



Coast Lines

Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara & Goleta, California

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January Meeting

January 9th, 7:00 pm

Reminders

- Block of the Month
- Community Quilts
- Due Library Books
- Money for:
 - Workshops
- Treasure Table Goodies
- Library Open
- Show and Tell

Board Meeting

January 16th, 6:30 pm

Next Month's Meeting

February 13th, 7:00 pm

Questions? Or need to change your address, phone, and/or email, please notify the Guild at cqginfo@gmail.com

Newsletter articles for February edition due January 19th (send to cqgeditor@gmail.com)

January Speaker: Edyta Sitar, "Reason for Quilting"

Internationally known teacher and quilt designer Edyta Sitar (Laundry Basket Quilts) will be our guest speaker in January. For her presentation at the **January 9** meeting, she will give a presentation called "Reasons for Quilting." She's also a fabric designer, having designed fabric collections for Moda and now Andover. You can read more about her at laundrybasketquilts.com.



January Workshop: "Winter Village"

Friday, **January 10**, Edyta Sitar will lead a workshop based on her "Winter Village" pattern, which can be made as a single block, a table runner, or a quilt. There is space for a few more in the workshop, but it's filling up fast. There is a \$40 kit fee, which includes the pattern, or you can buy just the pattern for \$20 and use your own fabrics.

February Speaker and Workshop

Have you been wanting to try your hand at collage quilting? Or maybe you have done some already and would like to do more? Our **February 13** speaker is Janis Rivera, a Laura Heine-certified teacher, who will talk on "Collage Quilting without Falling to Pieces." Friday, **February 14**, she will teach a workshop called "Teeny Tiny Under the Sea," from a new line of Laura Heine patterns (Sea turtle, mermaid in a jar, and octopus are all included in the pattern). Patterns are \$25, and optional kits are also available. **Please remember the workshop fee is now \$45. This begins with the February Workshop.**



To sign up, contact Margaret Dear at the January meeting or email at margaretdear@gmail.com



President's Message



As I am writing this, 2019 is rushing out and 2020 will soon be upon us. I have been serving as your president for six months and the time has flown by. According to the old adage, I must be having fun!

Moving into the new year, and the second half of our fiscal year, I want to share my concerns about our financial status. While we have investments to support our low-income years, it is in our best interest to try to maintain a balanced budget. This year, unfortunately, it is not. We will be reviewing our budget and doing what we

can. However, there are not many places where we can cut expenses. In fact, our facility fees have been increased substantially at both our meeting and workshop venues. As a result of this, we have already made the decision to raise our workshop fees by \$5 beginning in February. Speakers are booked well in advance and penalties can be charged if we cancel or postpone them, but that is something we will consider, if appropriate. The Quilt Show income will primarily come in during the early part of the next fiscal year.

To help us get through this year without a serious hit on our savings, I am encouraging all members to purchase or sell, at a minimum, their allotment (\$20 worth) of Opportunity Quilt tickets. If all members do this, it would bring over \$4000 to our coffers. And quite possibly, you could win that beautiful quilt. Donations are also always welcome, and of course, are tax deductible.

If you have any ideas about helping our budget, the board would be happy to consider them. Our Board meeting is the 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30 in the Maravilla's Craft Room (on the right end of the building.)

I hope you all enjoyed our December meeting. Many of you commented that it was nice to have time to visit with friends. And the pincushion exchange was fun. I'm sad I didn't get mine made.

I want to wish all of you a wonderful and creative 2020.

— *Karen Pickford, President*

Coastal Quilters Guild Board

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Welcome: Nola Ferguson

Community Quilts

Congratulations to December's locker tour raffle winner, Heather Georgakis. She won a visit to the Guild storage locker to choose 20 yards of fabric!



As we enter 2020 (Y2K was 20 years ago!?) our thoughts turn to New Year's resolutions. One of the most popular is "Get Organized". Let Community Quilts help you! Over the years the locker has collected a mismatch of containers. At the January

meeting we will be selling a medley of "BINS, BAGS, BOXES and BUCKETS" to help you meet your New Year's resolution goals.

Calling for all unfinished Community Quilt kits! Start 2020 without the guilt, frustration or pressure of seeing those plastic bags staring at you day after day. Have a cradle kit leftover? Or a veterans quilt kit that you really wanted to make but just haven't had the time? Maybe an old kit with fabric that doesn't thrill you anymore? Bring them back to us. We are happy to recycle, upgrade or store them as needed.

— *Kathy Draine, Darilyn Kisch and Laura Perry*

ROAD TO CALIFORNIA QUILT SHOW BUS TRIP 2020



Don't hesitate! Of the 56 seats to fill on our SB Airbus, we've successfully have sold 53 seats. Just 3 more to go! Join us on Saturday, **January 25, 2020**, for a fun filled day, celebrating Road to CA's 25th anniversary. Seats for CQG members are:

- **\$60 at the January meeting**

Price includes round trip transportation, entrance fee, snacks, and games.

