

Coast Lines Newsletter for Coastal Quilters of Santa Barbara

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This Month:

September 13th Mtg.

- » Wear name tags
- » Return library books
- » Bring canned goods for donation

September 20th Board Mtg.

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

September 21st Deadline

Newsletter articles due for October edition

HARVEST OF COLORS

Quilt Show, September 22-23

Earl Warren Showgrounds

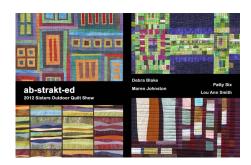
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"ab-strakt-ed" Success in Sisters!

Guild members Maren Johnston, Patty Six, Lou Ann Smith and Debra Blake returned from the Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show elated after the success of their special exhibit entitled "ab-strakt-ed". Be prepared to be inspired. Come early to view a set of 16 originally designed quilts most of which were created especially for the show in Sisters, Oregon. Stay for the presentation and find out how four members of





our guild formed a small group and were given an amazing opportunity to stretch their skills. Learn about the artists, how the work was created, what it took to prepare for this event, and how the work was received. The exhibit was generously sponsored by our very own Cathe Hedrick of Santa Barbara Quilting Retreats. You won't want to miss out on this special program.

No workshop this month.

Harvest of Colors 2012 Guest Artists: Fibervision

We are delighted that our guest artists at this year's Harvest of Colors guilt show will be Fibervision, a local collective group of 25 California fiber artists whose members reside in Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo and Ventura counties. Its members support, share and promote artistic creation and exploration in all forms of fiber art.

Fibervision was formed in August 2002 as a way for fiber artists to support each other in their individual growth as artists. Over time Fibervision has developed an expanding reputation in the visual arts community, showing work collectively in a variety of venues from cafes to fine art galleries to museums. You will notice several names within this group who are current or former members of our guild: Diana Acevedo, Oleta Bennett, Debra Blake, Joan Bruce, Linda Cassirer, Isabel Downs, Linda Estrada, Ranell Hansen, Belinda Hart, Jan Inouye, Rene Jennings, Pamela Price Klebaum, Lora Martin, Gay McNeal, Lorna Morck, Mary Norton, Kristin Otte, Sharon Pederson, Andi Perejda, Cathi Russell, Judy Rys, Xandra Shaw, Lou Ann Smith, Jeanne Surber and Susan West.

Even your artistic non-quilting friends are sure to enjoy this exhibit, so be sure to invite them to come! Tell them to be prepared to be amazed and wowed, as the exhibit is sure to include many NEW pieces by these members and their work is very visual and tactile in nature.

For more information or to contact Fibervision directly, please visit http://www.fibervision.org.

— Katherine Rose, Contributing Reporter

Community Quilts

On Tuesday, August 14, the CCQ delivered 16 lovely guilts to Visiting Nurse & Hospice Care. Two of these have already been presented to patients. By the time you read the newsletter I'm sure many more will have been distributed. VNHC appreciates these lovely gifts, which bring cheer and comfort to all who receive them. We'll be making deliveries to VNHC throughout the year, as the need is always present. Arlene Stepputat, Manager of Volunteer Services, spoke at the August meeting, introducing their program to the guild. She said the majority of their patients are seniors, with some younger adults and a few children. So our focus for hospice guilts will be lap-to-nap-size adult guilts for men and women. After a top is completed please come back to us if batting wasn't included in the kit. Also if you are creating a guilt from your stash and need batting or backing let us know prior to meetings by email or phone and we will bring a selection to the meeting to accommodate you.

We have accumulated 77 cradle-bedding sets for holiday distribution to the **Unity Shoppe**. Many kits have been picked up at the meetings to be stitched up at home. Other members have downloaded the cradle bedding instructions from the guild website, under Community, and pulled the cutest fabric combinations from their own stash. We have received such darling mini quilt sets from you all. It's fun to be able to finish a community project in just an afternoon or an evening. We still need about 100 more bedding sets to reach our goal of 168 by November's guild meeting.

We accept all quilts, babies and kids, too, as our other charities, not mentioned in this article, will be highlighted later this year.

Please come by the Community Quilt tables to pick up a kit if you haven't already, and thank you for the time and imagination you put into your quilts for us. They really do spread love throughout the community.

— The CCQ: Edalee Keehn, Carol Hart, Nancy Miller, and Barbara MacCallum



Hospice nurse selects the perfect quilt for her blind male patient, so appropriate made of soft fleece with a fringed border.



First delivery to Visiting Nurse & Hospice Care. Bea Molina, Associate Manager of Volunteer Services, holds up one of the 15 quilts.

