



# COAST LINES

NEWSLETTER FOR COASTAL QUILTERS OF SANTA BARBARA

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## June Meeting Program

### This Month

**Thursday, June 9**

**Meeting 7:00 pm**

(doors open at 6:30 pm)

- » Wear name tag!
- » Bring
  - » *Show & Tell*
  - » *BOM*
  - » *\$ for Door Prizes*  
(*& address labels*)
- » Turn in completed community quilts
- » Return library books
- » Treasure table

### Refreshments

*Suggested volunteers*  
Nov. & Dec. birthdays  
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**Board Meeting**  
**June 16, 6:30pm**

Craft Room, Maravilla  
5486 Calle Real  
Santa Barbara, 93111

### NEWSLETTER

**SUNDAY, June 19**

final date submissions  
accepted for July edition

Send to: *Coastlines Editor*  
cqgeditor@gmail.com



**Thursday, June 9: Claudia Dallas Gomez**

### "Motion is Lotion"

"Motion is Lotion" is about drawing the connection between Movement and Creativity. It's storytelling with slides of color and encouragement, dished up with fun, humor and a little dancing in the aisles. Follow the artist and former dancer as she shares her daily habits that promote living in the creative zone. Included is an Inspirational story about the artist's 96 yr old mom and the fateful box of fabrics changed everything. This one hour lecture will lift your spirits and have you waving your arms to health, longevity and living the COLORFUL life! A display of Modern quilts, quilted objects, and hand dyed fabrics will accompany the lecture.

**Friday June 10, 9am - 3.30pm**  
**Goleta Valley Community Center**

### "The Cushy Tushy" Workshop: A Modern Toteable Box Cushion"



I am pleased to report that my last article garnered more sign-ups, but there are still openings available for those who want to make a first-class sewing seat cushion.

At the recent Sew Day, at least two folks made their 16-1/2" quilt sandwiches (2 needed) using the Quilt in a Day 2-1/2" Strip Wonky Ruler, with spectacular results! Edalee Keehn, said the wonky log cabin block was quick, fun & easy. If you don't have the ruler, Google "wonky log cabin" for patterns and instructions.

The workshop cost is \$40.00 plus a \$29.00 kit fee.

Supply List: [www.coastalquilters.org](http://www.coastalquilters.org), under Programs tab.

Please contact Edalee Keehn, Barb MacCallum, or Suzy Pelovsky if you would like to sign up.

**Julie Mock, Vice President Programs**

## From the President's Desk

### **Time to Renew your Guild Membership for 2016-2017**

Guild membership runs from July through June so now is the time to renew!

**Membership forms** are available at the check-in desk at Guild meetings or can be downloaded from our web page ([coastalquilters.org](http://coastalquilters.org)) under "Our Guild/Membership" – or see link on the home page.

**Rates** remain the same as last year: membership \$35. Optional: mailing newsletter \$15; mailing directory \$2.

**Additional donation to support Guild activities:** our donation campaign this last year was quite successful and your Board is very appreciative of everyone's contribution. For this next year, the Harvest of Colors Quilt Show will be our main fundraiser and we do not anticipate needing additional donations - but they are always welcome and will be put to good use.

Membership in our Guild brings many rewarding benefits. We look forward to seeing your name on the renewal list for the 2016-2017 year.

**Bonnie Epperson, President**

## Library

We received more donations of quilt books at the April meeting. The books are now either in the alphabetized by author or subject crates, or have been priced and put in the FOR SALE crates, prices starting at 25 cents. Stop by and check at what the guild's library has to offer.

**Thanks, Kathy, Pam and Michelle**

## Refreshments

Those who have birthdays in November and December, please bring something for all to share.

And thanks to all for your participation this past year, it's been tempting and lots of fun!

**Thanks, Marian Jones**

## The Longest Day - Quilting for Alzheimers

Please bring your scraps (6" square or larger) of "contemporary" floral fabric to the June Guild meeting and hand them over to any of the folks wearing a purple Alzheimers t-shirt. What's "contemporary"? Think Amy Butler, Kaffe Fassett, Phillip Jacobs or similar. We would like to incorporate the squares in the Alzheimers Longest Day quilt.

