

Coast Lines

Newsletter for Coastal Quilters of Santa Barbara

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This Month:

May 13th Mtg.

- » Wear name tags
- » Bring canned goods for donation
- » Show & Tell: YES
- » Library: NO
- » Treasure Table: NO

May 22nd Deadline

Newsletter articles due for June edition

May 20th Board Mtg.

Meeting begins at 6:30 p.m. in Maravilla's Galleria room.

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Art Quilts are Here!

May 13th is going to be a wonderful meeting with presentations made by our own Ranell Hansen and Jeanne Surber about their journey as Art Quilters! We are also having a showing of the Art Quilts of the Coastal Guild so be sure to join us for a wonderful evening, invite your friends and family and come prepared to win some beautiful door prizes. All of you attending will receive a free ticket for the special door prizes when you arrive. Thank You, **Cathe Hedrick, Program Chair**

Around the Block: With "Gone to Pieces - Sew Bee It!"

Have you ever wondered how satellite groups form? THIS new satellite group held its first meeting in September 2009 and now meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month, with the exception of November and December due to the holidays. Beginning in April they will rotate their meetings between the homes of their members, meeting from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 pm. Everyone brings a lunch, with beverages and sweets provided.

"Gone to Pieces - Sew Bee It!" was initially formed by Naomi Hicks and Priscilla Jacobs, whom Naomi met at the first new member's coffee. Naomi says "I went to the new member coffee for two reasons: (1) To greet new members, and (2) To find out more about satellite groups. Nothing developed regarding satellite groups but I did make a new friend. I invited Priscilla to go to the Valley Bee's at Creation Station. Priscilla and I talked more about forming a group and discussed it with others at the Valley Bee's who are guild members. Three people from the Solvang area were also interested. Eight people gathered at our first meeting. Suzie Pelovsky gave me her list of individuals interested in joining a satellite group. I called each of them with an invitation to join us. Only two on the list initially joined, but later a third person also joined. We have several new members from the guild, too, and a couple of them joined our Guild just so they could be part of OUR group!"

The group's interests and focus vary, with each member working on whatever project they bring

to their monthly meeting. They share ideas and try to help others if asked. The group's membership roster is presently closed at 14 members.

"Gone to Pieces - Sew Bee It!" plan to have a group project going at all times. Their current project is making a fund-raising quilt for TOOTS, a non-profit that teaches kids to play musical instruments. The focus fabric is brightly colored guitars, with each member making a 12" finished block. Each block is to have a finished 4" center of the focus fabric, but they can make any block of their choosing. When this quilt is completed they will bring it to a Guild meeting for display at "Show and Tell." Their next planned project will be for a diabetic camp.

Filling three cars, the group took a "road trip" in December, with stops at Cotton and Chocolate in Thousand Oaks and lunch at Brent's Deli in Westlake Village, then on to more stops at Quilter's Studio in Newbury Park and Baron's Fabrics in Camarillo. One member called Baron's to let them know the group was coming, and they were greeted at the door by Mr. Baron who gave each of them a small gift with their purchases. The outing was so much fun that some members of the group want to take more road trips. Currently they have a road trip scheduled for December this year, with plans to travel north this time.

Satellite groups are WONDERFUL -- and an easy way to make new friends with the same interests as you!

Kathy "The Rambling" Rose

WANTED: President for 2010-2011. Should enjoy people and quilting. Willing to work odd hours. Must think outside the box (or at least listen to those that do). Pay includes personal satisfaction at getting over a fear of microphones, learning about all aspects of quilting, and making good friends. Benefits include cutting to the front of the refreshment line, wearing crowns and having the last word. Position available immediately. Contact Darilyn Kisch, dkisch@cox.net.

Community Quilts

We are nearing the end of this particular Community Quilt Project year. Your collective efforts have yielded 80 quilts to date with more to come soon. You have been pretty amazing with your enthusiasm, talent and generosity. We love having you come by to see the wonderful contributions of the Guild members.

At the June meeting, the Guild will be presenting the Assistance League of Santa Barbara with the quilts for their Fostering Friends Project. Your wonderful efforts will let approximately 30 young adults know that they are cherished and special as they take on the responsibility of being an emancipated minor.

In the Fall, we will be presenting Hospice with our contribution to be used as the weather once again cools. This will allow us to not only meet the needs of Hospice patients, but to also have the opportunity to showcase some of the quilts in the local community. In this way, we can introduce others to the Community Quilts Project and to invite them to attend our Guild's Quilt Show.

