER

"I Love the Fabric but What Do You Do With It"

November 10, 2003

SUE NICKELS

"Machine Quilting for Today's Quilts"

January 12, 2004

PEGGY MARTIN

"Quick Strip Foundations"

February 9, 2004

PEARL PEREIRA

"Trunk Show"

March 9, 2004

SHARON SCHAMBER

"Trunk Show"

April 12, 2004

LURA SCHWARTS SMITH

"Journey of an Art Quilter"

May 10, 2004

MARGARET MILLER

"Never Use Two Fabrics When you Can Use Twenty"

DOOR PRIZES

It's hard to believe that September is just around the corner! We haven't neglected our duties this summer! We've been busy getting ready for the upcoming guild year. We will have an assortment of door prizes to tempt our guild friends.

We just want to take this opportunity to thank all of our generous benefactors for their door prize contributions. They never disappoint us. Also, thanks to all of you. We appreciate and enjoy the unexpected gift of knowing so many wonderful people!

As always, we welcome the opportunity to visit with all of our guild friends, so please stop by the door prize table and say hello (and don't forget to turn in your door prize tickets!)

Blessings –

Debbie Keener and Linda Wilcox
Door prize co-Chairs

**PHILANTHROPY**

Another year has gone by and I have volunteered to be the philanthropy chairperson. What I would like us to complete this year is simple. I would like everyone to bring in at least one quilt top, or completed quilt; one Christmas stocking; one placemat; and one muslin doll. If everyone did one of each of these, it would make a lot of people happy.

I will be offering a chance to win some fabric, book or some other quilt related thing. Each month, when you bring in something, your name will go in a basket. I will draw the winner of the item or items of the month and you will be a winner. Please, everyone, participate.

Thank you.

Sylvia Lovett
858-679-7898

2003-2004**Board Members/Committee Chairs**

President-----	Susie Martin (760) 788-5745
1st Vice President/Programs ----	Shelly Gragg/Rebecca Lighthill
2nd VP/Programs 2003-04-----	Trudy Cleveland/Sue Markum
Secretary -----	Kathy Pease
Treasurer -----	Susan Axelrod
Advertising -----	Roberta Russel
Banner-----	Debbie Kuczela
Block Exchange-----	Open
Block of the Month -----	Yvonne Gagne
Door Prizes-----	Debbie Keener/Linda Wilcox
Historian -----	Open
Library -----	Heidi Schlotfeldt/Buck & Alice Polk
Mailing-----	Mini Byrne/Leslie Aselis
Membership/Directory-----	Linda Kerridge/Sue Mezera
New Member Hostess-----	Janet Palmer
Newsletter -----	Pat Lawson
Opportunity of the Month -----	Open
Parliamentarian -----	Sue Mezera
Philanthropy-----	Sylvia Lovett
Public Relations/Media-----	Open
Quilt Events -----	Open
Quilt San Diego Liaison-----	Miriam Machell
Refreshments-----	Jennifer Ross
Round Robin-----	Mary Tabar
SCCQG -----	KarenDurst/Bobby Wright
SD Quilt Show-----	Debbie Keener/Linda Wilcox
Sharing-----	Lois Russell
Telephone Tree -----	Judi Judd
Ways & Means (Guild Store) -----	Lou Pennock



Ways and Means

Welcome back and I hope everyone had a great summer. The store is back in business. I received some donations over the summer but can always use more. Maybe you went on the Quilt Run and now need to make room for all that new fabric you bought. Maybe you just want to weed through your stash to give you an excuse to buy more. Whatever your reason, please remember the store for your donations. Thanks and I'll see you in September.

Lou Pennock
858-486-3282

Opportunity Quilt Ticket Sales Status

Special thanks to everyone who has helped sell tickets for the Opportunity Quilt. We have been doing a great job and as of July 31st we have earned \$1,756. After expenses we have net earnings of \$1,480.30.

Our next big event will be the San Diego Quilt Show at the end of August. And we'll have tickets for sale at each of the guild meetings until the raffle on December 8.

Remember to buy your tickets.

Thanks again for your support,
Your Opportunity Quilt Committee

QUILT SAN DIEGO/QUILT VISIONS

would like to remind all Friendship Quilters that THE FIBER OF CORONADO opens October 17, 2003 at the Coronado Historical Association Museum of History and Art. I am writing this article in July and the entry deadline of August 15 will have come and gone by the time you read this announcement. A very special Opening Reception is being planned and the event is free to QSD/QV members. If you need to renew your membership please contact QSD/QV by telephone at 858-484-5201 or e-mail visions@quiltvisions.org. We expect to have a wonderful exhibit of art quilts, many of which will be from our local artists.

Miriam L Machell
QSD/QV Liaison



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SUPPORT FOR PROGRAMING

Betty Alofs will be taping a segment for America Quilts Creatively with Sue Hauseman. The show will air in 2004, starting January. Currently our local PBS station does not carry any sewing shows and there are a lot of quilters and sewers in this area who would like to see America Quilts, Sewing with Shar Jorgenson, Nancy's Notions, the garment makers and sewing programs that used to be on - even Eleanor Burns! A write in campaign might just do the trick! Maybe with enough feedback from sewers and quilters, the programming directors for PBS may revive interest in purchasing and airing them again. If you would like to support this campaign, please send your request to:

