

Coastlines

Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara & Goleta, California

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February Speaker: "Anything But Cotton"

Mary Wood Tabar, fiber artist, quilter, and teacher will be our February speaker. Her slideshow presentation topics will include the manufacture and use of many different fabrics used in her designs and quilts.

Mary was born in Hannibal, Missouri where her Mother was employed by The Singer Sewing Machine Company. Mary was working with sewing machines at the age of 4 and by 6 years old she was doing crewel embroidery. She has had a variety of sewing experiences from making Madam Alexander antique doll clothes in New York City to making Renaissance costumes in San Diego. She graduated from Truman State University in Kirksville, Missouri with a B.S. in Industrial Technology and a minor in Graphic Arts. Later she received her Teaching Credential from CSU San Market Chapter and Cap Riego.

Marcos. She has taught quilting classes at Palomar College and San Diego Community College which included surface design, dyeing, and fabric embellishment. She also teaches children at local sewing shops.

Mary's award-winning quilts have been exhibited at Road to California, Paducah, Nashville, PIQF and many other shows. Some of her quilts have traveled around the world! Her work and articles have been published in American Quilters Society and Professional Quilter. Her quilt, Virtual Rose, was on the cover of the 2009 AQS Art Quilt Calendar. She has been a member of the Studio Art Quilt Associates for 9 years.

Mary has designed and published a set of appliqué patterns based on "Notan" designs called "Snip & Flip" which will be available for purchase at the meeting. She will donate 10% of the sales back to our guild. We all win!

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Board and Committee Info

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Www.marytabar.com/. It's a new year and it may be time to think outside of the box, be more creative and learn new techniques to incorporate into your quilting repertoire. Sign up soon and join us for this fun learning experience!

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Message SAVE THE DATE! - March 8th and 9th, 2018—"Value of VALUE"

Our March 8th speaker, Grace Errea, will give a workshop on March 9th on how to turn good quilts into amazing quilts by understanding the very important art element of VALUE. Her class will provide an overview of color harmony, color theory, psychology of color and expressive aspects of color and

6 VALUE. Please join us—let your creative juices flow and release the artist within! www.amazingquiltsbygrace.com

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BOM Pattern

Carole Kennedy, Speaker Liaison

February Birthdays

Isabel Downs	2nd
Barbara Runyon	6th
Julie Mock	7th
Kathleen F Simpson	7th
Paige Moore	8th
Penny Valentine	11th
Mary Faria	15th
Lucy Stephenson	18th
Raven Waterfall*	21st
Betty Kelley	24th
Liz Turner	24th
Joan Buss	26th
Suzy Pelovsky	29th

* New Member



Refreshments

Roses are red, violets are blue, be a real sweetheart--bring some good snacks with you.

Oui Needanew, Refreshment Chair

Newsletter Deadline

is the Sunday after the Board Meeting Questions or Submissions: cggeditor@gmail.com

Reminder

If you change your address, phone or email address, please notify the Guild at cgginfo@gmail.com.

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Opportunity Quilt Tickets

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Monthly Meeting—2nd Thursday, 7 pm St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church 4575 Auhay, SB, CA 93110

Board Meeting— 3rd Thursday, 6:30 pm Maravilla Craft Room, 5486 Calle Real, SB 93111

Workshops as Scheduled Goleta Valley Community Center 5679 Hollister, Goleta, CA 93117

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President's Message

The year begins on a sad note. For some of us, just surviving the flood was a challenge. For others, it is the change in our daily routine and the freedom to drive south when we felt like it. Coping with our community 's biggest disaster can come in many forms. Talking to others about your feelings and/or seeking professional help is a great way to relieve stress. Some people cope better by doing something (taking action). Donate your time, and/or make a quilt. There will be lots of children who have survived this ordeal who will need to be comforted. I hope you will find peace and the assurance that our community will survive this.

