



Coastlines

Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara & Goleta, California

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August Speaker: Sue Rasmussen

“A Desperate Housewives Quilt Journey”

A quilt instructor since 1988, Sue Rasmussen has created a varied body of work, including quilts, quilt art and quilted clothing, many nationally exhibited. Sue loves to inspire quilters to stretch beyond traditional confinements through quick methods of paper foundation piecing, machine pieced landscapes and intricate machine quilting.

In a workshop on August 10th, Sue will teach curved paper piecing. **NOTE:** this is **not** a beginning paper foundation piecing class, and everyone will need—prior to class—to understand the basics of paper foundation piecing. That is, you can learn on line, have a friend show you, take a class from a store or buy a book, but you need to understand the concept of paper foundation piecing—of sewing on the lines on the paper, not on fabric. Sue will not be showing you how to do that. To see quilts with curved piecing, check out Sue’s website gallery [here](#).

You can register for the August 10th workshop at the July meeting. The supply list can be found on the Guild website [here](#). For questions about the workshop or to register, please contact margaretdear@gmail.com.



Hula on Over for a Potluck Picnic

Our Annual Picnic theme on July 12th is Hawaiian, so please wear clothes that reflect Hawaii—even a straw hat! We will be eating outside—bring a sweater or jacket to be comfortable.

Since the Kitchen is being painted we will not have a Treasure Table or Library book check-out. Bring some small bills/coins and carry-bags for the Library Book Sale.

TIME: July 12th at 5:30 pm—NOTE EARLY START

The Guild will provide drinks and paper goods.

PLEASE BRING a dish to share that will feed 8-10 (please label your serving pieces/utensils) Think Hawaiian when making your selection! Remember: we have no access to the kitchen.

Last Names:

A - G Dessert

H - L Salad

M - Z Main dish



AFTER-DINNER Entertainment by the Ukelele Ladies

Until then, mahalo—Debbi Haeberle, *Picnic Chair*



Time to Renew Your Membership for 2018-2019

It’s time to renew your Quilt Guild membership!

Membership runs from July 1 to June 30. Download the renewal form from our website coastalquilters.org/membership and bring it to the July meeting or mail it to: Annette Goena, P.O. Box 30470, SB. 93130. There will also be forms on the membership table in July.

Remember...you must be a current member to enter a quilt in the 2018 Quilt Show and also to be in a satellite group. Please join now so you don’t miss out on any of the great things the Guild has to offer. Thank you.

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Annette Goena,
Membership Chair

July Birthdays

Leslie Hogan	1st
Rosalind Perry	1st
Patty Six	8th
Geraldine Lewis	9th
Marilyn Osgood	9th
Elaine Kovar	11th
Carol Fay	13th
Irelle Beatie	16th
Ilona Varner	18th
Ruth Matuszeski	20th
Michelle Shook*	20th
Kika Hutchings	22nd
Helmina Schenck	24th
Michelle Garbarino	25th
Susan Bullington Katz	29th
Naomi Hicks	30th
Una Lopez	30th

* New Member



CQG BOARD

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Block of the Month	Nancy Butterfield, Bee Saunders
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Quilt Show 2018	Irelle Beatie
Quilt Show 2020	VACANT
Opportunity Quilt	VACANT
Opportunity Quilt Tickets	VACANT
Refreshments	VACANT
Satellite Group Coordinator	VACANT
SCCQG Representative	VACANT
Webmaster	Bonnie Barber
Welcome	Nola Ferguson

An Important Message — Open Board Positions

As you'll see on the Board list, 4 of 10 positions are vacant (President, Recording Secretary, Parliamentarian, Public Relations.) For a time, some—but not all—of the critical duties of these roles will be reassigned to other Board members. In 2010, we were without a president for 6 months; it was both a great challenge and a legal problem. By law, a California non-profit organization must have a president. **Otherwise, it must dissolve.** In a similar situation, Norah McMeeking earlier wrote:

"Since there are many of you continuing to attend meetings, I assume that people want the Guild to continue. Past presidents have served while parenting, caring for ill relatives, holding down full-time jobs or facing unsure futures. Surely among the dozens of you in the room, there must be one (or even two) of you who can step up to the plate and lead us! I've been president, and it is not the most difficult job on the board by any means. In fact, with good committee members, it is almost easy. You might have to listen to a complaint now and then, but you only have to listen—not fix everything!"

