

Coast Lines
Newsletter for Coastal Quilters of Santa Barbara

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This Month:

February 14th Mtg.

- » Wear name tags
- » Return Library books

February 21st Board Meeting

at Maravilla (in the craft room)

February 23rd Deadline

Newsletter articles due for March edition

February 2008 Program

Our February artist, Deana Hartman, comes to us from Gardner, Kansas, and her specialty is quilt embellishment. She uses all kinds and sizes of beads (and other things, like buttons) to add depth, color, and pizzazz to her art quilts and fabric projects. Her lecture is entitled Confessions of a Bead Freak, and describes her journey from adding "just a few" beads to designing and creating whole projects around embellishment. On the Friday following the Guild meeting, Deana will teach a workshop called "The Need to Bead." In it she will teach us the beading techniques and stitches used to add all kinds of embellishments to our quilt, clothing, pillow, or wall art. Check out her website at http:// www.chameleonquilts.com.

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Harvest of Colors Quilt Show

Saturday, October 4 and Sunday, October 5 are red letter days. Mark them on your calendar, for these are the days of our next Harvest of Color Quilt Show at Earl Warren Showgrounds. Save these days so you can fully enjoy the show. Plan trips, parties, weddings, birthdays and anniversaries for some other weekend! Allow yourself plenty of time to wallow in the joys of the show. You've probably been thinking about what jobs you'd like to do for the show. Let me encourage you to sign up quickly, as some of the plum jobs are being snapped up. But there are still some spaces available for you to work: admissions, white glove, security, featured artist, and security. If you'd like to work before and/or after the show, there are some spots left still in set up and take down. If you don't want to wait for the next guild meeting to sign

up for your first choice of a job, please email me at rich.jo.dovgin@verizon.net

JoAnn Dovgin

Boutique! Boutique! Boutique!

Are you working and working getting ready for the boutique that will be in the 2008 Quilt Show? We have a wonderful space for all of your fantastic creations! Everyone will pass by our special spot and you will want to be a part of our Coastal Quilter's Boutique. It is a way to make some money and to show your creative abilities. So, join us at the boutique...

Questions: Call Marilyn Osgood (687-4994) or Evelyn Gorrindo (687-2170)

President's Message

It's February and beading time with Deanna Hartmann.... our Valentine's Day present to ourselves.

Hopefully, our community quilts are in the finishing stages and we can turn our full attention to our show quilts. Each of our Harvest of Colors shows have attracted more visitors than the previous show so we have to work even harder to show them just how good we are.

We received a very nice thank you note from Mrs. Ochs who brought the Santa Maria Opportunity Quilt to us in December. We have been invited to take ours to their Guild.

Darilyn Kisch and her committee are hard at work lining up the 2008-09 Board and Committees. Give them your full attention so you can choose the position you will most enjoy. Quilters are, by nature, a giving group, so I know she can count on your support. The job descriptions are up to date so you will know exactly what is expected of each position

Welcome New Members:

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- Karin Cooper

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Not filled

Outreach:

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JUNE 2008 CHALLENGE—THE FOUR SEASONS

- 1. Use the phrase "The Four Seasons" as your inspiration and take off from there.
- 2. Your creation must be a quilt: two layers of cloth enclosing a third layer, held together by a stitched design. Embellish it any way you like.
- 3. You must use at least three different colors in your piece, using lights and darks so that there will be at least seven gradations in the final project. If you want to use additional colors, that's great.
- 4. Your quilt may be as small as you wish. It should not exceed 72 inches along any one side, and its total outside measurement must be 144 inches or less. The finished piece may be any shape.
- 5. Submit one entry per person or group.
- 6. Label your quilt. Include your name, the name of the quilt (if you give it one), and perhaps something about your inspiration and/or the techniques you used.
- 7. Attach a four-inch hanging sleeve.

Remember, this year the Challenge is in June.

Questions? Phone me, Gail Tinsley, at 685-7222 or email me at *darkcat-press@yahoo.com*.

July Meeting is a Silent Auction

Our Guild meeting in July is a Silent Auction, a great favorite of our members. Bring in items that you want to get rid of, and see the Guild benefit from your cleaned out closets and stash! If you have a big (fancy, expensive, large, or really cool) item to donate, please let us know ahead of time so it can be publicized in the newsletter and at the Guild meeting.