And if you have not already signed up, please consider spending the day creating a quilt to benefit the Alzheimers Association on Saturday June 18 from 10am-5pm at Roxanne's "A Wish and a Dream" in Carpinteria. For more information, contact Isabel Downs.

[ifdowns@gmail.com](mailto:ifdowns@gmail.com) or 805-682-2152

## Quilt Show Pre-sale Tickets

Forms for Quilt Show pre-sale tickets are now available on the website and at Guild meetings.

Order your tickets now: \$8 for both days. These make great gifts for your friends.

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## Coastal Quilt Guild 2015 - 2016 Board and Committee Chairs

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### COMMITTEES

**2016 Quilt Show:** Irelle Beatie, Bonnie  
Epperson

**2016 Challenge:** Irelle Beatie, Lou Ann  
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**Block of the Month:** The Blockheads  
Satellite Group

**Community Quilts:** Carol Barringer

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Arla Wadell

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## Harvest of Colors Quilt Show

The quilt show planning is in full swing. The next meeting will be before the regular guild meeting in June. We will start at 5:30pm.

We have received over two dozen registration forms for our special exhibit "Quilting in Paradise – Santa Barbara County". With these small pieces and the two large quilts – the Natural History Museum Quilt and the Santa Barbara Quilt that has been in Lois Capps office, we are confident this exhibit will be a great representation of Santa Barbara County. We were disappointed to learn that we will be unable to borrow the quilt that is hanging in the Carpinteria Historical Museum as it is permanently affixed to their exhibit and can't be moved. The special exhibit committee will meet in June to decide whether we will expand our exhibit to include other Santa Barbara themed quilts of other sizes. Stay tuned for that information.

Karen Pickford and Linda Estrada have started the sign up for the Boutique and so far the response has been awesome. Please sign up at the next meeting if you have any interest in contributing to the boutique.

The volunteer sign-up sheets were at our last guild meeting and will continue to be at a table in the rear of our meetings manned by Naomi Hicks and Annette Gaona. 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* of our members to participate. I hope you are all busy quilting those beautiful show quilts!

**Irelle Beatie, Harvest of Colors Chairperson**  
**805-569-3930, irellebeatie@cox.net**

## Community Quilts News - Making Quilts, Making a Difference

*Dear Wonderful Coastal Quilters,*

*Thank you so much for the beautiful quilts. I am so appreciative of your kindness and generosity and I so admire your incredible workmanship. My baby is so blessed to have such guardian angels that give without even knowing us. I am very touched by your thoughtfulness. God Bless you all.*

*With much appreciation, Roberta*

This thank you note from a CALM recipient came with a card which read, "Thank you for making a difference." And that's really what it's all about, isn't it? – making a difference in someone's life. We may not know the person who receives each quilt, but we do know the power of a quilt to bring beauty, comfort and warmth where it is needed.

We are beginning our annual drive for 168 sets of doll cradle quilts and bedding for Unity Shoppe. Completed sets are already coming in, and they are SO cute! They will make a huge difference to 168 little girls and their families at Christmas time.

We've have many requests for "blank kits" – that is just the batting, mattress, and pillow – so that the quilter has complete creative license in making the doll quilt, mattress cover and pillow case. We'll have plenty of "blank kits" on hand at the next meeting, along with "regular" kits that will include fabric to get you started on the creative journey.

These doll cradle quilts plus bedding take very little time to complete. An "orphan" quilt block is a great place to start! A fat quarter will make a whole-cloth quilt-top. Or gather your scraps for a simple pieced top. Quilts should measure 16" to 18" square when completed. Complete instructions can be found on our website under "Community." There are a limited number of printed instructions at the Community Quilts table for those without access to the website.

Thank you for supporting Community Quilts. Together, we really do make a difference to more people than we can imagine.

**Carol Barringer**

*The membership directory is provided to facilitate guild business. It is issued only to Coastal Quilters Guild members for their personal convenience. Other uses must be approved by the Coastal Quilters Guild Board of Directors.*

## Future Programs



### July 14: New Member Potluck & Book Sale

Please plan to join us (at a slightly earlier time) for our annual celebration of the new members who've joined this year. More information to follow in the July Newsletter.

