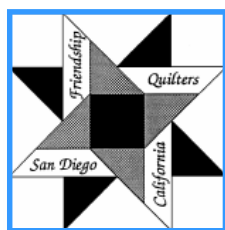


November 2007



Patchwork Post

Friendship Quilters of San Diego

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November Guild Presentation and Workshops With Joen Wolfrom

In other parts of the country, this time of year is when all the colors come out – don't you just love the change in seasons? Leaves are turning beautiful colors and falling off the trees. The weather is turning colder. Meanwhile, here in the San Diego area, we are still warm, weather-wise. But our colors are coming out, too, as we get ready to welcome the Color Expert in Quilting, Joen Wolfrom.



Our lecture this month is called: IT'S COLOR THAT MAKES THE QUILTS GO---WOW!!! Take a journey into the world of color, finding clues to basic color ideas and such wonderful illusions as luminosity, luster, depth, shadows, and highlights. Enjoy a slide show parade of eye-catching, show-stopping quilts that go WOW with color as you learn more about the magic of color. (This is a thinking, conceptual idea-based lecture.) This lecture is perfect for all levels of quilters...beginners and all of us who have trouble selecting the right colors and fabrics for our quilts. Visit Joen's website at <http://mplx.com/joenwolfrom/> for a look at her books and quilts.

The lecture begins sharply at 7:00 pm, but come early for a good seat as Joen is a very popular speaker. We will be meeting at Tierra Bonita Elementary School. Enjoy the meeting, look for inspiration, and socialize with other quilters.

Two workshops will be presented:

1. "Creative Color Choices" – lecture style half-day workshop. Learn from the color expert and improve your color choices. When: Monday, Nov. 12 (10am – 2pm) at Amidon Quiltworks. Student fee: \$25 (non-members \$5 more).
2. "A Celebration of Color" – lecture style full-day workshop. Are you apprehensive about selecting fabrics for your quilt projects? Learn how easy it is to pick the winning colors and fabrics for your future quilt projects. In this workshop, we'll practice with fabrics, finding the best color combinations to reinforce our learning. When: Tuesday, Nov. 13 (10 am – 4 pm) at Amidon Quiltworks. Student fee: \$45 (non-members \$5 more).

Joen gives quilters this advice: "I think it is wonderful to be as independent as possible in quilt making. Therefore, I am an advocate for every quilter learning how to draft patterns, becoming knowledgeable in design and color basics, and having strong practical sewing and quilting skills. This means taking classes, reading books, and practicing, practicing, practicing. In time, everything comes together naturally."

Susan Axelrod
Programs VP



Important Note: Our November meeting is at Tierra Bonita Elementary!

President's Message

Our November meeting is at Tierra Bonita Elementary at 14678 Tierra Bonita Road, Poway, CA 92064. Assuming all goes well in November, we will move to Tierra Bonita Elementary permanently. Continuing members know that our meetings were at this location for many years and that we moved over to Valley temporarily while the Tierra Bonita MPR room was under construction. Tierra Bonita's MPR room has reopened and is again available for our use. Contact me if you need more information.

Just as I was about to put this newsletter to bed, the devastating fires in SD County began. Like the rest of you, I have been glued to the TV for the past four days. Our guild is one of the most severely impacted by this tragedy. I have been in contact with a

few members. All have reported that they are safe at the moment but, sadly, some have lost their homes. It may be days or weeks before we know the full extent of the impact to our guild family. I pray that everyone is safe and my heart goes out to those who have lost their homes.

At this time, we plan to proceed with the November meeting and workshops. If anything changes, we will let you know. Take good care.

Debbie Keener [President]

Quilt in a Day Field Trip

December is almost here. Those of you who are signed up for the "Quilt In A Day Field Trip" should see Kathy at the Workshop Sign-Up table for your ticket at the November meeting. We will meet at ***Quilt In A Day*** on December 10th and the presentation will begin at 9:30 am. We should be finished by 3:00 pm. Everyone is looking forward to a great time with Eleanor Burns and her "**Magic Vines**" presentation. This event is full and there is a waiting list. If for any reason you can't attend, please contact us as soon as possible so we can move someone up from the waiting list. Carpooling is a good idea so let us know if you have room in your car to share a ride.

Susan Axelrod 760-787-1649 or Kathy Kudrawec 760-788-5544

Store

We will have the store open and will take any donations of fabric at the November meeting.