As you work to finish your contribution, **please acknowledge the Guild by using a label.** If you want one mailed before the next meeting, please send an email to Yolanda.garcia48@yahoo.com with your address. We, in turn, will send one to you in the mail.

We very much appreciate your providing fabric to build up or Community Quilts stash. However at this time, **we can no longer take any more fabric donations.** The Project will be relocating and will have less room.

Finally, we have learned that the process and/or cost of quilting can be difficult for some members. If you are one who loves to machine quilt or wants to practice doing so, we can make some quilt tops available. Any and all ways that you can contribute to the philanthropy of the Guild are appreciated.

Again, thank you for being you and KEEP QUILTING!!!!

Louise Salgado & Yolanda Garcia

Welcome New Members:

Barbara Lozier
7449 Shepard Mesa Rd.
Carpinteria, CA 93013
bjb7840@yahoo.com

Brenda Sullivan
7029 Shepard Mesa Dr.
Carpinteria, CA 93013

The Quilt Show Boutique needs more participants!

There will be a large area provided for us to display hand-crafted items at the Show. This is a great opportunity for you to make some "pin" money (15% of sales supports the guild and the rest is yours). Our customers will be hoping to buy local, handmade items. Let's not disappoint them! Contact Marilyn at 687-4994 for more information.

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From Darilyn's Desk

With an eye on the future, the board has approved the expense for a larger storage unit. We have outgrown our small storage locker. The new unit is in the Goleta Valley Self Storage facility located off the 101/Patterson exit (behind Terra Sol nursery). The 10 x 15 space is inside, ground floor, with a wide roll-up door and good lighting. The facility is clean and secure.

Currently we store archival binders and scrapbooks (for both guild history and past shows), picnic and party items, tote bags, challenge sheets, holiday decorations and many specialty items used in our quilt shows.

The new larger unit will allow us space to store even more:

- Community Quilt items (fabric, kits, batting, and completed quilts)
- Workshop items (extension cords, irons, coffee pot, etc)
- Overflow library books (waiting for the next sale)
- Extra refreshment supplies (cups, plates, napkins, sodas)

Most importantly, it allows space to accumulate, sort, prep and store auction items. The last two auctions have been the guild's major fundraisers. This space will allow future auctions to be even bigger and better \$\$.

We live in an area where houses do not have attics and basements and barns. Members have told me they would like to volunteer, but they have limited space. With this new storage unit, volunteers are provided with a convenient, safe, and functional area to do committee work without taking up any space at home – which leaves room for more stash. A win - win situation!

Keep this news in mind when the call for volunteers comes around again.

Until then, let's go sew!

Darilyn • NEW email dkisch@cox.net

Challenge Quilts Returned in May: Challenge quilters will receive their quilts at the May Guild Meeting. At that time we will ask if the quilt will be available for the Fall Quilt Show. We need to re-collect the quilts at the September meeting, and will be returning them at the October meeting. Please give some thought to displaying your challenge quilt in the "big" show.

Jean Mac Millan

May Birthdays

Happy Birthday to one and all!

Robin Whatley	May 1	Judy Boesler	May 11
Becky Gallup	May 4	Kathy Piasecki	May 13
Lorna Morck	May 4	Mary Bursek	May 14
Rita Hardin	May 4	Debra Blake	May 17
Shirley Morrison	May 5	Liz Muhlhauser	May 17
Verna King	May 4	Michelle Peerson	May 20
Barbara Kuhn	May 5	Susan Reinart	May 23
Lena Scharfeld	May 5	Joey Strait	May 24
Dorothy Gibbons	May 8	Darlene Vior	May 25
Judith Patterson	May 10	Susan Davies	May 28
Ursula Dial	May 10	Isabel Bartolome	May 29
		Jean Mac Millan	May 29
		Heather Georgakis	May 30
		Mary Ringer	May 30



Future Programs

JUNE

Our speaker for this evening will be Jake Finch. Her talk will be about **Stepping Into Creativity**. We're going to take a walk down the path of creativity and innovation and become inspired to quilt and create out of our comfort zones. Jake is also the editor of Mark Lipinski's magazine, *Quilter's Home*. Her **SATURDAY, 6/12**, workshop will be **Covering the Basics**. www.jakefinchdesigns.com

JULY

Our annual Guild Potluck Picnic and Book Sale is scheduled. ...come hungry! There will be a library book sale and fabric sale as well...bring money!

