

Patchwork Post

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Speakers & Workshops at a Glance:

Annie Smith

Lecture/Meeting: September 11, 2017

Workshop: Tuesday 9/12/2017

Linda Pohlenz

Lecture/Meeting: October 9, 2017

Workshops: Saturday 10/14/2017

Mickey Depre

Lecture/Meeting: November 13, 2017

Workshop: Monday 11/13/2017

Shelley Swanland

Lecture/Meeting: January 8, 2018

Workshop: Sunday 1/7/2018

Ann Turley

Lecture/Meeting: February 12, 2018

Workshop: Saturday. 2/17/2018

Sylvia Davis

Lecture/Meeting: April 16, 2018

Workshop: Tuesday. 4/17/2018

Mike McNamara

Lecture/Meeting: May 14, 2018

Workshop: Tuesday 5/15/2018

President's Message

Wow! What a wonderful lecture and workshop with Sylvia Davis. She is so creative and energetic and makes things fun. We spent a great day with her at the workshop and will have unique designs to show off at the next meeting.

Speaking of which, remember that we are meeting at Meadowbrook Middle School. It is just off Pomerado Road a few blocks north of Poway Road. We will be in the MPR, which is close to the front of the school. Same schedule as before, just a new place.

Mike, Mac, McNamara is coming in May and promises to be a lively and entertaining speaker. His quilts are a riot of color and design, a playground for the eyes. So be sure to come to our next meeting.

Lastly, be sure to come to vote on the change to the bylaws concerning treasurer bonding and reflecting what our guild actually does. We will also vote on the proposed budget for the 2018-2019 guild year. Check it out in this newsletter and come to the May meeting for any discussion AND to vote.

It's a busy time and there is still a lot to do. I hope to see everyone on May 14, so we can visit, vote, and enjoy our speaker.

Keep on quilting!
 Charleen

May 14 Guild Meeting is at:
Meadowbrook Middle School
12320 Meadowbrook Ln, Poway

Meetings

Board Meeting

Monday, May 7, 6:30 pm at

Home of Ruth O'Neil

Guild Meeting:

2nd Monday of the month

(Sept—June) 7 PM,



2017/2018 Board

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| President | Charleen Renne |
| President Elect | Candy Mittag |
| Secretary | Colleen McCune |
| Treasurer | Barb Dacy |
| 1st VP for Programs | Mary Tabar |
| 2nd VP for Programs | Jerre Mayer |
| Workshop Assistant | OPEN |
| Membership | Michele Cassidy & Grace Steinway |
| Philanthropy | Ruth O'Neil & Karla Seyb-Stockton |
| Librarians | Holly Torres, Yvonne Gagne |
| Hospitality | Laura Martin |
| Sharing/Photographer | Dianne Decker-Houser |
| Webmaster | Shelly Gragg |
| Newsletter Editor | Gloria Mauno |
| Parliamentarian | Suzy Weinbach |
| UFO Challenge | Elaine Swatniki, Marilyn Garner |
| Opportunity of the Month | Sue Busch |
| Opportunity Quilt | Emma Castor |
| Retreats | Colleen McCune, Ninnette Turner |
| Media/PR/Advertising | Dianne Decker-Houser |
| Phone Tree/4th of July | Margaret Byrne |
| Banner Custodian | Marilyn Garner |
| Mailing | Amy Wazny |
| New Member Hostess | OPEN |
| Door Prizes | Everyone! |

Membership

Our current membership is 118 members. We had 60 members in attendance for our meeting in April.

Please bring your membership form and payment for 2018-2019 .

Thanks! Michele and Grace

Library News

Our May meeting will be held at a different school - but we still expect to have tables available for our Library!

This will be the last time in this guild year that we will bring books to be checked out. Please e-mail Yvonne or Holly if you have any books that you would like to reserve for the May meeting and we will be happy to bring them to the meeting for you.

The June meeting is when we collect all the outstanding books so we are ready for the "dreaded" summer inventory.

A Big THANK YOU to everyone who purchased books from our little "Shop In The Light" book sale table!! We earned an additional \$39.00 for new books. Please let us know if you have any suggestions for new titles to be added to our library.

On a co-incidental note....we checked out 39 library books!!

We have been creating an ARCHIVE LIBRARY of books that are quilting classics. These books are stored separately and they are grouped together as follows - with a few examples of each group:

FAMOUS QUILTERS - Ginny Beyer, Kaffe Fassett, Ruth McDowell, Ricky Tims

GENRES/TECHNIQUES - Applique, Borders, Cathedral Windows, Hawaiian Quilting, Log Cabins, Paper Piecing

RESEARCH - Civil War, Color Theory, Museum Collections

These books are available to you anytime - but they do not come to the meetings on a rotating basis. We have prepared special ARCHIVE lists which are on the Library Table for your review. Please stop by our table and take a look - or call either Yvonne or Holly if you have any questions or ideas about this endeavor.

We would also be happy to e-mail the ARCHIVE list to you - just let us know!

See you at the Library Table,

Yvonne Gagne

Marilyn Kirschen

Holly Torrez

Opportunity of the Month

Thank you to all that participated in the drawings and Silent Auction this month. It is always fun to give away prizes to the lucky winners. The winners this month were, Charlene, Carol, Karla and Cookie. I appreciate all the donations that you bring me to make this event happen every month.

If you have any suggestions for items you would think would be fun for the containers to have included, please stop by my table and offer your ideas. I like to supplement the patterns, book and fabric with tools and other fun stuff. Our budget is limited but any great ideas are always welcome.