Linda Boynton de Sepulveda, *President*

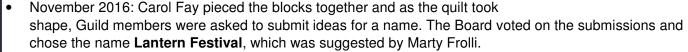
Lantern Festival Finds a Good Home

We are thrilled to announce the 2017 Opportunity Quilt was won by Marilyn Martin, a longtime Guild member; our congratulations to her. If you didn't win and would like to make it yourself, please send an email to Sue Kadner and she'll send you a copy of the pattern. This quilt was such a collaborative effort by so many of our Guild members that we'd like to give you the history and credit all who helped produce it:

- January 2016: a small committee was formed; Guild members asked to submit ideas for the 2017 design.
- May 2016: design chosen based on a quilt originally designed by Kathy Hamada that appeared in the Spring 2014 Better Homes & Garden Quilt Magazine.
- August 2016: members asked to donate one or two batik fat quarters in the medium value colors of aqua, purple, green or orange; off-whites, batting and backing were purchased.
- September 2016: Marty Frolli and Sue Kadner made squares, testing the pattern. Carol Fay cut strips and coordinated the efforts of the following members who each made a set of four blocks:

Mary Ringer Marilyn Martin Patty Hunter
Betty Kelley Gretchen Beckert Kathy Draine
Darilyn Kisch Mary Maxwell Diane Moore

Irelle Beatie Linda Estrada Mona Escobar Ornelas



- January 2017: Susan Bullington Katz took the quilt off to be quilted and what an amazing job. Carol Fay finished it off with a mitered facing and made a quilt cover using leftover blocks.
- March 2017: Quilt was finished it took approximately one year and tickets were ordered.
- January 2018: Raffle held delayed because December meeting cancelled due to Thomas fire. Guild made approximately \$2750 after expenses.

In addition to giving credit to all those who were involved, we want to mention that it is not too early to start working on the 2019 quilt. If there is a satellite group – or just a group of friends – who would like to take this on, Carol and I are available for consultation and, as you have read, it is very easy to get people to help out if the project is divided up into small parts. Our thanks to one and all.

Sue Kadner and Carol Fay, Opportunity Quilts







Challenge Quilts Due in March!

April will soon be "busting out all over", and that means it's time to finish your Challenge quilts—with the theme "Musical Memories – A Song From My High School Years."

Quilts will be accepted at the March 8 Guild meeting; the final deadline is the end of March.

Entry forms and guidelines are available on the Guild website and we will have a few entry forms at the March meeting if you are unable to print out your own.

On March 8 (from 6 p.m.) we will accept your entry form and Challenge quilt in the small room next to the church kitchen. If you can't turn your quilt in March 8, you may bring it any Wednesday to the Goleta Valley Community Center Room 2 between 9 a.m. and noon. A committee member will be there to accept your entry.

If these options do not work for you, please contact a committee member to arrange drop-off during March. (See guidelines for contact info.)

If you will be unable to retrieve your entry at the close of the April meeting: the entry form has a receipt on which you may designate an alternate to pick up your quilt. Your alternate will need to present the receipt to take your entry.

We look forward to a great turnout, and we hope that you're having fun traveling down memory lane and listening to some great music with lyrics that we can all understand!

Your Challenge Committee

Quilter's 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 805-643-8536

The Creation Station—Fabric and Quilt Shop

Large selection of cotton solids/prints/and flannels. Authorized Janome dealer. 252 East Hwy. 246, Unit A, Buellton, CA 93427 805-693-0174 www.thecreationstation.com

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 805-899-3947

www.santabarbaraquiltingretreats.com

Nancy King—Santa Barbara Custom Quilting

Many designs to finish your quilts beautifully. Large quilts, get them done! Prompt turnaround. www.sbcustomquilting.com 805-687-2063

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New Hours: M-F 10-5:30, Sat. 10-3 336 E. Cota St. Suite B, Santa Barbara, CA 805-962-0929 www.granthousesewingmachines.com ghsewingmachine@gmail.com

Roxanne's A Wish & A Dream

A whimsical store filled with everything for quilting, knitting, needlework, and gifts. You'll find fabrics, books, yarns and classes, & fun! 919 Maple Ave., Carpentaria, CA 93013 805-566-1250 roxannequilts.com

Santa Maria Sewing Superstore, Inc.