AUGUST

Beth Hawkins' trunk show lecture is entitled **Who is Lizzie B?** Let Lizzy B Cre8tive take us on a fabric-collecting journey. Her book, *Tuscadelphia, Travel-Inspired Projects from Lizzie B Cre8tive* will be on hand. In her workshop we'll be making a **Fleur Rug** (40" x 44"), so bring lots of fabric. www.lizziebcre8tive.com

Dee Johnson, Speaker Liaison

FYI

Upcoming meeting changes include:

- We will present quilts to Fostering Friends at the June meeting (originally scheduled for July)
- There will be No door prizes in July during the picnic
- There will be a Fabric sale (along with book sale) in July

Quilt Show News

Countdown – 4 months!!! Hopefully, everyone is in the final stages of completing their quilt entry for our September show. In this newsletter, you will find a copy of the Quilt Show Entry form. Please read it carefully, as there is a lot of information crammed into the two-sided form. We've tried to make it as clear and self-explanatory as possible, but please do not hesitate to ask a committee member if you have any questions. This year, the same form will be used for all entries – quilts, wearable art and home decorator items.

Also in this issue is an article from Carol Hart regarding judging. I would encourage you to consider having your quilt judged, as the feedback you receive can be helpful to developing your skills in the future. And you may be one of the fortunate ones who win a beautiful hand-made ribbon, made by our very own Joann Conklin. We will be revealing these at the next meeting – you will be wowed! Also, here is a helpful hint: the only thing that the judge gets from your entry form is the name of the quilt – so give it a descriptive and meaningful title!

At our June meeting, we are planning a series of kick-off events for the show. Here's what you can look forward to:

- Advance ticket sales will begin (do you know friends to whom you can sell?)
- Sign-ups for volunteers will begin (where are you going to help?)
- Public relations will be asking for your assistance in spreading the word around town (see below)

Public Relations

To really make our show a success, we need to get people to attend, which means spreading the word in any way we can. We have bookmarks to distribute, and soon we will have a poster to hang around town. We will have a display at the Goleta library in September and will be making "car posters" for you to put in your car as you drive around the area. During the month of September, we would also like to "Blanket the Town with Quilts" – so if you know of any art galleries, storefronts in businesses, empty storefronts, etc. that might be likely places for a small display, please contact me. So far, we have tentative agreements with Chaucer's on State Street and Front Page on Calle Real.

Tickets

We have heard from many guilds that they are no longer providing free admittance to quilt show volunteers, but we have decided to continue this practice for the 2010 show. When you meet the volunteer criteria (see To-Do section below), you will receive a free ticket to the show. However, we would like to encourage everyone to purchase a ticket for themselves, even if they do volunteer, as this is a fund-raising event.

To-Do List

As you know, our show is run by volunteers and your help is needed in lots of areas – even small things can be a big help. Please consider the following:

1. Choose the quilt you are going to enter in the show. We would like to have everyone represented! If it's not finished – you've still got time. The deadline for entries and photos is August 12th, but the quilt does not have to be completed at that time (i.e. still time for quilting)
2. Start making a list of people to invite to the show. We will have pre-sale tickets available in June. Set a goal to sell at 5-10 tickets before the show. If we all do this, our show will be very successful. This is one way to earn a member ticket to the show. Contact Liz Turner if you are ready to start selling tickets.
3. Make something to sell in the boutique. If you don't wish to participate in this venture for your own benefit, consider making some items to directly benefit the guild. This is another way to earn a member ticket.
4. Start thinking about where you would like to volunteer for the show. There are plenty of jobs to go around, both before and during the show – and you can earn your free admission. Remember, we will need lots of able-bodied people on Friday to help hang the quilts.
5. Contact potential businesses where we can display quilts in our "Blanket the Town with Quilts" campaign

*Karen Pickford, Quilt Show Chairperson
kjpickford@cox.net*

Introducing our Judge for Harvest of Colors 2010

The Quilt Show Committee is pleased to announce Kathy Lee Smith as our judge this September. Currently enrolled in the NQA Judges Certification Program, Kathy Lee is actively involved in making and designing quilts, quilt appraisals, quilt club volunteer work and quilt judging activities at guild shows, challenges and county fairs. Her resume of quilting education, apprenticeships and national and state memberships is impressive.

The Quilt Show Entry Form will list and define the 2010 categories. To support Kathy Lee's promotion of clothing and textiles we are including, for the first time, Wearable Art as a judged category. It's not too late to begin so be productive with your time and let's all enter the show.

Here are some things to remember:

- First impressions are important. Be sure your entry is show ready, clean and tidy with no visible knots, loose threads or pet hair.
- Consider incorporating something unexpected, however small, somewhere in your quilt. Surprises or humor add another dimension. You might incorporate a special patch, sparkle of color, original variation in the border or a backing detail.
- Include on your label: Who made the quilt, where and when. Use the full names for people and places. If it's a gift, who is it for? For what occasion? Include the pattern or block name.
- Don't forget to name your entry. Be thoughtful when choosing a title. A few descriptive words can creatively capture the spirit of your entry and heighten interest in it.

