

# COMSTLINES

NEWSLETTER FOR CONSTAL QUILTERS OF SANTA DARDARA

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# This Month: April 9th Meeting

- » Wear name tags
- » Bring
  - » Show & Tell
  - » BOM
  - » \$ for SPECIAL QUILT door prize
- » Turn in completed community quilts
- » Return library books

#### **November & December**

birthdays bring refreshments

#### Board Meeting April 16th



## SATURDAY Apr. 18 Newsletter Deadline

Newsletter articles due for May edition

Send to *Mary Ballard* m.ballard0103@gmail.com

### **April Meeting Program**



#### Shelley Swanland April 9 "Cathedral Windows and So Much More"

Our April 2015 speaker, Shelley Swanland, is a popular speaker and teacher with a number of guilds. She has long been fascinated with the "Cathedral Window" technique. She reports that she always wanted to do the Cathedral Window technique, and she collected many books on the subject. However, when she discovered that this technique has historically been an intensive hand-quilting technique she was discouraged. Then Shelley developed her own method of

machine stitching this technique, and she hit a home run! She has published books and appeared on media events demonstrating her unique technique. Shelley will be presenting a trunk show of her various quilts duing the meeting. In the workshop, she will teach participants how to machine stitch the Cathedral Window pattern.



# Workshop: Friday, April 10 Cathedral Window Sampler

Learn to make a Cathedral Window quilt completely by machine using three-dimensional piecing. First learn the basic elements, squares, triangles, an X block and an O block. Then put it all together in the Cathedral Window section. Quilting will be thoroughly explained. Kits will be available for purchase (optional). Pattern required - \$5 for workshop participants.

**Door Prize News:** Something new for a door prize. During the April meeting we will present a quilt made by our Sewphistocats group instead of the usual baskets.

This is a lovely springtime quilt made by all the members of the satellite group and beautifully quilted by Marty Frolli. Perhaps you saw it at this year's quilt show. **Chances will be** the usual \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.

Come see this lovely quilt and take a chance.

Jean McCaffrey and Barb Postma
 Co-Chairs

**Refreshments:** If you have a November or December birthday, please bring a snack to share. Remember anyone can bring refreshments. Just put them on the kitchencounter.

Thanks for bringing refreshments for March meeting: Chris Allen, Toni Percival, Barbara Aspen, Marilyn Kisch, Eileen Tufankian, Rochelle Schneider, Doris Gillman, Marian Jones, Pat Shewczyk, Carol Barringer



#### From the President's Desk

Spring is officially here. Does it feel any different? I have spring quilting studio cleaning/organizing coming up. It has gotten to the point I can hardly sew. That is very hard. I love to quilt. I am taking the next workshop and I hope you are too. It should be a lot of fun.

We just got through letting everyone know we would be doing community quilt sewing on Thursday afternoons. Now we have to change that. Our use of the room was for the organizing of the cradle quilt kits. Now that we have completed the kits we will not be using that space on Thursday afternoons. If we have another big project come up, we may use it again.

There is not much time left for challenge quilts, so now is the time to be working on them. I cannot wait to see them. Our guild has such wonderful imaginations.

I'll see you at the next meeting.

- Bonnie Epperson, President

#### **Library News**

All the Guild's Quilt Books have been re-categorized by subjects. The next step is to put them on the Guild's website under Authors and Subjects for easy finding. A book sale of duplicate quilt books and other assorted books will be held in July during the members potluck. Start saving your dollar bills. As an aside, the Remnant Store on East Victoria Street is now carrying Guterman Thread in many colors. The display is a beauty to behold.

- Michelle, Pam and Kathy

#### **Elections are Near!**

You, too, can have a say in the decisions that determine how the Guild is managed!

Join our wonderful volunteers (that includes you!) on the Guild Board for the 2015-2016 year.