Sue Busch

Programs

April 16th, Sylvia Davis lectured at our guild meeting. How fun! She talked about using ethnic fabrics in our quilts. One tip is to change our needle often, some foreign manufacturing of fabrics use a lot of finishes on fabric. Informal balance is having the center block, off center by having more borders on two sides of the quilt. She uses a lot of different fabrics and says use what ever works for your project. She loves to use flanges around the outer border, and says this is like a mat for a picture. Sylvia taught "Do the Twist" Tuesday at Paradise Sewing. Sylvia talked about working on her PhD, we were all so impressed with her dedication to the quilting world. She is working on Projects Half Done!

This coming month, May 14th Mike McNamara is speaking to us. His lecture is called "Meaning, Metaphor and Humor in Quilt Making". The workshop is the next day, Tuesday May 15th. Please be sure to join us for his lecture and trunk show. Mike likes to be called "Mac", his workshop called "Out-of-the Block Techniques in Machine Piecing" will help us improve our piecing skills.

Mary Tabar
1st VP for Programs

Treasury Report

In April 2018 we deposited income of \$3624.24, and paid expenses of \$1428.01. Any additional monies paid or received during the remainder of April will be included in the May totals.

Barb Dacy
Interim Treasurer



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

FRIENDSHIP QUILTERS OF SAN DIEGO

Date: _____

Name (please print) _____ New / Renewal (circle one)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Birthday (Month & Day) _____

Living Treasures: 75 or older _____ Yes (form required, fee is waived after one year of paid dues)

E-mail (print clearly) _____

Dues amount: \$35.00

Make check payable to: Friendship Quilters of S.D.

Bring completed form & dues to meeting, or mail to:

Friendship Quilters of S.D.—Membership

P.O. Box 1174

Poway, Ca 92074

Dues amount: **\$35.00**

Make check payable to: **Friendship Quilters**

Upcoming Events

Chula Vista Quilters Guild Annual Quilt Show and Vendor/Craft Mall

May 18 and 19, 10am - 4pm

\$5.00 Donation

276 F St, Chula Vista

Community Congregational Church: ENTER AT THE BACK NEAR THE INTERSECTION of Church & Center

Over 150 quilts (including the Hoffman Challenge), CVQG Boutique w/handcrafted item for sale, Vendor/Craft Mall, door prizes, etc.

San Diego County Fair

It's time to enter your creations in the Home & Hobby competitions at the San Diego County Fair this year. The Entry deadline for most competitions is May 11, 2018. **All entrants receive a free Fair Ticket** (a savings of \$19) and an opportunity to see what other people in their field of interest are doing.

Registration can be completed online at <https://sdfair.com/>



Philanthropy

April was a productive month for Friendship quilters! I delivered:

- 18 placemats and six wheel chair bags to Meals on Wheels
- 6 quilts to Quilts Beyond Borders
- 10 Quilts to Elizabeth Hospice
- 2 quilts to Project Linus
- 5 Kid Comfort quilts to Armed Forces YMCA
- 8 pillow cases to Ryan's Case for Smiles (formerly ConKerr Cancer).

Wow! That will be a hard act to follow! But we can try, can't we! It is so very satisfying to create a beautiful quilt or placemat and know that it will bring joy and comfort to the recipient.

Keep up the good work!

Ruth O'Neil
Philanthropy

May Birthdays

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| ALBRIGHT | SUE | 2 |
| MARDESICH | LYN | 11 |
| MARTIN | LAURA | 14 |
| MC CUNE | COLLEEN | 19 |
| HEGWOOD | MONDY | 20 |
| LAVIOLETTE | JOANNE | 20 |
| SMITH | BARBARA JEAN | 24 |
| NORRIS | BARBARA | 25 |
| MANNING | CYNTHIA | 30 |



Proposed Budget June 2018 - May 2019

Friendship Quilters of SD Proposed Budget Allowances 2018-2019

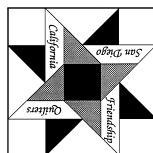
Income

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| Advertising | \$ | 350.00 |
| Library | \$ | 249.00 |
| Membership Dues | \$ | 4,200.00 |
| Miscellaneous | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| Opportunity Quilt | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| Opportunity of Month | \$ | 730.00 |
| Programs/Workshops | \$ | 2,840.00 |
| Quilt Show Event | \$ | 267.00 |
| Loot Locker | \$ | 250.00 |
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| | \$ | 12,886.00 |

Expenses

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| Operations/Copies/Admin | \$ | 200.00 |
| Website | \$ | 125.00 |
| Rent | \$ | 500.00 |
| Insurance | \$ | 1,300.00 |
| Storage | \$ | 1,296.00 |
| Library | \$ | 250.00 |
| Membership | \$ | 100.00 |
| Dues (SCCQG) | \$ | 40.00 |
| Opportunity of Month | \$ | 150.00 |
| Opportunity Quilt | \$ | 500.00 |
| Philanthropy | \$ | 100.00 |
| Programs/Workshops | \$ | 8,000.00 |
| Quilt Show Events | \$ | 200.00 |
| Refreshments | \$ | 75.00 |
| Donations/Gifts | | |
| (Service Recognition) | \$ | 50.00 |
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| | \$ | 12,886.00 |

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Poway, CA 92074-1174



Next General Meeting

May 14, 2018

- ☐ Name Tag
- ☐ Library Books
- ☐ Items for Sharing
- ☐ Birthday Door Prizes

Doors Open 6:30pm



Paradise Sewing

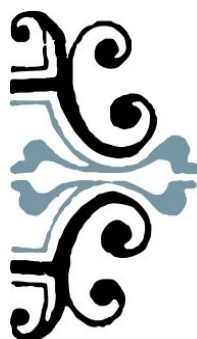
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12320 Meadowbrook Ln, Poway**