

# Coast Lines Newsletter for Coastal Quilters of Santa Barbara

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## **This Month:**

#### October 10th Mtg.

- Wear name tags
- Return library books
- Bring mailing labels and cash for door prizes
- Refreshments will not be provided. Feel free to bring your own if desired.

#### October 17th Board Mtg.

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

#### October 19th Deadline

Newsletter articles due for November edition. (send to Mary Ballard m.ballard0103@gmail.com)

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# October 10 Meeting: Patricia Beaver

## "A Funny Thing Happened To Me When I Moved To Utah"



Hear the story of one guilter's odyssey! A large variety of guilts in many different sizes and techniques will be shown entwined with the stories of women and the roles these works of art have played in their lives. A nice, all around trunk show that appeals to everyone.

## **October 11 Workshop: Crayon Quilts**

A fun workshop for all levels. After this class you can make an entire quilt or finish all those labels you have been meaning to add to

your existing quilts. With my four part recipe your project will be completely soft and washable.



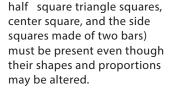
# 2014 Quilt Challenge — "Monkeying Around"

Our challenge for this coming year will be to take the traditional Monkey Wrench pattern (also known as the Churn Dash) and use your imagination.

Each entry must include at least one monkey wrench block. The block may be pieced or appliquéd. It may be in the foreground or background. It may be a tiny little element of the quilt or the whole quilt. You may twist it, distort it, elongate, curve it, or completely change the proportions or contrast of the traditional elements. You are only limited by your imagination and the following rules.

- 1. The quilt must be three layers and be quilted by machine or hand.
- 2. The quilt may be any shape (square, rectangular, triangular, circular, etc.), but must not exceed 120 inches in circumference.

3. The quilt must contain at least one monkey wrench block, traditional or distorted in any way you wish, but the minimum 17 components of the monkey wrench block (the four corner



- 4. Only one entry per member.
- 5. A four inch hanging sleeve must be attached to the back, and an identifying label that includes the maker's name, date of completion, and title.
- 6. All entries must be submitted by the April meeting in a labeled pillowcase with the entry form. The label on the guilt must be covered.
- Quilt Challenge Co-chairs: Una Lopez and Lynn Manchester

# From the President's Desk

Currently, your board is working on finalizing a balanced budget for the 2013/2014 fiscal year. We have worked hard to trim our expenditures while maintaining the quality of our programs, and now need to focus on increasing our income.

This year we increased our annual membership dues to \$35 and our fee to attend workshops to \$40. Our monthly lectures are similar to those available at major quilt shows, priced at \$15-\$20 per ticket, where workshops would cost a minimum of \$75. Our goal is to keep these membership benefits significantly below market rates.

Our major income producing activities have been the Harvest of Colors Quilt Show, yearly opportunity quilt, annual auction, fabric and book sales, and our participation in the Amazon Associates Program. The 2014 quilt show committee is being organized by Irelle Beatie, however other fundraising initiatives are needed to balance our budget this year.

At the September Board meeting, the board decided to reinstate our participation in the Amazon Associates Program as a way to easily increase our income. This program allows members and guests to use a link provided on the guild website to log onto Amazon. The guild receives a percentage of all purchases made using this link, while the purchaser incurs no additional cost.

We truly need an individual or small group to volunteer to organize and make an opportunity quilt this year. The design is up to the organizers, and the guild is willing to reimburse the group for materials costs. The opportunity quilt raffle usually makes several thousand dollars for the guild. You can see past quilts at http://www.coastalquilters.org/opportunity.html. So many of you make charity quilts, and it is just as much fun to organize something a bit larger for the benefit of the guild.

Your fundraising ideas would be welcomed by the board. What we need are IDEAS + PEOPLE to implement those ideas.

— Carol Fay

# Change in Jane Tenorio-Coscarelli Friday, November 15 Workshop

Due to low sign-ups for *Coat Tails* (Jacket Embellishing), the original focus of this workshop, we have decided to change it to *The Piñata Quilt* (Tri-Recs Star Piecing).

"Let's party south of the border with festive fabric. Using the Tri-Recs tools, you can break a few rules, and even a piñata or two. From the pages of "The Piñata Quilt" book (not required but available for purchase. Patterns will be provided in class.), you will produce a four-point strip block. Jane will give tips on setting blocks and embellishing with ribbon. The Tri-Recs



tools will be available for use in class and also for purchase if you would like to have your own."