Elected Officers & Committee Chairs 2012-2013

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Marilyn Martin

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From the President's Desk

September is traditionally the time to begin a new school year, and to facilitate that transition, we typically take time to organize school supplies and reinvent ourselves through wardrobe changes. Although we may not being going back into the classroom, this can still be a time to take stock and make necessary changes.

This is the perfect time to take a good look at our quilting supplies and ask what is needed to make or finish the quilts we really *do* want to see completed. Some things we have stashed away for later use no longer support our quilting vision and could be removed or made into charity quilts. Our quilting methods and styles change over time as we find our artistic direction and become more mature and secure in our identities as fiber artists.

Our quilt show celebrates our latest quilting achievements. It is good to rest and appreciate all that we have created. However, the multitude of vendors also offers an opportunity to purchase the fabric and tools we need to make the quilts that are now forming in our minds and hearts.



Welcome New Members:

Laura Danhauer 138 Ranch Lane Santa Barbara, CA 93111 lauradanhauer@cox.net 452-3525 Elizabeth Fuerst 739 Cathedral Pointe Ln. Santa Barbara, CA 93111 bfuerst@cox.net 570-3121

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Please update your membership information when you change your address, phone, e-mail, etc.) by contacting Jean Faison at foxyfaison@verizon.net.

September Birthdays Happy birthday to one and all!				
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Charlene Garfinkle	Sep 1	Barbara J. Paulsen	Sep 21	
Janis Meloy	Sep 2	Adela Laband	Sep 23	
Julie Summers	Sep 3	JoAnn Dovgin	Sep 23	
Rochelle Schneider	Sep 4	Jan Freeman	Sep 26	
Doris Gilman	Sep 5	Cynthia Manzer	Sep 27	
Lea Williams	Sep 5	Dee Holm	Sep 27	
Eileen Tufenkian	Sep 7	Mary Weaver	Sep 27	
Dorothy Oksner	Sep 8	Peter Glatz	Sep 27	
Verna R. Smith	Sep 13	Blanche Sprague	Sep 29	
Beverly Matlick	Sep 17	Marie Butcher	Sep 29	
Bonnie Roper	Sep 17	Nancy Snyder	Sep 30	

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Future Programs

OCTOBER

Anelie Belden: Dresden Dance

Stroll along memory Lane and see the life of the Dresden Plate Design. Learn about its beginning, the variety of designs it has had, and venture into the future with a trunk show of Thoroughly Modern Dresden designs by Anelie Belden.

October 12 Workshop: Thoroughly Modern Dresden

Forget everything you thought you knew about Dresden Plate quilts. The new Dresdens are colorful, clever and fun, nothing stodgy or old-fashioned here! They're easy to make too, with Anelie's new stitch-and-flip technique. Try this fresh take on an old favorite.

NOVEMBER

Sherry Werum: Mosaics and the Quilts They inspire

The lecture will take you on a journey from the early American Indian basket patterns in mosaics through the rule of the Moors in Andalusia and the mosaics of the Alhambra palace and on to Italy with the marble mosaics of Pisa and Venice. The similarities of these mosaics to popular quilting patterns is displayed through quilt replicas of these early mosaics and antique and modern-day adaptations. www.mosaicque.com/en/

November 9 Workshop: *Mosaics and Motifs Table Runner*

This class includes instruction using C&T's new washaway fusible applique sheets, woven tumbling block pattern, monofilament thread machine applique, stencil machine quilting and use of decorative machine stitches. There may be a kit fee.

DECEMBERGuild Annual Holiday Party

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Harvest of Colors Quilt Show September 22 & 23

There is excitement in the air as we approach the weekend of the 2012 Harvest of Colors Quilt Show. I'm pleased that so many quilts have been submitted for the show, and we had a large number submitted for judging. We are looking forward to a wonderful display of all of your beautiful creations. I personally can't wait! Keep telling all of your friends about the show and let's sell lots of tickets! In fact, you could collect money from your friends and purchase pre-sale tickets at the September meeting. That will be the last opportunity for pre-sale tickets. How many friends and family members can you bring to the show?

Quilt Drop Off

You will be contacted by the person responsible for collecting your quilt(s) to set up a suitable time to deliver it. The quilts must go to the collector on or before Sept. 12. They will not be accepted at the guild meeting.

Volunteers

Volunteers are still needed in several categories for the show. There are jobs for all physical abilities, even if you need to sit the entire shift. Please contact Darilyn Kisch (dkisch@cox.net or 689-1480) or sign up at the September meeting. We especially need volunteers on Sunday evening for tear down and distribution in order to make that process run smoothly and quickly.

