

Coastlines

Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara & Goleta, California

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February Meeting

Our planned event to honor the Guild's past presidents has been postponed; please see President's Message on page 3 for details. We are still putting the final touches on the February program but here's a preview of some of the agenda:

FEBRUARY 14 MEETING

Meeting Starts at 6 pm; Doors Open at 5:30 pm

COME FOR A FUN EVENING OF:

Socializing and Enjoying a Special Dessert (Compliments of the Guild)...

Hearing some tales from our very own Ranell Hansen (and her hubby) about longarm quilting and anything else she wants to talk about...

Learning about the responsibilities of some of your Board members whose positions will be open in July...

Seeing 30 years of photographs – some of which you can take home with you...

Doing monthly activities: Library, Door Prizes, Workshop Sign-ups, Community Quilts, Block of the Month, Treasure Table and Show and Tell – we'll be doing them all!

We know it is Valentine's Day but we hope you'll join us



"For the Love of Quilting" Coming in March

Trudy Smith will share her quilting love story and trunk show at the March meeting. Trudy currently teaches Quilting and Machine Embroidery for Conejo Valley Adult Education. She has been quilting

for over 25 years and calls herself a "dabbler" in all techniques of quilting. Machine appliqué is her favorite method and she has expertise with Bernina Sewing and embroidery machines. Her quilts have been shown at Paducah, Kentucky quilt show and at Road to California.

On March 15th, Trudy will teach a workshop titled "Machine Appliqué-Mock Hand Appliqué." A kit for \$25.00 will be available for the workshop. You can register at the February meeting or by contacting Margaret Dear at margaretdear@gmail.com.



February Birthdays

Isabel Downs	2nd
Julie Mock	7th
Paige Moore	8th
Penny Valentine	11th
Mary Faria	15th
Lucy Stephenson	18th
Betty Kelley	24th
Liz Turner	24th
Joan Buss	26th
Suzy Pelovsky	29th



Refreshments

Refreshments for February: The Guild will be providing Valentine treats for all.

Carol Vaughn and Pat Masterson, Refreshments

Newsletter Deadline

Is the Sunday after the Board Meeting to: cggeditor@gmail.com

Reminder

If you change your address, phone or email address, please notify the Guild at cgginfo@gmail.com.

CQG BOARD

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> Refreshments Carol Vaughn, Pat Masterson

Satellite Group Coordinator Isabel Downs SCCQG Representative VACANT Webmaster **Bonnie Barber** Welcome Nola Ferguson

Monthly Meeting—2nd Thursday, 6 pm St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 4575 Auhay, Santa Barbara, CA 93110

Board Meeting— 3rd Thursday, 6:30 pm Maravilla Craft Room, 5486 Calle Real, SB 93111

Workshops as Scheduled:

Goleta Valley Community Center, 5679 Hollister, Goleta, CA 93117

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President's Message [Editor's Note]

As announced by eblast last week, Guild President Debbi Haeberle has taken a four-month leave of absence. We all wish Debbi a very speedy recovery and look forward to seeing her at Guild meetings soon.

Under our by-laws, Vice President Cathe Hedrick will serve as Acting President during Debbi's leave. However, because Cathe lives out of town and cannot regularly attend meetings, our past President Linda Boynton de Sepulveda has graciously agreed to serve as Interim Chair.

Please contact Interim Chair Linda Boynton de Sepulveda about any and all matters as to which you would ordinarily contact the Guild President, until further notice.

The Board appointed Linda by unanimous vote on January 23, 2019 under Section 36 of our bylaws. These are available for your review in the back of the Guild Directory and on the website under "Our Guild." Linda will serve until Debbi officially resumes her duties, or a President takes office after the May 2019 election, whichever occurs first.

As a Guild, we owe a debt of gratitude to Linda for stepping up to lead us once again, to the Board for assuring a smooth leadership transition, and to Sue Kadner and Darilyn Kisch for mobilizing the Guild's energies to arrange this transition and organize a new plan for the February meeting.

Because the idea of honoring past presidents is Debbi's idea and she is so excited about it, that event has been postponed until, most likely, the July meeting. Please see page 1 for details about the February meeting.

30 Years of Photographs

This past summer, Andrea Hoelter scanned in 30 years of Guild photographs that have been posted on our website by Bonnie Barber. We will have the actual books at the February meeting and members will have the opportunity to view the original pictures and take any that they might want. Due to lack of storage space – and the fact that all the pictures, newsletters and minutes are now available on the web – we will be getting rid of the actual albums after the meeting. Thank you Andrea and Bonnie for all your work.

Sue Kadner

Challenge 2019: "Don't Touch"

This is your last month to complete your Challenge entry. **Entries will be collected at the March meeting.** Our 2019 challenge promotes one of the Guild's stated aims: "to inform the community about the history and preservation of quilts." Members are asked to make a **Public Awareness sign with a reminder: "Just Look, Don't Touch."** All entrants are encouraged to donate their entries to the Guild for use in future quilt shows.



This year's challenge may be one of the easiest-to-enter ever! Why?