Below are descriptions for the open jobs. Board members must be willing to regularly attend Board meetings; they serve at least a one-year term but no more than two consecutive years in the same role. See the Bylaws (in the Directory) for more info.

The **President** presides at Guild and Board meetings and, as the Guild's manager, oversees the activities of other officers and committee chairs.

The **Recording Secretary** keeps minutes of regular Guild and Board meetings and maintains other records.

The **Parliamentarian** makes sure meetings follow Roberts Rules of Order, recruits new directors and committee chairs, and conducts the election in May.

The **Public Relations Coordinator**, in coordination with the webmaster and newsletter editor, promotes the Guild through social media (i.e., Facebook, email note, etc.) and creates publicity for quilt shows and other Guild events.

Open Committee Positions

Until volunteers step forward, some committees will not function at all (Door Prizes, Refreshments, Satellite Group Coordinator, SCCQG Representative and Opportunity Quilt.) The 2020 Quilt Show also needs a Chair.

Please contact Sue Orfila at quiltnut@aol.com if you'd like to volunteer for any of these open positions. **Duties can be shared so consider signing up with a friend.**

2018-2019 Block of the Month

This year is the Guild's 30th anniversary! In celebration of this happy milestone, we plan to honor and recognize past Block of the Month chairs by reprising blocks created from past years. We will stroll memory lane a little bit each month, recounting a brief history of the year that was.

The August block is "Courthouse Steps" in honor of 2007 BoM Chairs Mary Ballard, Kristin Otte and Karen Pickford. Their theme was "The Santa Barbara Connection." All their blocks have a connection to Santa Barbara and enabled our participants to make a memorable sampler quilt at the end of the year. Each month their display presented interesting facts about the block and its Connection. It was a delightful year!

Please write my contact info into your Guild directory:
Nancy Butterfield (805)455-3033
nfbutterfield@gmail.com 633 N La Cumbre Rd SB 93111

Nancy Butterfield and Bee Saunders, *Block of the Month Co-Chairs*
(See page 7 for the BOM pattern)

Door Prizes

Door prize winners for the month of June were:
Basket #1 - Darilyn Kisch
Basket #2 - Julie Mock
Basket #3 - Karen Pickford

The Door Prize Committee would like to thank everyone who provided items for the door prize baskets. Also, a thank you to all those that have purchased tickets which provides money for the guild. The committee has enjoyed the last 2 years, but will be moving on.

Unless someone volunteers to take over this committee, there will not be any door prize baskets starting in August. We are hoping several members would consider sharing this fun, money generating committee. Thank you.

Elizabeth Jenquin, Linda Kriss, Diane Moore, *Door Prize Committee*

June 2018 Block of the Month Winner

Reyna Lorele won 36 Steps to the Altar blocks at the June meeting. The blocks form a lovely secondary pattern and look quite pretty in blues and yellows.



Library News

Reminder: bring your cash to the July meeting for the annual Book Sale—bargains galore!

New Books on Quilting: *Quilt As-You-Go Made Modern* (J. Brandvig); *Quilt As-You-Go Made Vintage* (same); *Ultimate Guide to Machine Quilting* (A. Walters); *Start Free-Motion Machine Quilting With Angela Walters* (DVD)

New Books on Piecing: *Quilt with Tula and Angela: Start-to-Finish Guide to Piecing and Quilting* (T. Pink & A. Walters); *Moda All Stars-Lucky Charm Quilts: 17 Delightful Patterns for Precut 5" Squares* (L. Alexander)

New Books on Applique & Piecing: *Worth Doing Twice: Creating Quilts from Old Tops* (P. Morris & J. Muir)

I'm always open to recommendations for new books. Tell me by email or at guild meetings. Timely return of borrowed books keeps our wonderful collection available for circulation. Thank you.