If you are participating in the Boutique, please be sure to contact Marilyn Osgood to get information for marking your hand-made creations. There are also more slots to be filled by volunteers in the Boutique, so please help if you can.

Dinner

The traditional HOC kick-off dinner (Friday, September 21) will be at Mulligan's (just off Las Positas at the municipal golf course) for all who wish to attend. Dinner will consist of an Italian selection, including Chicken Picata and Vegetarian Lasagna, Caesar salad, etc. The cost of the dinner will be \$25 and includes appetizers. There is a no-host bar. Appetizers will be served around 6 p.m. If you would like to attend the dinner, please contact Becky Gallup (bjoyg@aol.com or 680-6962). You may also sign up for the dinner at the next guild meeting.

I'd like to thank my wonderful committee chairs for all of the work and creative thought they've put into the preparations for the show. They truly made my job so much easier. In fact, I'm sure their jobs were harder than mine! It was a pleasure to work with all of these wonderful women (and a man). Hopefully our efforts will pay off with a profitable and successful show.

— Karen Pickford, 2012 Quilt Show Chairperson

Quilters Hall of Fame

Lasting Tribute to Friends and Family

Many of you already know the history behind the Quilters Hall of Fame located in Marion, Indiana. The QHF has a permanent home located in Marie Webster's colonial revival house, where she designed her famous quilts and operated a successful pattern business. The significance of the house was officially recognized in 1992, when it was listed in the National Register of Historic Places, the only one of which honors a quilter. The property was designated a National Historic Landmark in 1993 and opened as a museum and headquarters of The Quilters Hall of Fame in July 2004 following full restoration. But did you know that one of our own guild members, Rosalind Perry, is Marie's Webster's granddaughter?

Do you have a quilting friend or family member whom you would like to honor with a lasting tribute? This is the perfect place in our quilting heritage to do just that, and I'm sure they would be so pleased that you thought enough of them to honor them in this special way!



A number of years ago, when the house was undergoing extensive restoration, one of their donation options was to adopt a brick that would be placed within the walkways and garden pathways. The brick pathway honoring loved ones, quilters and friends makes wandering through the garden a unique, memorable experience. Each engraved brick is 4" x 8" and features your personal message. Proceeds from the adoption of bricks are used for maintaining the house and the garden.

This idea piqued my interest at the time as a way to honor BOTH of my grandmothers: One was an avid quilter (unfortunately she died while I was still quite young) and the other was an avid gardener (whom I knew quite well) – what a lovely way to honor them both! I have yet to actually visit the museum myself (I do want to go someday), but recently my cousin (a long-distance truck driver) visited there and took pictures of the museum and my bricks. Shown here is a photo of the brick honoring my paternal grandmother, Sophie Schmidt Helm.

To find out more about the Quilters Hall of Fame and Marie Webster, visit http://quiltershalloffame.net. To find out how you can contribute in this unique way, click on the Garden Bricks tab, where you can also download a form for engraving YOUR special tribute!

— Katherine Rose, Contributing Reporter

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Events Around California 31st Annual San Diego Quilt Show presents Life's a Beach

September 12-15, September 12 preview, 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.; September 12 & 14, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.*; September 15, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.*

* Multi-day pass is \$10.

Tickets: \$15 in advance, \$20 at the door.

San Diego Convention Center, 111 West Harbor Dr.

We are expanding our show this year to include classes, judging, cash prize awards, more special exhibits, and an art quilt challenge "Life's A Beach".

Visit our web site at www.sandiegoquiltshow.com or call 619-443-2706 for details.

Quilt Piece Corps of Victor Valley's "Quilts for all Seasons VI"

September 14-15, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., husbands free

San Bernardino County Fairgrounds

14800 7th St., Bldg. D, Victorville

For more information, contact Sammi Yosten at quiltshowinfo@qmail.com

Mountain Meadow Quilt Show

September 29 & 30, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. both days Admission: \$7. Sunday: husbands free.

Buckhorn Camp, Peace Center

24641 Highway #243, Idyllwild, CA

For more information, email: idyquiltshow@verizon.net

Simi Valley Quilt Guild's "Celebrate!!"

October 6-7, Saturday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.; Sunday, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Admission: \$8

Rancho Susana Community Center

5005 E. Los Angeles Ave., Simi Valley

Loads of quilts, merchant's mall, quilt appraisals, door prizes, treasure hunt, food service. Celebrate California Open Quilt Challenge. Entry forms available on the website or by phoning 818-340-5084.