Please take a minute to look at the picture above. I love Jane's bright colorway and folk art designs, but I could see this quilt as a darling baby or children's quilt in thirties fabrics as well. These strippy stars could find their way into all sorts of quilting projects! Please join us on November 15th to learn a new technique and experience a very talented quilter and designer. The cost for the workshop is \$40.00. It will be held at the Goleta Valley Community Center from 9:00 - 3:30. Please email me (jamcats@cox.net) if you'd like to sign up.

## **Coastal Quilt Guild 2013-2014 Board and Committee Chairs**

There are still opportunities to get involved in your Quilt Guild by volunteering for Satellite Group Coordinator, Refreshment organizer, Opportunity Quilt Ticket Sales, or CCQG Representative.

#### **BOARD**

**President:** Carol Fay

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Workshop Coordinator: Julie Mock

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Membership: Becky Gallup

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#### **COMMITTEES**

2014 Challenge: Una Lopez &

Lynn Manchester

2014 HOC Quilt Show: Irelle Beatie

Block of the Month: Irelle Beatie, Julie

Cohen & Adela Laband

Community Quilts: Bonnie Epperson, Jackie

Carr & Marion Jones

Door Prizes: Cathe Hedrick & Irelle Beatie

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Sunshine Chair: Dee Johnson

Webmaster: Bonnie Barber

Welcome Committee: Dee Johnson &

Debbi Haeberle

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# **Future Programs**

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## **NOVEMBER**



## Jane Tenorio-Coscarelli: "In My PJs"

A trunk show of Jane's colorful quilts and patterns. www.quarterinchpublishing.com

Workshop: November 15: Tri-Recs Star Piecing - The Piñata Quilt

For workshop details, see special newsletter article.

# **DECEMBER**Guild Annual Holiday Party December 12

Please update your membership information when you change your address, phone, e-mail, etc. by contacting Sue Kadner at cqq4email@cox.net.

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# **October Birthdays**

Happy Birthday to one and all!

Lynette Lishman	Oct 2
Maren Johnston	Oct 5
Donna Butera	Oct 6
Jeanne Surber	Oct 6
Marilyn Kisch	Oct 7
Patricia Shewczyk	Oct 7
Bonnie Barber	Oct 8
Jean Phillips	Oct 9
Judy Rys	Oct 9
Mary Deweese	Oct 13
Janet Belch	Oct 14
Christine Allen	Oct 16
Connie Feeley	Oct 18
Toni Percival	Oct 19
Nancy Mondok	Oct 22
Arla Wardell	Oct 23
Joann Conklin	Oct 25
Sue Dixon	Oct 25
Diane Eardley	Oct 25
Evelyn Gorrindo	Oct 25
Carrie Hayden	Oct 25
Sandy Hess	Oct 25
Virginia Bobro	Oct 26
Nola Ferguson	Oct 26
Maggie Godwin Steward	Oct 26

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# **Community Quilts**

WOW. We are fantastic. There were 27 quilts turned in this past month. You have been very busy. Keep up the excellent work.

There are big plans for the rest of the year. Let me share our plans:

- 1. Turn in the final completed Doll Cradle Kits for **Unity Shoppe.** 168 kits needed and 225 completed. We have met our commitment.
- 2. Continue with our ongoing support of **Visiting Nurses and Hospice.** They have a new program of honoring veterans so we need some red, white and blue quilts with a patriotic theme for both Men and Women.
- 3. Get ready for the next batch of 10 quilts to **Santa Barbara Hospice.** These quilts should be appropriate for Men, Women and Kids. We have already made our first delivery of 10 quilts.

- 4. Deliver 30 kids quilts to **CALM** in groups of 10 at intervals. 2 quilts have been delivered.
- 5. Create 30 sets of quilts and pillow cases suitable for women for **Bethel House.** We have received 4 pillow cases so far.
- 6. Quilted children's stockings. 10 for **Hillside House**, unknown for **Unity Shoppe.** Stockings need to be complete by November meeting. We have only received 1 so far!

We recognize that this is a large list, but it does give us a large variety of quilt kits to choose from for all levels of quilters.

Thank you for your ongoing support and for making this the best job in the guild.

—Community Quilts: Bonnie Epperson, Marion Jones, Linda Kriss, Kris Muller, Patti Whelle

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# **Color Study for Quilters Available in your Library!**

Any book claiming to plumb the mysteries of color in quilts will hit the high points of color theory: value, temperature, and intensity; the color wheel: the standard color combinations of monochromatic, analogous, direct complement, split-complement, and triadic; and the illusions of light including luminosity, luster, and transparency.