To purchase Road-CA's 25th Anniversary Shopping Bag, please add \$4. We arrive about 10 am and leave promptly at 4 pm. Sign up with Rosana Swing at rsrdswing@gmail.com or (1-805-680-2670, cell).

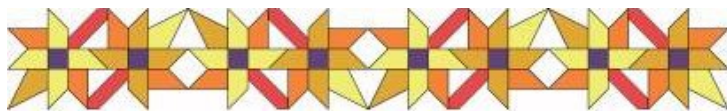
After you have reserved your seat, please submit your payment to Rosana Swing at the January meeting or mail:

Attn: Marcia Greiten
Coastal Quilters Guild
PO Box 6341
Santa Barbara, CA
93160

Bus Pick Up Locations

- **6:30 am** Santa Barbara Airbus Terminal. 750 Technology Way, Goleta (Parking at the Airbus terminal-Only 4 cars allowed)
 - **6:35 am** Community West Bank Parking Lot (Pine & Hollister)
 - **6:45 am** St. Andrews Church (Parking at far end of church lot)
 - **7:00 am** Casitas Shopping Center, Carpinteria. Between Union Bank and Chase Bank (Park against the brick wall).
- **SCCQG Representative, Rosana Swing**

2020 HARVEST OF COLORS Quilt Show News



The Featured Artist for the upcoming Show will be a "Kid's Can Quilt" exhibit and Sue Wuertz has stepped up to chair and help us carry this forward. Please consider joining this effort! We will be soliciting entries from kids age 8- 18. The local quilt shops as well as service organizations are already very interested in sponsoring this endeavor. We believe that these children will grow up and influence the future of our Guild. We hope to have plenty of support to accomplish this important job.

We are grateful for all of the committee chairs and excited about our upcoming show on **September 26-27, 2020** at the Earl Warren Showgrounds. Please join in! Our members' help will make this another successful showcase of the talent and creativity that our guild fosters.

We're still in need of a Raffle and Sponsor Chair to complete our Committee Chair Roster - please consider adding your name to our terrific list of dedicated volunteers.

— **Quilt Show Leadership Team, Toni Percival, Nancy Butterfield, and Eileen Lewandowski**

March Speaker and Workshop



Pam Hadfield, who has won awards at Road to California Paducah, Nashville AQS, and Grand Rapids AQS, will bring her trunk show to our **March 12** meeting. Included will be a variety of quilts, including pieced, appliquéd with cotton and wool, mixed techniques, and pictorial quilts. Her workshop the following day will be “Whimsy Wedges,” where Pam will

walk quilters through her modern take-off of the Dresden Plate pattern. Each person’s project will be different, says Pam, because of individualized fabric choices. “It’s a great way,” she says, “to get your creative juices flowing!” See her sample quilt at the meeting and sign up with Margaret Dear or by email at margaretdear@gmail.com.

— **Vice President Programs,**
Susan Bullington Katz

Refreshments

January meeting snacks would be appreciated from members with October birthdays. Thank you!

— **Refreshments Chair, Mary Wenzel**



2019 - 2020 Opportunity Quilt



Buy tickets - \$5 each or five for \$20. We are hoping that each Guild member takes on the responsibility of selling at least 5 tickets.

— **Opportunity Quilt, Sue Kadner & Carol Fay**

January Birthdays

Patty Latourell	January 1	Linda Bird	January 16
Marilyn Martin	January 2	Shelly Dixon	January 19
Gretchen Beckert	January 3	Patti Hunter	January 20
Mary Ballard	January 3	Gail Tinsley	January 23
Diane Haley	January 4	Kathryn Draine	January 24
Nettie Graham	January 5	Lesley Fagan	January 24
Jan Inouye	January 7	Melissa Frolli	January 27
Lynn Manchester	January 8	Patricia Yamada	January 29
Bee Saunders	January 10	Pat Masterson	January 30



Block of the Month



These festive December 'Triple Four-Patch' blocks graced the delightful holiday party decor and Linda Bird got to take them home. Eight quilters created a total of fifteen blocks in the midst of the busy holiday season!

— **Block of the Month Chair, Nancy Butterfield**

2020 Challenge: The 3 T's Due March 12, 2020

Entries for the 3T's challenge for April 2020 are due at the March Guild meeting. The 3 Ts are - use a **TECHNIQUE** new-to-you, plus **TWO TYPES** of embellishments. A technique which you have never tried before may be how your entry is constructed or embellished. Entries must be a rectangular three layer quilt, perimeter not exceeding 120" with a 4" hanging sleeve. A new technique "sample" is no longer required. The source of your new technique should be stated on the Challenge entry form, available in February.