Entries must be 12" x 12" finished size, no hanging sleeve, and have a back label with maker's name (further details optional). No political statements, please.

You may select an era, technique, or trend, from traditional to wonky. You may venture into an exciting, modern style or use an actual vintage block. There is no limit to your sign's artistic possibilities, whether it be a raw edge fiber art collage or a whimsical children's block. Humor is always enjoyed. Your entry may convey its message with or without words. (Only two sets of laser cut, press-on word sets are left, available in the Guild library along with Challenge rules.)

Carol Hart, Challenge Chair

Coastal Quilters Guild - Harvest of Colors Two Year Comparison: 2016 & 2018

	2016	2018
Quilt Show Income		
Boutique Income (100%)	7,112	9,641
Boutique Sales Rebate	-4,990	-6,522
Total Boutique Income (100%)	2,123	3,119
Boutique Sales Tax	539	844
Donations	10	0
Entrance Fees	13,068	12,276
Friday Dinner/Lunch	0	129
Judging Fees	800	1,140
Raffle	1,027	2,154
Vendor Fees	9,370	10,290
Total Quilt Show Income	26,937	29,951
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Quilt Show Expenses Acquisition/Collection	4	0
Boutique Expenses	215	220
Display (Pipe & Drape)	7,095	7,195
Education Booth	0	0
Facility Charges Showground	7,485	7,000
Featured Artist/Special Exhibit	101	0
Friday Dinner/Lunch	0	180
Gifts	0	18
Hanging	99	0
Hospitality-Vendors/Volunteers	278	320
Judge Expenses	587	481
Judging Exp (GVCC & Other)	237	529
Program Printing	1,248	1,294
Publicity	3,048	2,926
Raffle	69	105
Sales Tax	539	844
Signage	79	378
Tickets/Wristbands	286	103
Total Quilt Show Expenses	21,370	21,593
Net	5,567	8,359

Finances for our Quilt Shows span two or more fiscal years. The above is a consolidation of years for each show. The Board thought it would be interesting to show the comparison.

Library News

Our Library collection's database, available on the Guild website, was updated for your use in mid-January. To browse our 600-book collection, go to the Guild website, click on Our Guild, then Library, then library—or just go here: coastalquilters.org/library.html. There are 3 database listings (Author, Title or Subject.) I'm thankful for the many donations received at January's meeting, some of which will be in the subject bins by February but not yet listed on the website. For new books not yet in the database, check the New Arrivals List in the middle of the library table or ask the librarians about books you are interested in. Thank you for returning your borrowed books.

Carol Hart, Librarian

Block of the Month News

In January, Alicia Bonnette won 13 Chinese Lantern blocks stitched in luminous multicolor scraps with black accents that can form some delightful secondary patterns.

Guild History: January 2013 Block of the Month "The Chinese Lantern is the first-ever portable lighting. It is the unique traditional craftwork of China. Besides an illumination tool, the lantern also became a source of artistic expression. Calligraphic characters, historical figures, deities and landscapes would adorn their lanterns. At times, artistic contests would be held to crown



the best lantern craftsmen. Though electricity has replaced the lantern, lantern festivals bring back the beauty of this illumination tool. Now with this little bit of history, let's begin to make fantastic Chinese lanterns!" Thanks to Knotty Threads Kika Hutchings and Diana Hamilton, our very talented BoM chairs from December 2012.

Nancy Butterfield, BoM Chair

Letters to Our Guild

This letter was received in early January from Niccy Brandrick, recipient of a CQG quilt:

In 2011, I lost my home in the devastating earthquakes in Christchurch, New Zealand. After many years, I am now happily settled in my new beautiful home. Unpacking my belongings and putting them in my new home was sad but healing. One of the items I unpacked was a beautiful quilt, which I was given a number of years ago. It was only by chance that I saw the label on the quilt. I wanted to thank your guild from the bottom of my heart for this beautiful gift, which I will always treasure. The thought that complete strangers from the other side of the world were thinking about us is truly humbling. Thank you all so very much.

This letter was received from Nancy Ota, our January speaker:

A big THANK YOU to the Coastal Quilters of Santa Barbara and Goleta. Carole very efficiently took such good care of us. Bud and I received such a warm welcome and lovely accommodations. Dinner at Lure's was delicious. It was also fun to eat at the original "Habit." We enjoyed our time with you all. The workshop setting was comfy and yummy, thanks to Margaret. I appreciate your support of my work and patterns.

