

Patchwork Post

Friendship Quilters of San Diego

Friendship Quilters of San Diego www.friendshipquilterssd.org Don Russell: Webmaster Debbie Keener: Editor

May Guild Presentation with Sharyn Craig

"Who Says Trees Have To Be Green?" is the name of the lecture to be presented by Sharyn Craig at our next guild meeting. Sharyn's lecture uses real quilts to introduce an innovative, playful approach to working with color. It has been three years since

Sharyn has visited our guild and we are thrilled to have her back to share her inspiration, education and **FUN** with us!

Sharyn lives in the San Diego area and has been quilting since 1978 and teaching quilting since 1980. She started as an adult

education teacher and since then has traveled nationally and internationally teaching and lecturing. Sharyn is also an author of many quilting books and may be best known for encouraging her students to be creative. You no longer have to just follow a pattern; you can make it your own. Sharyn takes the intimidation out of creating your own block settings

and helping with those tricky color choices. Come early to socialize with friends and enjoy the meeting which begins promptly at 7pm, Monday, May 12th at Tierra Bonita Elementary School in Poway. To see a gallery of quilts and more information visit www.sharyncraig.com.

Sharyn will present her workshop called "The Joy of Sets" on Tuesday, May, 13th from 10am – 4pm at Amidon Quiltworks. This is a "no sewing" workshop and the fee is \$45 for members. Note: Attendance at the Monday night guild meeting is a prerequisite for attendance at this workshop. For more information and the supply list, see our website at www.friendshipquiltersd.org. Contact Susan Axelrod (760-787-1649) or e-mail sewsalot@aol.com to signup.

Susan Axelrod Programs VP 2007-2008

President's Message

I hope you will plan to attend our meeting in May. We'll be voting to approve next year's budget (page 6) and to approve the slate of officers for next year (page 8). I'd like everyone to participate in these two activities, if possible.

Poway Unified facilities use continues to be a source of frustration for us. Please be patient as the board works through this. We want to do what is best for the safety of our members. Tierra Bonita's MPR room is available to us on May 12th, but is not available in June due to end of year school activities. We

are still looking for a location for June. Please be sure to check your June newsletter for the meeting location.

The membership renewal form is available on page 7. Everyone must fill out a form. Membership information must be updated yearly for insurance purposes, even for our Living Treasures who do not pay a membership fee.

And please to do what you can to support our fundraising activities — the Opportunity Quilt and the Auction. - Debbie Keener

The May 12th Guild meeting will be held at Tierra Bonita Elementary School, 14678 Tierra Bonita Road, Poway.

Tips and Tricks

If you enjoy scrap quilting as a way of using up your leftover fabric pieces, keep all the left-over lengths of binding. When you have enough saved up, sew them together to make a scrappy binding that's perfect for a scrap quilt. Sometimes I even use this method of making binding for quilts that are not scrap quilts, and only use scrap binding pieces in colors that coordinate with my quilt.

Happy quilting.

Deanna Padilla

Opportunity of the Month

We had a lively month at the Opportunity of the Month, and raised fifty-two dollars! Congratulations to Sylvia Ginsberg (paper-pieced flower blocks), Brenda Colia (felting book), and Leslie Aselis (pincushion).

Rebecca Lighthill

Refreshments

We certainly missed refreshments in April. Please bring something to share in May. Thanks.



July 4th Quilt Show at Old Poway Park

We hope you'll plan to join your fellow quilters on July 4th at Old Poway Park for Friendship Quilters' annual Quilt Show. Please consider volunteering to help and think about a quilt that we can display. Entry forms may be printed for you convenience. Additional entry forms will be available at the Guild meeting.

Friendship Quilters
4th of July Quilt Show

Quilt Name
Pieced by
Quilted by
Telephone number
Due to space constraints, some quilts may not be displayed.
DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE



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Door Prize Winners

- 1. Pin-cushion kit from A Quilter's Dream, quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, and fabric samples from Michael Miller, won by Shelly Gragg.
- 2. Pin-cushion kit from A Quilter's Dream, quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, and fabric samples from Michael Miller, won by Karen McCarty.
- 3. 2005 calendar quilt book from Piecemakers Designs, quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, & fabric samples from Michael Miller, won by Brenda Colia.
- 4. Fabric length from Michael Miller, quilt pattern from Little Stitches, & patterns from P & B Textiles, won by Wanzie Walley.
- 5. Fabric samples from Michael Miller, quilt patterns from P & B Textiles, & card and envelope from Piecemakers Designs, won by Yvonne Regala.
- 6. Perpetual calendar planner from Piecemakers Designs, won by Carol Young.
- 7. Quilt book from Art to Heart, won by Jan La Grone.
- 8. Fabric samples from Michael Miller & four spools of variegated thread, won by Liz Brookins.
- 9. Two fat quarters, thread, & other quilt notions from Rosie's Calico Cupboard, won by Mary Rozandal
- 10. Points & Curves quilt book from House of White Birches won by Susan Rolfsen
- 11. Encyclopedia of Quilting from Oxmoor House Publishing won by Candy Dalton
- 12. \$15 gift certificate from Material Possessions, won by Evelyn Rahlff.
- 13. \$15 gift certificate from Material Possessions, won by Sylvia Ginsberg.

Deanna Padilla



In Remembrance Memorial Day 2008

Store News

Thanks again to all our Patrons. It is so nice to see familiar and friendly faces every month. Our sales have been fantastic, thanks to all the wonderful donations.

We have several wooden spool holders for anyone looking for extra thread storage.

We are still accepting donations of anything sewing related items. Your discards will become someone else's treasurers.

May will be the last month for the store for this year. See you in May, bring your castoff and lots of change to spend. See you then.

Ruth, Julie

May Birthdays



SUE ALBRIGHT	May 2
EUNICE HEIDEMAN	May 2
SUSAN ROLFSEN	May 4
DARLENE ARMSTRONG	May 5
MARGARET MCKEE	May 10
BETTY ADAMS	May 11
EVELYN RAHLFF	May 11
LYN MARDESICH	May 11
SUSAN AXELROD	May 13
MIRIAM BYRNE	May 14
JOANNE LAVIOLETTE	May 20
DONNA HAMSON COONEY	May 22
MARYLYN PHILLIPS	May 23
MARY CASNER	May 24
JENNIFER ROSS	May 24

President's Challenge

President's Challenge participants—I know some of you are planning to have quilts done by June Please send me an email or give me a call and let me know so I know how many racks to bring to the June meeting. And remember — Ribbons will be awarded in the following categories.

Most Imaginative Use of Challenge Fabric

Most Creative/Artistic

Favorite Overall

Please call me at 619-561-9243 or send an email to keener80@cox.net to let me know that you will be entering a quilt.

If you have any questions or need more information, please contact me.

Thanks, Debbie Keener

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, typically 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 dilott@gmail.com.

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*** Newsletter Deadline

The deadline for submissions to this month's newsletter is Friday, May 16th. Please email to the newsletter editor at keener80@cox.net.

*** Board Meeting

This month's board meeting is Monday, May 5th @ 7:00 PM at the home of Cheryl Wilson. Please contact Debbie at keener80@cox.net to discuss a topic at the meeting.

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Events Calendar

Apr 4-May 25: Transformations 2007: Reverberations - Traveling juried exhibition of work by Studio Art Quilt Associates members. Website: www.quiltvisions.org

May 3-4: Camarillo Quilt Guild Quilt Show, Ventura County Fairgrounds, Seaside Park, 10 West Harbor Blvd, Ventura, CA.

May 3-4: TLC Quilters presents "Alice in Quilter Land" - A members' showcase of quilts. Vendors, silent auction, country store and much more! Saturday & Sunday, May 3 & 4, 2008. Email Contact: tlcquilters@yahoo.com.

May 8-10: Quilt, Craft and Sewing Festival, Del Mar Fairgrounds, sewing, quilting, needle-art and craft supply exhibits, workshops and seminars. www.quiltcraftsew.com.

May 16-17: Chula Vista Quilt Guild annual Quilt Show. Community Congregational Church, 276 F Street, Chula Vista. Donation \$5. Over 150 quilts including the Hoffman Challenge.

May 17-18: Antelope Valley Quilt Association 31st Annual Show, "Spring Splendor." Saturday, 10am-5pm. Sunday, 10am-4pm. Quilt Auction on Saturday at 1pm. Antelope Valley Fairgrounds, Eliopulos Pavilion, 2551 W. Avenue H, Lancaster, CA 93536. Admission \$7.00, husbands and children free. FMI 661-947-7604, 661-917-8746. Email Contact: jharrington66@earthlink.net. Website: www.avqa.org.