Carol Hart, Judging Coordinator

Events Around California

Becoming Art at the Seams:

A Juried Exhibition of Contemporary & Art Quilts

Now Through June 20

Hours: Tuesday - Sunday 11am-6pm, 1st Friday of the Month: 11-8

Museum of Ventura County 89 S. California St., Ventura, CA

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April 30 - July 5, 2010

Napa Valley Museum

55 Presidents Cir, Yountville, CA 94599

Featuring the work of Freeland Tanner, wood sculpture artist and quilts from the Napa Valley Quilters Guild.

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Camarillo Quilters Association Quilting by the Sea

May 1 & 2, 10am - 5pm

Admission \$8.

Ventura County Fairgrounds (San Miguel Hall), 10 Harbor Blvd., Ventura CA

Featuring over 200 beautiful handmade quilts, a sewing machine raffle courtesy of Barons Fabrics, mini quilt silent auction, display of quilt challenge winners, Home of the Brave quilt, boutique, and leading quilt specialty vendors. Advance Sale Tickets are \$5 and available at www.camarilloquilters.org

Email Contact: bikemag@roadrunner.com

Website: www.camarilloquilters.org

T.L.C. Quilters Biennial Quilt Show

The Artist in Everyone

Saturday May 1, 9:30 am to 5 pm

Sunday, May 2, 10 am to 4 pm.

Covina Woman's Club, 128 S. San Jose Ave., Covina, CA

Includes a display of members' quilts, Tea, Country Store, Vendors and an Opportunity Drawing of our quilt, "It's A Colorful World."

Email Contact: lauragraniteware@yahoo.com

Website: tlcquilters.org

Antelope Valley Quilt Association Home Tour

Saturday, May 22, 10am-4pm

Start at **Stanley Kleiner Activity Center** in Lancaster City Park, 43011 N 10th St. W, Lancaster, CA. Tickets to the show will be available there for \$15. Admission price includes snacks, water bottles, and a part of a mystery quilt pattern offered at each house. Parking is free. The Kleiner building will house our vendor mall, a boutique for handmade items, our featured quilter Mary Brewer's exhibit, our Opportunity Quilt called "Flower Power", and our auction quilts for the silent auction. Our quilts will be shown in the beautifully decorated homes of four of our members.

Email Contact: longarmdarla@yahoo.com

Website: www.avqa.org

Temecula Quilt-Away Retreats

The Traveling Quilters

June 3-6

Always a fun and productive weekend. It's a great opportunity to finish projects or start something new. We usually have anywhere from 30 to 45 people at the retreat so it's always fun to see what people are working on. Each person has half an 8-ft table for sewing space in our large, well-lit classroom. Once again we'll be staying at the Vina de Lestonnac Retreat Center in the Temecula wine region.

Email Contact: pam@travelingquilters.com

Website: www.travelingquilters.com

FantaSea of Quilts Quilt Show

Beach Cities Quilt Guild

June 5-6

Soka University Gymnasium, 1 University Dr., Aliso Viejo, CA

We are proud to present our bi-annual quilt show, please join us!

Email Contact: sandycquilts@aol.com

Website: www.beachcitiesquilters.org

Southern California Quilters Run

June 17-20 and 24-27

Map and information at quiltersrun.com

Camp Watch-A-Patcher

July 11 - 15

Hosted by the Orange County Quilters Guild

We have gathered an incredible group of experts offering classes in a wide spectrum of quilting arts...from applique, paper piecing, machine quilting and piecing to fabric dyeing and embellishment. Tons of fun, laughter and friendship for all !!! Held at Vanguard University in Costa Mesa CA.

Email Contact: director_cwap2010@yahoo.com

Website: www.campwatchpatcher.org

Open Call To All Satellite Groups:

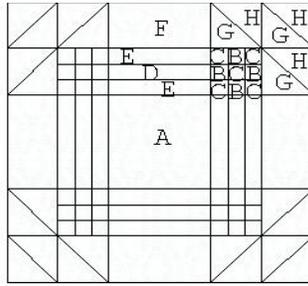
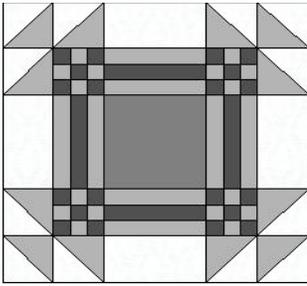
Inspiration is the spice of life. Perhaps another group has done something that will inspire YOUR group to try a new "challenge" or fun experience!

