

Newsletter of the Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara & Goleta, CA

November 1996

A SPECIAL SHOWING The 1996 Hoffman Challenge

Make a note on your calendar to be at an Open House to view the 1995 Hoffman Challenge, B Collection.

Date: January 1, 1997 Time: 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Place: 5572 Camino Galeana, Santa Barbara-- Maggie

Godwin's home.

Presenting Tonight

Norah McMeeking who will speak on My Great British Adventure

Our special guest tonight is Norah McMeeking, quilter, teacher, world traveller and, of course, member of our guild. Norah and her family have just returned from spending a year in the United Kingdom. While her husband was busy with 'sabbatical work', Norah, among other things, was traveling and teaching all over the U.K. Tonight Norah will share with us, some of her adventures. This will be a great program.

A Note of Congratulations

The work of two of our members has been selected in the Hoffman Challenge. Harriet Berk's masterpiece can be seen in the Wearable Arts Collection. Linda Estrada's Honorable Mention winner is touring in the A Collection.

Congratulations
Harriet and Linda.
Well done!

Please, let's all remember to thank **Jan Inouye** for a GREAT job of planning and organizing every aspect of the Guild's Garment Challenge.

** Also Tonight **

Are you ready for... the results of our 1996 Wearable Challenge? The best kept secrets of our Guild! ... You bet!

After the exciting unveiling of the Challenge Garments last month, tonight the winners will be announced. In addition, we will once again be able to see, up close and personal, some of those garments. I'm sure that we all agree that the garments and the effort put into them make all of them winners.

And Next Month . . .

Guess who's coming to Guild for Christmas? ...besides Santa. Our special guest lecturer will be the one and only . . . Mary Ellen Hopkins! It's true. The original Crazy Lady will be here to speak to us about "In the Land of Mules, There Are No Rules." What does this mean? We have no idea -- but then, we don't care, because Mary Ellen just so happens to be one of the most entertaining speakers around. Of course we will all learn from her, and of course we will all get to see some of her many special quilts. But most of all, come prepared to laugh until you hurt. If she ever decides to get out of the quilting biz, she can always find work as a stand-up comedienne! This is a good meeting to bring non-quilters to, as they will enjoy her as much as we do.

And on to the New Year . . .

January 8 -- DIXIE McBRIDE

Our first speaker for 1997 will be **Dixie McBride** who is known for her original designs in applique. Her quilts have been featured on the cover of *Quilters Newsletter Magazine* (Jan/Feb 1991, #229). Her quilt, "Village" also was shown in *QNM* (April, 1994, #261).

Dixie will give a workshop on Thursday, January 9 on her award winning "Village" quilt. We will all have the opportunity to learn her methods of designing while creating our own Village landscape.

Anne Braddock is now taking reservations for this workshop.

February 12 --JEAN RAY LAURIE

Want to create new "Imagery on Fabric"? Then February is the meeting for you. Jean Ray Laurie will be here to talk about this topic as well as give a workshop on "Quick Printing on Fabric." Jean Ray has authored over 17 quilting and craft books and countless articles. She was formerly a regualr contributor to Quilters' Newsletter Magazine. Don't miss her program or workshop.

Thank You, We All Enjoyed the Refreshments!

October refreshments were donated by

Harlene Bailey
Janet Berlin
Peg Gard
Linda Kaarpinen
Janet Larson
Pat Shewezyk
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Holiday Party . . . FABRIC EXCHANGE

We promised you another chance on a fabric exchange and HERE IT IS. One of the best parts is that you don't even need to sign up ahead of time to play. This is how to participate in our fabric exchange at our December 11th meeting:

- 1. Bring 6"x6" squares of 100% cotton, good quality, novelty print fabric that has been prewashed.
 - Good quality fabric has a high thread count. It has body to it; it is not limp.
- Novelty print (hard to describe). A unique, unusual or distinctive print that is of a specific subject or theme. Examples of novelty fabrics are animals, memorabilia, hobbies, like cat fabric, Elvis fabric, fisherman fabric, etc. The subject can be whimsical or realistic.
- Examples of fabric that are NOT novelty fabric: background, floral, solid, tone on tone, geometrics.
- 2. How many to bring? Depends on how many you want to take home with you. One yard yields about 42 squares; 1-1/2 yards yields about 63 squares; 2 yards yields about 84 squares.

3. This is HOW IT WORKS:

When you arrive at the December meeting, pin a square of your fabric to you in a prominent place using your name tag. After Mary Ellen Hopkins' presentation, you will have a chance to mill around and exchange fabrics. This could get pretty wild hunting down that fabric that you MUST have that might be across the room. Oh no! you might have to remember the name of the person who has the fabric that is to die for.