Carol Hart, *Librarian*

Monthly Meeting—2nd Thursday, 7 pm *

Please Note* July Meeting Potluck starts at 5:30pm

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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PO Box 6341, SB, CA 93160 www.coastalquilters.org

Questions? cqqinfo@gmail.com

Harvest of Colors: Quilt Show Chair's News

Quilt Show planning continues; all members are welcome to attend our meetings. Due to the picnic at the July meeting, our quilt show meeting will NOT be prior to the guild meeting. I will send an email to the show committee when I schedule the show meeting.

Pre-sale Ticket Order Forms are now available in the "Quilt Show" section of the website, coastalquilters.org. Pre-sale tickets are \$8, tickets at the door are \$10. Ticket chair Bee Saunders encourages members to sell as many tickets as possible - to family, neighbors, work colleagues and friends: "Make sure your name is recorded when buying tickets as there will be a very desirable prize for the highest seller!"

Quilt Show Entry Guidelines are on the website now along with **Entry Forms** and **Judging Forms**. Please see the article below on how to enter a quilt in the show. This year, members are asked to fill out their Entry and Judging Forms online, if able to do so; our new online registration program will help improve accuracy and simplify data-management tasks. Guidelines and Forms will also be available in print form at the meeting or by download from the website. Please review the **Entry Guidelines** right away to become familiar with due dates and details – including requirements for photos, hanging sleeves, quilt labels, etc.

Volunteer sign-ups are in full swing; see Nancy Butterfield's article below. We need EVERYONE to participate in some way, so please sign up for the positions that best suit your time availability. Please be generous with your time as the show needs you.

This show is a Member's Showcase and we would like ALL members to participate. While you are working on your quilt, think about your artist statement and your inspiration. It is always fun to read your words describing your process. I hope you are all busy quilting those beautiful show quilts!

Irelle Beatie, *Harvest of Colors (HOC) Chair* - 569-3930; irellebeatie@cox.net

2018 Harvest of Colors Quilt Show Entry Instructions

Our new online entry process will improve data management so the Quilt Show goes more smoothly. These Instructions are available on the website and at Guild meetings (July and August).

- Links to Instructions, Entry Guidelines, Entry Form and Judging Form are on the website under "Quilt Show" (www.coastalquilters.org/).
- Thursday, August 9 is the firm deadline for Entry and Judging Forms. Please deliver as soon as possible, as detailed below (for delivery no later than August 9).
- For important details, read the Quilt Show Entry Guidelines [here](#) or pick up a copy at a meeting.
- You are encouraged to use the online process, although traditional paper forms can be picked up at meetings or downloaded with these links: [Paper Entry Form](#) and [Paper Judging Form](#).
- To use our new online entry process:
 - A. For each quilt you are eligible to enter, submit an [online Entry Form](#) (click on the link) then print, complete and deliver a [2018 Photo Attachment to Entry Form](#) with a 4 x 6 color photo of your quilt.
 - B. For each quilt you are eligible to have judged, submit an [online Judging Form](#) (click on the link) then print, complete and deliver a [2018 Photo Attachment to Judging Form](#) with a 4 x 6 color photo and \$15 judging fee.
- Bring forms that require delivery to the July or August Guild meeting or mail them for delivery by August 9 to Heather Georgakis at 5347 University Dr., Santa Barbara, CA 93111. Photo attachments and traditional paper forms require delivery; online forms do not.

Questions? Call Heather at 805-964-8390 or see Heather or Gail Tinsley at Guild meetings.

HOC: Boutique

If you are interested in selling items in the HOC Boutique, please notify Isabel Downs (ifdowns@gmail.com) or Rosana Swing (805-680-2670 (cell), rsrdswing@gmail.com) to have your name put on the list – or sign up at the guild meeting. You will be kept up to date about expectations.