We need a chairman for this event, or a Satellite group who wants to take on the task of running the Auction. Please contact Peter Glatz, Future Programs, or Susan Carty, Current Programs, if you want to know more about this event. Rules need to be established (eg; no junque), and publicity needs to go out. Let us know who you are and if you're willing to help!



Future Programs

March 2008 Meeting & Workshop:

Our March speaker and workshop presenter is **Lujean Seagal** from Thousand Oaks. Lujean's lecture is called *Having Fun with Color and Design*, and will show us how colors and components interact to create vibrant, dramatic, and powerful visual effects in your quilts. Her workshop on the Friday after the Guild meeting is all about *Color and Design*. She will introduce us to a color workbook dealing with the fundamentals of color, and then we will design a colorwash nine-patch quilt, focusing on color and value. Sounds great, doesn't it?

April 2008 Meeting and Workshop:

The April meeting and workshop will feature **Karen Boutte**, a fabulous quilt and wearable arts designer. Her Guild presentation is *African American Quilts and Quilters*, and her workshop is an *Easy Art Jacket*. She has a book out called Delightful Diva Designs: Wonderful Whimsical Wearables. Check out her website at www.karenboutte.com and you will see some of her beautiful work!

May 2008 Meeting and Workshop:

In May we will hear about another different and creative quilter, **Bonnie Lyn McCaffery**. Bonnie's specialty is incorporating painted faces into her quilts. She transfers a very recognizable face from a guideline drawing under the fabric to the quilt itself. Check out her website at http://bonniemccaffery.com and you can see the results! Her workshop will help us learn the technique so we can create portrait quilts ourselves.

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Events Around California

South Bay Quilters Guild Quilt Show

Saturday, February 16, 2008 10 AM to 5 PM Sunday, February 17, 2008 10AM to 4 PM.

Torrance Cultural Arts Center

3341 Civic Center Drive Torrance, CA.

Small Quilt Auction at 1:00 pm, Sunday. Visit our merchant mall and/or stop and shop at the Quilters Marketplace.

Website: www.southbayquiltersguild.org

Friendship Square Quilt Guild presents "Quilted Treasures"

Saturday, March 1, 2008 10 AM to 5 PM Sunday, March 2 17, 2008 10AM to 4 PM. Admission: \$6

La Habra Community Center 101 W. La Habra Blvd. La Habra, CA 90631 (corner of La Habra Blvd. and Euclid St.)

This is a new location. Show was previously held in Buena Park.

The show will feature a large display of handmade quilts, Opportunity Quilt- "Nature's Garden" adapted from designs by Ellen Heck, Merchant Mall, Silent Auction, Boutique, as well as small opportunity quilts to benefit the Susan G. Komen Foundation. Opportunity quilt drawings will be held Sunday at 3p.m. Free Parking - look for the balloon signs. Strollers permitted on Sunday only.

Website: www.friendshipsquarequiltguild.com

Glendale Quilt Guild Quilt Show

Friday, March 28, 2008 10 AM - 6 PM Saturday, March 29, 2008 10 AM - 6 PM Sunday, March 30, 2008 10 AM - 4 PM

Burbank Marriot 2500 Hollywood Way (The Burbank Hilton Hotel is now called the Burbank Airport Marriott Hotel & Convention Center.)

Workshops: register at www.glendalequiltguild.org.

Email Contact: quiltsquiltsquilts@yahoo.com Website: www.glendalequiltguild.org

Seven Sisters Quilt Show

Saturday, April 26., 2008 9 AM - 5 PM Sunday April 27, 2008 9 AM - 4 PM

Alex Madonna Expo Center

100 Madonna Road, San Louis Obispo, CA

For more info. www.AQGCC.org

Camarillo Quilters Association "Quilting by the Sea – 2008"

Friday, May 2, 2008 - Gala - 6:30 PM -9 PM \$25 Saturday, May 3, 2008 10 AM - 5 PM Sunday, May 4, 2008 10 AM - 4 PM Regular Show admission \$7.00

Ventura County Fairgrounds

(San Miguel hall - Commercial Building)

200 Quilts, Challenge,"Pillow talk," 24 Vendors and Guild Boutique

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

Antelope Valley Quilt Association 31st Annual Show, "Spring Splendor."