This should be a lot of fun. If you don't bring fabric, you will wish that you had!

Still confused? Judy will be showing samples at the November meeting or call her at 682-6592.



Birthdays to Remember

Nove	ember	Dece	mber
15	Carol Ann Hamilton	3	Marie Finck
15	Stephanie VanSickel	5	Lucille Honda
19	Toni Smith	5	Olive Moreno
22	Anne Deran	5	Christy Snarski
22	Terrence Short	8	Lucke Thorensen
23 .	Cay Donohue		
25	Jane Velus	Last	month we inadvertently omitted
27	Jerri Harrison	Dian	e Eardley's birthday which was
27	Bev Waters	celeb	rated on October 25.
30	Lois Hodges		
30	Jean Martin		

...and the Winner is!

The 1996 Wearable Challenge Fashion Show brought laughter, surprises, and admiration for a wide selection of wearable art at the October guild meeting. On the runway were vests, jackets, ensembles, a charming child's outfit, a Halloween special, an Elvis Lives jacket and the unforgettable brazenly tinsel laden over-sized brassiere. We had 28 participants which included many new members who attempted their first challenge and contributed to a fun filled evening. Much of the high spirits was due to our lively commentator, Susan Cochran. Models were assisted by the capable hands of runway helpers Ingred Engmyr, Karin Cooper, and Norah McMeeking. And many thanks to Pat Yamada for help in registration and general aide and support to coordinator, Jan Inouye. The memory lingers on as we announce the award winners tonight. The entries are:

No.	Name	Garment	Musical Title	Description
1	Susan Cochran	Jacket	Front:Theme from Working Girl Back: Elton John's	Appliqued frenzied woman with beads and found objects
2	Karen Pickford	Ensemble	The Bitch is Back (Somewhere)Over the Rainbow	Bargello & seminole strips with mini-fans & X-stitched bluebird. Fabric markers used to color the Challenge fabric.
3	Lori Schiferl	Child's dress	Bali Hai (fr. South Pacific)	Fractured Stripped piecing
4.	Nancy King	Vest/R	Calypso	Challg fabric shifted in strips. Reverse: with appliqueses and morning glories over trellis
5	Linda Estrada	Jacket	Hard Days Night	Floral fabric with 4- patches, prairie pts, knots, applique

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6.	Maggie Godwin	Dress/hat	Happy Birthday To You	Seminole, afghani piecing, prairie pts, knotted fabric. Hat 2/candles, metallic sprinkles, and music box
7.	Evelyn Gorrindo	Vest/Purse	Black Magic	Velvet/silk with lace, beads, ribbon embroidery, pleating, gold leaves applique
8.	Sandy Wilmot	Jacket	Purple Haze	Pieced techniques using machine embroidery stitches
9.	Harriet Berk	Vest/R	Kitten on the Keys	Photo transfer, baby blocks, & piecing w/ a thrift store find.
10.	Ingrid Bergere	Jacket	Blues In the Night	Blue kimono fabric blocks with machine embroidery & hand couching
11.	Ruth Walters	Vest/R	That Old Black Magic/Hey Good Lookin'	Batik panel with pieced sections.
12.	Ruth Walters	Vest	Anything Goes	Afghani piecing with leftover strips from other projects.
13.	Karin Cooper	Vest	CATS/Kitten on the Keys	Log Cabin blocks and cat appliques
14.	Betty Shumaker	Vest	Be It Ever So Humble	Applique house/pockets from Melody Bollays quilt classes
15	Judy Gorrindo	Jacket	100 Million Miracles (fr.Flower Drum Song)	Seminole and other intricate piecing techniques
16.	Sharon Doyle	Jacket	Love Me Tender	Elvis themed piece with buttons, beads, phototransfer, rubber stamp, found objects
17.	Gail Tinsley	Vest/R	What's New, Pussycat?	Log Cabin center on point, applique & strip piecing
18.	Joann Conklin	Vest/Blouse	Here Comes Santa Claus	Strips, prairie pts, piping and inserts.