We have the following openings for officers:

Treasurer
Recording Secretary
Corresponding Secretary
Parliamentarian

In addition, many committee chair positions are open this year. Take a look at the handbook and select the position(s) that you would be interested in filling. Then call me or email me with your selection! 805-563-0633 or mmax3@me.com

- Mary Maxwell, Parliamentarian

## A Few Favorite Things

#### Important dates for the Challenge:

May 14th – Entries collected

June 11th – Challenge viewing and voting

July 9th – Entries returned

Sew for Fun,

Darilyn Kisch (689-1480)

Co-chair with Debbie Haeberle (968-4779)

#### Coastal Quilt Guild 2014-2015 Board and Committee Chairs

#### **BOARD**

President: Bonnie Epperson

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Julie Mock

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Ringer

Membership: Sue Kadner

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#### **COMMITTEES**

2014 Quilt Show: Irelle Beatie

**2015 Challenge:** Debbi Haeberle, Darilyn

Kisch

Block of the Month: Bee Saunders, Elaine

Rottman

**Community Quilts:** Marian Jones

Door Prizes: Jean McCaffrey and Barb

Postma

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Garbarino

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Mary Ringer

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Opportunity Quilt: **VACANT Refreshments:** Sherran Cressall

Satellite Group Coordinator: Chris Allen

**Sunshine:** Dee Johnson **Webmaster:** Bonnie Barber

Welcome: Dee Johnson, Debbi Haeberle

SCCQG Representative: VACANT

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### **Future Programs**





#### Rami Kim May 14 "Folded Fabric Elegance"

This lecture focuses on Rami's book "Folded Fabric Elegance" about 3-dimensional textures. She brings most of the samples in the

book and shares stories behind the creating process and publishing. You can see the real things to examine quintessence of quilts, wearables, bags and home-decor items as pillows & table runners.

# Workshop: May 15 The 5th Dimension

Go beyond traditional 3-D. In this technique workshop you will learn five of the exotic and unusual methods that are the trademark of Rami's award winning work including hexagon and biscuit chopkey, mirror-imaged continuously folded prairie points, harlequin tucks, North American hand smocking and lined prairie points. This workshop could be the answer to those who wish to know about adding 3-dimensional textures and a lot more extra touches to art-to-wear and quilts. www.ramikim.com

#### **Guild Challenge: June 11**

A Few Favorite Things



Our quilt challenge gives you an opportunity to have fun showing a new piece of clothing that you created. Or could your favorite thing be the love of quilting, or a book, or the detail of your favorite animal? Add a quilted heart and now you have met the challenge!

Sew for Fun,

Darilyn Kisch (689-1480)

Co-chair with Debbie Haeberle (968-4779)

# July 9 Member Potluck & Library Sale





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by contacting
Sue Kadner at cqq4email@cox.net.

The membership directory is provided to facilitate guild business. It is issued only to Coastal Quilters Guild members for their personal convenience.

Other uses must be approved by the Coastal Quilters Guild Board of Directors.

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#### **Coastal Quilters Honors Veterans**

You can participate too. On **Saturday, June 13** Community Quilts will have a Sew For Veterans at the Goleta Community Center. There are many ways for you to participate.

Here are a few:

- Come and sew on June 13
- Make and donate a red, white, and blue 12 ½"x 12 ½" block
- Make and donate a 6 ½"x 6 ½" half-square triangles R/w or B/w
- Donate tonal fabric to make sashing, borders, binding or fabric for backing
- Quilt or bind a quilt
- Encourage your satellite group members and friends to participate too
- Bring all contributions to Community Quilts

We have so many deserving veterans and their hearts and bodies are warmed by the quilts we can make. Let's let them know how much we appreciate their service to our country. If we each do something, it will amount to a great many quilts.

#### -Community Quilts Committee



#### **Transportation Opportunity**

If you haven't been attending guild meetings because you don't have transportation or need to ride share, please let us know. We have members who are happy to help. You will find a list of volunteers on our web site. Phone numbers and email addresses are available in our directory. You may also call Bonnie Epperson (805) 964-5814 or Mary Ringer (805) 964-7906 who will help you connect with transportation volunteers.

We have many exciting programs planned. We still have sharing, library, community quilts, block of the month, opportunity baskets, and treasure table. We have workshop sign ups, a stunning new opportunity quilt, and refreshments are back.

Come and join the fun. You have been missed!

#### **Looking For A Fun Project?**

The Guild has approximately 300 pins (see picture) that were originally made for the 2012 Quilt Show. Since they are dated, they can not be used as is, but we believe that one of our creative members might be able to come up with a fun project; otherwise they go off to be recycled.



If you have an idea, send an email to Sue Kadner at sgkadner@yahoo.com and she will get in touch with you.

#### **A Treasure**

It's more than a coverlet, More than a spread, This beautiful quilt That graces my bed.

It's laughter and sorrow, It's pleasure and pain, It's small bits and pieces Of sunshine and rain.