127 E Main Street Santa Maria, CA 93454 www.santamariasewing.com 805-922-1784

Norah McMeeking

20% off my 5-star class "Precision Machine Piecing" www.craftsy.com/ext/NorahMcMeeking_168_H Guild classes & Workshops: norah@bellabellaquilts.com



CQG/DAYSIES - DAYS FOR GIRLS SEW DAY

Saturday March 3rd 9 am – 3 pm Goleta Valley Community Center Rooms 1 and 2

We will be working on shields to be included in the Days for Girls feminine hygiene

Bring sewing machine and basic sewing supplies. All fabrics will be provided. \$10 toward room rent. Snacks provided. Bring lunch or plan to go out. To sign up, contact: Marty Frolli 968-4781.

Marty Frolli, Days for Girls Satellite Group

Events Around California

SAQA Exhibition – 64 Art Quilts

California Heritage Museum 2612 Main Street Santa Monica <u>californiaheritagemuseum.org</u> December 9, 2017-March 18, 2018

Wed.-Sun. 11-4

San Jose Quilt Museum

January 20-April 15, 2018 520 So. 1st St. San Jose <u>sjquiltmuseum.org</u> Wed.-Fri. 11-4

wed.-Fri. 11-4 Sat.-Sun. 11-3

Three new exhibits: traditional/ ethnic textiles; fabric sculpture; human hair embellishments.

Valley Quilters Guild Quilt Show

Valley-Wide Recreation Center, 901 West Esplanade, San Jacinto

February 9-10, 10-4

South Bay Quilters Guild Quilt Show

Torrance Cultural Arts Center 3330 Civic Center Drive, Torrance February 17-18, 10-4

Quiltcon West

Pasadena Convention Center 300 E Green St, Pasadena February 22-24, 10-6 February 25, 10-4

Friendship Square Quilt Guild Show

La Habra Community Center 101 W. La Habra Blvd. La Habra

March 10, 10-5; March 11, 10-4

Quilting by the Sea 2018

Camarillo Quilters Association Ventura County Fairgrounds April 13, 10-5: April 14 9-3

In Memoriam

We remember these members who have passed away in recent months:

Mariel Hawel Judith Nybakken Carol Stanton Ing Welker

Sue Orfila, Corresponding Secretary

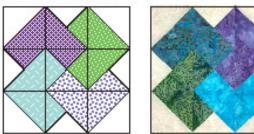
Recruiting for Refreshments

Ginny Lawless, who has done a wonderful job as Refreshment Chair for the past 18 months, is moving out of the area and this means we are looking for a new person to take on the responsibilities.

Primarily, the job entails coming up with a scheme for members to bring refreshments and then coordinating the kitchen and clean up. Also helping with the July picnic and the December party plus a few other details.

If you are interested, please contact Pammie Mickelson at pammie@me.com.

Card Tricks 12" Finished Block



March 2018 Coastal Quilters Guild Block of the Month

Cutting Batik white, cream or light gray:

Cut 2 (4-7/8") squares and cut diagonally once. Cut 1 (5-1/4") square and cut diagonally in both directions.

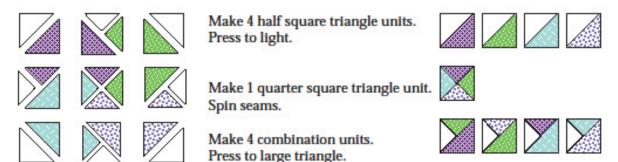
Cards: Batik medium prints of blue, green, blue-green, aqua, lavender, purple.