Isabel Downs and Rosana Swing, *HOC Boutique*

HOC: Education Table

Bring your 6-inch squares of purple, blue, green, and white (solids) fabric to the July meeting. Sign up to volunteer at the quilt show— sewing squares and/or presenting 15 minute tips.

Join us Saturday, July 14, from 1:00-4:00pm at Roxanne's, 919 Maple Ave, Carpinteria to sew half-square triangles. Bring your sewing machine and stay all afternoon or drop in and make a few blocks and socialize. It will be a fun event.

Susan Bullington Katz, *HOC Education Table Committee*

HOC: Judged Quilt Categories

If you are entering a quilt to be judged in our show, on the Judging Form you will need to check a judging category you want your quilt to be in. They are:

Traditional: A pattern or design with an established history in the quilting tradition. This includes block-based, medallion, crazy, whole cloth quilts, appliqué and mixed appliqué.

Modern: Quilts that are functional, clean lined, or graphic. May have bold colors and prints, solid colors, or asymmetry with expansive negative space inspired by modern design. Alternate grid work is often part of the composition, modifying the block arrangement and /or the scale.

Art: Includes abstract or representational subject such as nature-scape, people, pictorial, or whimsical. Is an original design and exploration rather than the handing down of a "pattern." It may be experiment with self-expression as primary process. (Note: The art style quilts may be divided into Original and Pattern Based categories to allow judging of the craftsmanship of quilts made from commercial patterns).

Innovative/Contemporary: Usually pieced quilts with fundamental deviation from traditional patterns and sets. Should reflect growth through tradition. based on traction alone designs and then move beyond the traditional implementation to create a contemporary quilt.

Explanation of Some Key Terms:

Representational - recognizable or identifiable subject.

Abstract - art that does not attempt to represent external recognizable reality; relies on line, form, and color to create design; uses personal expression and originality in concept, design and execution.

Any questions, please let us know. We will do our best to keep you in the category that you prefer. Sometimes we need to change a quilt to another category to keep the categories cohesive. If this happens, we will let you know. Thank you.

Patty Six, Pam Holst, Darilyn Kisch, Patti Hunter, *HOC Judging Committee*

HOC: Calling for Quilt Collectors

For the quilt show, we will need "quilt collectors" to accept delivery of show quilts at their homes. If you are interested, please contact me as soon as possible. This is a great way for newer members to meet others. NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED.

Collector Job Description

- ◆ Provides safe, secure area (no pets, no smoking) for collection and holding of 10-15 quilts
- ◆ Uses email
- ◆ Contacts members and arranges for quilts to be delivered
- ◆ Follows collector check-in procedure

Available the following dates:

- Aug 9 before guild meeting (5pm) for training session
- Aug 22-Sept 2 to contact entrants and collect quilts
- Sept 3 for pick-up of judged quilts by Judging Committee
- Sept 14 to deliver remaining quilts to Earl Warren

Heather Georgakis, *HOC Acquisitions Chair*
hgeorgakis@hotmail.com

HOC: Volunteer Opportunities

Many time slots are available. Please sign up at a Guild meeting OR contact Nancy Butterfield.

Pre- and Post-Show Jobs:

Acquisitions: Aug 9-Sept 15
 Set-up: Sept 14, 8am
 Take Down: Sept 16, 5pm

During the Show (Sept 15 and 16):

Shift Times: 9:45am-NOON; NOON-2pm; 2pm-5pm
 Admissions (seated job)
 Raffle Tickets (Baskets & Opportunity Quilt)
 Community Quilts
 Education
 Security (seated job)
 White Glove
 Floaters

Nancy Butterfield, *HOC Volunteer Coordinator*
 (805) 455-3033 nfbutterfield@gmail.com

HOC: Raffle

Our fabulous quilt show is quickly approaching and so is the deadline for turning in filled raffle baskets. If you or your satellite group have plans to turn a basket but haven't yet, please contact Lynette at lclquilts@johnlishman.com. Any gift certificates you can acquire would be greatly appreciated. Raffle tickets will continue to be sold at meetings for the beautiful Singer Featherweight and we'll accept your mug rugs for our mini quilt hanger stands right up to the September meeting. Thank You! Thank You!