Please consider sharing: Group challenges or exchange ideas, interesting places you've been to or group "Road Trips" you've taken, or perhaps a worthwhile community cause you've contributed to. Each column features a different satellite group. We also like to include "basic" information, such as the names of your members, when and where you meet, and whether you are seeking new members. It's also nice to include information about when and how your group formed, as well as what you like best about your experiences. The article may also include a digital photo or two, space permitting.

I invite any satellite group interested in sharing your experiences to please call me at home (805) 964-9085 (I'm available in the evenings or on weekends, but I DO have an answering machine and will call you back!) OR by email: katrose@cox.net **Please reference "Around the Block."**

Kathy "The Rambling" Rose

Block of the Month for June



GRAND FINALE

Block of the Month - June 2010

What more can we say? The name says it all. The twelfth and final installment of our "Quilted Calendar" Block of the Month has us a little blue knowing that the year is over and our quilts are almost complete. Let's challenge ourselves now to finish them for show-n-tell and share our individual and unique quilted calendars. But first, bring your blues to Guild and don't forget to make a spare for your own "Quilted Calendar"!

FABRIC:



BLUE FLORAL -
Cut one 4 1/2" square (A)



LIGHT BLUE -
Cut one strip 1 1/8" x 12" (C)
Cut two strips 1 1/8" x 25" (E & B)
Cut six 3" squares (G)



NEUTRAL -
Cut four 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles (F)
Cut six 3" squares (H)



DARK BLUE -
Cut one strip 1 1/8" x 25" (D & B)
Cut two strips 1 1/8" x 12" (C)

ASSEMBLY:

Draw diagonal lines on the wrong side of all (H) squares. Create the twelve (G-H) half-square triangle units by placing a (G) and (H) square right sides together, stitch 1/4" from both sides of diagonal line. Cut apart on drawn line. Trim to 2 1/2" square.

With your three 25" strips, assemble the (E-D-E) and (B-C-B) units by sewing a light blue strip to each side of a dark blue strip lengthwise, pressing to the dark. Subcut this into four 4 1/2" (E-D-E) units and four 1 1/8" (B-C-B) units.

With your three 12" strips, assemble the (C-B-C) units by sewing a dark blue strip to each side of a light blue strip lengthwise, pressing to the dark. Subcut this into eight 1 1/8" (C-B-C) units.

Assemble the nine patch units as shown using the 1 1/8" units.

With your remaining (A) and (F) pieces, layout your components as shown to complete your block. Finished block should measure 12 1/2" square.

Enjoy! - Naomi & Debbie

April Door Prize Winners

Our thanks to all who bought tickets. We hope the winners enjoy their prizes.

- » Debra Blake » Ursula Dial » Darilyn Kisch
» Sherran Cressall » Leslie Dodge » Mary Maxwell

Chris Allen & Sue Kadner, Door Prize Chairs • sgkad@yahoo.com

A BIG Thank You to Our April Donors!

... whose continuing support of the Guild is so appreciated:

- Baron's Fabrics
- Craft Essentials
- Grant House
- Quilt Ventura
- June Taylor, Inc
- The Creation Station
- The Fabric Quarter
- The Treasure Hunt
- The Warm Company
- Anonymous Guild Members

Quilting Resources

Baron's Fabrics

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

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805.684.3360

Entries sought for "Still We Rise Again: Quilts for New Orleans"

This is a juried exhibit featuring quilts that celebrate the unwavering spirit of New Orleans, the Gulf Coast, themes of rebirth, renewal and the recovery of a city devastated five years ago by Hurricane Katrina.

Quilts will premiere at Houston International Quilt Market & Festival October 30-November 7, 2010. (Exhibit to benefit appraiser scholarship & conservation workshop for damaged quilts. Other exhibit locations TBD.)

Entry deadline July 1, 2010. You may submit up to two entries for consideration.

Jurors: Jennifer Gilbert & Martha Sielman.
For Entry form, e-mail: m_walter@charter.net or visit www.aquiltersgarden.com

Questions: contact curator Mary Walter 617-480-6360

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 newsletter. 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 Gwen Sangster Wagy, Newsletter Editor, PO Box 2135, Santa Barbara, CA 93120 or email quiltnews@wagy.net.

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 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 6:30 p.m. at:

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

This Month's Meeting
May 13th, 2010 6:30 p.m.

Next Month's Meeting
June 10th, 2010 6:30 p.m.

Please carpool, parking is somewhat limited.

Coast Lines Newsletter

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