Suzy Pelovsky loves learning and embellishing. Please select a new technique then add a little bling to a small quilted piece. This fun and interesting member challenge will be educating to all attending Challenge night. Thank you, the Sew It All's.

— **Challenge Chair, Suzy Pelovsky**

Marborg Announces Their New Textile Recycling Program

Did you know that textile waste has increased 811% since 1960, and most of this waste ends up in landfills? In fact, textile waste accounts for 8% of all landfilled municipal solid waste – that's a lot of waste! In the United States, we are large consumers of clothing and often discard perfectly good items that someone else could wear. Residents are now able to drop off clean textiles at MarBorg's Goleta Recycling Center and the County of Santa Barbara's South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station. Textiles collected through this program will be picked up by T-Waste Solutions to be reused or recycled. A majority of these textiles will be sent overseas for people to use as clothing, and the remaining textiles are recycled into shop rags and sold to local businesses.

This article was taken from the following [link](#).

Quilt Walk Sculpture - Panguitch, UT

The winter of 1864 was a particularly brutal one, and it hit the town of Panguitch, Utah (then called Fairview) hard. Food supplies were dwindling to dangerously low levels when town leaders decided to take extraordinary measures to save the community from potential starvation.



Two rescue parties were sent out to seek food supplies from other "nearby" rural communities in Utah. One party attempted to travel 110 miles north to Gunnison, while the other would have to trek 40 miles west over the mountains to Parowan. The group traveling north were quickly impeded by harsh weather conditions and had to turn back. Meanwhile, the seven rescuers who trekked west over the mountains eventually had to give up their oxen team and wagon to travel through deep drifts of snow on foot.

As they were struggling, the rescuers stopped to pray for guidance. While doing so they knelt on the quilts and blankets that had been provided for warmth. As they did this, the group realized they were not sinking into the snow while kneeling. This gave them the idea of using their supply of quilts and blankets as a way to travel across the snowfields on foot without exhausting themselves. Essentially, the quilts became snowshoes. The rescue party was able to secure enough food and provisions to supply the town for the rest of winter and deliver it safely back home.

Since 1998, this heroic event is celebrated and remembered in Panguitch with an annual Quilt Walk Festival on the second week of June. Preceding each year's festival, colorful quilts are displayed throughout town. More recently, a memorial and small park were completed and dedicated to the 7-member rescue party who successfully made this trek.

This article is taken from [Atlasobscura.com](https://atlasobscura.com). We are always looking for interesting articles and would love to hear from our Guild members and Satellite groups. Contact Shelly Dixon, Newsletter Editor at cqgeditor@gmail.com.

Quilt and Fiber Events

Road to California A Quilters Conference and Showcase

January 23 - 26, 2020

See article on page 3.

Ontario Convention Center

2000 E Convention Center Way, Ontario, CA 91764

Hours: Thur - Sat, 9am - 5:30pm

Sun - 10am - 3:30pm



Valley Quilters Guild 40th Annual Quilt Show

February 7 - 8, 2020

100+ Quilts on display, multiple vendors, The Consignment Shoppe for a variety of hand-made items and the Boutique for books, patterns and supplies at a bargain. Don't forget to buy a chance to win this years opportunity quilt "Strawberry Cheesecake" or participate in the Gift Basket Raffle. Admission \$10.00. Group Discount \$8.00. Children under 3 are free. No Strollers or rolling carts please.

Valley-Wide Recreation Center

901 W Esplanade Ave, Hemet, CA 92543

Hours: 10am - 4pm



Know Your Meme: Stitching Viral Phenomena

Turner and Gilliland Galleries at San Jose Museum

October 20, 2019 - January 12, 2020

The exhibition explores the concept of the meme as a poignant method to summarize, understand, critique and share thoughts on important societal issues. In true meme fashion, the artwork selection was driven by the power of the people, and curated by the online community. All artworks depict, relate to or reference a meme through a textile method such as quilting, embroidery, cross-stitching, knitting and crocheting, weaving, basketry, etc.

**Know
Your
Meme**

Stories of West Africa: Hollis Chatelain

Finlayson Gallery at San Jose Museum

October 20, 2019 - January 12, 2020



Hollis Chatelain creates art quilts based on her photographs while she lived in the West African countries of Togo, Burkina Faso, Mali, and Benin.

From her photographs, Hollis drew the original illustrations for her coloring book titled Stories of West Africa. These drawings, done in colored pencil, were scanned, enlarged, digitally printed on cotton fabric, and then machine quilted.

Each quilt tells a story showing the strength of family and community, while the backgrounds show lively African fabrics which play an important role in the everyday life of this region.