- \* New Member Welcome Packets
- \* Fun & Games
- \* Library book sale
- \* Enjoy a delicious buffet dinner, make new friends, and catch up with old friends!

### Workshop: Saturday July 16, 9am-3pm, \$10.00

#### "Ready, Set, Finish It!"

Need some inspiration and incentive to get your show quilts done before the deadline in August? Here's a chance to do just that, in the company of friends and under the expert supervision of the knowledgeable and talented Carol Fay. There will be tables for quilt basting/pinning, and help, if needed, to get past any roadblocks you encounter. President Bonnie recently shared that quilting with friends helped to revive her quilting ambitions, and we're betting she's not alone in that regard. So, join us at the Goleta Valley Community Center from 9am - 3pm (or any part of that time) and let's get those quilts done!

### Thursday August 11

#### Pamela Dransfeldt - "The Life of a Long-Arm Quilter"

More details to follow shortly.

*Please update your membership information when you change your address, phone, e-mail, etc. by contacting Sue Kadner at [cqg4email@cox.net](mailto:cqg4email@cox.net).*

## Another call for quilts...

### Capturing the Colors of California - Hues, Tints, Shades, and Tones . . .

This exhibit will appear at Quiltfest Oasis Palm Springs, October 6-8, 2016. We want to ensure that we have quilts from guilds all over Southern California. Consequently, to give you more time to create your entry and/or enter an existing quilt, we have extended the entry deadline to August 1, 2016. We are also removing the size constraint. If you have a quilt that captures the Colors of California, we would like to include it!

The entry form and information have been updated on the SCCQG website. For more details, please go to [www.SCCQG.org](http://www.SCCQG.org).

Questions? Contact the exhibit curator,

**Stephania Bommarito, [quiltwizard1024@gmail.com](mailto:quiltwizard1024@gmail.com).**



## EVENTS AROUND CALIFORNIA

### Central Coast Quilt Shop Tour

*Friday June 3 - Sunday June 5*

Small prizes, grand prizes, and lots of fun retail opportunities at some of our local quilt shops from Ventura to Paso Robles!

See <http://www.quiltshopsofthecentralcoast.com> for more details..

### 18th Annual Southern California Quilter's Run

*Thursday June 16 - Sunday June 19 and Thursday June 23 - Sunday June 26*

If you fancy a trip down the coast, from Thousand Oaks, all around Los Angeles, Palmdale, and more, and continuing down to San Diego, then this is it! See <http://www.quiltersrun.com> for more details.

For more info: call 626-577-1660, or see [www.pasadenahistory.org](http://www.pasadenahistory.org)

### Associated Quilt Guilds of the Central Coast (AQGCC) Presents:

#### The 2016 Seven Sisters Quilt Show

*Saturday June 25, 9 am - 5 pm ☽*

*Sunday June 26, 9 am - 4 pm*

Alex Madonna Expo Center at the Madonna Inn, 100 Madonna Road, San Luis Obispo, California

For complete information, visit official website: [www.aqgcc.org/Seven\\_Sisters\\_Quilt\\_Show](http://www.aqgcc.org/Seven_Sisters_Quilt_Show)

## red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo, violet

I went to a quilt show  
And what did I see  
But more kinds of quilts  
Than I thought there could be:

There were huge ones and minis  
And lots in between,  
Combinations of colors  
That I'd never seen.

Some quilts were just triangles,  
Others all squares.  
I saw appliqued angels, Rabbits and bears.

I saw fanciful shapes  
And stars all aglow,  
All the quilts with no ribbons  
And the grand Best of Show.

I never have known  
Such excitement before.  
When is the next show?  
I want to see more!

- *Jacquie Scuitto*

## Am I Quilt addict?

~~Well YES~~    ~~Oh No~~  
~~yes yes yes~~    ~~ahhh maybe?~~  
~~No I am not~~    ~~Yes I am today!~~  
define addict?