For each card:

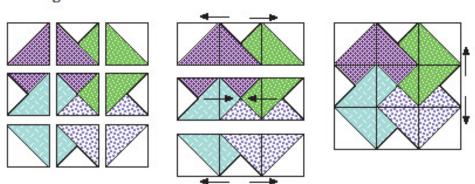
Cut 1 (4-7/8") square and cut diagonally once.
Cut 1 (5-1/4") square and cut diagonally in both directions. You will use only two of the four triangles.

Assembly

Arrange triangles to form the block. Piece block units together, as shown.



Arrange units. Sew into rows. Note pressing arrows. Sew rows together. Block should measure 12-1/2".



Bring your block to the March CQG meeting. Please contact Marty Frolli with any questions.

Community Quilts News

Our next project will be to make quilts for the babies and toddlers of the St. Vincent's *Family Strengthening Program*. There are about 25 children and their families in the program currently and making a quilt for each child is our goal. The director has asked especially for toddler quilts that are approximately 45" x 60" (crib batting size). We will have some kits of fabric available at the next few meetings. As always, batting is available. Call or email Carol Fay with your size requirements, and batting will be waiting for you at the next meeting.

Carol Fay, Community Quilts



Block of the Month News

If you missed the guild meeting in January, you are invited to bring your December and January blocks to the February meeting to be credited for your blocks.

We are in need of a quilter or a group of quilters to take over the Block of the Month committee for next year. Starts July 2018, although the July block needs to be in the June newsletter. Please contact Marty Frolli if you have an interest or if you have any questions.

Marty Frolli, Block of the Month Chair



Judith McCaffrey won 27 Ohio Star blocks. Her entry was the first block she made! Rita Hardin won 27 Bright Hope blocks. She is a regular participant in Block of the Month but this is the first time she has won this year.

Submitting a Quilt for the Santa Barbara Fair & Expo

The Santa Barbara Fair & Expo will be held April 25-29 at the Earl Warren Showgrounds and we are encouraging our members to submit a quilt to be displayed (and potentially judged) as part of the Exhibits and Demonstrations in Warren Hall.

All categories of quilts will be accepted, there is even a special category for seniors over 80 years old. It would be great to see some of your quilts hanging on the walls. There is no cost to submit an item. All quilts are hung in glass cabinets and are secure.

The Fair website is still being updated so 2018 Entry Forms and Instructions are not available yet but entries are usually due mid-March so this is your first alert.

More information will be in the March newsletter or you can contact the Fair personnel 1-805-687-0766.

Sue Kadner, Public Relations

Library News

New books are in the bins waiting to be selected.

Hint- While visiting the guild library, for a change, browse nonchalantly through categories not of your main interest, DVDs, Embellish, Folk, Home Dec, Kids, Settings, etc. Flip through the photos, read the index. Inspiration may be triggered from an unexpected source. My 2018 Challenge was stimulated from a mix of books far from my Traditional comfort zone. Happy reading, happy quilting.

Carol Hart, Librarian

Door Prizes

Thank you all for buying tickets and helping the guild finances. Let's do that again in February! Winners of the door prizes for January:

Basket #1, Gretchen Beckert - Special coffee/tea basket Basket #2, Gloria Woods

Basket #3, Louise Salgado

Elizabeth Jenquin, Linda Kriss, Diane Moore Door Prize Committee

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Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara and Goleta is a non-profit, educational and charitable organization. The purpose of the guild is to educate its members about the history and preservation 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: **St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church** 4575 Auhay, Santa Barbara, CA 93110

This month's meeting: Thursday, February 8th Doors open at 6:30pm, Meeting at 7:00pm

Workshop: Friday, February 9th

Board Meeting: Thursday, February 15th at 6:30pm

Next Month's meeting: March 8th

February Meeting Reminders:

Wear Name Tag

Bring

- ☐ Block of the Month
- ☐ Show and Tell
- Money and address labels for door prizes
- ☐ Money for Workshop Signups
- ☐ Return Library Books (and check out a new one)
- ☐ Items for the Treasure Table