In *The Quilter's Color Club* (2011), recently donated to the library, Christine Barnes adds "magic fabrics" to the color tool box. With variations of value and warmth within the pattern, magic fabrics give the illusion of a sense of light, depth and richness that "animate" a quilt. The author also promotes the use of "mock blocks" – fabric glued to paper to make a "fabric sketch" – as the only way to see how the fabrics will interact when stitched together.

Color and Composition for the Creative Quilter, by Katie Pasquini Masopust (2011), adds the elements of composition – line, shape, symmetry, curves, grids, etc. – to the mix.

Jinny Beyer – well-known for her use of color – coined the term "deep dark" which, along with accent, is essential for vibrant quilts. In *Color Confidence for Quilters* (1992), Beyer uses the "master palette" in which

the chosen colors are shaded together along with all the in-between colors "in a smooth wave of color." Even though this is one of the oldest books in the library, it's a gold mine of color inspiration.

Taking inspiration from nature, Joen Wolfrom's *Color Play* (2000) uses the Ives color wheel instead of the one we are most familiar with because it is the one used in photography, print-making, and dyeing fabric; the primary colors are yellow, magenta, and turquoise. Wolfrom examines the 24 colors of the Ives wheel in terms of "color scales:" the pure hue and its tints (adding white), shades (adding black), and tones (adding gray). This is the guide for a serious student of color.

I like *The Quilter's Color Club* best because the presentation of color is so closely related to real-world fabric choices. I appreciate the depth that Beyer and Wolfrom address, but for me there's a gap in the translation of that depth into actual fabric – and that's what it's all about in quilting: the fabric!

— The Library Committee: Jean McCaffery, Elaine Kovar, and Carol Barringer



# Newsletters and Guild History

We are in search of past Coastlines newsletters to place in our digital archives!

Thanks to Kathy Rose, we have been able to track down and scan many older past issues of the Coastlines, but we are still missing quite a few from the years 2000 – 2003 as well as earlier versions dating back to the beginning of the guild in 1988.

If you happen to have any of those missing newsletters hanging around, please contact Bonnie Barber (bonnieb2@aol.com) so we can arrange to have them scanned and added to our online collection.



July Speaker

This Month
Our July speaker is well known

became more of a business, however, men are entered the arena in greater numbers. In this July theme and display: First Quilts by Members. Everyone's invited to bring their first quilt for

It is really kind of fun to look back on past years' newsletters. You will be reminded of some fun activities and events. You will see names of friends who have moved on or passed on. There are some good memories there in those files. Take a look... www.coastalquilters.org/news.html.

—Bonnie Barber, Webmaster

# In Memoriam: Dorothy Gibbons

Dorothy Gibbons, a long time guild member, passed away in August. She will be greatly missed. Her family is selling her collection of quilting materials and is offering guild members a preview sale opportunity.

# To Guild Members and their guests... Private Quilters Estate Sale

Thursday, October 24, 2013 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

#### 3703 Cordero Dr, Santa Barbara

(Peach Grove, off frontage road between Earl Warren & car dealers)

- » YARDAGE by the pound
- » SCRAP STASH by the bag
- » Books & Patterns & Notions
- » Finished Quilts
- » Boutique Items

Please bring shopping bags

Any items left will be available for sale at the general garage sale on Saturday, October 26

Questions, email: wolfmoms@yahoo.com

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# **Events Around California**

# SB Fiber Arts Guild Fiber Frenzy – October 5

Please come to our Fiber Frenzy Sale! Yarn, fiber, fabric, books, equipment! Saturday October 5 from 11 am til 2:30 pm at Presidio Springs Community Center 721 Laguna St. between E. Ortega and E. De La Guerra in SB.

Questions? Contact Eileen Ray at sbeileenray@cox.net

## **MQX Pacific Northwest Quilt Festival**

October 9-12, 2013

Public Quilt Show October 10-12, \$12 admission good for all days

Oregon Convention Center, Portland Oregon

www.MQXShow.com

# **Pacific International Quilt Festival XXII**

October 17-20, 2013

Santa Clara Convention Center, Santa Clara, CA

The Pacific International Quilt Festival returns to Santa Clara, CA with a spectacular collection of over 800 quilts and works of wearable and textile art. Not only does this event feature quilt 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.

www.quiltfest.com

# High Country Quilter's Guild April Quilt Show and Auction

Friday October 4 ~ 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Saturday October 5 ~ 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
The Auction begins at 2:00 on Saturday
Admission: \$6.00 for adults/\$5.00 for seniors
Free for Spouse accompanying a paid adult/senior
Free for Supervised Children under 12 years

**Lancaster Market Place**, 44950 Valley Central Way Lancaster, CA 93536

Our featured Quilter is Carmen Chafee, and we are proud to show-case her art.