It's a bright panorama Of scraps of my life-It's moments of glory, It's moments of strife.

It's a story I cherish
Of days that have been,
It's a door I can open
To live them again.

Yes, it's more than a cover, This much-treasured quilt, It's parts pieced together Of the life I have built.

#### -Mildred Hatfield

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#### **EVENTS AROUND CALIFORNIA**

#### **Man-Made: Contemporary Male Quilters**

Jan 25 - May 3, 2015

The work of artists Joe Cunningham, Luke Haynes,
Jimmy McBride, Aaron McIntosh, Dan Olfe, Joel Otterson,
Shawn Quinlan and Ben Verorn.
Craft and Folk Art Museum
5814 Wilshire Blvd, Los Angeles
Admission \$5 to \$7
www.cafam.org

## Unconventional and Unexpected: Quilts Below the Radar, 1950-2000

February 14 – May 16, 2015 Wed – Sun, 11am – 5pm Sonoma Valley Museum of Art 551 Broadway Sonoma, CA www.svma.org

## The Best Of The Valley A Regional Show of Quilts and Cloth Dolls

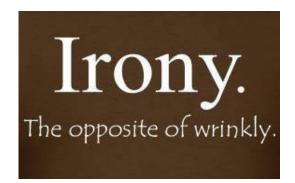
April 10-12, 2015
McDermont Field House
365 N. Sweet Brier
Lindsay, CA 93247
www.mcdermontfieldhouse.com

#### **Quilting in the Valley Quilt Show**

May 2-3, 2015 Airtel Plaza Conference Center 7277 Valjean Avenue, Van Nuys, CA 91406 www.quiltinginthevalleyshow.com

# 37th Annual Quilt Show presented by Antelope Valley Quilt Association (AVQA)

May 16-17, 2015 AV Fairgrounds 2551 W Ave H Lancaster, CA 93536 www.avqa.org



#### ROAD TRIPS...

#### Grab your quilting buddies and plan a fun weekend!

#### Paducah, Kentucky AQS Quilt Week

April 22-25, 2015

http://www.paducah.travel/quilting/aqs-quilt-show/

#### **2015 Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show**

July, 2015
Sisters, Oregon
Registration opens February 1
http://sistersoutdoorquiltshow.org



# Central Coast Quilt Shop Tour *May 29-31, 2015*

#### The Quiltery

Paso Robles, CA 93446

#### **Quilters Cupboard**

Atascadero, CA 93422

#### **Sew Fun**

Atascadero, CA 93422

#### **The Cotton Ball**

Morro Bay, CA 93442

#### **Betty's Fabrics**

San Luis Obispo, 93401

#### **Quiltin' Cousins**

Pismo Beach, CA 93449

#### **Betty's Fabrics**

Santa Maria, CA 93454

#### **Old Town Quilt Shop**

Orcutt, CA 93455

#### Roxanne's A Wish and a Dream

Carpinteria, CA 93013

#### Superbuzzy

Ventura, CA 93001

#### **Quilt Ventura**

Ventura, CA 93003

www.quiltshopsofthecentralcoast.com



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## **FOUR SQUARE**

# May 2015 | Block of the Month Coastal Quilters Guild

Bee Saunders designed this block that reminds us of a foursquare playground game. Enjoy recess time while you sew this block of the month.





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#### **FABRICS**

**Background:** Kona ash grey background - provided at April meeting

**Squares:** Small-scale prints or solids in pairs of **red**, **yellow**, **black**, and **white**. Use <u>four different</u> fabrics in the block.

#### **CUTTING**

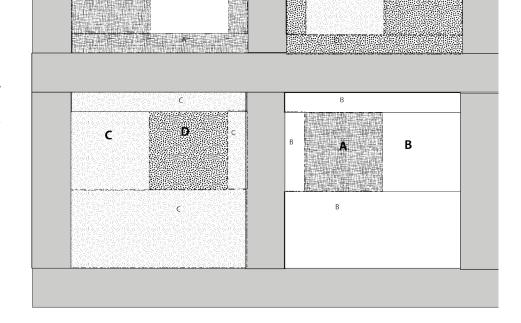
**Grey** fabric - from the provided rectangle, cut **lengthwise** strips:

Cut 3 strips 1-1/2" x 12-1/2" Cut 6 strips 1-1/2" x 5"

## A, B, C, D - Red, Yellow, Black and White

#### From each fabric, cut:

2-1/2" x 2-1/2" square (2) 1" x 2-1/2" (1) 2"-1/2" x 5" (1) 1" x 5" (1)



#### **CONSTRUCTION**

Use 1/4" seam allowances. Press seams open to make block lie flat.