For more information, visit www. simivalleyquiltquild.org

Pacific International Quilt Festival XXI

October 11 - 14, 2012

Santa Clara Convention Center

This well-recognized and largest quilt show on the west coast, known to quilters as P.I.Q.F., features a spectacular collection of more than 800 quilts and works of wearable and textile art. It also offers a wide array of workshops and lectures presented by world-renowned instructors. A 300-booth merchants' mall can be found with the best in fabrics, notions, machines, wearable art and everything for the quilter, artist and home sewer. Take advantage of more than 60 workshops and lectures presented by the international teaching staff.

For more information, visit www.quiltfest.com

Los Angeles County Quilters Guild: A Quilter's Odyssey

October 12 & 13. Admission: \$7; children 5-12, \$3 (under 5 free).

Greek Orthodox Church of Long Beach, 5701 E. Colorado St.

All Quilts never before shown! Featured artist will be Helen Gleason. Opportunity raffles; large merchant hall; daily silent auctions, AND a flea market.

For information, please contact Linda Duncan at 310 604-0725 or Shirley Barnett at 562 429-2994.

34th Annual Glendale Quilt Show & Quilt Retreat any Holiday on Quilts

March 15-17, 2013, Friday & Saturday: 10-5; Sunday 10-4.

Burbank Airport Marriott

We are a professionally judged, non-juried show with cash prizes. Workshops, vendors, other surprises. All entrants welcome.

www.glendalequiltguild.org

2013 Quilting in the Valley Quilt Show

May 4-5, 2013

AirTel Hotel, Van Nuys

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2012/2013 BLOCK OF THE MONTH

The Love of Keeping It Scrappy

Block of the Month 2012-2013 is all about using up more scraps Continuing the theme of last year's very popular, *Keeping It Scrappy*, the Block of the Month for 2012-2013 will again help you use up those scraps that always seem to be on hand waiting for just the right moment to be sewn into a quilt. We have chosen patterns that are simple to assemble and will often form a surprising secondary pattern.

The Rules are few

- 1. The background fabrics will either be white or perhaps a combination of white and cream.
- 2. As last year, the scrap fabrics within each block must be different. If the pattern calls for eight dark or medium pieces, you should use eight different dark or medium scraps.

Winner takes all

This year even when a large number of blocks are turned in, only one winner will be drawn. We are hoping this will provide enough blocks, so that the winner will be able to make an ample size quilt from them. Plus, the winner will be to place the winning blocks into a beautiful container.

Block of the Month for October THE MILKY WAY

If we keep the colors similar in this one, we will see a lot of stars!!! Kona cottons are great for this project.

CUTTING

- Cut 2 3½" squares Light Blue
- Cut 2 3½" squares Purple
- Cut 4 3½" squares Black
- Cut 4 3%" squares each
 - Light Blue
 - Purple

FABRIC



Light Blue Fabric

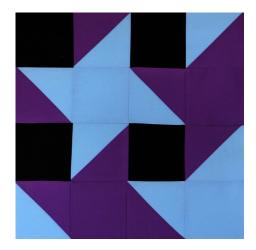


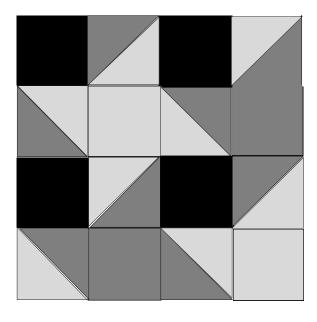
Purple Fabric





Black Fabric





ASSEMBLY:

Place a Light Blue 3%" square and Purple 3%" square right sides together. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the light blue fabric. Stitch ¼" on each side of the line. Cut on the diagonal line. You'll have 8 half-square triangles.

First Row (top) stitch squares in this order: black – purple/light blue half-square triangle – black – light blue/purple half-square triangle.

Second Row stitch squares in this order: light blue/purple half square triangle – light blue – purple/light blue half-square triangle - purple.

Third Row stitch squares in this order: black – light blue/purple half-square triangle – black – purple/light blue half-square triangle.

Fourth Row stitch squares in this order: purple/light blue half-square triangle – purple – light blue/purple half-square triangle – blue.

Sew all four rows together, beginning with Row 1 thru Row 4. 12½" square. Please go to the BOM tab on the CQG website to view the block for placement of colored squares and directional placement of the half square triangles, if needed.

— Knotty Threads: Kika Hutchings and Diana Hamilton

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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

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

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

This Month's Meeting

September 13, 2012 7:00 p.m. (Doors open at 6:30 p.m.)

Next Month's Meeting
October 11, 2012 7:00 p.m.

Please carpool, parking is somewhat limited.

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