Saturday, May 17, 2008 10 AM - 5 PM Sunday, May 18, 2008 10 AM - 4 PM Admission \$7.00, husbands and children free.

Quilt Auction on Saturday at 1pm.

Antelope Valley Fairgrounds

Eliopulos Pavilion 2551 W. Avenue H

Lancaster, CA 93536. FMI 661-947-7604, 661-917-8746

Email Contact: jharrington66@earthlink.net

Website: www.avqa.org

Library News

Check them out—some 25 new titles have been added! Hot off the presses are: Laurel Burch Legends, Ricky Tims' Rhapsody Quilts, Ruth B. McDowell's Piecing Workshop, Mariner's Compass Stars (Doak), Piece by Piece Machine Applique (Schamber), A Modern Mix: Machine & Hand Quilting (Shackelford), Art of Fabric Books (Smiley), and Fig Tree Quilts: Houses (Figueroa). ABCs of Longarm Quilting (Barry) covers quilting on short-arm and domestic machines too, while "Thimblelady", Liuxin Newman teaches Perfect Hand Quilting Without Pain on her DVD. Did you see the amazing "La Belle Rouge" at PIQF? Make your own Delft-tile inspired appliqué quilt with Dutch Treat (Garden).

We've also added a few donated treasures, including Show Me How to Paper Piece (Doak), Quilts from Nature (Colvin), Appliquilt in the Cabin (White), The Nursery Rhyme Quilt (Kaster), Traditional Quilts to Paper Piece (Derksen), A New Turn on Drunkard's Path (Suit), Sunbonnet Sue (Nownes), Flavor Quilts for Kids to Make (Amor), and Classic English Medallion Quilts (Havig).

Thanks for your book donations and for returning any outstanding library books!

Community Quilts

Have you seen the beautiful quilts that have been lovingly created for Transition House? You can participate too. Come on back and see all the various kinds of lovely fabrics we've gathered together into kits for you. And, yes, we have new kits! We also still have Warm and Natural batting pieces which can be quilted up to 10" apart!

THE QUILTS ARE NOT DUE UNTIL THE JUNE MEETING, so there is still plenty of time to make your own contribution to this worthy cause.

Perhaps you do not have the time to do the whole quilt yourself. Why not pair up with a friend and have a party doing it? This is a really fun activity for SATEL-LITE GROUPS, as you can divide the procedue among the members to create a few quilts and have fun in the process.

January's Lucky Door Prize Winners

- » Heather Georgakis
- » Elizabeth Hensgen
- » Darilyn Kish
- » Marty Froli
- » Marilyn Kisch
- » Patty Latourell

Please remember to support our local vendors. Without them, we wouldn't have these lovely prizes. And, thank you for participating in the Door Prize Drawings.

> Celeste White 964-6362 Door Prize Chair

A Big Thank You to Our Donors!

Barons Craft Essentials Grant House Santa Barbara Quilting Retreats Various Guild Member's Donations

Don't want to do the quilting? Nancy King has kindly volunteered to quilt Transition House quilts for her setup cost of only \$45.00! Give her a call at 687-2063.

We still have copies of quilt designs for your inspiration.

Come see us at the February meeting.

Questions? Call or e-mail us:

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Jean Faison:

569-1548 • foxyfaison@verizon.net

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March Block of the Month: Collection Jar

This is a fun block that uses novelty print fabric.

Select your favorite "collection" fabric of bugs, food, toys, etc.

It will be hard to make just one!

All seams 1/4"

Novelty print fabric: (jar body)

8 ½" x 5 ½" rectangle

Background fabric: white or med/light green. Make sure this is not a busy print or it will conflict with the jar contents.