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CHRISTMAS WREATH

8" Finished (8 1/2" with seams)

MATERIALS:

Background - Beige, white on muslin, ecru Wreath - Green print or plaid

CUTTING DIRECTIONS:

Background -

A - Two 2 7/8" x 2 7/8" squares cut diagonally once

C - One 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" square

Wreath Green -

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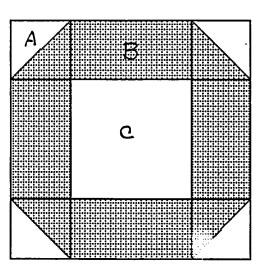
B - Four 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles

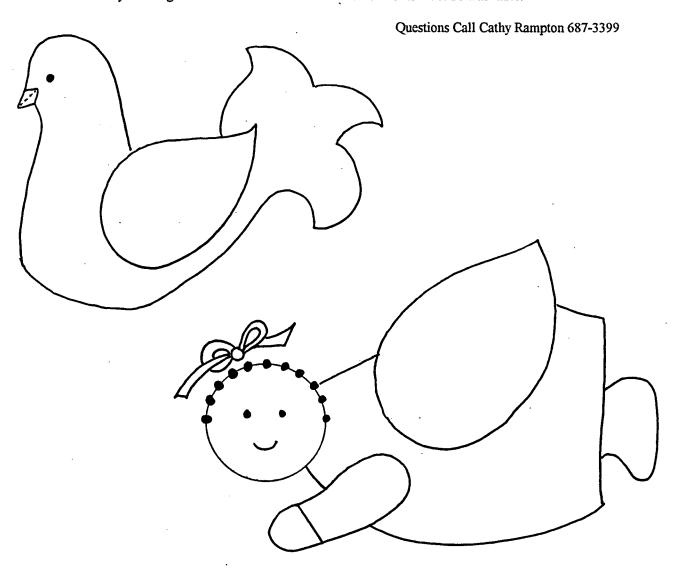
EMBELLISHMENT:

Can appliqué an angle, dove

Add buttons, whatever

Use your imagination and have fun but all embellishments must be washable.





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19.	Robin Ruge	Jacket	Dancing in the Streets	Pieced-by-layeri technique with machine embroidered stit
20.	Anne Deran Susan West	Vest/R/purse Dress	Play It Again Sam Second Hand Rose	Strip pieced blood Pieced, hand applique with recycled husband' shirt
22	Danae Michele	Jacket	White Rabbit	Alice In wonder theme using applique, photo transfer, beads of velvet and rayor
23.	Joyce Antrim-Sos	Тор	Fascinatin' Rhythm	4-Vibrations fat overlaid with rhinestone netting
24	Kathy Pierce	Jacket/Neckla ce	Black Magic Woman	Diagonal striped piecing
25.	Deena Winkeler	Man's Vest	Don't Fear the Reaper	Applique 3-D reshrinky dinks, buttons, & twin
26.	Jan Inouye	Vest/R	I Can Sing A Rainbow	16x16 blocks, meandering mad quilting with variegated threa Japanese floral appliques on reside
27.	Diane Eardley	Dress	Coat of Many Colors	Striped piecing bodice using dy marbelized fabr
28.	Tuesday's Titties	Brassiere	Material Girl	Tassels, proper fringe, bells, be sequins, found objects

COASTAL QUILTERS 1997 SLATE OF NOMINEES

PRESIDENT - Norah McMeeking
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VICE PRESIDENT (WORKSHOPS) - Kathy Pierce
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OPPORTUNITY QUILT -

1997 - Judy Gorindo - Tickets Harriet Berk

1998 - Janet Berlin - Tickets?

DOOR PRIZES - Linda Estrada

REFRESHMENTS - Mary Bersek and Ingrid Bergere

TELEPHONE - Linda Karppinen

WELCOMING COMMITTEE - Elizabeth Cooper

Betty Shumaker
Traci Hilden-Cope

SPECIAL EVENTS - Oleta Bennett and Diana Iler SATELLITE GROUPS - Ruth Walters and Lee Carlson HISTORIAN - Nancy Bauerle COMMUNITY PROJECTS - Cecilia Puppo NOMINATIONS - Karen Cooper SO. CA. COUNCIL OF QUILT GUILDS REPRESENTATIVE -

CONGRATULATIONS to all of the above people who have volunteered their precious quilting time to make our GUILD special in 1997. Submitted by Lee Carlson.

Quilt Shows, Seminars & Retreats

Sept 29 - Feb 16 UCLA -- Fowler Museum of Cultural History A Quiet Spirit - Amish Quilts from the Collection of Cindy Tietze and Stuart Hodosh (310) 825-4361

Nov 2 - Jan 26 SAN DIEGO

Visions: Quilt Art An international juried exhibition of contemporary quilts at the Museum of San Diego History. Free docent tours for grops of eight or more. (619) 695-2822

Nov 13 - 18 ASILOMAR

Empty Spools Seminars Info: 70 Bradley Ave., Walnut Creek, CA 94596, (510) 930-7893