San Jose Museum of Quilts & Textiles

www.sjqiltmuseum.org

520 S 1st St, San Jose, CA

Hours: Wed - Fri, 11am - 4pm

Sat-Sun, 11am - 3pm

Exhibitions at Visions Art Museum

January 18, 2020 - April 5, 2020

- Ruth McDowell: A Collector's Vision – Ruth McDowell
- Personal Landscapes – Bonnie Bucknam
- Surface Currents: Cyanotypes – Sandra Sider
- Wild Comfort – Visions Member Challenge
- Game Night – Canyon Quilters of San Diego Challenge

Visions Art Museum

visionsartmuseum.org

2825 Dewey Rd, Suite 100, San Diego, CA

Hours: Tue - Sat, 10am - 4pm

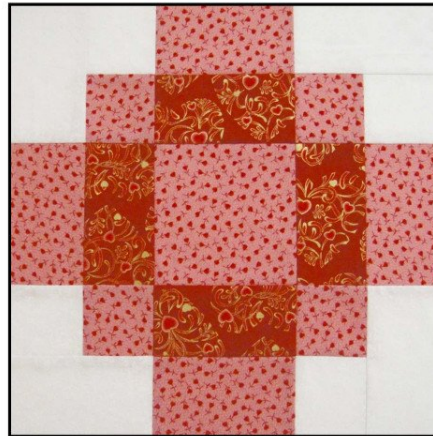
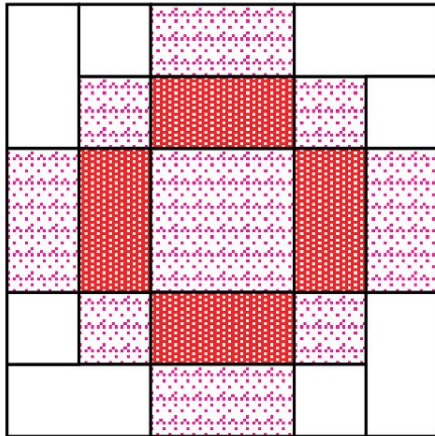
Sun, 12pm - 4pm



Block of the Month for February 2020

Antique Tile

12 x 12" Block (12.5" x 12.5" Unfinished)



February is the month of Valentines and love. Spread some love this month!

Cutting

• **White or white on white print:**

- Cut 4 - 2 1/2" Squares
- Cut 4 - 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" Rectangles

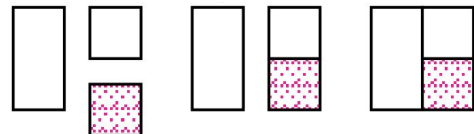
• **Pink print:**

- Cut 1 - 4 1/2" Square
- Cut 4 - 2 1/2" Squares
- Cut 4 - 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" Rectangles

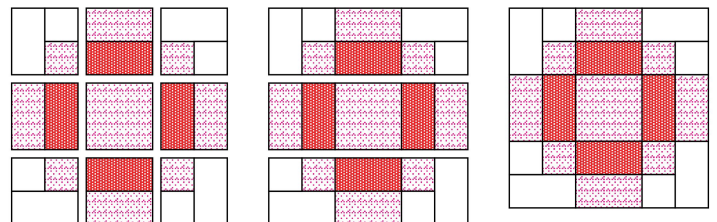
• **Red print:**

- Cut 4 - 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" Rectangles

2. Sew small white squares and small pink squares together. Press seams to the pink squares. Add white rectangles. Press seams to white rectangles. Make four corner units.



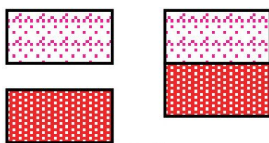
3. Arrange units and center square to make the Antique Tile block. Sew into rows. Press seams toward rectangle units. Sew rows together.



Assembly

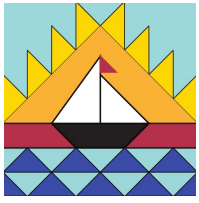
Use 1/4" seam allowances.

1. Sew pink and red rectangles together to make four side units. Press seams to the red rectangles.



Questions? Please call Nancy Butterfield at 455-3033 nfbutterfield@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: January 9, 7:00 pm

Board meeting: January 16, 6:30 pm

Coastlines deadline: Sunday, January 19

Next month's meeting: February 19, 7:00 pm

January Meeting Reminders

- **Don't back in on housing side of parking lot**
- **Wear Name Tag**
- **Bring:**
 - Block of the Month
 - Community Quilts complete with label on
 - Due Library Books
 - Show and Tell
- **Money for:**
 - Baskets, etc being sold by Community Quilts
 - Bus Trip
 - Opportunity Quilt tickets
 - Raffles
 - Workshops
- **Treasure Table Goodies**
- **Library Open**