Lynette Lishman, Liz Turner, Marilyn Martin, *HOC Raffle*

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

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www.santabarbaraquiltingretreats.com

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www.granthousesewingmachines.com ghsewingmachine@gmail.com

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

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roxannequilts.com



Kaffe Fassett Lecture and Workshops at Roxanne's

Tickets are available for the Kaffe Fassett Lecture and Slide Show (Sept. 27); the Kaffe Fassett Workshops (Sept. 28/29) have waiting lists. Please call Roxanne's (805-566-1250).

Events Around California

Big Bear Quilters Guild Quilt Show

bigbearlakequiltersguild.com

The Lodge at Big Bear Lake, 40650 Village Dr. Big Bear Lake, CA
Aug 2-4, Fri 10-6, Sat 10-5

Trinity County Fair Quilt Show

Log Cabin Quilters

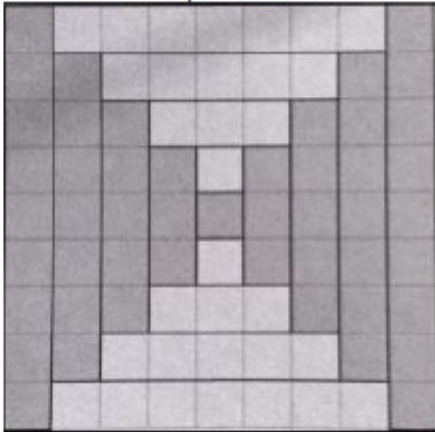
trinitycountyfair.com

90 Corral Ave. Hayfork, CA
Aug 10-12; Fri-Sun

August 2018
Coastal Quilters Guild
Block of the Month

COURTHOUSE STEPS (From 2007 'Santa Barbara Connection')

9.5" unfinished, 9" finished block



The directions here are for a traditionally pieced block, but it can also be paper pieced.

Fabric:

Chose a medium value of terra cotta, coral or rust and an off-white or beige.

Cut strips 1.5" wide, selvage to selvage or use scraps.

You need a total of:

- 54" x 1-½" strip of the terra cotta/coral/rust fabric.
- 36" x 1 ½" strip of the light fabric.

Cut strips into the following lengths:

- 9.5" – 2 terra cotta
- 7.5" – 2 terra cotta; 2 light
- 5.5" – 2 terra cotta; 2 light
- 3.5" – 2 terra cotta; 2 light
- 1.5" square – 1 terra cotta; 2 light

Construction:

Alternate the bands of color on each side of this block as you construct the steps. As with all good construction, make sure your seams are straight and use a consistent 1/4" seam allowance; each piece is square with the section you have already sewn; and the head and tail of each new piece match up with the section you are adding it to.

- Start with the terra cotta square in the center.
- Sew a light square to opposite sides of the terra cotta square.
- As you add pieces, press the seams toward the outside of the block.
- Sew a 3.5" terra cotta strip to each side of the center, pieced section.
- Add a light 3.5" strip to each side of the pieced section.
- Continue to add terra cotta and light strips, alternately, to each side of the sewn section.
- The last two strips added are the 9.5" terra cotta fabric.

Questions? Call Nancy Butterfield at (805) 455-3033

Refreshments

It's a picnic in July... see the first page for details!

Newsletter Deadline

is the Sunday after the Board Meeting to: cqgeditor@gmail.com

Reminder

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

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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, July 12th
Hawaiian Potluck Picnic Meeting starts at 5:30pm

Workshop: none

Board Meeting: Thursday, July 19th at 6:30pm

Next Month's meeting: August 9th at 7pm

July Meeting Reminders:

- Wear Name Tag and Hawaiian garb

Bring

- Pot luck dish/serving utensil
- Hawaiian CDs
- Block of the Month
- Show and Tell
- Money for workshop signups
- Money for Quilt Show Pre-Sale Tickets
- Due Library books (no check out)
- Donations for Quilt Show Raffle Baskets