Nov 23 UPLAND

Celebration of Quilts presented by Quilter's Haven and Old Town Info: Quilter's Haven, P.O. Box 4873, Covina, CA 91723, (818) 339-4788

Jan 16 - 19 ONTARIO Road to California For info: 6361 Malachite Ave., Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91701, (909) 989-3036

Jan 17 - 19 ONTARIO Crossroads 1997 Second Annual Juried and Judged Quilt Show for So. CA.. Ontario Hilton SASE Road to California, P.O. Box 966, Alta Loma, CA 91701, (909) 989-3036

Jan 31 - Feb 1 SAN JACINTO Valley Quilters Quilt show. 901 W. Esplanade Ave., San Jacinto, CA (909) 925-3095

Feb 2 -3 BAKERSFIELD Cotton Patch Quilters Show, Kern County Fairgrounds, (619) 378-3652

Feb 22 - 23 TORRANCE South Bay Quilters Quilt Show, "Spinning into Spring", Torrance Cultural Arts Center. (310) 544-7747

MARCH 1 - 5, MARCH 5 - 10 ASILOMAR Empty Spools Seminars Info: 70 Bradley Ave., Walnut Creetk, CA 94596 (510) 930-7893

March 21 - 23 BURBANK Glendale Quilt Show, Burbank Airport Hilton Convention Center

APRIL 4-5 LAS VEGAS Quilt show by Desert Quilters of Nevada For info: (702) 896-1634

April 12 -13 VENTURA Camarillo Quilt Show "Spring Forth! A Garden of Quilts" at Ventura County Fairgrounds SASE to 20118 Village 20, Camarillo, CA 93012

April 12 -13 UPLAND Nite Owl Quilter's Guild show "An Americana Quilt Festival" (909)590-2227 or SASE to P.O. Box 5019, Upland, CA 91785

DOOR PRIZES!!!

At the October meeting, the 1000th ticket was distributed! Three cheers for our guild and to all of you who so generously support our door prize fundraiser!

Donors of prizes in October were:

MM Fabrics: two fabric packs

Ameican Patchwork and Quilting: Maple leaf patterns

P&B Fabrics: one pkg. of fat quarters

Doheny Publications: Amish Sparkle Star pattern

Keepsake Quilting: *Pine Forest* pattern Piecemakers: *Eating Crow* pattern and card Sally's Quilt Quarters: *Animas Quilts* book

Clearview Triangle: Easy and Elegant Quilts book

Carol Boyce: one T-shirt and one book Coastal Quilters: *Block of the Month* book Judy Mathiesen: *Milady's Fan* pattern Ruth Walters: *Building Quilt Blocks 2* book

Wanda Livernois: two sweatshirts Jana Julian: two pieces of fabric Cay Donahue: one earring set

At tonight's meeting, Norah has promised some lovely English treats! Stop by the door prize table to drop off a pound (or a dollar). Thanks again and good luck!!!

Linda Estrada, Door Prize Coordinator



DECEMBER BOARD MEETING/PARTY

The board meeting for December will be for both the outgoing and incoming board members. The meeting will be held on December 4 at 7:00 p.m. at Maggie's house, 5572 Camino Galeana. (From 101 freeway, take the Patterson Avenue offramp toward the mountains. Stay on Patterson for 1.6 miles. Turn right on to Camino Manadero. Immediately turn right on to Camino Galeana. Maggie's house is the first house on the left. Watch for her white Saturn.)

Besides just having a good time getting together and celebrating the season, the board members will have the chance to interact with their incoming coutnerparts to make the transition as smooth as possible. Please bring any notes/notebooks to pass on to new officers/board members.

All 1996 and 1997 board members are strongly encouraged to attend -- all members are welcome.

Coastal Quilters Guild

Web page address: http://www.west.net/nonprof/quilt

President: Maggie Godwin

1st Vice President (Programs): Judy Gorrindo

Workshops: Anne Braddock

Meetings Guild meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Samarkand Community Center, 2550 Treasure Drive, Santa Barbara, CA.

Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara and Goleta, California is a non-profit, educational and charitable organization. It is the purpose of the Guild to educate its members about the history and preservation of the art form of quiltmaking and its related topics; to learn new techniques, improve skills and to inform the community-at-large about our quiltmaking heritage.

CoastLines Newsletter is a monthly publication. Deadline for newsletter articles is the 1st day of each monthr for the next issue. Send to P.O. Box6341, Santa Barbara, CA 93160. Attn: newsletter.

Checklist for the December Meeting

- Unsold Opportunity quilt tickets and all proceeds are due in December.
- Donation quilts for Sarah House
- 6"x6" fabric squares for Holiday Fabric Exchange
- Return all library books.

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