Julie and Ruth

Treasurers Report

Submitted by Cheryl Wilson

Friendship Quilters of San Diego Balance Sheet As of October 19, 2007

	Oct 19, 07
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Checking Friendship QOSD	17,481.45
Friendship Quilters of San Diego	14,102.29
Total Checking/Savings	31,583.74
Total Current Assets	31,583.74
TOTAL ASSETS	31,583.74
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	27,118.76
Retained Earnings	-1,761.41
Net Income	6,208.39
Total Equity	31,563.74
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	31,563.74

Door Prize Winners

1. Fabric from Timeless Treasures & quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, won by Mary Roundtree.
 2. Pin cushion kit from A Quilter's Dream, quilt pattern from Little Stitches, & 2 patterns from P & B Textiles, won by Stephanie Gragg.
 3. Water soluble stabilizer from Sulky of America, pin cushion kit from A Quilter's Dream, & quilt pattern from P & B Textiles, won by Lee Mary Heath.
 4. Quilt postcard collection from Piecemaker & quilt pattern from P & B Textiles, won by Susan Mugg.
 5. Portable calendar from Piecemakers, won by Marie Diederick.
 6. Portable calendar from Piecemakers, won by Lisa Mercurio.
 7. Portable calendar from Piecemakers, won by Lorraine Marstall.
 8. Xmas quilt book from Quilt in a Day & quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, won by Dee McClelland.
 9. 2007 quilt book and calendar, won by Susan Rolfsen.
 10. Six pack of thread from American & Efird, won by Leslie Aselis.
 11. Three flannel fat Q's & Flannel quilt book from Rosie's Calico Cupboard, won by Evelyn Rahlff.
 12. \$25 gift certificate from Wal-Mart Stores, won by Kris Mitchell.
 13. \$15 gift certificate from Material, won by Alice Polk.
 14. \$15 gift certificate from Material, won by Pat Wolfe.
- Submitted by Deanna Padilla



Philanthropy

What a wonderful turn out of people who tied the Lady Bug quilt made by Jean Nagy last month. We'll have another quilt to tie and one to clip at the November meeting. Also available will be (1) chemo hats (for Children's Hospital) and (2) doo-rags (for Children's Hospital), (3) wheel chair bags, and (4) quilt kits. If you wish to make your own quilt and machine quilt it, but would like batting for it, please contact Lee Olson (858-484-8665).

Please keep in mind that the guild always makes Christmas socks, so now is the time to start yours. We'll be collecting them in November and December for distribution.

The Block Orphanage will be back at the November meeting. Collect all your orphan blocks and donate them to Philanthropy....or make a quilt top from your orphans for guild.

We received 16 wheelchair bags, two quilts, 7 place-mats and 3 Christmas socks at the October meeting. We donated to Veteran's Hospital 21 wheel chair bags and 2 quilts in September. Most of these will be delivered early November.

Jean Nagy 858-613-8711

Lee Olson 858-484-8665

larrylee3986@sbcglobal.net

Refreshments

Thank you to everyone who brought goodies to share at the October meeting. I think the cooler weather has put a lot of people in the baking mood. Everything was really good. I sure hope it keeps up. This month we celebrate Thanksgiving and that's always a good time to share your favorite treat with your friends.

Thank you again for all that you do.

Lou Pennock



*** Newsletter Deadline

All submissions to the newsletter must be received no later than the Friday following the general guild meeting. This month's deadline is November 16th. Please email to the newsletter editor at keener80@cox.net.

*** Board Meeting

The November board meeting is Monday, November 5th @ 7:00 PM at the home of Dawnell Muecke. Please contact Debbie at keener80@cox.net to discuss a topic at the meeting.

Retreats

For those of you who could not make it to the October meeting, I want to make sure you know that the next retreat will be May 2-4, 2008 in Temecula. I will start taking sign-ups at the February 2008 meeting along with a \$25.00 deposit. I'm afraid the cost amounts for the retreat that I gave to Susan Axelrod to announce at the meeting were incorrect. The double room cost is \$195.00 and the single room cost is \$265.00. I forgot to add on the \$5.00 for the miscellaneous items provided by the guild. We have 26 spots this time so hopefully everyone who wants to go can. I encourage new members to come. It's a great way to meet people and get advice on a project (wanted or not) and we always have a great time.

See you at the meeting,

Lou Pennock

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 at Valley Elementary School, Poway, CA. Annual membership is \$25 from June 1 to May 31 of the following year. At the January meeting, membership dues are reduced to \$15 for the remainder of the fiscal year. Members who are not able to attend meetings or enjoy other 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 the website at

www.friendshipquilterssd.org.

The **Patchwork Post** is published monthly for members and neighboring guilds. Comments and articles are always welcome and may be mailed to the Newsletter Editor, Friendship Quilters, PO Box 1174, Poway, CA 92064 or sent to keener80@cox.net.

Deadline is the Friday following the general meeting. To advertise in the Patchwork Post, contact Diana Lott at djlott@gmail.com.