I neglected to tell you that I do send out emails sharing the pictures of projects that students complete. I also send out travel photo journals of our trips. I do need the email address of those of you interested in one or the other or both. You would need to let me know which.

nancy@nancyota.com

Quilter's Resources

The Creation Station—Fabric and Quilt Shop

Large selection of cotton solids/prints/and flannels. Authorized Janome dealer. 252 East Hwy. 246, Unit A, Buellton, CA 93427 805-693-0174 www.thecreationstation.com

Ranell Hansen—Around the Block Quilting Studio

Custom Machine Quilting, Quilting and Sewing Classes LLENAR.NESNAH@gmail.com 805-684-7042

Cathe Hedrick—Santa Barbara Quilting Retreats

P.O. Box 91429 Santa Barbara, CA 93190-1429 805-899-3947 www.santabarbaraquiltingretreats.com

Nancy King—Santa Barbara Custom Quilting

Many designs to finish your quilts beautifully. Large quilts, get them done! Prompt turnaround. www.sbcustomquilting.com 805-687-2063

Grant House Sewing Machines

New Hours: M-F 10-5:30, Sat. 10-3 336 E. Cota St. Suite B, Santa Barbara, CA 805-962-0929 www.granthousesewingmachines.com ghsewingmachine@gmail.com

Santa Maria Sewing Superstore, Inc.

127 E Main Street Santa Maria, CA 93454 www.santamariasewing.com 805-922-1784

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A whimsical store filled with everything for quilting, knitting, needlework, and gifts. You'll find fabrics, books, yarns and classes, & fun! 919 Maple Ave., Carpentaria, CA 93013 805-566-1250 roxannequilts.com

Santa Barbara Quilting Retreats

PO Box 3417 184 Woodchip Circle, Arnold, CA 95223-3417, 1-805-705-5523

Events Around California

Nature through the Eye of a Needle

Isabel Downs' Fiber Art
Wildling Museum, Solvang.
Thru March 31; Talk Feb 10 3pm
wildling museum.org

The West-Dressed Woman

Garments from SB's storied past SB Historical Museum Thru March 31 Tues-Sat 10-5; Sun 12-5 sbhistorical.org

South Bay Quilters Guild Show

Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Dr. Feb 16-17; 10-4 qs.southbayquiltersquild.org

San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles

SJMQT's signature event, International TECHstyle Art Biennial, merges fiber media with new technologies.

Through April 14
Wed - Fri 11- 4; Sat-Sun 11 am-3 pm
siquiltmuseum.org/

For other February quilt shows, check quilterstravelcompanion.com.

Isabel Downs' Fiber Art and Plein Air Paintings

Isabel Downs's exhibition "Nature through the Eye of a Needle" continues through March 31 at the Wildling Museum of Art and Nature in Solvang. The artist's talk featuring Isabel and her marine biologist/birdwatcher

husband will take place on Sunday February 10 at 3pm at the Wildling. Reservations for the talk are strongly suggested and there is a charge of \$5/member \$10/nonmember. Check out wildling museum.org to make online reservations or call the museum.

Isabel is pleased to share that she has the unexpected and extraordinary privilege to be exhibiting at the Wildling during an exhibit by great Santa Barbara *plein air* artist, Ray Strong (Ray Strong: A Collector's Passion February 2-July 8, 2019). So, make it more than a wildflower expedition to Figueroa Mountain and lunch in Solvang but also an opportunity to see 35 rarely-seen works from a private collection.



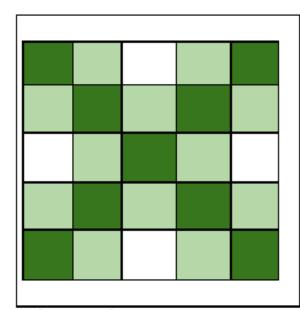
IRISH CHAIN BLOCK

MARCH 2019

10" Block (10.5" Unfinished)

Coastal Quilters Guild Block of the Month

Originally published in 2005, created by Becky Gallup and MaryAnn Huggins. Echoing them very appropriately, wishing fellow guild members a "Happy St Patrick's Day!"!





Fabric and Cutting

White Fabric:	
Cut 1 - 2 1 x	12 ½" strip

Deep Green	n Solid/Small Print
	" x 12" strip
Cut 1 - 2 ½	" x 22" strip

<u>Light Green Solid/Small Print</u> Cut 1 - 2 ½" x 24" strip

Assembly

- Sew the White $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 12" strip to the Light Green $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 12" strip. Press the seam toward the green fabric and cut the strip into four $2\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces.
- Cut one 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " square from the Dark Green 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 24" strip.
- Sew the remainder of the Dark Green strip to the Ligh Green 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 22" strip. Press toward the Dark Green fabric and cut the strip into eight 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces.
- Assemble the block in the following three rows, referring the the pictured block for piece orientation.
- Row #1 Two Dark Green & Light Green pieces, one Light Green & White piece and two Dark Green and Light Green pieces.
- Row #2 One Dark Green & Light Green piece, one Dark Green square and one Dark Green and Light Green piece.
- Row #3 This row is a repeat of row #1, reversing the center piece orientation.

Questions? Please call Nancy Butterfield at 455-3033

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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: February 14, 6:00 pm

(note new early start time)

Workshop: None

Board meeting: February 21

Coastlines deadline: February 24

Next month's meeting: March 14, 6:00 pm

February Meeting Reminders:

- Wear Name Tag
- Bring
 - ♦ Block of the Month
 - Money for Door Prizes, Workshops
 - ♦ Due Library books
 - ♦ Treasure Table goodies
 - ♦ Show and Tell