Jun 7-8: FantaSea of Quilts Quilt Show, Beach Cities Quilt Guild, Soka University Gymnasium 1 University Drive, Aliso Viejo, CA 92656 General Admission \$8.00. Saturday 1:00PM. www.beachcitiesquilters.org

Jul 25-27: DEBUT International Quilt Festival/Long Beach, Classes begin July 24, tours offered July 23. www.quilts.com.

Aug 28-30: 27th Annual San Diego Quilt Show. Entry deadline: May 29th, 2008. Entry form may be downloaded from www.sandiegoquiltshow.com.

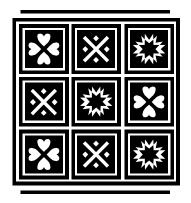
Note from Rosie: I will be launching my weekly radio show, worldwide, "Quilting with Rosie" on April 23, 2008 from 11 am to 12 noon Pacific time. The show will air weekly on Wednesdays from 11 am to 12 noon Pacific. Speak with me live on the air! Call toll-free 877-474-3302!

Treasurers Report

Submitted by Cheryl Wilson

Friendship Quilters of San Diego Balance Sheet As of April 24, 2008

	Apr 24, 08
ASSETS	
Current Assets Checking/Savings	
Checking Friendship QOSD	13,475.50
Friendship Quilters of San Dieg	14,438.17
Total Checking/Savings	27,913.67
Other Current Assets	
Prepaid Expense	100.00
Total Other Current Assets	100.00
Total Current Assets	28,013.67
TOTAL ASSETS	28,013.67
LIABILITIES & EQUITY Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	27,118.76
Retained Earnings	-1,761.41
Net Income	2,656.32
Total Equity	28,013.67
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	28,013.67



Friendship Quilters of San Diego Profit & Loss Budget Overview

June 2008 through May 2009

Budget Proposal—Submitted by members of the Board of Friendship Quilters

04/11/08 Accrual Basis

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	TOTAL		TOTAL
	Jun '08 - May 09		Jun '08 - May 09
Ordinary Income/Expense		Membership, Expense - Other	50.00
Income Advertisement, Income	400.00	Total Membership, Expense	265.00
Block of The Month, Income Membership Dues Miscellaneous Income Dec Mtg Craft Table Opportunity Quilt	300.00 3,900.00 30.00 600.00	Newsletter Postage and Delivery Printing and Copying Total Newsletter	500.00 1,500.00 2,000.00
Total Miscellaneous Income	630.00	Opportunity, Expense	
Opportunity, Income President's Challenge Income	200.00 40.00	Opportunity Quilt Expense Total Opportunity, Expense	300.00
Programs, Income Workshop Attendees	5,225.00	Philanthropy Expenses President's Challenge Expenses	50.00 100.00
Total Programs, Income Ways and Means, Auction, Income Ways and Means, Store, Income	5,225.00 5,000.00 400.00	Programs Expense Administration Hospitality and Travel Costs Speaker Fee	115.00 3,750.00 2,750.00
Total Income	16,095.00	Speaker Workshop and Fees	5,650.00
Expense		Total Programs Expense	12,265.00
Administration Equipment Internet Services Office Supplies Postage	50.00 130.00 55.00 55.00	Quilt Show Events Refreshments, Expense Ways and Means, Auction, Expens Ways and Means, Store, Expense	50.00 100.00 500.00 100.00
Printing	55.00	Total Expense	17,941.00
Total Administration	345.00	Net Ordinary Income	-1,846.00
Block of The Month, Expense Door Prizes, Expense Office Supplies Postage Door Prizes, Expense - Other	50.00 50.00 41.00 75.00	Other Income/Expense Other Income Interest Income Total Other Income	350.00 350.00
Total Door Prizes, Expense	166.00	Not Other Income	252.00
Insurance Fidelity Bond Floater Insurance Liability Insurance	100.00 120.00 980.00	Net Other Income Net Income	-1,496.00
Total Insurance	1,200.00		
Library Expense Membership, Expense Directory Printing Misc. printing costs New Member Expenses	450.00 65.00 50.00 100.00		

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FRIENDSHIP QUILTERS OF SAN DIEGO

Date:	Application Year: 2008/2009			
Name (please print):				
Address:				
City:				
Telephone:	Birthday (Month & Day)			
Living Treasure: 75 or older yes (Membership form required, fee waived)				
Newsletter – Please circle one (default is	for Online copy)	: Online / Mailed		
E-Mail (print clearly):				
Dues amount: \$25.00 Make check payable	e to: Friendship	Quilters		
Bring completed form	and dues to next	meeting or mail to:		
Friendship Quilters,	PO Box 1174, Po	oway, CA 92074-1174		

Philanthropy

We had a very successful "March Madness" quilt day on March 29 with 18 quilts either ready for tying or almost ready!