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Events Calendar

October 1, 2007-Jan 5, 2008: Art Quilts at the Adobe, Rancho Buena Vista Adobe Gallery, Vista

November 2-3, 2007. Fallbrook Quilt Guild Biennial Quilt Show. Fallbrook Presbyterian Church CAC, 463 S. Stage Coach Lane, Fallbrook, CA. \$6.00 adults, \$2.00 children 3-12, under 3 free. Quilt store/boutique, show pins, CD with quilts, vendors, food, demonstrations, Opportunity quilt 2007-2008, 200+ quilts. .For information: Sandy Scott, 760-723-5579, scott760760@hotmail.com

November 3, 2007: Quilt Auction—North County Quilters at Bates Nut Farm in Valley Center. Viewing and registration 8:30-10, live auction 10-12. Dozens of quilts from mini to bed size auctioned off live. Free admission and free bidding numbers. Silent auction baskets and other prizes include wine and gourmet snacks, sewing items, antique quilt, golf outing for four, Legoland tickets, and much more. Event coincides with Christmas at the Farm Arts and Crafts Fair and East County Cruisers Auto Show and Toy Drive. Fun for the whole family.

November 10, 2007. African American Quilters of Los Angeles Quilt Show at the Carson Recreation Center. One day show. Reflection of our Heritage, Quilting our past into the present. Featuring AAQLA's very own hand quilters and appliqué artists Blanch Jones, Vera Stewart, and Rosalee Watson. Carson Community Center, 3 Civic Plaza Drive, Carson, CA 90745. Saturday 9:00 am - 6:00 pm. Admission \$7.00. For more Info Call 323.493.6363

November 10, 2007. Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild Quilt Show.

November 10, 2007-Jan 13, 2008: Visions Members Juried Show, Visions Art Quilt Gallery (quiltvisions.org)

December 8, 2007: Pine Needles Quilt Guild Holiday Home Tour in Wrightwood.



Block of the Month

Thank you to Dawnell Muecke for “whacking” September’s block. We sold 13 sets, and even got them all back on time! The lucky winner of those blocks was Janet Haas, who predicted that she was getting close to winning, because she’s spent about \$140 so far on the monthly blocks. The last time she won, she had spent \$144. So, congratulations Janet!

Kim Szewczynski was the whacker for October’s block. We sold 17 sets, and would like to remind the buyers of those blocks to please turn them in at November’s meeting, or have someone turn them in for you if you’re not going to be there. The fabric used was part of Moda’s Fall Back in Time collection, and would look wonderful combined with other pieces of that line to make a pretty Fall quilt.

Ann Albertson has volunteered to provide November’s block for us, and we’re looking forward to seeing what she has prepared. Remember to bring an extra \$2.00 for your set of blocks!

We are still in need of a few more whackers for the upcoming year. We really need someone for December, so please think about it and let either Dawnell (858)663-6385 or Kim (760)473-1558 know as soon as possible. If you have any questions about the preparation involved, please call one of us and ask! We will be happy to fill you in!

November Birthdays

CHERYL WILSON	November 3
JUDY WAITE	November 4
CAROL BELL	November 5
MARIE DIEDERICK	November 6
JANET HAAS	November 7
TERRY SEABURG	November 12
DIANA LOTT	November 13
VALERIE GALL	November 14
CYNTHIA BRIGHT	November 15
JUDI JUDD	November 17
LINDA JANOVITZ	November 20
LOU PENNOCK	November 20
KIM SZEWCZYNSKI	November 21
JUDY COOKE	November 22
BARBARA FRIEDMAN	November 23
IRENE KING	November 27
SYLVIA LOVETT	November 29
JUDY HYATT	November 30
GAY STEINWEG	November 30



Happy Birthday! — Membership

Tips and Tricks

Seen on <http://www.quiltbug.com/tips.htm> — “I sew my label into the seam that sews on the binding. This way, there are only two sides to hand sew and it's more difficult for the label to be removed. I also started put my initials on the seam allowance of the binding. That way, if the quilt disappears and later reappears without the label, I can prove it's mine by simply undoing a few hand stitches.”

December Craft Tables

Sell your arts and crafts at the December Meeting/Potluck! Craft tables will again be available for rent, \$10 per table. Previous offerings have included art work, jewelry, clothing, and of course, quilts and quilt-related items. A sign up sheet will be circulated at the November meeting.



Thanksgiving Word Search

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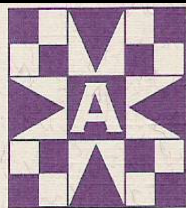
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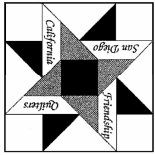
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Next General Meeting

November 12, 2007



- ☐ Name Tag
- ☐ Refreshments to Share
- ☐ Your Mug
- ☐ Library Books
- ☐ Donations for the Guild Store
- ☐ 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

**Important Location
Information Inside!**

**Friendship Quilters of San Diego
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