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<u>Treasurer's Report for Summer 2003</u>		
Balance Forward - Cash in Checking Account as of 5/13/03		\$9,599.63
<u>Additional Deposits</u> (5/13/03 – 7/31/03)		
Advertising	\$440.00	
Membership	160.00	
Opportunity Quilt Ticket Sales	981.00	
Retreat Deposits	945.00	
Programs – Workshops	<u>130.00</u>	
Total Additional Deposits		\$2,656.00
<u>Income Breakdown</u> for 6/9/2003 Guild Meeting		
Library	\$ 5.50	
Membership Income – Year 2003–2004	760.00	
Opportunity Quilt 2003 Ticket Sales	197.00	
Programs – Workshop Deposits 2003-04	245.00	
Retreat Deposits	505.00	
Ways and Means – Silent Auction	<u>567.65</u>	
+Total Deposit for 6/10/2003		\$2,280.15
<u>Expenses</u> Paid by Category 5/12/03 – 7/31/03		
Administration	\$ 68.95	
Door Prizes	10.00	
Newsletter	295.51	
Opportunity Quilt 2003 Expenses	5.00	
Programs – Administration	106.65	
Programs – Travel	170.75	
Refreshments	60.30	
Rent	14.00	
Retreat	<u>4,426.99</u>	
-Total Expenses/Invoices Paid 5/13/03 - 7/31/03		<u>(5,158.15)</u>
Checking Account Total as of 7/31/03		\$ 9,377.63
Balance in Savings (CD) as of 7/22/03		11,614.51
Petty Cash Advances Outstanding		<u>40.00</u>
TOTAL ENDING BALANCE AS OF 7/31/03		<u>\$21,032.14</u>
Prepared by: Susan Axelrod, Treasurer July 31, 2003		

Friendship Quilters of San Diego Proposed Budget 2003 / 2004		
<u>Categories</u>	<u>Budget Expense</u>	<u>Budget Income</u>
Administration	\$ 165	
Advertising	50	\$650
Block Exchange	20	20
Block of the Month	80	450
Business, Professional	50	
Door Prizes	150	
Equipment	50	
Historian	100	
Insurance	550	
Interest/CD		175
Library	450	200
Membership/Directory	275	4,500
Newsletter	2,500	
Opportunity of the Month	600	
Philanthropy (includes Opp. Quilt)	300	1,500
Programs 2003-04		
Speaker Fees	2,300	
Transportation/Food	2,000	
Workshops	3,800	4,530
Program Admin.	100	
Programs 2004-05		
Program Admin	50	
Refreshments	200	
Rent	210	
Ways and Means (store & auction)	10	1,950
Savings	1,165	
TOTAL	<u>\$14,575</u>	<u>\$14,575</u>
Prepared by: 2002-2003 Board Members		

Membership

It is that time of year again. In June the NEW YEAR started so you have until October to renew!!! Otherwise you will miss out on the wonderful year that Shelly and Rebecca have worked so hard to plan for us. Please see Linda and me at the Membership booth for check in and renewal. Friends are also welcome.

Since we have last met, we have had three new members join us. Please look for and welcome **BARBARA PEDLOW**, **EMILY LAWHORN**, and **GAY STEINWEG**. SEE YOU AT THE MEMBERSHIP TABLE.

Sue Mezera, Membership Committee

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL 2003/2004

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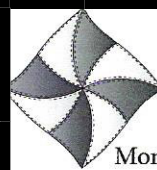
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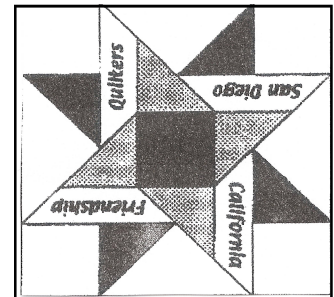
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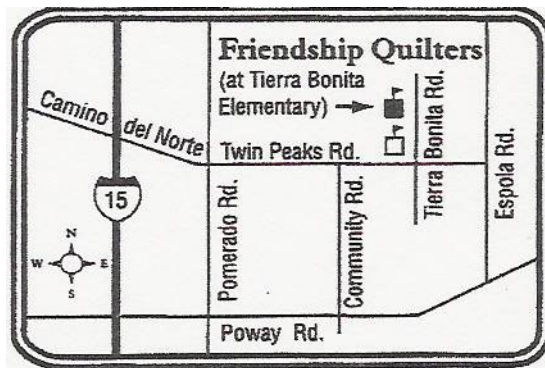


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Next Meeting:

Monday September 8, 2003
Tierra Bonita Elementary School

Doors open: 6:00 pm
Tables ready: 6:30 pm
Meeting Begins: 7:00 pm



CHECKLIST

WHAT TO BRING:

- ✓ Library Books
- ✓ Donations for the Guild Store
- ✓ Your own Mug
- ✓ Items for Sharing
- ✓ Your Name Tag.

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 on the second Monday of the month. They are usually held at Tierra Bonita Elementary School, Poway, CA. Annual membership is \$20 from June 1 to May 31 of the following year. At the January meeting, membership dues are reduced to \$10 for the remainder of the fiscal year. More information is available on the website: www.friendship.quilt.to. The **Patchwork Post** is published monthly for members and neighboring guilds. Comments and articles are always welcome and may be emailed to the editor. **Deadline is the Friday following the general meeting.** Editor is Pat Lawson: Pat.lawson@sharp.com (858) 672-2632. To advertise in the **Patchwork Post** contact Roberta Russel (xxx) xxx-xxxx. Articles in this newsletter may be reprinted if proper credit is given. Copyrighted artwork may not be reprinted without the written permission of the artist.