## Block of the Month **VACANT**

Sadly, we have no block instructions to share with you this month as nobody has signed up for this Committee position. So, if you want to see the BOM continue, then we NEED you to sign up!

I did this job (along with Elaine Rottman) in 2014-2015, and LOVED it! It's a really fun and rewarding position, where you get to be creative, and see the results of others creativity. Yes, you need some design and computer skills, but it can be as easy or hard as you choose to make it - very simple, traditional, modern, abstract, color-themed, seasonal, whatever you desire!

So come on, someone sign up for this wonderful job and gets the blocks pouring in!!

**Bee Saunders, Newsletter Editor**

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### Coastal Quilters Guild 2016-2017 NEW BOARD ELECTED!

*Congratulations to our newly elected Board of Directors for the 2016-2017 Guild year.*

President	Linda Boynton de Sepulveda
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Parliamentarian	Sue Orfila
Membership	Bonnie Epperson
Public Relations	Sue Kadner

*These are the members who have volunteered to chair a committee next year:*

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Do any of the vacancies interest you? Please call (805-770-2282) or email (quiltnut@aol.com) me if you would like to take a Committee position.

**Sue Orfila, Parliamentarian**

## 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

Classes, Retreats and Online Shopping  
Dawn and Patrick Farrier, owners  
Large selection of cotton solids/prints and flannels.  
Authorized Janome dealer.  
252 East Hwy 246, Unit A  
Buellton, CA 93427  
[www.thecreationstation.com](http://www.thecreationstation.com)  
805.693.0174

### Ranell Hansen

#### Around The Block Quilting Studio

Custom Machine Quilting  
Quilting and Sewing Classes  
[LLENAR.NESNAH@gmail.com](mailto:LLENAR.NESNAH@gmail.com)  
805.684.7042

### Cathe Hedrick

#### Santa Barbara Quilting Retreats

P.O. Box 91429  
Santa Barbara, CA 93190-1429  
[www.santabarbaraquiltingretreats.com](http://www.santabarbaraquiltingretreats.com)  
805.899.3947

### Grant House Sewing Machine

New Hours: Monday - Friday 10-5:30  
Saturday: 10-3  
336 E. Cota St., Suite B,  
Santa Barbara, CA  
[www.granthousesewingmachines.com](http://www.granthousesewingmachines.com)  
[ghsewingmachines@gmail.com](mailto:ghsewingmachines@gmail.com)  
805.962.0929

### Nancy King

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Many designs to finish your quilts beautifully. Large quilts, small quilts, get them done! Prompt turnaround.  
[www.sbcustomquilting.com](http://www.sbcustomquilting.com)  
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### Quilt Ventura

Stash Card & Classes  
4572 Telephone, Ste. 908  
Ventura, CA 93003  
[www.quiltventura.com](http://www.quiltventura.com)  
805.658.9800

### Roxanne's A Wish and A Dream

A whimsical store filled with everything for quilting, knitting, needlework and gifts. Not only will you find fabrics, books, yarns and classes, you will have experience in artful living.  
919 Maple Ave., Carpinteria, CA 93013  
[Roxannequilts.com](http://Roxannequilts.com)  
805.566.1250

## June Birthdays

Birthday wishes go out to the following members:

Dee Johnson	Jun 08
LeAnn Speshyock	Jun 12
Delores (Dee) Angus	Jun 13
Francine Smith	Jun 13
Kelly Hildner	Jun 14
Barbara Aspen	Jun 16
Pamela Holst	Jun 16
Susan West	Jun 16
Suzanne Ahn	Jun 17
Colby Kline	Jun 20
Kristin Otte	Jun 21
Judy McCartney	Jun 22
Marcia Moore	Jun 25
Lou Ann Schlichter	Jun 26
Suzanne Zanesco	Jun 28

(\* denotes new member)

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Guild meetings are held on the second  
Thursday of each month at:  
St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church  
4575 Auway, Santa Barbara, CA

**This Month's Meeting**  
June 9, 2016  
Doors open at 6:30pm  
Meeting at 7:00pm

**Next Month's Meeting**  
July 14, 2016 7:00pm

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