# Quilters By The Sea present "Quiltin' Under the Stars"

October 26, 9:30 am - 5:00 pm October 27, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm \$10 at the door, Pre-purchase tickets on our website \$8.00 (www.quiltersbythesea.com) Free parking, no strollers please

**National Guard Armory,** 2200 Redondo Avenue Long Beach, CA 90722

100+ quilts, Vendors, Boutique, Opportunity Baskets, Live Auction on SUNDAY

# The African-American Quilters of Los Angeles present "Afro Modern – A Twist on Tradition"

Saturday, November 2, 2013, 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM Admission \$7.00

Carson Community Center, 3 Civic Plaza Dr., Carson, CA 90745

Vendors -- Educational Demos -- Opportunity Baskets -- Free Parking

For Info: www.easysite.com/AAQLA or LCounty@sbcglobal.net

# Fallbrook Quilt Guild presents "Quilted Treasures"

Friday and Saturday, November 8 & 9, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Admission \$7 adults, \$2 children (3-12) No strollers, Free parking.

**SonRise Christian Fellowship,** 463 South Stage Coach Lane Fallbrook, CA

Over 200 quilts on display, textile boutique, quilter's flea market, quilts for sale, opportunity quilt, vendors.

# Santa Monica Quilt Guild Presents A Fall Boutique "CRAFTING BY THE SEA"

Saturday, November 23, 2013 10:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

First United Methodist Church, 1008 11th St. Santa Monica, CA 90403

Just in time for winter holidays!

Quilts ~ Crafts ~ Basket Bonanza ~ Opportunity Quilt ~ Gourmet Cupboard!

Special gifts & treasures to share! Invite your friends and neighbors and join us!

## **September Door Prizes**

Winners: **Patti Hunter, Paige Moore, Geraldine Lewis.** The guild made \$113.

Thanks go to **David Taylor, Jibberish Designs** and **Santa Barbara Quilting Retreats** for their generous donations.

YOU could be the lucky winner in October. Come to the meeting prepared with address labels to make filling out those tickets easier.

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# Block of the Month 2013-14: EVERYBODY IS A STAR

# **November's Block: LeMoyne Star**

Instead of using a template to make parallelogram, this version of the LeMoyne Star produces the same effect, using half-square triangles, which makes it very easy to execute. Pick two fall colors (A and B) to go with the white background.

FABRIC	CUTTING
White	Cut 4: 3½" squares Cut 4: 3 %" squares
Fall Color A	Cut 4: 3 %" squares
Fall Color B	Cut 4: 3 %" squares



## **ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS**

**Step 1:** Draw a diagonal line across all of the fall color squares.

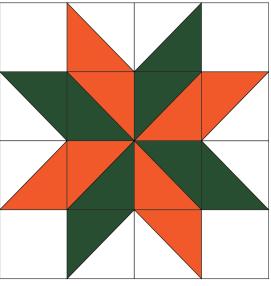
**Step 2:** You will be making half square triangles as follows: Place 2 fall color A squares to fall color B squares right sides together. Place 2 fall color A squares to white squares right sides together. Place 2 fall color B squares to white squares right sides together. Sew a scant ¼" on either side of the diagonal line on all 6 pairs of blocks.

**Step 3:** Cut the sewn squares apart on the diagonal line. Iron each half-square triangle open and trim to a 3 ½" square. 12 squares.

**Step 4:** Arrange all squares according to the diagram and sew together.

Finished size with seam allowances:  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $12\frac{1}{2}$ "

— Irelle Beatie, Julie Cohen and Adela Laband



Assembly Diagram

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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

# The Creation Station Fabric & Quilt Shop

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# Cathe Hedrick Santa Barbara Quilting Retreats

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# **Grant House Sewing Machine**

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919 Maple Ave. Carpinteria, CA 93013 *Roxannequilts.com* 805.566.1250

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

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

4575 Auhay, Santa Barbara, CA

October 10, 2013 7 p.m. This Month's Meeting

(Doors open at 6:30 p.m.)

Vext Month's Meeting

November 14, 2013 7 p.m.

Please carpool, parking is somewhat limited.

Coast Lines Newsletter

community at large about our quilt making heritage. to learn new techniques and improve skills; and to inform the

http://www.coastalquilters.org

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preservation of the art form of quilting and its related topics;

of the guild is to educate its members about the history and profit, educational and charitable organization. The purpose

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ing month's issue. Send articles to the editor: Mary Ballard, m.ballard0103@gmail.com or PO Box 2135, Santa Barbara, CA 93120. This is a monthly publication. Newsletter articles will be accepted up until the 3rd Saturday of the month for publication in the follow-

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