- 1. Follow piecing diagram.
- 2. Trim the block to  $12-1/2'' \times 12-1/2''$ , being sure the square is centered at the 6-1/4'' mark.

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### **Quilting Resources**

#### Art & Jenny's Sewing Machine Center

Authorized Janome Dealer - Service of most brands. Sewing supplies only, no fabric for sale 2124 E. Thompson Blvd. Ventura, CA 93001-2725 805.643.8536

#### **The Creation Station**

#### **Fabric & Quilt Shop**

Classes, Retreats and Online Shopping
Dawn and Patrick Farrier, owners
Large selection of cotton solids/prints and flannels.
Authorized Janome dealer.
252 East Hwy 246, Unit A
Buellton, CA 93427
www.thecreationstation.com
805.693.0174

#### Marty Frolli: White Daisy Quilts

Edge to edge machine quilting service. Many pantograph designs available. *mafrolli@cox.net* 805.968.4781

#### **Ranell Hansen**

#### **Around The Block Quilting Studio**

Custom Machine Quilting Quilting and Sewing Classes LLENAR.NESNAH@gmail.com 805.684.7042

#### **Cathe Hedrick**

#### **Santa Barbara Quilting Retreats**

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

#### **Grant House Sewing Machine**

New Hours: Tuesday - Friday 10-5:30 Saturday: 10-1 336 E. Cota St., Suite B, Santa Barbara, CA www.granthousesewingmachines.com ghsewingmachines@gmail.com 805.962.0929

#### **Nancy King**

#### Santa Barbara Custom Quilting

Many designs to finish your quilts beautifully. Large quilts, small quilts, get them done! Prompt turnaround. www.sbcustomquilting.com 805.687.2063

#### **Ouilt Ventura**

Stash Card & Classes 4572 Telephone, Ste. 908 Ventura, CA 93003 www.quiltventura.com 805.658.9800

#### **Judy Rys designs**

Hand Dyed Fabric, Silk Scarves, Photo Note Cards, Fiber Art Postcards

Shop: www.etsy.com/shop/JudyRysdesigns

Blog: www.judyrys.blogspot.com

805.698.3128

#### Roxanne's A Wish and A Dream

A whimsical store filled with everything for quilting, knitting, needlework and gifts. Not only will you find fabrics, books, yarns and classes, you will have experience in artful living.

919 Maple Ave., Carpinteria, CA 93013

Roxannequilts.com 805.566.1250

### April Birthdays

Birthday wishes go out to the following members:

| Laura Perry           | Apr 05 |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Roxanne Barbieri      | Apr 05 |
| Nancy King            | Apr 05 |
| Margaret Kocimski     | Apr 08 |
| Juli Newhoff Shulem   | Apr 10 |
| Ruth Walters          | Apr 12 |
| Elizabeth Shasberger* | Apr 12 |
| Kathy Rose            | Apr 13 |
| Maryann Huggins       | Apr 13 |
| Janet Woodard         | Apr 17 |
| Margaret Dear         | Apr 18 |
| Jean McCaffrey        | Apr 19 |
| Susan Sharkey*        | Apr 19 |
| Karen Pickford        | Apr 20 |
| Louise Salgado        | Apr 20 |
| Carol Drescher        | Apr 21 |
| Linda Kriss           | Apr 21 |
| Elaine Rottman        | Apr 25 |
| Paula Whited          | Apr 25 |
| Paulette Ley          | Apr 26 |
| Rosanne Puff*         | Apr 26 |
| Linda Karppinen       | Apr 27 |
| Gwendolyn Jeter       | Apr 27 |
| Diana Hamilton        | Apr 27 |
| Darilyn Kisch         | Apr 28 |
| Gladys Brown          | Apr 28 |
| Sherran Cressall      | Apr 28 |
| * New members         |        |

\* New members

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Thursday of each month at: Guild meetings are held on the second

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

4575 Auhay, Santa Barbara, CA

Phis Month's Meeting

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(Doors open at 6:30 p.m.)

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Vext Month's Meeting

Please carpool, parking is somewhat limited.

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

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