6 – 1 ½" squares

2 – 1 ½" x 7 ½" strips

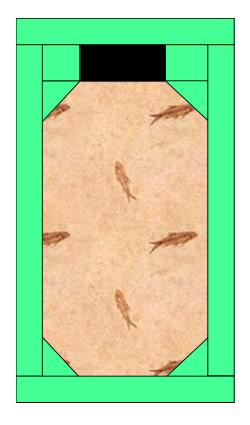
2 – 1 ½" x 9 ½" strips

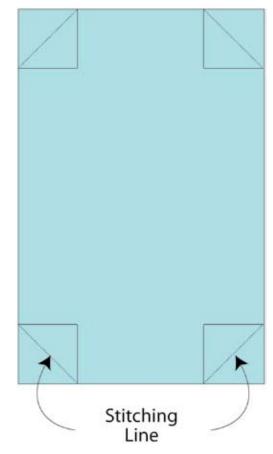
Jar lid: gold, silver, or brown fabric

1 ½" x 3 ½" strip

Instructions:

- 1. Draw a diagonal line on 4 of the 1 ½" background squares
- 2. Place squares on corners of jar body right sides together as shown. Stitch along drawn line and press. You may trim seam if desired.
- 3. Sew remaining 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares to either end of the jar lid strip. Press
- 4. Sew jar lid to jar body
- 5. Sew 9 ½" background strips to sides of jar, press
- 6. Sew 7 ½" background strips to top and bottom, press





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Quilting Resources

Antique Quilt Dating Guide— By Style

Written by Kimberly Wulfert www.antiquequiltdatingguides.com 805.649.1821

Baron's Fabrics

Discount to Members 379 Carmen Road Camarillo, CA 93010 www.baronsewfab.com 805.482.9848

Craft Essentials

Discount to Members 187 South Turnpike Santa Barbara, CA 93111 805.681.3115

The Creation Station Fabric & Quilt Shop

Classes, Retreats and Online Shopping
Dawn and Patrick Farrier, owners
Large selection of cotton solids/prints
and flannels all priced at \$5 per yard.
252 East Hwy 246, Unit A
Buellton, CA 93427
www.thecreationstation.com
805.693.0174

Creative Memories

members
Professional assistance by Juli Shulem.
Create albums to show off your quilts,
etc. using photo-safe albums and supplies

Free one hour private assistance to

www.mycmsite.com/sites/jshulem 805.964.2389

Fine Fabrics of Santa Barbara

26 West Anapamu Street Santa Barbara, CA 93101 FineFabrics.com 805.966.2488

Grant House Sewing Machines

Discount to Members & Classes Offered 5152-A Hollister Avenue (Magnolia Shopping Center) Santa Barbara, CA 93111 www.granthousesewingmachines. com/805.967.3680

Linda Karppinen

Quilt Appraisals qalinkarp1@aol.com 805.563.2063

Nancy King

Santa Barbara Custom Quilting www.sbcustomquilting.com 805.687.2063

Quilt Ventura

Stash Card & Classes Offered 4572 Telephone Road Ventura. CA 93003 www.quiltventura.com 805.658.9800

Santa Barbara Quilting Retreats

Cathe Hedrick P.O. Box 91429 Santa Barbara, CA 93190-1429 www.santabarbaraquiltingretreats. com 805.899.3947

Susan Italo/Wild Onion Studio

Custom Long-arm Machine Quilting, Wearable Art, Wild Onion Jacket Pattern www.wildonionstudio.com http://wildonionstudio.wordpress.com Susan@Wildonionstudio.com (805) 746-0186

Treasure Hunt

Discount to Members 919 Maple Ave. Carpinteria, CA 93013 www.carpinteriaquilts.com 805.684.3360

If you are a member of the Coastal Quilters Guild and have products or services relating to quilts, you can be listed in this section of our news-letter. Your listing is free, and special attention will be paid to members offering discounts, "stash" cards, classes or sale events. Please send your information to Juli Shulem, Newsletter Editor, 713 Cathedral Pointe Lane, Santa Barbara, CA 93111 or email jshulem@aol.com.

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Coastal Quilters Guild Inc

http://www.coastalquilters.org

Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara and Goleta is a nonprofit, educational and charitable organization. The purpose of the Guild is to educate its members about the history and perservation of the art form of quilting and its related topics; to learn new techniques and improve skills; and to inform the community at large about our quilt making heritage.

Guild Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at:

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 4575 Auhay, Santa Barbara, CA

This Month's Meeting

February 14th, 2008 7:00 p.m..

Next Month's Meeting

March 13th, 2008 7:00 p.m.

Please carpool, parking is somewhat limited.

Please pick up your Guild Directory at the meeting. They will not be mailed this year.

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