Our second quilt day of 2008, "Tie 1 On" will be Saturday, May 31 at Penasquitos Lutheran Church, 14484 Penasquitos Drive from 9 am to 1 pm. We will have at least 18 quilts to tie, so please come one and all to make quick work of this philanthropy event. A light breakfast will be served with plenty of coffee.

MAY GUILD meeting - May 12th. Lee and Jean will be cruising Central America ...thinking of new ideas to keep you busy! So at the May meeting look for Lorraine Marstall at the Philanthropy sign and turn in your items (quilts, placemats, wheelchair bags, etc.) to her.

At the June guild meeting, we will display all the quilts finished at the "Tie 1 On" day.

Thanks again for those who came to the first quilt work day in March and also to all of you who have been supporting our activities this year by donating quilts, quilt tops, wheel chair bags, placemats, chemo scarves, and do rags.

Donations made in February and March To:

Children's Hospital - 9 quilt

Meals on Wheels -24 placemats, 2 wheel chair bags, 6 quilts

Veterans Hospital – 4 quilts, 5 wheel chair bags

Navy Hospital – 3 quilts

Received from Guild Members during April:

13 Quilt tops with backs, 4 completed quilts. 1 wheelchair bag, and 8 placemats. Many thanks.

Jean Nagy, 858-613-8711 or Lee Olson, 858-484-8665

FRIENDSHIP QUILTERS OFFICE AND CHAIR CANDIDATES (2008-2009)

OFFICE / CHAIR	CANDIDATE[S]		OFFICE / CHAIR	CANDIDATE[S]
PRESIDENT	SUSAN AXELROD		OPPORTUNITY OF THE MONTH	REBECCA LIGHTHILL
PRESIDENT-ELECT		OPPORTUNITY QUILT		
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2 ND VICE PRESIDENT	DAWNELL MUECKE, KIM SZEWCZYNSKI		PHILANTHROPY	LEE OLSON, JEAN NAGY
SECRETARY	MARY CASNER		PUBLIC RELATIONS/MEDIA	
TREASURER	CHERYL WILSON		QUILT EVENTS	
ADVERTISING	DEBBIE KEENER		QUILT SAN DIEGO LIAISON	
BANNER	DEB TAIT		REFRESHMENTS	LOU PENNOCK
BLOCK OF THE MONTH	DIANA LOTT		RETREAT COORDINATOR	LOU PENNOCK, LOIS RUSSELL
BLOCK EXCHANGE			ROUND ROBIN	
DOOR PRIZES	DEANNA PADILLA, LOIS RUSSELL		sccqG	MARY TABAR
HISTORIAN			SHARING	SHELLY GRAGG
LIBRARIAN	YVONNE GAGNE, HOLLY TORREZ		TELEPHONE TREE	
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MEMBERSHIP & DIRECTORY	FRANCINE NADEY, CAROL GEISING		WAYS AND MEANS – AUCTION	CANDICE DALTON
NEW MEMBER HOSTESS	KATHY KUDRAWEC		WEBMASTER	DON AND LOIS RUSSELL
NEWSLETTER	DEBBIE KEENER			

Nominations may be made from the floor at the May Guild meeting, providing you have the approval of the nominee. The Slate of Officers will be voted in this month. Voting will be by a show of hands.







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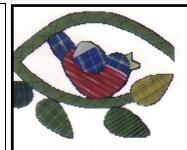
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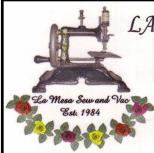
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May 2008

Next General Meeting

May 12, 2008

- □ 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

Friendship Quilters of San Diego will meet at Tierra Bonita Elementary School in May

14678 Tierra Bonita Road Poway, CA 92064 (858) 748-8540

